



The Suffolk Art Gallery and Suffolk Art League
invite artists to submit artwork for a
Juried Exhibition



THOUGHTFULLY AWAKE

Artwork that Examines Social Issues and Awareness

May 3 – June 7, 2019

Suffolk Art Gallery, 118 Bosley Avenue, Suffolk, VA

The media, in all forms, traditional, social, and electronic, are filled with stories of disparity. #MeToo, race relations, immigration, Equal Rights Amendment, the environment, and many more. Artists have always had unique ways to convey messages of injustice and consolation through their creative process. We invite artists to submit up to three artworks that examine social issues in ways that may help the viewer to be more aware of these disparities in society - local, national or international. Helping them to be thoughtfully awakened.

Reception and Awards Presentation: There will be a reception on Friday, May 3 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Eligibility: Work to be exhibited may be executed using any medium and inspired by social issues. Artwork must be original, completed within the past two years and cannot have been previously exhibited at the Suffolk Art Gallery.

Submission: Complete the Exhibit Entry Form below and submit with images on a CD/flash drive or by email (instructions below) by **March 29**. Image file names should read: last name.first name.artwork title, be 300 DPI and no larger than 2MB. Please include reference to the social issue that is being explored. Each artist may submit up to **3 works**. There is no fee to enter work in this exhibit. Artwork may be for sale. A 30% consignment will be retained (please include when pricing artwork). Artists will be notified by **April 12** regarding selection of artwork. Please be aware that all, some, or none of your work may be selected.

Presentation: 2-D artwork must be framed or fully painted gallery wrap with a wire on the back for hanging. No clip type frames or saw tooth hangers will be accepted. We will provide pedestals for 3-D works.

Awards: TBA

Juror: Work to be included in the exhibition will be juried by the Exhibitions Committee.

Delivery: Artwork selected for the exhibit should be delivered to the Suffolk Art Gallery on Thursday, Apr. 25, 10a.m. – 5p.m. or Saturday, April 27, 10a.m.-2p.m. You may ship artwork to the Suffolk Art Gallery, 118 Bosley Avenue, Suffolk VA 23434 in a reusable carton, with return postage included to arrive no later than April 25. Submitting an entry to this exhibition constitutes an understanding and acceptance of the conditions set forth in this prospectus. All reasonable care and precautions will be taken in handling the work. Works accepted in the exhibit will be insured for the duration of the exhibit.

Return of Work: Artwork must remain on display through the duration of the exhibition. **Work should be picked up on Saturday, June 8 from 10 - 2 or Tuesday, June 11 from 10am-4pm.** Any work left at the Suffolk Art Gallery past these dates will not be insured. Work left 15 days past these dates becomes sole property of the Suffolk Art League/Suffolk Art Gallery.

Related event:

May 16, 7:00 p.m. “Self -Made Men” a conversation with Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglass. Presented by Eric Richardson and Nathan Richardson. Free and open to the public. Funded in part by the Suffolk Fine Arts Commission.

In collaboration with:



Entry Form

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

_____ Email _____

Daytime Phone _____ Alt Phone _____

Please number to match images on CD or email:

Title	Medium	Size (H X W)	Price (Value)
1) _____	_____	_____	_____
2) _____	_____	_____	_____
3) _____	_____	_____	_____

Mail this form with a CD/flash drive of your images, numbered to match Entry Form, to:
Suffolk Art League, 118 Bosley Avenue, Suffolk, VA 23434
OR you may reproduce this form and email with images numbered to match Entry Form to:

suffolkartleague@verizon.net

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