

Chisholm Trail Western Art Show & Sale

The Chisholm Trail Western Art Show & Sale will be held from July 1st through August 15th at the Tales 'N' Trails Museum in Nocona.

2017 is the 150th Anniversary of the Chisholm Trail, and this event will be promoted along with all the other Chisholm Trail events from south Texas to Kansas. Everyone is expecting strong tourism to accompany this celebration, so this is a good opportunity to show (and sell) our artwork. **This will be a western-art themed show only. Entries should represent the late 1800's time period of the cattle drives from Texas to Kansas. Ideas should come from: cattle drives, cowboys, cows, horses, life in the towns, etc. All entries must relate specifically to the late 1800's time period.**



Our Judge

We are proud to announce our judge for the show is noted Texas western artist



RANDY MEADOR

- A two-time Texas Watercolorist of the Year -
- Designed several 12-foot stone relief panels for new TCU stadium -
- Has been awarded Best of Show in five international exhibitions -
- Designed three large monuments for the Chickasaw Nation -
- Designed and installed two life-sized horse sculptures for City of Grand Prairie, TX -
- Artist for the Chris Kyle Foundations - Artist for Wounded Warrior Project -
- Exhibition Juror – approximately 40 shows each year -
- Popular workshop instructor -
- Solo show with Justin Boots -
- Regularly lectures on western art and watercolor technique -

Randy is a wholly self-taught artist without any instruction except his own exhaustive study of works by Winslow Homer, John Singer Sargent, Nicolai Fechin, and Joaquin Sorolla.

Born just a stone's throw from the Waggoner Ranch in Vernon, Texas and raised on a smaller ranch in Central West Texas, he fell in love with the hues of the West and returned to those hues in 2007 as a full time artist.

He currently lives in Fort Worth with his wife and their two youngest children of five he also has a Post Office box in Saint Jo, Texas.

Show Information

Dates of the Show: July 1, 2017 – August 15, 2017

Calendar:

June 1 st	Deadline for entries to be submitted
June 15 th	Artists will be notified as to their acceptance
June 23 rd & 24 th	Art can be hand delivered to the museum from 10 am to 5 pm
June 26 th	Final day for art to be at the museum for all entries
July 1 st	Opening night reception for artists from 5 pm to 7 pm

Entry Specifications:

All artwork **MUST** be for sale
All artwork **MUST** conform to the theme and time period of the show reflecting the late 1800's time period of the Chisholm Trail Cattle Drives
All work must be original, no workshop pieces
Artwork must not exceed 50" in dimension
All hanging art must be wired, no saw tooth hangers
All stand-alone art will be displayed on a table or a stand, anything requiring a specialized display must be provided by the artist.
Any insurance of the art must be provided by the artist. The Chisholm Trail Art Association and the Tales 'N' Trails Museum will not be responsible for damage
All artwork must be labeled on the back with the artist's information, title of the piece and price of the piece. The Tales 'N' Trails museum will keep 15% of the sale price if the piece sells

Non-Refundable Entry Fees:

Adults: \$35 per entry, limit 2 entries per person per category

Under 18: \$10 per entry, limit 2 entries per person. These entries may or may not be for sale however

All entries must be accompanied by a check, cashiers check or money order or it will not be accepted

Entry Format:

Please submit one photo for each entry in jpeg format with a minimum 72 dpi and a max file size of 1 MB and send to: jmilchanowski@gmail.com. Make sure your photo is labeled with your information. You may also send a 4 x 6 photo or a CD to the address below, if needed.

All entries with your check, cashier's check or money order made out to the Chisholm Trail Art Association should be sent to:

**Jack Milchanowski
121 Silver Leaf Drive
Sunset, Texas 76270**

jmilchanowski@gmail.com

940-872-5485

Categories:

3-D, stand-alone sculpture (metal, pottery, glass, etc.) Artist must provide any specialized display stand if needed.

Digital Art/Photography

Painting (Oil, Watercolor, Acrylic, Pastels & Mixed Media on canvas, board or paper)

Drawing (Charcoal, Graphite, Pen & Ink)

Hanging Miscellaneous (Hanging Fabric, Tapestries, Glass, Metal, etc.)

Youth Division (Under 18 years of age).

****The CTA reserves the right to combine categories in the event there are not enough entries in a category****

Awards: Cash prizes will be awarded

Shipping/Hand Delivery of Artwork:

**Tales 'N' Trails Museum
1522 E Highway 82
Nocona, Texas 76255**

(940) 825-5330

Hand delivered entries must be delivered to the Tales 'N' Trails Museum in Nocona, Texas on June 23rd or 24th between 10 am and 5 pm. Shipped entries must arrive by June 26th.

****** All entries shipped to the museum MUST have a pre-paid return shipping label included******

****** Artwork not sold must be picked up at the end of the show on August 15th or the artist will be charged a storage fee of \$25 per month******

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ENTRY FORM
(One entry per form, print out one form for each entry)

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Shipping Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (C): _____

Title of Piece: _____

Medium: _____

Framed Size: Length _____ + Width _____
(Please put dimensions in for length & width. Should not exceed 50" in length or width)

Retail price including frame: \$ _____
(15% of retail price if sold will go to the Tales 'N' Trails Museum)

*****ALL CONTESTANTS ARE ADVISED TO OBTAIN ADEQUATE INSURANCE FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE ENTRIES IF SHIPPED TO THE MUSEUM. SHIPPED ENTRIES MUST INCLUDE A PRE-PAID RETURN ADDRESS LABEL ALSO. THE CHISHOLM TRAIL ART ASSOCIATION AND THE TALES 'N' TALES MUSEUM ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE INCURRED DURING SHIPPING OR DURING THE SHOW*****

Signed By: (your signature) _____ Date: _____

Mail with check, money order or cashier's check

Make check out to: Chisholm Trail Art Association

Send to:

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