



Places

An Art Exhibition Inspired by Andover's Special Places Call for Entries

Places is a juried art show supported by Andover Historical Society, Andover Artists Guild, Essex Art Center, Andover Cultural Council, and the Andover PK-12 Visual & Performing Arts Department, working artists, and interest individuals.

The intent of *Places* is to encourage artworks inspired by Andover's inspirational places. Artists find inspiration in many places: parks, open spaces, buildings, houses of worship, home, people, family, history, literature, music. *Places* encourages artists to think broadly about what in Andover inspires them. Two-dimensional artwork and wall hangings of all kinds will be eligible, including but not limited to works on paper, prints, drawing, painting, collage, and photography. Students will be encouraged to submit artwork.

Entry procedure

All artists, 18 years and older, are invited to submit works for *Places*. Students are encouraged to apply. The application fee will be waived for students who submit a copy of a valid student ID with their application.

Artists may enter up to three pieces. There is a \$30 nonrefundable fee for up to three artworks, payable to Andover Historical Society. Checks can be mailed to 97 Main Street, Andover, MA 01810. Or fees may be paid online at www.andoverhistorical.org/places. All work must be for sale. Andover Historical will receive 1/3 of the sale price. Andover Historical reserves the right to photograph work for publicity purposes. Artists must complete application form and submit a jpeg of each piece of art. No substitutions will be allowed after a work is selected.

Specifications

Themes/subjects must focus on Andover places that inspire. Two-dimensional artwork and flat wall hangings of all kinds will be eligible (no three-dimensional sculptures). No audio or video works will be accepted. Artwork cannot exceed 36" in any direction, including any frame, and must be able to be hung from a picture rail. All artwork must be framed, wired, and ready for exhibition. Artists are responsible for providing adequate instructions for handling and installation, within reason.



Awards

First place \$250; second place \$150; third place \$75

Jury *To be announced.*

Liability

Artists are responsible for insuring their artwork. Each artist will complete Andover Historical Society's incoming loan form (see website for details).

Timing for *Places*:

Call for artists:	April 2017
Deadline for applications:	August 11, 2017
Notification:	August 25, 2017
Delivery of artwork:	August 26 through August 29, 2017
Opening reception	Friday, September 8, 2017
Show opens:	Andover Day, September 9, 2017
Show closes:	December 22, 2017
Artists retrieve artwork:	January 2 through January 13, 2018

Contact:

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Submit entry form by mail to Elaine Clements, Andover Historical Society, 97 Main Street, Andover.