



Young Artist Showcase Entry Form

Submission Deadline: May 19, 2023

About

The Ocean City Arts Center is pleased to host an exhibit dedicated to showcasing the talent of student artists and to fundraising for student scholarships. Artists will be selected to exhibit their artwork in the OC Community Center's atrium. Fundraising votes by community members will be encouraged through the use of donation boxes which will display the artists' photos, names, and ages. Artwork will be on display in the atrium from May 25 – June 29. Community fundraising votes will be counted as of June 28 at 12pm. Awards will be announced at the Meet the Artists dessert reception on June 29 from 7-8pm in the atrium of the Ocean City Community Center. Best in Show will be selected by the judging committee. Community Favorite will be awarded based on total monetary fundraising. Award recipients will earn a scholarship to an OCAC class.

Show Theme: *Nature in Ocean City*

Contest Rules

- Entrants must be in grades K – 8, as of May 19, 2023.
- This competition is open only to students enrolled in the Ocean City School District, residents of Ocean City, and members of the Ocean City Arts Center.
- Entrants must submit a photograph of themselves size 8 X 10 which will be displayed with their artwork.
- Submissions must be on size 11 x 14 paper, single-sided, two-dimensional.
- Submissions must be relevant to the show theme, *Nature in Ocean City*
- Submissions must be delivered to the Ocean City Arts Center by the deadline, May 19, 2023.
- One submission per entrant.
- Artwork must be original and created *entirely* by the student artist.
- No photography submissions will be accepted in this competition.
- Entrants must be available for the Meet the Artists reception on June 29 from 7-8pm

Artist Name: _____ Artist Age: _____ Artist Grade: _____

Please check all that apply. The Artist is a:

____ Student enrolled the Ocean City School District

____ Resident of Ocean City

____ Current member of the Ocean City Arts Center

Parent/guardian phone number: _____ Email: _____

Media Used (please list all media): _____

Title of Artwork: _____

Artist's Description of Artwork (please describe what the submission means to the artist):

Authorization

I, _____, am the parent/guardian of the student artist listed on this entry form. By signing this release, I hereby authorize the Ocean City Arts Center to publicly display my child's artwork, photograph, name, and age. I hereby authorize the Ocean City Arts Center to photograph my child and/or their artwork for publicity and fundraising purposes. I hereby agree that I understand the contest rules.

Parent/guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Please refer all questions about the contest to Executive Director Chase Jackson at chasej@oceancityartscenter.org