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ART LEAGUE OF OCEAN CITY ISSUES CALL FOR ENTRIES FOR "SKATE/SURF" ART EXHIBITION IN JUNE

OCEAN CITY, MD — *May 8, 2024* — The Art League of Ocean is seeking entries for their June 2024 art exhibition entitled "Skate/Surf." All media – both 2D and 3D - will be accepted.

The artwork should explore surf/skate culture, drawing inspiration from the people, language, fashion, and lifestyle. Artists may submit up to two pieces with 32×40-inches the maximum outside frame dimensions permitted. Entries must be wired and ready to hang or displayed.

Artists wishing to enter should make an appointment for a timeslot during the art drop-off dates of Saturday, June 1 or Monday, June 3 by going to OCart.org/callfor-entries. Drop-off location is the Ocean City Center for the Arts, 502 94hSt. bayside. There is a \$10 per piece entry fee for members, \$20 per piece for non-members, and entry fees are non-refundable

The Art League will award cash prizes for first place, \$175, second place, \$125, third place, \$100, plus three honorable mentions. The exhibit judge is Kathleen Hayes, an artist, photographer, silkscreen printer, mermaid-parader, surfer, and skateboarder from Long Island, New York.

Exhibit dates for the Skate/Surf Show on the walls of the Ocean City Center for the Arts are June 7-29, 2024. All award winners will be invited to participate in the Art League's year-end "Best of 2024" exhibit in December.

More information is available by going to <u>OCart.org/call-for-entries</u> or by calling 410-524-9433.

The Art League of Ocean City is a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing the visual arts to the community through education, exhibits, scholarship, programs and community art projects. Funding for this event is in part provided by the Worcester County Arts Council, Maryland State Arts Council and the National Endowment of the Arts, organizations dedicated to cultivating a vibrant cultural community where the arts thrive.

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