CELEBRATING

New England's Natural Beauty

Sponsored by and to benefit the **Granby Land Trust** in partnership with the **Granby Artists Association**

October 26 - November 26, 2023

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Lost Acres Vineyard 80 Lost Acres Road North Granby, CT 06060

The Granby Land Trust invites artists to submit original work, including but not limited to painting, photography, printmaking, drawing, and sculpture, to its 16th annual juried art show, to be held October 26 - November 26, 2023, at Lost Acres Vineyard Art Gallery in North Granby, CT.

Works should be inspired by New England's natural beauty.

All mediums and methods will be accepted for consideration including but not limited to painting, collage, photography, sculpture, assemblages, fabric, clay, etching, etc.

Artists are asked to identify the property or place that inspired their work by name, town, and state. Only New England locations, please (CT, RI, MA, VT, NH, and ME). Some awards are specific to a particular place or subject matter. Please see awards list for details.

2D artists are limited to (2) entries - 38 inches or smaller on any side, including frame. Painted-edge canvases are acceptable. Please have your work wired and ready for hanging. No sawtooth hangers or clip mountings will be accepted.
3D artists are limited to (2) entries. Free-standing art must stand on a base of no greater than 18" x 18" and be no taller than 6'. Sculpture on pedestals must sit on a pedestal no bigger than 18" x 18". Please provide your own pedestals. Jewelry or similar items must include a presentation case or display.





ENTERING YOUR WORK:

<u>Entry Pre-Registration</u>: Save \$5 by *pre-registering* your entries. Simply mail your registration form, with payment, by October 13 (see Registration Form below).

Entry Fees: For entries *pre-registered by mail*, a non-refundable fee of **\$25** is charged for **one entry**, and **\$35** for **two entries**. For *drop-off day entries*, we will charge **\$30** for **one entry** and **\$40** for **two entries**. Please make checks payable to "Granby Land Trust."

Drop-Off Dates: Friday, October 20, from 10:00AM to 2:00PM and Saturday, October 21, from 9:00AM to 12:00PM.

<u>What You Need To Bring</u>: 1.) Your work, with drop-off forms attached. 2.) Completed entry forms and entry fee, if you did not pre-register.

<u>Where</u>: Lost Acres Vineyard, 80 Lost Acres Road, North Granby, CT 06060. Directions at <u>www.lostacresvineyard.com</u>. <u>Notification</u>: A list of accepted entries will be posted on the GLT website (www.granbylandtrust.org) under the "Events" tab on the page navigation bar and located on the "Art Show" pull down listing.

<u>Pick-Up Date for Declined Works</u>: Thursday, October 26 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM SHARP (no exceptions – please understand that we are very busy that evening) or Friday, October 27, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM at Lost Acres Vineyard.

Opening Reception: Thursday, October 26, Lost Acres Vineyard, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Awards will be presented at the Opening.

Pick-up Dates for Accepted Works: Sunday, November 26, from 3:00 to 5:00 PM and Monday, November 27, from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

Sales: All work must be available for sale. 60% of sales will be returned to the artist with the remainder of the proceeds to benefit the Granby Land Trust and to support the event.

THE AWARDS are as follows: Please note criteria in bold for select awards.

- \$500 -- Marty & Don Wilmot Award
- \$500 -- Granby Land Trust Award (subject must be inspired by a GLT property)
- \$500 -- Sandy & Dave Schupp Award
- \$350 -- Austin J. McNey Memorial Award, given by Karen, Scott & Patrick McNey
- \$300 -- Granby Artists Association Award
- \$300 -- Mildred Dewey Award, given by Jenny & Dave Emery
- \$300 Ray Betts Award, given by Carol and Greg Reid
- \$250 -- Tudor & Laura Holcomb Award, given by Nannie & Put Brown
- \$250 -- Olof Stevenson Award, given by Jamie Gamble (subject must be inspired by a scene from the GLT's Dismal Brook Wildlife Preserve)
- \$250 -- Matthew K. Orluk Award, given by Trish Percival & Rick Orluk (subject must be inspired by a Granby scene)
- \$250 -- William Stewart Award, given by Judy & Dave Russell



\$250 -- Helen & Al Wilke Award

\$250 - Carol & Dick Caley Award (subject must be water-themed)

\$250 - People's Choice Award, given by Lost Acres Vineyard *

***People's Choice Award** - Visitors to the Art Show are invited to vote on their favorite artworks from Friday, October 27 through Sunday, November 19 (one vote per visit). The winning work will be posted on the Lost Acres Vineyard website at <u>www.lostacresvineyard.com</u>.



THE JUROR: Amy Kurtz Lansing

Amy Kurtz Lansing is Curator at the Florence Griswold Museum in Old Lyme, CT. A specialist in nineteenth and twentieth-century art, she has organized or co-organized an array of exhibitions on American paintings, sculpture, and photography, including the upcoming Abandon in Place: The Worlds of Anna Audette (September 30, 2023–January 28, 2024). She has worked with contemporary artists on exhibitions and site-specific commissions, and frequently serves as a juror for Connecticut arts organizations.

The Granby Land Trust: The Granby Land Trust works to preserve Granby's natural heritage through the conservation of its scenic vistas, open space corridors, wildlife habitat, ecologically sensitive areas, and agricultural land. Visit GranbyLandTrust.org for information regarding our organization, upcoming events, and how to become a Granby Land Trust member.

Granby Artists Association: The Granby Artists Association works to create a climate which promotes the visual arts and fine crafts, create professional high quality artistic events, and support art education in the community. Visit GranbyArtists.org.

A Special Thanks to GLT members Michelle Niedermeyer and Kevin Riggott for generously hosting this show at their beautiful vineyard. A portion of the Lost Acres Vineyard property is protected by a conservation easement donated to the Granby Land Trust.

The BIG PAINT: All artists are invited to join us on Sunday, September 24 for a plein air painting event at the historic and beautiful Holcomb Farm at 113 Simsbury Road in West Granby. Artists are welcome to start painting at 8AM or earlier; we will be asking the general public to join us from 9 - 11AM to view your work. This special event celebrates the 30^{th} Anniversary of the Friends of Holcomb Farm and the recent preservation of 277 acres of this property.



<u>Responsibility</u>: The Granby Land Trust, Granby Artists Association, and all companies and individuals displaying entries will exercise great care in the handling of all artists' work. However, they will not be held responsible for any loss or damage to any entries.





REGISTRATION FORM for the Celebrating New England's Natural Beauty Juried Art Show

Please complete this form and return with payment by Friday, October 13, 2023, to: Granby Land Trust, (ATTN: Art Show Entries), P.O. Box 23, Granby, CT 06035. Otherwise, please bring this form on Drop-Off Day.

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