

# Genesis Festival

## Art Exhibit

### PROSPECTUS

The Fountain Arts Center is dedicated to promoting the arts and developing talented artists. One way we do this is by giving them an opportunity to exhibit their work. The Fountain Arts Center, in conjunction with Western New York Concert Ministries' Genesis Festival, is sponsoring an exhibit that gives regional Christian artists a venue for sharing their interpretation of the gospel through their art. If you have work with an inspirational theme, consider submitting a piece for this exhibition that will be viewed by hundreds of visitors at the Allegany County Fairgrounds.

The exhibit will take place during the Genesis Festival at the Fairgrounds on September 5-6, 2008. It will be set up and monitored in the 4-H Exhibit Hall, and open to the public between scheduled concerts. Following are the guidelines and schedule for the Genesis Festival Art Exhibit.

#### ***Guidelines***

- Entries that are *original* work will be accepted in the following categories:  
*Drawing, Printmaking, Painting, Photography, 3-D, and Textiles*
- Entries **must** be framed and/or ready for hanging or display. Work not ready for display will not be accepted for exhibition.
- Entries must be pre-registered by August 29, 2008, by submitting the attached registration form to The Fountain Arts Center.
- There are no size limitations.
- There is no entry fee.
- The Fountain Arts Center reserves the right to exclude any work not deemed suitable for presentation.
- Up to two entries per artist may be submitted; however, there is no guarantee that both pieces will be exhibited. Exhibition will depend on the total number of entries submitted. All artists will have at least one piece exhibited, if they are considered suitable for presentation.
- This is an open exhibit. Neither the Fountain Arts Center nor Western New York Concert Ministries will be judging the work, or selling work for the artists. Artists who wish to sell work must include contact information to be made available for interested persons.

#### ***Schedule***

- *Pre-registration deadline* August 29, 2008
- *Submit entries for display at exhibit hall* September 4, 2008; 10AM–1PM
- *Show hanging* September 4, 2008 1-3PM
- *Exhibition dates* September 5-6, 2008
- *Pick-up entries* September 6, 2008; 8:30–9:30PM  
September 7, 2008; 12:30–2PM

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ENTRY REGISTRATION FORM  
(PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY. FILL IN ALL BLANKS AND CHECK ALL SECTIONS)

ARTIST \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY TITLE #1 \_\_\_\_\_

CATEGORY \_\_\_\_\_ MEDIUM \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: ( ) Not for sale—Value \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) For Sale \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY TITLE #2 \_\_\_\_\_

CATEGORY \_\_\_\_\_ MEDIUM \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: ( ) Not for sale—Value \$ \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) For Sale \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*I understand that every reasonable care will be used in handling and displaying these works of art. I do not hold The Fountain Arts Center or WNY Concert Ministries, or the Allegany County Fairgrounds responsible for loss or damage of any kind. If my work is not retrieved from the exhibit hall by the scheduled closing time, I do not hold anyone working on behalf of the three entities named above responsible for loss or damage to my work.*

ARTIST CONTACT INFORMATION

ARTIST \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TOWN \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

ARTIST SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

*By signing and submitting this form, I agree to the terms of the guidelines and schedule of the prospectus, and the hold harmless clause above.*

Return this form by August 29, 2008 to:  
The Fountain Arts Center, Inc., 17A Willard St., Belmont, NY 14813  
585-268-5957 or 585-268-5951