

JUNE 1-3, 2012
81st ANNUAL

Friday - 11 to 7 pm
Saturday - 11 to 7 pm
Sunday - 11 to 5 pm



SEPTEMBER 14-16, 2012
8th ANNUAL

Friday - 11 to 7 pm
Saturday - 11 to 6 pm
Sunday - 11 to 5 pm

The Rittenhouse Square Fine Arts Association, organizers of the 81st June & 8th September Rittenhouse Square Fine Art Shows, invites you to apply to be an exhibitor in the 2012 shows, held in beautiful and historic Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, PA.

This is an originals only fine art show! No functional work or reproductions of any kind are acceptable for display or sale. No posters, note cards, t-shirts, books, clothing, hats, pottery, calendars, photography, digital or computer generated art may be shown, sold or promoted. Only original artwork created by the artist may be shown and all work must be for sale. All work displayed must be of the same or better quality than the art submitted for jury. Artists must be present for the entire show.

Please initial in the box to the right signifying that you have read and understand these rules.

First name	<input type="text"/>	Last Name	<input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>		
City	<input type="text"/>	State	<input type="text"/>
		Zip Code	<input type="text"/>
County	<input type="text"/>	Email Address	<input type="text"/>
Day phone	<input type="text"/>	Cell Phone	<input type="text"/>
Website	<input type="text"/>		

This application may be used to apply to one or both Rittenhouse Square Fine Art Shows. To indicate which show(s) you are submitting to, simply check the appropriate box or boxes below. Also, before you send in this application, please read all parts of it thoroughly and fill it out completely.

Check box for the show or shows you are applying for: June 1-3, 2012 September 14-16, 2012

Check box indicating your medium. To apply in a second medium, you need to submit a separate application, jury fee and disc.

Drawing/Pastels	<input type="checkbox"/>	Graphic Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sculpture	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oils/Acrylics	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mixed Media	<input type="checkbox"/>	Watercolors	<input type="checkbox"/>

SHOW SPACE: Booth fee is \$400 and is due upon acceptance. Do not send booth fee with application. Artists are assigned a 10' by 10' space located on the sidewalk surrounding the Rittenhouse Square Park. There is also a shared 5' space between every 2 booths. There are no double booths available.

USE OF IMAGES: I give my permission to use my images for publicity purposes. Initial

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS

Must be postmarked by Saturday, January 7, 2012

Notification of the jury results will be made by email and will be received no later than February 21.

NOTE: If you have any questions or need any assistance with this application or your images, please contact RSFAA.
RittenhouseArt@aol.com 1-877-689-4112 RittenhouseSquareArt.org

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF IMAGES

All artists must submit a total of five (5) images for jurying: 4 images representative of the artists' work competed in the past 2 years and 1 of the artist's outdoor booth display. This booth image should represent how your booth will look like onsite at the Rittenhouse Square Fine Art Shows and shows the jury scale and dimension, in addition to showing the overall continuity and the presentation of your work. The booth image is mandatory and is not about the structure, but about your presentation. This is a blind jury process, so do not submit booth images with any identifiable sign, name or photo of the artist.

Images must be formatted to the following specifications in order to upload them successfully to our system.

- 1) Required Dimensions: 1920 by 1920 pixels on the longest side.
- 2) File Format: Save all images as Baseline Standard JPEG. Do not save as a Progressive JPEG.
- 3) File Size: JPEGs must be under 2.0 MB
- 4) Color space: Save images in RGB color space, preferably Srgb

INCORRECT FILE SIZE MAY LEAD TO DISQUALIFICATION - Disc will NOT be returned

Labeling Images: The file names on the disc must be labeled as follows: First name, last name, image number DOT jpg.

Example:	VincentVanGogh1.jpg	Dimensions	18" X 24"	Medium	Mixed Media
Image 1 Title		Dimensions		Medium	
Image 2 Title		Dimensions		Medium	
Image 3 Title		Dimensions		Medium	
Image 4 Title		Dimensions		Medium	
Booth Image	VincentVanGoghBooth.5.jpg				

We DO NOT want to see your name.

Please give us a brief description of your creative process, technique, and materials. This information can be helpful for the jury to better understand your work and what they are looking at.

EXAMPLE: My creative process involves combining watercolors and inks on 140 lb. Arches cold press watercolor paper

AGREEMENT & WAIVER

I understand that by submitting this application, I have fully read and agree to comply completely with all rules and regulations of the Rittenhouse Square Fine Art Show, as they are interpreted and enforced by the Board of Directors of the Rittenhouse Square Fine Arts Association (RSFAA). If requested, I agree to remove any artwork or display materials deemed unsuitable by the RSFAA. I further understand that any failure on my part to comply with any rules and regulations of the RSFAA may result in me being prohibited from exhibiting during the event and/or in future events, at the sole discretion of the Board of Directors. In consideration for my acceptance to display my work at any show to which this application pertains, I agree to forever discharge, release and hold harmless the RSFAA, Fairmount Park, the Philadelphia Parking Authority, or the City of Philadelphia and any and other agents, servants, employees, principles, successors and assigns of any of the foregoing entities, for any damage, loss or injury that I may suffer, resulting from my participation in any show, and waive my right to any claim, lawsuit, or cause of action of any kind against these entities. I also agree to assume sole, exclusive, and personal liability for any damage, loss, or injury that I may cause to any person(s) or property during my participation in any show.

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Please check to see that you have filled out everything completely and that you have included it in your envelope.

Signed Agreement & Waiver	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="checkbox"/>
Images sent on CD	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="checkbox"/>
\$35 Processing fee	<input style="width: 100%; height: 20px;" type="checkbox"/>

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The processing fee is payable online by clicking the Pay Now button on Artists' Info page at RittenhouseSquareArt.org or you can send a check made out to RSFAA. This processing fee covers one or both of the 2012 shows.