

## The Capitol Hill Art League

# Presents its 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Metro

# **Open Juried Exhibition**

## "Untitled"

#### April 9-May 6, 2022



"Intersection, Monterey " by Karen Van Allen

At Capitol Hill Arts Workshop 545 7<sup>th</sup> Street, SE Washington, DC. 20003

The theme for this exhibit is completely "Untitled" and open to artists to explore uncharted territory, to share their favorite themes, to work in new ways or refine their preferred medium through their own personal process and any 2D and 3D media, including photography. The artwork can have a title though!

Open to artists, 18 years and older, residing in the DC/VA/MD area.

**Exhibit Managers:** CHAL Steering Committee Co-Chairs Anne Albright & Karen Van Allen (caphillartleagueofdc@gmail.com)

#### Juror: Will Fleishell

Will is an engraver with the Department of Treasury and can be as precise as that exacting craft can demand-you have seen his handiwork on stamps and currency. That carries over to the incredible and increasingly rare quality of prints he does in his Capitol Hill studio with a 150-year-old printing press - itself a work of art. His engravings are, fittingly, of the Rhinelandish, or Dutch, style rather than Italian, and he loves to engrave tiny emblems and portraits of houses. His creations include book plates for Smithsonian exhibits and Oprah's personal seal and bookplates.

Will does figurative life drawing at the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop, and paints portraits and landscapes. It is all done very much in traditional styles. He loves the detail, lighting, and drama of Baroque art, yet can still reach for the contemplative stillness and dignity of earlier classical periods. Will graduated from the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts in 1983 but has been an artist since birth.

**Reception and Juror's Remarks** scheduled for: April 9, 2021 at 5:30-7:30 pm at the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop located at 545 7<sup>th</sup> Street, SE Washington, DC. 20003. If because of COVID protocols, the live event must be cancelled, we will host the opening reception via ZOOM and send out registration information on or around April 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Entry Process**: Entrants may submit digital images in the online process at Smarter Entry.

To enter go to: https://client.smarterentry.com/chal and follow instructions. If you don't already have an account with Smarter Entry, you will set one up as "First Time User". Necessary information includes title, artist name, medium, dimensions, and price.

Digital files for viewing should be JPEG format, saved at high resolution with the longest dimension being no more than 1200 pixels. Please name your file as follows: Last nameFirstName-TitleofArtwork-Entry#. Example: SmithTom-Sunrise-1.jpg All work must be original and signed by the artist. Photographs and digital manipulations are considered original. All work must have been created within the last three years. Work previously juried into a CHAL exhibit may not be submitted. Previously *non- accepted* work may be submitted. **Submission opens February 5, 2022 - closes March 5, 2022 at midnight.** 

**Entry Fees:** Non-members may submit 3 entries for a non-refundable fee of \$35.00. CHAL members' discounted fee is \$25; a special discount code will be sent to our members for their discount. Up to two additional entries may be submitted at \$5 each for members and non-members. Artists submitting 3-dimensional work may provide two images of each piece, front view and side view.

We encourage non-members to join our league by going online to:

#### https://reg.chaw.org/chal/membership

**Accepted Work and Awards**: Our juror will select the final exhibitors from the Smarter Entry submissions. The juror will also decide and award \$500 for First, \$400 for Second and \$300 for third place plus (2) Honorable Mentions of \$200 each.

On or around March 22, 2022, an email will go out to all participants with the names of the juried exhibiting artists and the title of their artwork for the on-line show. Accepted art must be delivered to the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop between 10:00 am – Noon on **April 2<sup>nd</sup>** or 10:00 am – Noon on **April 4<sup>th</sup>**.

All awards will be presented at the opening reception to be held Saturday, **April 9th**, 2022, beginning at 5:30pm at Capitol Hill Arts Workshop. If because of COVID protocols, the live event must be cancelled, we will host the opening reception via ZOOM and send out registration information on or around April 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Sales:** The price submitted on the Smarter Entry registration online form will be the price presented at the time of the show for accepted work. Work that is not for sale will be marked NFS.

Capitol Hill Art League and Capitol Hill Arts Workshop <u>will not</u> be processing payments or charging a commission for any artwork purchased. Each Artist participating in the show will make arrangements directly with the Buyer for payment and delivery or pick up of sold artwork. All artwork must remain in the show at CHAW until the show closes on May 6th. All artwork must be picked up by the artist or the buyer on **May 7**<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am- Noon at CHAW.

The Capitol Hill Art League (CHAL) is a program of the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop. Located in the historic Capitol Hill neighborhood in Washington, DC. 70 Artists/members from the DC- metro area exhibit and sell original artwork at CHAW and various venues in the DC region. CHAL/CHAW hosts lectures on art related topics, offers workshops, and strives to support this vibrant community of artists. Website: https://www.caphillartleague.org/ Contact email: caphillartleagueofdc@gmail.com