



CALL FOR ARTISTS!

“THE 610 OPEN” Gallery Exhibition

(Annual Regional Exhibition with Cash Awards)

SHOW: April 18 - May 23, 2025 at the 610 Arts Collective, Ridgway, CO

ARTWORK REGISTRATION/DROP OFF: Tues-Fri, April 8-11 from 10-5 or Sat, April 12 from 10-2

Public Voting For People’s Choice Award: April 18th-May 22nd, 2025

Opening Reception: April 18, 2025 from 5:30-7:30pm

Awards will be posted May 23, 2025 (via award ribbons in the space)

ARTIST PICKUP: May 29-31 during business hours

ELIGIBILITY Eligible two and three dimensional original media.

Prints of work will not be accepted. **Work may not exceed**

18”x18”, including frame.

PRESENTATION Work must be suitably framed and ready for hanging. Drawings, prints, watercolors and pastels must be under Plexiglass or glass. If an artist opts to *not* have work under glass, it is under their own risk and work will not be insured for damage. **No wire clip frames/frameless clips will be accepted.** All work, glass, and frames must be clean, undamaged and ready for a show.

SALES All work will be for sale. 60% proceeds from sales will go to the artist and 40% proceeds will go to 610 Gallery, Ridgway Chautauqua/Sherbino.

FEES \$25.00 entry fee per piece, maximum submission: 2 pieces. Entry fees are paid through the entry forms. Credit cards may be called-in or processed when artwork is dropped off. Fees are nonrefundable on accepted works. There are no handling fees but artists are responsible for shipping costs, if any.

SUBMISSION Gallery reserves the right to reject hanging a piece of work. Late-arriving work will be hung at the subjection of the Gallery. If work is rejected, an alternate piece may be submitted or fee will be refunded to artists. Work must remain for the duration of the exhibition.

RECEIVING Hand-delivered work must arrive **Tues-Fri, April 8-11 from 10-5 or Sat, April 12 from 10-2** Shipped items must be coordinated in advance, as we will be closed until the 16th for a break. Items should be shipped in a sturdy, reusable container. No plastic peanuts, please. Artists are responsible for shipping costs to and from the gallery and insurance in transit. Return shipping must be prepaid through UPS or FedEx. Artists shipping from abroad are responsible for their artwork clearing customs and arriving in time at the gallery.

REMOVAL All works must be picked up from the gallery between May 29 & May 31, 2025 (during regular business hours). Works not removed on these days will be moved to the basement at 610 for a maximum of 30 days and released at gallery’s convenience. Works remaining at 610 Clinton after June 29, 2025 will be considered surrendered to the organization.

LIABILITY All artwork will be handled with the utmost care by experienced gallery personnel. Pieces are insured for damage or theft from April 16th to May 31st while in the Gallery. 610 Gallery, however, will not be responsible for any loss or damage to the work during transportation to or from the gallery, or in storage if not picked up by deadline.

DEADLINE All applications must be submitted with the piece and fee from April 8-12, 2025

AWARDS Best In Show, People’s Choice, and 610 Arts Collective Award. Each award comes with ribbon and cash prize (\$250 Best in Show, \$200 610 Arts Collective Award and \$150 for People’s Choice Award)

CHECKLIST

- Artwork to submit (1 to 2 pieces)
- Payment for submission (per piece)
- Application Form

APPLICATION:

Artist Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name of Piece: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____

Retail Price of Artwork: _____

Year produced: _____

Questions?

Email info@sherbino.org, visit www.610arts.com, call 970-318-0308, or stop by 610 Clinton Street in Ridgway, CO
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