



## **Call To Artists**

**Who's Eligible:** MCA Artist Members

**Title of Show:** Marion In May

**Description of Exhibit:** For this exhibit we are asking you to submit works of art that celebrate Marion County in the month of May. From our county's rich history in equine culture, to festive times; Memorial Day, Mother's Day and Kentucky Derby, Marion in May is full of charm, blooms and unforgettable down home experiences.

**Mediums:** All mediums are encouraged and welcome!

**Artists Reception:** Friday, May 4, (5:00pm-6:00pm)

**Show Dates:** May 4 - May 23, 2018

**Drop Off Dates:** May 2 - May 3, 2018 (11:00am -4:00pm)

**Pick Up Date:** May 24 - May 25, 2018 (11:00am-5:00pm)

***If you can not make any of the Drop Off or Pick Up dates above, contact Gallery Director Xochi Smith to see if scheduling an appointment is available:***

***[Xochi.Jacques-Smith@McaOcala.com](mailto:Xochi.Jacques-Smith@McaOcala.com)***

**Complete lists of requirements for submitted work:**

**Calls to Artists:** MCA will issue Calls to Artists at least 60 days prior to the deadline for submission. Calls will be issued through a targeted email to all members and through media releases. Artists may also visit [mcaocala.com](http://mcaocala.com) to learn of upcoming shows.

**Media:** MCA's shows are open to any media including, but by no means limited to traditional drawing, glass, printmaking, digital/new media, photography, sculpture, painting, installation, etc.

**Submission Dates:** Submission dates are indicated in the Calls to Artists, typically the last week of the month. If you have questions or need clarification regarding dates, please contact Gallery Director, Xochi Smith, [Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com](mailto:Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com)

**Submission Format:** Artists may bring up to two pieces of art for review by the Gallery Director on the given dates listed in the Call to Artists. Suggested size per piece is 25 1/2" x 33 1/2" However, if 2D artwork is oversized, please contact Gallery Director directly. If oversized, only one submission will be considered. If Artists are not able to attend the given dates, an appointment may be made with the Gallery Director, Xochi Smith, [Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com](mailto:Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com)

Proceeds of all art sold during the exhibit will be split, 70% to the artist and 30% to MCA.

**Limitations:** All 2D work must be properly wired with suitable hanging mechanisms, and either be framed or created on a gallery wrapped canvas. If work is not gallery ready, it will not be accepted. All 3D work must be assembled, by the artist, before it is accepted.

Please do not re-submit work that has already been shown in a previous Brick City Center for the Arts Gallery show. All work must be completed before submission. Any work that is not yet dry or incomplete will not be accepted.

**Liability:** MCA's Gallery Director will take great care in handling artworks for exhibition. MCA is not liable for any damage that may occur.

**Shipping:** The artist is responsible for shipping costs to and from the Brick City Center for the Arts. Specific shipping and labeling details can be requested from the Gallery Director.

**Post Show Pick Up:** Accepted artwork must remain in the Gallery through the designated end of the show and must be picked up by the date established by the Gallery Director. If an Artist can not make the pick up dates, arrangements must be made with Gallery Director before the end of the show. Any work left at the Brick for over 90 days without prior consent from the Gallery Director will be considered a donation to the Marion Cultural Alliance.

**Exhibition Selection Process:** Selection of work is at the discretion of the Gallery Director. We reserve the right to reject work for the exhibition that does not meet the above requirements or does not match the intent of the exhibit. Artists will be notified in person at time of submission.

**If you have any questions, please contact our Gallery Director, Xochi Smith at**  
**[Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com](mailto:Xochi.Jacques-Smith@MCAOcala.com)**