Invitation to apply for the Annual Starving Artists’ Show – 2014
THIS IS A JURIED SHOW.

The annual Starving Artists’ Show, always the Sunday after Labor Day, will be held on Sunday, September 7, 2014, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The outdoor Show takes place on the grounds of Mount Mary University. In the event of inclement weather, the Show will proceed unless indicated otherwise by the Show’s officials. There is no rain date.

The Artwork
The Starving Artists’ Show offers professional and amateur artists the opportunity to sell original art priced at $100 or less. As always, a wide range of pricing under $100 is desirable. No separate pricing of pictures and frames will be allowed. Artists selling unlimited edition prints must clearly label them as such. We reserve the right to exclude any items that we consider to be more of a craft than an art form. Only works to be sold are to be displayed. We also reserve the right to ask any exhibitor who displays unacceptable items to leave the show. All art should be priced before setting up at the show. Artists need not apply if unable to comply with these policies. ALL PROFITS OBTAINED IN THE SALE OF ART BELONG TO THE ARTIST.

Fees
Two separate checks must be included with your application: a $25 non-refundable processing fee and a $120 refundable registration fee. If you are accepted, your $120 cancelled check will be your receipt. If you are not accepted, your $120 check will be returned to you. Make each check payable to the Mount Mary University Alumnae Association. No application will be considered without the proper fees included.

The Application
Because of the large number of applications, we request the following in order to make the jury process as effective as possible:

1. Include representation of recent work to be exhibited. Please submit a CD with 6-12 images.
   NO SLIDES OR PHOTOS ACCEPTED.

2. Mail application, checks, and materials for jurying U.S. First Class with correct postage. No postage-due parcels will be accepted. Your materials will be returned to you only if you include a self-addressed stamped envelope bearing the correct postage.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE APPLICATION ENCLOSED, CONSISTING OF TWO PAGES, COMPLETELY. Registration deadline is March 1, 2014.

Acceptance
Accepted applicants will be notified in April 2014. In order to balance the Show, we accept a limited number of artists in every media. Therefore, previous acceptance into our Show does not guarantee acceptance in future Shows! All applicants must include a self-addressed stamped envelope for notification in April.

Additional Information
If you are accepted into the Show, you will be provided with an artist booth area approximately 16’ wide. You are responsible for providing your own tent, booth furniture, and any and all materials in order to display and sell your work. You are wholly responsible for handling all sales transactions. Artists may set up on Saturday, September 6th, from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., or on Sunday beginning at 7 a.m. Artists must finish their set-up by 9:15 a.m. Check in for all accepted artists is only on Sunday after 7 a.m.

Thank you for your interest in the 2014 annual Starving Artists’ Show. If you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at 414-256-1254. General information regarding the show, as well as this letter and the application form (2 pp), can be downloaded from the Mount Mary website: http://mtmary.edu/alumnae/events/starving-artists-show.html.

Sincerely,
Barbara Muth 262-255-1652, and Karen Muth 262-293-3066
2014 Artists Registration Chairs

Mount Mary University | 2900 N. Menomonee River Parkway | Milwaukee, WI 53222
Registration Form - Part 1 ~ Mount Mary University Starving Artists' Show® ~ Sun, Sept 7, 2014

PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY BOTH PART 1 AND PART 2 (on reverse side) of this application.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Name: ___________________________ Name: ___________________________

Street Address: ___________________________ Email Address: ___________________________

City ___________________________ ST __ Zip ___________ Phone: (_____) ________ - ________

Media type: ___________________________ WI Seller’s Permit # ___________________________

Art training: ___________________________

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Previous Exhibitions (Please include years of Starving Artists’ Show, if applicable.)

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Awards

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☐ Include two checks, each payable to Mount Mary University Alumnae Association; one in the amount of $25 (non-refundable processing fee) and the other in the amount of $120 (refundable registration fee.) Checks will be held until the jury is complete, no later than April 10.

☐ Include representation of recent work to be exhibited. Submit a CD with 6-12 images, NO SLIDES OR PHOTOS ACCEPTED. Mail U.S. FIRST CLASS with correct postage. No postage-due parcels will be accepted. Choose appropriate packaging in order to protect your materials.

☐ Include a self-addressed envelope with correct postage applied if you want your materials returned.

All applicants must include a self addressed stamped envelope for notification in April.

Remember, registration deadline is March 1, 2014. No exceptions will be made.

The Mount Mary University Alumnae Association reserves the exclusive right to reject at any time any application for registration, and will refund the registration fee paid by the applicant without further liability. The Association is not responsible in any way for theft of, or damage to any artwork, nor for any acts, errors, or omissions of the exhibitor, nor for any claims made against the exhibitor as a result of participation in the show.

Date: __________/________/________

(Signature required)

Mail your registration materials to:

STARVING ARTISTS' SHOW
C/O MOUNT MARY UNIVERSITY ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION
2900 N. MENOMONEE RIVER PKWY
MILWAUKEE, WI 53222-4597
Please be specific in providing information regarding your art media.
This information is very important in the jury process.

1. Drawing
   - Charcoal
   - Pen & Ink
   - Pastel
   - Combination Painting Media
   - Combination Drawing Media
   Prints: _____Limited _____Unlimited

2. Enameling (describe)
   ______________________________________________________
   ______________________________________________________

3. Fibers/Leather
   - Weaving
   - Batik
   - Basketry
   - Leatherwork (describe)
   - Other (describe)

4. Glass
   - Functional
   - Sculpture
   - Stained Glass

5. Graphics
   - Etching
   - Woodcuts
   - Lino Cuts
   - Rubbings
   - Serigraphs
   - Electronic tablet
   Prints: _____Limited _____Unlimited
   - Other (describe)

6. Jewelry
   - Gold
   - Silver
   - Wood
   - Ceramic
   - Original Settings
   - Commercial Settings
   - Other (describe)

7. Mixed Media/Electronic Media (describe in detail)

8. Painting
   - Acrylic
   - Oil
   - Watercolor
   Prints: _____Limited _____Unlimited

9. Photography
   - Color
   - Black & White

10. Pottery
    - Stoneware
    - Porcelain
    - Wheel thrown
    - Hand built

11. Sculpture
    - Metal
    - Wood
    - Clay

12. Other

IMPORTANT: MEDIA DESCRIPTION
Used in descriptive and promotional materials.

In addition to checking all appropriate lines above, please indicate type of finished work you intend to display.
BE SPECIFIC.

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