



Manchester Art Association

Presents

## ***"The Show in the Park"***

**The 39th Annual Arts, Crafts and Antiques Show - 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in June**

**Time: Sunday, June 3, 2012 10 am to 4 pm, rain or shine!**

**Place:** Center Park in Manchester, Connecticut, located at Main Street (Route 83) and Center Street (Routes 6/44). Beautiful setting - shaded areas. **There will be no assigned spaces, but there will be separate areas designated for fine arts, for crafts, and for antiques.**

**Awards:** Cash awards in categories of **Arts** and **Crafts** for Best of Show, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2nd and 3rd places. Honorable mention ribbons.

**Entry Fee:** \$65.00 for art, craft, or antiques. \$75.00 for food vendors (includes spices/herbal vendors). \$30.00 for Manchester Art Association members (paid-up member as of January 31, 2012). **No refund of application fees due to inclement weather.**

The application deadline is May 14, 2012. After May 14, please call to find out if space is still available: 860-432-3561. Applications are available on the MAA website [ManchesterArt.org](http://ManchesterArt.org)

### **Rules**

**Eligibility:** Open to all professional and non-professional arts/crafts persons. All **art and craft media** must be the original handcrafted work of the exhibitor. Please submit photos of your work or a website where your work can be seen for jurying purposes. **Antiques** should be of good quality; flea market items are not acceptable. The Manchester Art Association reserves the right to accept or reject any entry, including on the day of the show.

**Liability:** Manchester Art Association shall in no way be responsible for any loss or damage to work exhibited or for personal injury.

**Taxes:** Exhibitors are responsible for their own sales taxes. To apply for a Tax Number, contact: **Department of Revenue Services**, 25 Sigourney Street, Hartford, CT 06106. 860-297-5962 (inside CT) 800-382-9463 (outside CT).

**Parking:** You may unload on streets adjacent to the park. Do not bring your vehicles on the grassy areas of the park. Parking is available close by. A map explaining further parking details will be sent to you along with your confirmation.

**Setup:** Size of booth is 14 feet by 14 feet. Please bring your own tables, chairs, coverings, etc. Manchester Art Association reserves the right to accept or reject any setup. Porters will be available to assist with setup.

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**2012 APPLICATION FORM**

**Entry Fee: Arts \$65.00** \_\_\_ **Crafts \$65.00** \_\_\_ **Antiques \$65.00** \_\_\_ **Food Vendor \$75.00** \_\_\_  
**MAA Member \$30.00** \_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
CT Sales Tax # \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

**Official Use Only**  
  
**Amount**  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
  
**Show #**  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your items in detail \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Where did you hear about our show?** Previous Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Newspaper \_\_\_\_\_ MAA Site \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Mail application form above, photos of your work (or web address where your work can be seen), and your check for the application fee before May 14, 2012, to:

**MAA Show**  
**c/o Carolyn Emerson**  
11 Wildlife Trail  
South Windsor CT 06074

Make all checks payable to **Manchester Art Association**. Receipt will be confirmed by information packet mailed to you. Please report to the registration desk between 8:00 am and 9:30 am on the day of the show to pick up your entry card. **(You may set up prior to 8:00 a.m. on the day of the show.)** After registration, please display your entry card prominently at your booth. The judges will indicate on your entry card that you have been judged.

**MAA Show hotline number: 860-646-9755**  
**For Antiques: 860-533-1263**  
[ManchesterArt.org](http://ManchesterArt.org)