

CALL FOR ENTRY | ALL MEMBER SHOW | OCTOBER 4–27, 2013

# Del-Ray-geous

Del Ray (home of Del Ray Artisans) is a neighborhood in the City of Alexandria, but it's more than just a place—it's a creative community. You'll find people out-and-about—walking the neighborhood sidewalks every day of the week. Kids active on the playgrounds; neighbors and dogs greeting each other; people enjoying their day.

Del Ray has a bustling past and present of eclectic architectural styles, popular restaurants and small businesses, impressive community events, active non-profits, and some great City resources. It's hard to not get inspired by it all.

Whether you've lived here for years or if you just fell in love with the community, we want you express what Del Ray means to you. Don't be afraid to let your creativity be outrageous. Make it Del-Ray-geous!

More about Del Ray:

- <http://www.delraycitizen.org/about.php>
- <http://alexandriava.gov/historic/info/default.aspx?id=29264>
- <http://visitdelray.com>
- <http://delray.patch.com>

Focus your 2D or 3D artwork (in any medium) on some specific aspect of Del Ray or on community in general.

Also consider entering fine handcraft artisans work into the "Art-to-Go" market. Shrink-wrapped, unframed, matted 2D artwork is also encouraged for the market.

**Curators: Lesley Hall & Dawn Wyse Hurto**  
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**Special Note:** We are collecting donated children's costumes for the neighborhood Halloween parade organized by the Del Ray Business Association. Please drop off costumes before Friday, October 25.

## Entry Details:

- This show is open to Del Ray Artisans (DRA) members only.
- Receiving takes place Sunday, September 29 from 6pm-8pm and Monday, September 30 from 6pm-8pm.
- Artists may submit up to 2 pieces of artwork for the *show*. Show entry fee is \$5 per piece and is non-refundable.
- Artists may submit up to 3 pieces of artwork for the *market*. Work may be fine handcrafts or shrink-wrapped 2D art (no larger than 18"x24") for cash-and-carry sales. Market entry fee is \$2 per piece and is non-refundable. These works must be for sale.
- DRA members are entitled to have at least one piece displayed in the show if all submission criteria are met. *Acceptance of all submissions is at the curators' discretion.*
- Your art – except market entries – 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. For more information, visit: [www.TheDelRayArtisans.org/shows/artguidelines.html](http://www.TheDelRayArtisans.org/shows/artguidelines.html)
- Diptychs or triptychs that are framed as 2 or 3 separate framed pieces will count as 2 or 3 separate entries; only if the diptych or triptych is framed as one piece will it be accepted as a single entry.

## Accepted Artist Requirements:

- When your art sells you are asked to make a 20% donation (tax-deductible) to *Del Ray Artisans*.
- Artists are responsible for drop-off/pick-up arrangements, as well as delivery of sold work.
- **All artists MUST gallery host and 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. You are also asked 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 DRA publicity purposes is automatically granted by the artist as a requisite for entering the show.
- After the entries are accepted for the show or market, artists may not pick up unsold artwork until Sunday, October 27 from 6-8pm.
- Buyers will be allowed to pick up *market* artwork immediately (cash-and-carry) and *show* artwork any time during the last two days of the show: Saturday, October 26 and Sunday, October 27.
- Work must be original (no reproductions, prints, or giclees) and not previously exhibited in a DRA show.



**Del Ray Artisans gallery**  
Nicholas A. Colasanto Center  
2704 Mount Vernon Avenue  
Alexandria, VA 22301-1124  
[www.TheDelRayArtisans.org](http://www.TheDelRayArtisans.org)  
703.838.4827

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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Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**ARTWORK FOR SHOW—\$5 per piece:**

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

**ARTWORK FOR CASH-AND-CARRY MARKET—\$2 per piece:**

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

*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.**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**CALENDAR OF IMPORTANT DATES**

- Artwork Drop Off: Sunday, Sep. 29 & Monday, Sep. 30 from 6pm–8pm
- Non-Accepted Artwork Pick Up: Tuesday, Oct. 1 from 6pm–8pm & Thursday, Oct. 3 from 12–8pm
- Opening Reception: Friday, October 4 from 7pm–10pm
- Art on the Avenue: Saturday, October 5 from 10am–6pm
- View the Show: October 4 – 27, 2013 during gallery hours
- Closing Reception: Sunday, October 27 from 3pm–6pm
- Show Closes/Artwork Pick Up: Sunday, October 27 from 6pm–8pm

Gallery Hosting Time Slot: \_\_\_\_\_

Food/Drink for the Opening: \_\_\_\_\_

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