

Jule McClellan, founder of Ohio Valley Art League will be Curator Emeritus for the 2022 KNWA Exhibit. The new Executive Director of OVAL, Samantha Ehrhart, will work alongside Ms. McClellan.  
Questions call or text Jule 270-860-1930

**Email images to:**

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765-465-3203



Send Entry Form and Fee to:  
Ohio Valley Art League  
Attn: Wildlife Exhibit  
P.O. Box 1043, Henderson, KY 42419

**Check List**

- Signed entry form & entry fee
- Self-address, stamped #10 envelope (must be a business #10) for notification of juror's decision
- Check made payable to Ohio Valley Art League (OVAL)
- Images in JPEG format emailed to sam@ohiovalley-art.org

**Sponsors**

OVAL and the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources are pleased to present the 14th biennial Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit. This exhibit is being funded in part by the Henderson Area Arts Alliance. OVAL would like to thank the Preston Arts Center, Henderson Community College for the use of its facility. OVAL is funded in part by a grant from the Kentucky State Arts Council. The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources is funded by the sale of hunting and fishing licenses. It receives no general fund tax dollars.



**2022 Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit**



**Juror: Marie McGhee**

Marie McGhee is the Arizona Sonora Desert Museum's Director of the Art Institute, whose mission is "Conservation through Art Education." In Marie's role at the museum, she oversees the management of the traveling permanent art collection, the curation of eight or more shows per year in the Art Institute's two galleries, and the delivery of over 200 art classes. Her goal is to ensure that the Art Institute provides a high quality and readily accessible visual arts experience which helps the community better understand not only the importance of conservation but also the role they can play in it. Marie has almost two decades of experience in leading lifelong learning programs, including oversight of programs at the University of New Mexico's Division of Continuing Education. In her spare time, Marie enjoys hiking, birding, and photography.

**Lecture**

Sunday, September 17 at 2:00 p.m.  
Stagg Room- Preston Arts Center

Marie McGhee will give a lecture and PowerPoint presentation about some of the accepted artworks of the 2022 Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit. Her lecturing will be about defining qualities of some of the artworks chosen and why. The lecture is free and open to the public.

**2022  
Kentucky  
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Art  
Exhibit**

**Fourteenth Biennial**

Ohio Valley Art League  
P.O. Box 1043  
Henderson, KY 42419

**CALL FOR ENTRIES  
DEADLINE  
AUGUST 8, 2022**

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# 2022 Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibition

Presented by Ohio Valley Art League and the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources

## Reason & Purpose

Henderson, Ky., home of John James Audubon will again host the 14th biennial Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit. John James Audubon lived and painted in Henderson from 1810-1819, it is here that he set the course toward painting every bird in North America. The purpose is to increase awareness for the preservation of wildlife and to recognize artists who derive inspiration and imagery from wildlife and environment. The exhibit further encourages the collection of original works of art.

## Calendar

July 1	Oval begins accepting email images (see Rules for Entry)
August 8	Deadline for submission of emailed images. Entry form, fee, and SASE#10 must be received by US mail no later than August 8
August 15	Notification of Juror's decision
August 26 & 27	Hand delivered accepted artworks delivered to Preston Arts Center, 2660 S. Green St. Henderson, KY 42420. 10 am- 1pm
August 29 - Sept. 2	Shipped artwork must arrive
Sept. 17	Juror judges for awards
Sept. 18	2 p.m. Juror's Lecture at PAC
Oct. 1	Opening Reception at 5:30 pm
Nov. 29	Exhibit closes
Dec. 2 & 3	Pick-up of hand delivered artworks. 10am -1pm at PAC
Dec. 9	Shipped artwork returned

ALL TIMES LISTED ARE CENTRAL

## Eligibility & Media

The exhibition is open to residents 18 years of age and over of the United States. Artists may submit two entries of undomesticated mammals, birds, fish, reptiles, amphibians and other aquatic life native to the United States including scenes depicting hunting and fishing. All two and three dimensional media (no photography or digital media) can be entered. Sculpture should not exceed 50 lbs. or six feet in any direction with no assembly required. Maximum size of painting is 60" x 60". Works on paper must be matted in neutral colors (whites, creams, light grays or beiges) and framed with Plexiglas. Two-dimensional works must be framed with wire and screw eyes on back for hanging. All works must be original and executed since January 2020 and not have been exhibited in any previous KNWA exhibit.

## Rules for Entry

Artists 18 years of age or older may submit two (2) entries, cost \$30 for first entry, \$20 for second entry. Make check payable to and mail to Ohio Valley Art League, Attn: Wildlife Exhibit, P.O. Box 1043, Henderson, KY 42419. Jury will be by emailing digital image ONLY. Images must be 300 dpi, no more than 8" at widest dimension and in JPEG format. Images must be labeled with artist's last name and image number. This must correspond with the entry form. Two views are required for each 3D artwork. For email images filenames must include artist's last name and the image number corresponding with the information on the application form (Example: Jones-Image1). For 3D artwork, add A or B after the Image Number for view A or view B (Example: Smith-Image1A). Email images to: sam@ohiovalleyart.org

## Awards

Cash awards totaling \$13,000, plus purchase awards were presented in 2018. The juror will select merit awards. Artists will be contacted prior to purchase award for their approval. Purchase awards are selected by individuals and corporations.

## Sales

The Preston Arts Center and OVAL will evenly split 30% commission on all sales except purchase awards. Sales will be encouraged through patron, corporation and individual purchases.

## Review of Digital Images

E-mailed images will be assumed to represent accurately the artwork entered. OVAL reserves the right to reject upon arrival any piece of unacceptable craftsmanship or quality artwork not discernable in the emailed images.

## Promotion

Images of accepted artwork will be placed on OVAL's website.

## Insurance

The Preston Arts Center will insure accepted works for the purchase price (or the insured value of "NFS") while at the gallery, until the removal deadline. Insurance during the shipping to and from the exhibit is the responsibility of the artist.

## Shipping or Delivery Instructions

Accepted artworks should be shipped to arrive after August 29 and prior to September 2 at the Preston Art Center, 2660 South Green River Rd, Henderson, KY 42420. Shipping fees to and from the PAC are the responsibility of the artist. Detailed instruction will be sent with acceptance letter. Artists are strongly urged to use Airfloat Containers for shipping (www.airfloat.com or 1-800-445-2580). All shipped artworks MUST have prepaid return labels provided for by the artist of artist's shipping company. Artworks will be returned in the same packing and manner as received. Handling Fee is \$10 per container, \$15 for wood crates. Checks should be made payable to OVAL.

## Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit Entry Form

### Entry Form

(Please Print Legibly or Type)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
\*please list insurance value if not for sale

1. Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Sales Price \_\_\_\_\_ \*Ins Value \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Medium \_\_\_\_\_ 3D Weight \_\_\_\_\_  
Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Declined \_\_\_\_\_ Eligible for Purchase award \_\_\_\_\_

2. Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Sales Price \_\_\_\_\_ \*Ins Value \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Medium \_\_\_\_\_ 3D Weight \_\_\_\_\_  
Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Declined \_\_\_\_\_ Eligible for Purchase award \_\_\_\_\_

Or download Entry Form at [www.ohiovalleyart.org](http://www.ohiovalleyart.org)

## Agreement

By entering the 2022 Kentucky National Wildlife Art Exhibit, I understand and agree to all condition set forth in the entry form.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_