



Encore! Mt. Morris

Artful Threads Fiber Art Show
August 1-31, 2018

Old Sandstone Gallery
Historic Mt. Morris Campus
122 S Wesley Ave.
Mt. Morris IL

Call for Entries

Encore! Mt. Morris
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Click on 'August Art Show 2018'

Title of the Show: Artful Threads Fiber Art Show

Host: Encore! Mt. Morris, a cultural initiative of the Mt. Morris Economic Development Corp, with the goal of developing Mt. Morris into a unique, thriving, rural and cultural arts destination in northwest Illinois. Show will be held in the Old Sandstone Gallery, 122 S Wesley Ave, Mt. Morris, IL

Call for entries: Encore's third gallery show of the 2018 season, this juried show invites original fiber art of all kinds, old or new (e.g., hooked or braided rugs, shuttle tatting, weaving, quilting (no template), tapestries, crocheting, lace, thread sculpture, macramé, artful apparel and more.). Artists may submit 1-3 images of their original works for consideration. Accepted art works must be the same item(s) that are displayed in the show (no substitutions). Artists must be 18 years old or older. Only those images received by the deadline will be considered.

Specifications for fiber art pieces: Maximum size: 48" x 48"; minimum framed size: 8 x 10"; weight: <40 pounds; frames: wired for hanging; no warped, dirty or damaged frames please.

Awards and publicity: Jurors will select the art pieces for this show, and award prizes. Awards of Excellence will be given in several categories. Encore! Mt. Morris reserves the right to photograph all exhibited work for publicity purposes.

Sales: Art works may be available for sale during the exhibition. Please note that Encore! Mt. Morris retains a 30% commission on all art sales to cover Gallery expenses. Prices may not be changed after submission. Payment for sold art work will be issued 30 days after the close of the exhibition.

How to enter: Submit an application and images of your art pieces either online or in print to the Village Hall, 105 W Lincoln St, Mt. Morris, IL 61054

Print application:

- Complete the Artist Application included in this document.
- Include a 4x6 photo of each piece you want us to consider for the show. Write your name and title of the piece on the back of the photo.
- Pay the entry fee for the number of images you are submitting: The non-refundable jury fee is \$25 (1 image of art piece), \$30 (2 images), or \$35 (3 images) and must be paid at the time of the application. Make a check out to Mt. Morris Economic Development Corp with Encore Artful Threads on the memo line.

Insurance and Liability: Every care will be taken to safeguard all work shown under Encore! Mt. Morris's sponsorship, including a gallery host on the premises whenever the gallery is open. However, all persons submitting artwork for the exhibition are encouraged to maintain their own insurance on their works. Encore! Mt. Morris maintains general liability only, which covers the art in case of major incidents such as fire, theft or sprinkling system failure.

Calendar

July 1: Deadline for receipt of entries (postmarks or dated online submission)

July 2-8: Jury selection of art works announced via email to all artists.

July 20: Deadline for receipt of all artist agreements and all materials (artist bio, artist statement or description of the artistic process used to create the work, artist photo)

July 30-31: Art work installed in Gallery

August 1-31: Exhibition dates

August 3: Opening reception (artists invited), 6-9:30pm

August 31: Pickup of unsold work. Any work not picked up within 10 days after will become the property of Encore! Mt. Morris.



Painting our legacy on the canvas of history

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Artist Application

Online applications preferred:
Visit EncoreMtMorris.com and Click on 'August Art Show 2018'

This form to be used for mail-in and hand delivered applications only.

Mt. Morris Village Hall
105 W Lincoln St.
Mt. Morris, IL 61054

Artist name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

1st Entry Title: _____

Fiber Art Type: _____ Size: _____ x _____ x _____

2nd Entry Title: _____

Fiber Art Type: _____ Size: _____ x _____ x _____

3rd Entry Title: _____

Fiber Art Type: _____ Size: _____ x _____ x _____

Payment: () Check () Pay Pal/Credit card online Total amount: \$25/30/35 _____

Would you be interested in doing a demonstration of your fiber art skills during one of the gallery openings? ___ yes ___ no thanks.

Contact us with your questions about these opportunities.