

**Oak Grove Lower Elem. and South Mississippi Art Association present:
The Art Walk of Dreams
April 11 and 12, 2008
Oak Grove Lower Elementary Multipurpose Building**

The *Art Walk of Dreams* art show will be in conjunction with the Acorn Run (April 12th, 8:00-12:00) that goes through the Bellegrass Community next to our campus at the Oak Grove Lower Elementary. The run is in honor of Tanner McGee, a 2nd grade student at OGLE, and the proceeds go to the American Cancer Society.

There will be a variety of activities going on connected to the race on Saturday morning. Bellegrass is doing free advertisement for the local zip codes in the area and I will place advertisement for the show in about 750 student backpacks.

I am Rita Jones the art teacher at Oak Grove Lower Elementary. Friday and Saturday, my students will be having their end of year art show along with the SMAA show in our new multipurpose building on campus. Our students and some parents will be viewing the art on Friday. Public viewing and sales will be on Saturday. The purpose of the show is to expose my students and the community to the art of local artists. This show is to inspire my students and to give something back to the community; additionally, I hope the SMAA artists that show will get some new exposure and also make some profit. We hope to make this a yearly event.

PROSPECTUS

Acceptable works for the show: painting (oil, acrylic or watercolor), drawing, pastel, pen and ink, colored pencil, mixed media, turned wood, pottery, sculpture, stained glass, collage, and fiber art. Basically any type of art works. If you are not sure, my number is 601-264-2807 and my email is rjsjunk@yahoo.com.

LOCATION: Oak Grove Lower Elementary School multipurpose building in Oak Grove, 1762 Old Hwy. 24, Hattiesburg, Miss. It is the 3rd building to the right as you enter campus from Old Hwy. 24.

FEES: NONE

SALES: I will ask 10% of sales for any sales over \$50.00 to help fund supplies for my art room. Each artist is responsible for their sales tax.

CLOTHESLINE SALE: All art work must be originals. You may enter a maximum of 5 pieces. Entries may be in any medium. They should be matted, but not framed. The maximum price is \$75.00. Plastic wrap is advised for protection. (plus the 10 pieces for the formal show)

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Eligibility is limited to SMAA members whose dues are current.

1. The content of the artwork must reflect locally accepted standards. (Remember small children will be viewing, but they like all styles of art).
2. All art work should be original works from the artist for the hung show. (Prints are acceptable ONLY if you wish to set up a sales area for this. I do have access to tables.)
3. Each artist may show up to 10 pieces. (plus 5 pieces for the clothesline)
4. All work must be dry and safe to handle. All hanging pieces must be securely wired with screw eyes and picture framing wire and must not exceed 50"x 50" including the frame. We have a stage area for larger pieces, but you must provide the means to display and be responsible for displaying. 3D pieces should not weigh more than 50 lbs. If you provide a stand or holder for any large piece or 3D piece, it should be **clearly marked** not part of the piece unless it is to be sold with the art work.
5. Each entry must be clearly labeled on the back with the name of the artist, the name of the piece, and a phone number. On the front of the piece (since this is a learning

- experience for my students) I would like, clearly typed, your name, the name of the piece, the medium used, and the price.
6. If you wish, you may set up a table for the sale of prints, cards, etc. I have 7 tables available for set-up. **You will have to let me know if you will need a table.**
 7. Deadline for entries will be Mon., April 7th. For entries, email Rita Jones at rjsjunk@yahoo.com.

THINGS OF IMPORTANCE:

1. All artwork must be checked in on Thurs., April 10th between 3:00 PM and 6:00 PM at the multipurpose building at Oak Grove Lower Elem. 1762 Old. Hwy. 24.
2. Only the hanging committee will hang the works unless otherwise discussed.
3. Artwork must hang on display until the end of the show.
4. Artwork may be picked up at the end of the show on April 12th from 4:00PM to 6:00PM or on April 13th from 3:00PM to 4:30 PM at the multipurpose building.
5. Artwork will be released only to the artist or purchaser unless previous arrangements have been made with me or at the check-in desk in writing.

LIABILITY

Although great care will be taken when handling all works of art, neither the SMAA , the host property owners or myself assume any responsibility for damages, theft, or loss of any of the artwork. All artists are advised to obtain their own insurance.

CALENDAR: Mon., April 7, 2008-----Deadline to enter Art Walk of Dreams show
 Thurs., April 10, 2008-----Check in artwork at multipurpose building
 1762 Old Hwy 24 between 3-6:00PM
 Thurs., April 10, 2008-----Set up flats and hang show 3-7:30PM
 Fri., April 11, 2008-----Show open for viewing only 8:00-3:30PM
 Sat., April 12, 2008----- Main show and sales 8:30 AM-4:00PM
 Sat., April 12, 2008-----Take down and pick up art- 4:00-6:00PM
 Sun., April 13, 2008-----Pick up only 3:00-4:30PM

ENTRY FORM

The entry form will be through my email address: rjsjunk@yahoo.com.
 Having read the Prospectus and other information for this show, you will agree to abide by all of the rules and regulations contained in this document.

NAME: _____
 DATE: _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIPCODE: _____
 PHONE: _____ CELL: _____ E-MAIL _____
 # of show pieces, media used and basic size of each _____
 # of clothesline pieces and basic sizes _____

If you can help with the art show, please contact me. Also feel free to come during the show to talk to visitors.

Thank You, Rita Jones