

# The Color Pink

January 2<sup>nd</sup> - February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015

Opening Reception January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Artists have used the color pink throughout the centuries to evoke purity, hope, seduction, romanticism, and many other emotions. Softer pinks often are associated with compassion, nurturing and love, while deeper pinks are more assertive. Surrealist artist Elsa Schiaparelli created “shocking pink”; artists Christo and Jeanne-Claude achieved fame by wrapping the islands of Miami’s Biscayne Bay with bright pink fabric.

What can YOU do with the color pink? Will you make something sweet or sassy...sublime or shocking? This show challenges Del Ray member artists to use any shade of pink as little or as much as they like to create an artistic statement and evoke one or more of the many emotions associated with pink.

Curator: Betsy Mead (202-276-0695, [egmead@gmail.com](mailto:egmead@gmail.com))

## Entry Details:

- This is a *Members only* exhibit.
- Receiving takes place **Sunday, December 28 & Monday, December 29** from 6-8pm. The Curator will judge all work submitted and with the help of a curating committee make awards for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place, and Honorable Mention.
- Artists may submit up to 3 pieces of artwork. Entry fee is \$5 per piece. Entry fees are non refundable.
- No limit to use of colors to achieve a variety of shades and hues of pink. **Pink must be visible on the canvas.**
- Artists must provide an **Artist Statement** for each piece AND an **Artist Bio** – email these items to the Curator at [egmead@gmail.com](mailto:egmead@gmail.com)
- Your art 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](http://www.TheDelRayArtisans.org/shows/artguidelines.html) for details.
- 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.
- **All artists MUST gallery sit 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. We’ll ask you to contribute a food or beverage for the opening reception.
- Insurance for artwork 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.
- Any artwork left over 30 days after the close of the show will become property of Del Ray Artisans.
- Print out and keep a copy of both sides of this form for your records.

## Special Events:

- Win a lighted pink glass gingerbread house designed and built by artist Betsy Mead at an opening night raffle.
- ‘Create a Glass Gingerbread House’ workshop on Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am – 2:00pm.



**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

**Gallery Hours**  
Thursdays: Noon – 6 pm  
Fridays: Noon – 9 pm  
Saturdays: Noon – 9 pm  
Sundays: Noon – 6 pm

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**Drop Off Dates:** Sunday, Dec 28<sup>th</sup> & Monday, Dec 29<sup>th</sup>, 2014 from 6:00pm – 8:00pm

**Entry Fee:** \$5 per piece (non-refundable). Up to 3 pieces.

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

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

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

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## List artwork below:

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

**Don't forget to provide an *Artist Statement* for each piece AND an *Artist Bio* – email these items to the Curator at [egmead@gmail.com](mailto:egmead@gmail.com)**

*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, staff, volunteers and the City of Alexandria from any responsibility or personal liability to me from any damage, claims or loss in connection with this show.*

*Check here to have Del Ray Artisans automatically take a 20% tax-deductible donation from the sale of artwork.*

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## Important Dates:

Artwork Drop Off:	<b>Sunday, Dec 28<sup>th</sup> &amp; Monday, Dec 29<sup>th</sup>, 6:00-8:00pm</b>
Non-Accepted Artwork Pickup:	<b>Saturday, Jan 3<sup>rd</sup>, 12:00pm -6:00pm</b>
Opening Reception:	<b>Friday, Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00-9:00pm</b>
Glass Workshop:	<b>Saturday, Jan 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am-2:00pm</b>
Show Closes/Artwork Pickup:	<b>Sunday, Feb 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:00-8:00pm</b>

I agreed to GALLERY HOST on \_\_\_\_\_

I will staff the opening reception as \_\_\_\_\_ time slot: \_\_\_\_\_

I will bring: \_\_\_ drinks, \_\_\_ veggies, \_\_\_ fruits, \_\_\_ cheese, \_\_\_ sweets (check one)



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