

2Rivers Paint-Out Prospectus

Friday, June 23, and Saturday, June 24, 2023

(This event will be held rain or shine.)

This year's paint-out will be held at Dunbar Cave State Park to celebrate its 50th anniversary and to bring attention to the need to rebuild lost grasslands of the South. Adult artists will have the opportunity to capture the beauty of a re-established prairie in their Plein Air paintings. Grassland loss is the single greatest conservation issue currently facing eastern North American biodiversity. Our precious Southern grasslands are nearly extinct and the species that depend on them are fading fast. Many of our Southern grasslands that managed to persist through the past 200 years have disappeared in the past quarter-century. Your work will spotlight the beauty of our Southern grasslands.

Registration

9 a.m., June 23 and 24, Dunbar Cave State Park

Exhibition and Reception

Customs House Museum and Cultural Center, 200 S. Second Street

Saturday, June 24, 2023

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

(Including awards ceremony and sales)

Community Fun Quick Draw

Saturday, June 24, 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

(All artists, whether registered for the 2Rivers Paint-Out or not, are encouraged to participate in this 90-minute quick paint competition.)



Please register by June 16, 2023, to participate in the 2Rivers Paint-Out

Guidelines for 2Rivers Paint-Out

Please email, mail or drop off completed **Registration Form** and **Artist Waiver** (http://www.artsandheritage.us/paintout/RegistrationWaiver_2RiversPaintOut2023.pdf) to:

EMAIL	U.S. MAIL	IN PERSON
Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council artsandheritage@cdelightband.net	Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council PO Box 555 Clarksville, TN 37041	Clarksville Arts & Heritage Development Council 1 Public Square Clarksville, TN 37040
Questions? Contact Ellen Kanervo at (931) 551-8870 or kanervoe@apsu.edu		

Entry Fee

To be judged or enter the exhibit, a \$40 entry fee is required with your application (up to 2 entries). Registration includes a box lunch. **Additional entries carry a fee of \$10 per entry.** Payment is accepted by check or online at www.artsandheritage.us via PayPal. (Checks should be made payable to Arts and Heritage Council. Artists will be charged \$15 on returned checks.)

Exhibition Guidelines

You must be a registered participant in order to exhibit in the show! Deadline for participation sign-up is June 16, 2023.

- Registration begins at 9:00 a.m., June 23 and June 24, at Dunbar Cave State Park.
- An official ID stamp will be placed on the backs of **blank** canvases and/or other paint surfaces.
- Artists are requested to paint in the assigned area during the two-day event.
- Painting locations and subjects are limited to Dunbar Cave Park.
- Artists may display two paintings from the event during the exhibition on June 24.
- Artwork size **excluding frame**, must be at least 5" on one side and no more than 20" on one side.
- Artwork must have wire hangers (no saw-tooth hangers).
- **Accepted Media:** Almost all Painting and Drawing Media. **Not Accepted:** Crafts, Photography, Computer-Generated Art, or Prints/Giclee.
- **Submit final entries at the Customs House Museum by 4 p.m. on Saturday, June 24, to be juried and exhibited.**
- All work must be framed or matted for easier handling, since paintings may be wet. However, the 2Rivers Identifying Stamp on the back of finished works must be clearly visible to be eligible for judging.
- **All artwork must be picked up at the end of the exhibition on June 24.** Please inform us in writing if someone other than yourself will be picking up your artwork(s). We are unable to provide storage — no exceptions.

Additional Notes

Art for sale is strongly encouraged.

Art must be labeled on the back with name of artist, title, size and price. All work must be framed or matted for easier handling with wire hangers (not saw tooth hangers). We will strive to hang as many works as possible and all works will be displayed in an appealing way.

Arts and Heritage reserves the right to use all art for promotional purposes. Individual artists are responsible for insuring their own art.

Arts and Heritage Council receives 10% commission on sales of guest artists. In the event of a sale, checks will be made out to Arts and Heritage Council, and buyer may take art at point of sale. Artists will be paid 90% of the sale. Artists are responsible for paying the sales tax.

Reception and Awards Ceremony

A reception and exhibition will be held on Saturday, June 24, 2023, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Customs House Museum, 200 S. Second Street. The award ceremony will take place at 7:30 p.m.

Awards

1st Place = \$500, sponsored by Hand Family Companies

2nd Place = \$250, sponsored by Planters Bank

3rd Place = \$125, sponsored by Heimansohn Steel and Salvage

Honorable mentions, \$40, sponsored by Bettye Holte

Juror: APSU Professor Emeritus of Art Kell Black



Kell Alexander Black is a professor emeritus of fine art. He earned his MFA in Drawing and Sculpture at the University of Connecticut, and he taught at the Savannah College of Art and Design and Austin Peay State University, retiring after 30 years in the classroom. He has exhibited internationally and has won many awards.

Community Fun Quick-Draw Competition

This 90-minute quick-paint competition, held on Saturday, June 24, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., is open to any artist. Registration is \$15 and can be in advance or on the day of the competition. A \$50 first-place prize from Planters Bank will be awarded at the closing reception.

