

2026 Fall Art Exhibition Prospectus

Open Show. All visual art mediums are welcome!

Our theme is EXTRAORDINARY PERSPECTIVE. Original art only, not shown in the GAVA Fall Art Exhibition in the last four years.

4 Entries Maximum - Entry fees due at delivery. Cash/Check/Card
GAVA members \$15 per entry - Non GAVA members \$20 per entry

Delivery Dates & Times:

Saturday, August 29th - 11:00am to 3:00pm

Sunday, August 30th - 12:00pm to 3:00pm

Santa Fe Depot Museum - 605 E California St. Gainesville, Texas 76240

- Work should be ready for presentation - no 'sawtooth' hangers - framed pieces must have a hanging wire.
- Gallery wrapped pieces must be on a canvas of at least 1.5" depth with a hanging wire. No exceptions.
- Work should be "sale ready"- properly mounted and framed. Please put your name on the back of all entries.
- Small/delicate 3D entries will be displayed on top of display cases.
- Three dimensional work should be accompanied by it's own display stand if too large to fit in a display case.
- Two dimensional work larger than 30" x 30" will require the artist to provide an easel.
- GAVA reserves the right to exclude any art deemed inappropriate for the Fall Art Exhibition.
- 20% of sales go to GAVA. Payment for sold works will be made within 30 days of show closing.
- This exhibition strictly prohibits the use of artificial intelligence (AI) in the creation or presentation of artworks displayed herein. The purpose of this restriction is to uphold the integrity and authenticity of human creativity within this artistic context. This restriction is also in accordance with current practices within the art community around the world. Participants are hereby informed that artworks generated or significantly influenced by AI technologies, including but not limited to machine learning algorithms and neural networks, are not eligible for inclusion in this exhibition.
- GAVA reserves the right to disqualify any artwork found to violate the AI policy. By participating in this exhibition, artists agree to adhere to this prohibition and acknowledge that any breach may result in exclusion from current and future exhibitions hosted by Gainesville Area Visual Arts. We appreciate your cooperation in maintaining the artistic standards and values of this exhibition.
Thank you for your understanding and compliance.

Cash Awards for Best Of Show and 4 Categories:

Traditional · Photography/Digital Art · Contemporary · Three Dimensional
2026 GAVA Judge Alan Burris

+ Additional Cash Awards from Local Businesses

Opening Reception & Artist Awards Ceremony

Saturday, September 5th from 6 - 8pm.

Light snacks and libations will be served.

Show Dates: Sunday September 6th - Sunday September 13th

Open 11- 4pm weekends & 11 - 3pm weekdays

**Art Pick Up Date & Time: Sunday September 13th, 4:15pm - 6:15pm
& Monday September 14th 11am - 1pm**

If your art sells during the show your buyer will be contacted for pick up. Art not collected after the show closes can not be stored by GAVA so please arrange for a representative to collect your art.

A storage fee of \$20 a week and after 4 weeks the piece is forfeited and will be

used in our raffle in February's For the Love of Art. **No art can be removed during the Fall Art Exhibition!**

Questions? Email info@gainesvilleareavisualarts.org

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