

2018 Mini Masterpieces PROSPECTUS

An Exhibition of Smaller Paintings

Coachella Valley Watercolor Society (CVWS)

MARCH 2 – 19, 2018

**Historical Society of Palm Desert Museum
72-861 El Paseo at Plaza Way (behind Staples)
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Hours: Fri, Sat, Sun, Mon – 10 am to 3 pm

TAKE-IN: Thur, March 1, 2018, 10 am – 11:30 am

PICK-UP: Tue, March 20, 12 pm – 2 pm

ARTIST RECEPTION: Fri, March 2, 2018, 12-2pm

PURPOSE and ELIGIBILITY of ARTISTS: To provide an exhibition opportunity for all current CVWS members who enjoy creating smaller-sized masterpieces.

ELIGIBILITY of ARTWORK:

- All information on the most current Exhibition Rules (Rev 11/2017) applies to this show.
- Artwork that complies with either the Traditional or Open Categories is acceptable and will all be judged together. PLEASE REFER TO EXHIBITION RULES FOR CLARIFICATION ON PRESENTATION OF OPEN AND TRADITIONAL.
- Painting size: Maximum size on any outside edge including frame: 18"; minimum 5" for judged paintings. Bin Paintings may be as large as 16" X 20".
- Each artist must commit to sitting the gallery at least one 3 hour shift or find a substitute.

ENTRY FEE: \$15 for up to three (3) Open or Traditional judged paintings total and ten (10) bin paintings.

AWARDS: Ribbons: Best in Show, 1st through 3th place, 3 Honorable Mentions, and Publicity. Open and traditional presentations will be judged together.

SALES: All paintings must be for sale. The price may not change once the painting is entered. Minimum price: \$40 each for both framed and bin paintings. CVWS will handle all sales and charge the artist a 30% commission. A sold painting may be replaced by the artist. The replacement painting must fit the show criteria.

LIABILITY: By submitting your entry form you are releasing CVWS and The Palm Desert Historical Society and Museum from all liability for loss or damage to any artwork submitted.

TO ENTER: Complete the 2018 Mini Masterpieces Entry Form, Labels and bin painting form and bring with your paintings on take in day. Prepare all entry and bin paintings according to the instructions on the entry form prior to take in.