

Drawing Inspiration from the Figure

Call for Entry – ALL MEMBER SHOW

June 3 – 26, 2011

For hundreds of years artists have used models to understand proportion, structure, movement and the expressive nature of the human figure. Through these studies, wonderful works of art have intrigued and stimulated our senses through many styles and centuries.

We are interested in showing a variety of styles and media in this show. We look forward to displaying your art that has started from observations of the human figure and developed into all manner of artistic expression. Realistic or abstracted, we are looking to have it in our show. Show us: how does the human figure inform or inspire your art?

One wall will exhibit a collection of drawing studies from life drawing sessions, workshops or independent work. If you have a particular figure drawing or sketch that has inspired a finished piece you are entering in this show we would like to include it as part of drawing studies exhibit.

Curators: Pamela Underhill, PamUnderhill@comcast.net, 703-507-4964
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Entry Details:

- This show is open to DRA members only.
- Receiving takes place Sunday May 29th 5-8pm and Monday May 30th 5-7pm.
- Artists may submit up to 2 pieces of artwork inspired by the figure and executed in any medium. Entry fee is \$5 per piece. Please indicate if these works are Not For Sale (NFS) or are priced to sell.
- Artists submitting work for display may also submit up to 3 additional matted & shrink-wrapped pieces – also inspired by the figure - for cash-and-carry bin sales. Entry fee is \$1 for up to three bin sale items. These works must no larger than 18"x24" and priced to sell. As bin items sell they may be replenished by the artist at the curators' discretion.
- Additionally, submissions of unmatted/unframed figure drawings for display during the show are requested. Of particular interest are drawings that served as the inspiration for the pieces submitted for display in this show. These drawings will be taped or pinned to the wall as part of a group exhibit and not be for sale. There is no additional entry fee for these submissions.
- DRA members are entitled to have at least one piece displayed if all submission criteria are met. Acceptance of all submissions is at the curators' discretion.
- Your art – except bin pieces and unmatted/unframed drawings – must be ready to hang or display with wire and screw eyes, mounting and/or display stand, framed, matted, or with edges finished. We cannot show work that is not ready for exhibition. See www.thedelrayartisans.org/shows/artguidelines.html for more information.
- When your art sells you are asked to make a 20% donation (tax deductible) to Del Ray Artisans.

Accepted Artist Requirements:

- Artists are responsible for drop-off/pick-up arrangements, as well as delivery of sold work.
- **All artists MUST gallery sit and/or volunteer** with set-up, hanging, opening/closing receptions and/or take down. Please bring your calendars so you can sign up for duties at receiving. We'll ask you to contribute a food or beverage for the opening reception.
- Insurance for artwork and all arrangements for work sold is the responsibility of the artist. Neither Del Ray Artisans nor the City of Alexandria can be held liable for any loss or damage.
- Permission to photograph any work for publicity purposes is automatically granted by the artist as a requisite for entering the show.
- Work must be original (no reproductions) and not previously exhibited in a DRA show.



Del Ray Artisans gallery
Nicholas A. Colasanto Center
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Alexandria, VA 22301
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www.TheDelRayArtisans.org

Hours

Thursdays: Noon – 6 pm
First Thursdays: Noon – 9 pm
Fridays: Noon – 9 pm
Saturdays: 10 am – 9 pm
Sundays: Noon – 6 pm

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Show Entry Form

Drop Off Dates: Sunday May 29th 5-8 pm and Monday May 30th 5-7 pm
Entry Fee: \$5 per piece for artwork to hang/display. \$1 for up to three bin sale items.
 Unmated/unframed drawings no additional charge.

Artist Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone(s): _____
Email: _____

Artwork for show (ready to hang or display)

	TITLE	MEDIA	PRICE
1)	_____	_____	\$ _____
2)	_____	_____	\$ _____

Artwork for Bin Sales

	TITLE	MEDIA	PRICE
1)	_____	_____	\$ _____
2)	_____	_____	\$ _____
3)	_____	_____	\$ _____

Total Number of Unmatted/Unframed Drawings submitted: _____

I agree to abide by the policies and regulations set forth in this Call for Entry, I hereby release Del Ray Artisans, the Officers, the Board of Directors, and the City of Alexandria from any responsibility or personal liability to me from any damage, claims or loss in connection with this show. I understand that all accepted artwork must remain for the duration of the show.

Check here to have DRA automatically take a 20% tax deductible donation from the sale of artwork.

Signed _____ Date _____



Calendar of Important Dates

Artwork Drop Off: **Sunday May 29th, 5-8 pm & Monday May 30th, 5-7 pm**
 Non-Accepted Artwork Pickup: **Tuesday May 31st, 6-8pm & Thursday June 2nd, 12-3pm**
 Opening Reception: **Friday June 3rd, 7-10 pm**
 Show Closes/Artwork Pickup: **Sunday June 26th, 6-8 pm**

Gallery Sitting Time Slot: _____

Questions? Contact the curators: Pamela Underhill, PamUnderhill@comcast.net, 703-507-4964
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