



THE CAPITOL HILL ART LEAGUE

a program of the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop

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Members Only Art Exhibit

February 3 – March 2, 2024

“REFLECTIONS”

at

Frame of Mine Gallery
545 Eighth St SE, DC



“Eddies & Swirls” by Tara Hamilton

To start the year, the Capitol Hill Art League members are invited to share their vision in whatever manner they chose to interpret this theme. Actual reflections on land or water, or whatever your artist mind has been focusing on lately. Please enter your artwork for the first Frame of Mine show of 2024. This is not a juried show and up to 25 pieces will be accepted until January 27th.

Dates To Remember

- **Digital Submission: Now until January 27, 2024 at midnight**
- **Delivery: February 3, 2024 (10 am – 12 pm)**
- **Exhibition Viewing: February 3 - March 2, 2024**
- **Artwork Pickup: March 2, 2024 (before 2:00 pm)**

Exhibit Manager: Karen Van Allen

Members may submit up to 3 2D artwork in any media, including photography.
Maximum size is 24 inches in length or height.

Digital Entry: All entries will be made through SmarterEntry. During the entry process you will be required to supply the following information for each work: 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-Size-Price#. Example: SmithTom-Sunrise-20x24-350.jpg. The size of wall-hung work must be no larger than 24 inches maximum in either direction and weigh no more than 30 lbs. Upon receiving, all artwork must be wired and ready to hang. Work not following these specifications will not be accepted for exhibiting. All work must be original and signed by the artist.

Photographs and digital manipulations are considered original.

Work previously juried into a CHAL exhibit or included in a Frame of Mine show may not be submitted. Previously non- accepted work may be submitted. Submission opens closes January 27, at midnight.

Click on the link below to submit:

<https://client.smarterentry.com/CHAL>

Entry Fees: Entry Fees: \$5 for each work up to 3 submissions.

Accepted Work:

Once notified of acceptance, artists will be responsible for the delivery of artwork to Frame of Mine Gallery on Saturday, February 3, between 10:00am and 12:00 pm. Artwork must be hand-delivered to the gallery; no work will be accepted by mail or delivery services. All work must be ready for display. Frame of Mine Gallery uses the Walker system for hanging artwork. Please have your artwork framed and ready to hang with wire stretched across the back with D-rings. No saw tooth hangers or clip frames can be used with the hanging system at Frame of Mine. (See examples of proper wiring at end of prospectus.).

Please clearly label the back of your piece with artist name, artist contact information (email or phone number), title, medium, size, and price. The artist is responsible for any insurance on his/her work during the exhibition. If the work delivered deviates from the submitted digital images, the Capitol Hill Art League reserves the right to decline the work. Any pieces delivered that are not exhibition-ready with proper framing and hanging wires will not be exhibited. Unsold artwork must be picked up on Saturday, March 2, before 2:00pm. There is no storage space at FOM, so all artwork must be retrieved during this time.

Sales: Frame of Mine graciously takes no commission on sales. The artwork price submitted on the smarter entry registration online form will be the price presented at the time of the show for accepted work. Frame of Mine will run a credit card for the sales or

collect cash/checks and pay artists directly two weeks after the exhibit is taken down. Work that is not for sale will be marked NFS.

I certify that I agree to the rules of the show as presented in the prospectus. Entries submitted are my own work and are not in violation of any copyright, trademark or other similar laws and regulations. I will not hold Capitol Hill Art League (CHAL) or Frame of Mine (FOM) responsible for any loss or damage to my artwork while on the property at Frame of Mine in Washington, DC. CHAL reserves the right to reject inappropriate or improperly framed work. Artists are advised to have their own insurance for their artworks. I agree to allow CHAL and or Capitol Hill Arts Workshop or Frame of Mine to use those images in digital and print materials for promotional purposes.

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. 100 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

Hanging Requirements

1 Measure 1/3 height from top of frame and mark.

2 Attach D-Rings as shown. D-Ring faces toward middle of art.

1/3 hgt. or less

Installing D-Rings with Wire

Lay your artwork on a towel or non-scratch surface to avoid damage to the art.

3 Loop and tie the wire through the D-Ring. Tying instructions on back.

4 Peel and stick rubber bumpers. Bumpers protect your wall and help keep art hanging level.

30°
degrees
check your wire angle

30° slack in wire

Installing D-Rings without Wire

Attach D-Rings as shown. D-Rings can then be hung directly on hooks, screws, or nails on the wall.

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picturehang.com

Tying Wire

1 Cut a piece of wire 4-6" wider than the frame.

2 Loop one end of wire about 2 inches through D-Ring and follow wire tying steps 1-4.

3 Repeat on the other D-Ring leaving a small amount of slack in the wire.

4 TIP: If the wire is too tight it decreases its strength, if too loose the art will tilt away from the wall.

Picture Weight

Many factors influence the maximum picture weight.

- D-Ring weight rating
- wire weight rating
- wire tying/wrapping quality
- wall construction
- wall hook weight rating

TIP: Always use hardware rated at weight higher than your artwork weight since there are many variables at play.