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in partnership with the **Granby Artists Association***

November 7 – December 8, 2024

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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 17th annual juried art show, to be held November 7 – December 8, 2024, 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:

Entry Pre-Registration: Save \$5 by **pre-registering** your entries. Simply mail your registration form, with payment, by October 21 (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, November 1, from 11:30AM to 1:30PM and Saturday, November 2, from 9:00AM to 12:00PM.

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

Where: Lost Acres Vineyard, 80 Lost Acres Road, North Granby, CT 06060. Directions at www.LostAcresVineyard.com.

Notification: 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.

Pick-Up Date for Declined Works: Thursday, November 7 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM (no exceptions – please understand that we are very busy that evening) or Friday, November 8, from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM at Lost Acres Vineyard.

Opening Reception: Thursday, November 7, 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, December 8, from 2:00 to 5:00 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 & Greg Reid
- \$300 -- Helen & Al Wilke Award
- \$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 -- Bud Murtha Photography Award, given by Shirley Murtha (**must be a photographic piece**)
- \$250 -- William Stewart Award, given by Judy & Dave Russell
- \$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, November 8 through Sunday, December 1 (one vote per visit). The winning work will be posted on the Lost Acres Vineyard website at www.LostAcresVineyard.com.

THE JUROR: Gabrielle Robinson



Gabrielle (Gab) Robinson's journey reflects her lifelong enthusiasm for the arts and her passion for architecture and design. Gab moved to the U.S. 30 years ago, after studying Art and Interior Design in Australia. In 1995, she joined the Mystic Art Association as assistant to the Director, a role she held for 12 years. During this time, she developed her artistic skills, evolving from realism to a more contemporary painting style. Her creative work, under the artist name Gabrielle Simmons, is inspired by her interests in design, architecture, gardening, hiking, travel, and the natural world, as well as by her surroundings and visits to museums and galleries, blending these influences into a vibrant artistic expression. Since 2015, Gab has served as Director of the Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts and has also been involved in their art installations across various galleries for over a decade, strengthening her expertise and connections within the art community.

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.



Responsibility: 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 **Monday, October 21st**, to: Granby Land Trust, (ATTN: Art Show Entries), P.O. Box 23, Granby, CT 06035. Otherwise, please bring this form on Drop-Off Day on **November 1st or 2nd**.

Name _____

Address _____

City / State / Zip _____

Telephone _____ E mail _____ Registration Amt. Enclosed _____

(1) Title: _____ Price: _____

Medium: _____

Property that Inspired this Work: _____ Town: _____

(2) Title: _____ Price: _____

Medium: _____ Town: _____

Property that Inspired this Work: _____ Town: _____

Signature and Date _____



Drop-Off Forms

Complete the forms below, and attach to the back of your work.

Name: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Title: _____ Medium: _____

Price: _____

Property that Inspired this Work: _____ Town: _____

- This piece qualifies for the Granby Land Trust Award (must be inspired by a Granby Land Trust property)
- This piece qualifies for the Olof Stevenson Award (must be inspired by GLT Dismal Brook Wildlife Preserve)
- This piece qualifies for the Carol and Dick Caley Award (must be water-themed)
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