Sponsors

- **Clarksville/Montgomery County Arts & Heritage Development Council**
PO Box 555
Clarksville, TN 37041
Phone: (931) 551-8870
Email: artsandheritage@cdelightband.net
Website: www.artsandheritage.us
- **Two Rivers Painters**
Contact Patsy Sharpe
Phone: (931) 647-5317
Email: patsyfriend3@yahoo.com
Website: www.2riverspainters.com
- **Downtown Artists Cooperative**
96 Franklin Street
Clarksville, TN 37040
Phone: (931) 552-4747
Website: www.downtownartistsco-op.com
- **Customs House Museum and Cultural Center**
200 S. Second Street
Clarksville, TN 37040
Phone☎ (931) 648-5780
Website: <https://customshousemuseum.org/>

Questions?

For more information, please contact Ellen Kanervo, executive director of Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council, at KanervoE@apsu.edu or (931) 551-8870.

2Rivers Paint-Out Registration Form
Friday, June 23, and Saturday, June 24, 2023

Name of Participant			
Street Address		City & State	Zip Code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email Address	
Are you affiliated with any Plein Air painting groups or artist organizations? If so, please list:			

Please read and put a checkmark beside each for the Event Guidelines:

- The event will occur on June 23 and 24, rain or shine.
- Artists are asked to paint within the assigned area June 23 and 24.
- Participants should always paint in groups of two or more, never alone.
- Artists will be entitled to display two paintings in the exhibition on Saturday, June 24, for the \$40 entry fee. The exhibition will be held at the Customs House Museum and Cultural Center, 200 S. Second Street, Clarksville, TN 37040, on Saturday, June 24, at 6:30 p.m.
- Artwork size **excluding frame**: Minimum 5" and Maximum 20"
- **Accepted Media**: Almost all Painting and Drawing Media. **Not Accepted**: Crafts, Photography, Computer-Generated Art, or Prints/Giclee.
- **Submit artwork by 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 24, for the exhibition and to be juried.**
- **Reception and show on Saturday, June 24, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**
- **Award ceremony on Saturday, June 24, at 7:30 p.m.**
- **Artwork pick-up**: Artists are to pick up their artwork(s) at the end of the exhibition on Saturday, June 24, 2023. We are unable to provide storage and will not be responsible for artwork not picked up. Please let us know if someone other than yourself will be picking up your work.
- **Yes, I have signed the waiver form for this 2Rivers Paint-Out event.**

Artist signature

Date

Artist Waiver

Event: **2Rivers Paint-Out**

Dates: **June 23 and 24, 2023**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Business/Cell Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Email Address _____

WAVIER

In consideration of my participation in the 2Rivers Paint-Out and on behalf of myself, my minor children and heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, I hereby waive and release any and all rights and claims against Clarksville Arts and Heritage Council, DAC, Two Rivers Painters, Customs House Museum, and the city and county of Clarksville, its officers, agents, employees, representatives, volunteers and its successors for damages or loss that may occur to the artworks, materials, or other items while participating in the event. I acknowledge that Arts and Heritage Council, DAC, Two Rivers Painters, Customs House Museum, and the city or county of Clarksville do not carry insurance coverage for such damages or losses and that providing any such insurance coverage shall be my sole responsibility. Painters / artists should always paint in groups of two or more.

In consideration of your accepting this entry, I hereby, for myself, my child, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I or my child may have against Arts & Heritage Council, DAC, Two Rivers Painters & the city and county of Clarksville and its representatives, successors and assigns any and all injuries suffered by myself or my child at any activity sponsored by these groups.

Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council, and the city and county of Clarksville reserve the right to photograph and videotape all activities, events, programs and facilities pertaining to the 2Rivers Paint-Out for promotional purposes.

ARTIST/PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE

DATE

Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council (AHC) are committed to giving all citizens equal access to recreation and leisure opportunities. In keeping with that policy and the Americans with Disabilities Act, reasonable accommodations are provided to individuals with disabilities in all programs and facilities. ADA accommodations include sign interpreters, alternative information formats, program modifications and inclusion support.

If special accommodations are needed, please call (931) 551-8870 at least five (5) working days in advance of the event. AHC will make every attempt to provide reasonable accommodations; however, failure to request an accommodation with the specified time frame may limit our ability to complete this request.

2Rivers Paint-Out Exhibition Entry Form

(Due Saturday, June 24, at 4:00 p.m.)

ARTIST NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

TITLE #1 _____

MEDIUM AND SIZE _____

PRICE _____

TITLE #2 _____

MEDIUM AND SIZE _____

PRICE _____

WAIVER

In consideration of my participation in this event (2Rivers Paint-Out) and on behalf of myself, my minor children and heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, I hereby waive and release any and all rights and claims against Clarksville Arts & Heritage Council, its officers, agents, employees, representatives, volunteers and its successors. In this exhibit I acknowledge that Clarksville Arts and Heritage Council does not carry insurance coverage for damages or losses and that providing any such insurance coverage shall be my sole responsibility.

ARTIST/PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE

DATE