

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Newton Open Studios

Juried Art & Craft

Show & Sale Sat. & Sun., Nov. 6 & 7 2010

11 am to 5 pm, at the Newton Cultural Center,
225 Nevada St., Newtonville.

Juror Award Preview Exhibit: Oct. 15 to Nov. 4 2010

Location: NewTV Art Gallery, 23 Needham St Newton

Show and preview juried by [Dina Deitsch](#), Associate Curator
of Contemporary Art, DeCordova Sculpture Park + Museum



Application Deadline Sept. 13

5 digital images and a short artist statement are required. Accepted artists will be listed by the first week of October on the NewtonOpenStudios.org web site.

Jury Fee (nonrefundable): **\$20** for artists who applied to or participated in the Fall '09 NOS show, **or** participated in the NOS Spring '10 Open Studios. **\$35** for other eligible artists.

Accepted Artist Fee: \$115 (returned if you are not accepted) A total of 35 artists and craftspeople will be selected by the juror from all eligible entrants. The 35 participants will be made up of: 10 to 12 craftspeople and 23 to 25 fine artists.

Details

- **Eligible artists:** Any artist who lives, works, or attends art classes in Newton, or who is a member of a Newton arts organization.
- Fine artists will each have a corner space, with 6'-foot tall 6.25-foot wide sides -- a total of 75 sq. feet of hanging space. A small table and/or bin may be placed in or adjacent to the space. Panel rental is included in the fee.
- Craftspeople will have a similar set-up to previous years: a dedicated table for each.
- There will be **NO commission** charged on work sold at the November 7/8 show.
- Artists will be on hand during the weekend with their work and will make their own personal transactions. Artists are responsible for their own sales tax.
- Accepted artists will be asked to volunteer approximately 2 hours of their time to the preparations for the show.

Awards

Once our juror has chosen 35 artists for the show, she will select 10 of those 35 artists for a three-week preview group show – the **Juror's Award Preview Exhibit** – at *NewTV Art Gallery*, 23 Needham St., Newton. Dates: Oct 15 thru Nov. 5.

The 10 winners will also receive a one-year membership to NewTV, which will entitle them to free classes in filming and editing techniques, and free use of the studio's production equipment and facilities.

Each of the 10 *Juror Award* winners will hang four pieces for the preview show, and awards will be noted in the Fall Show & Sale printed materials. Jewelry and 3-D art should be hung in shadow boxes, or represented by photographs. A reception for the preview exhibit will tentatively be held on Thursday, November 29. **NewTV will charge a 15% commission** on work sold during the Preview Exhibit.

Publicity will include Sandwich boards, print and on-line listings, e-mail announcements, large full color post card sent out to all Newton elementary school children, to an NOS mailing list, and for you to mail to your personal list.

Questions? Call 617-872-0228 or email to info@NewtonOpenStudios.org

Application for NOS 2010 Juried Art & Craft Show & Sale

DEADLINE: September 13 for ALL 6 ITEMS BELOW.

Apply **ONLINE** at NewtonOpenStudios.org (online application pages available by June 15)

Or follow these “by mail” instructions:

Send by regular mail:

- 1) **Jury Fee:** (nonrefundable)
 - \$20 jury fee for Newton Open Studios Spring 2010 and Fall 2009 artists *and applicants*
 - \$35 jury fee for other eligible artistsEligible artists: Any artist living or working in Newton, or a member of a Newton arts organization
- 2) **Separate check for Accepted Artist Fee:** \$115 fee (this check will be returned if your work is not accepted)
- 3) **This page**, bottom section filled out

Send by e-mail attachment, or include with your regular-mail items on a disk:

- 4) **5 jpeg images** of work completed within the last 3 years. See File format below.
- 5) **Listing** of Submitted Images: a listing of title, size, and medium for each work submitted
- 6) **Short artist statement** -- up to 150 words
The *Short statement* and the *Listing* may be in Microsoft Word, or in the body of the e-mail if sent by e-mail.

Required File Format for Your 5 Digital Images

- (1) not larger than 2 MB each
- (2) saved as a jpg
- (3) The file name of each image must begin with your last name (e.g. Rembrandt_Portrait.jpg)

To be considered for publicity use, images must be
at least 1200 pixels in the larger direction.

Mailing Address: Newton Open Studios
225 Nevada Street
Newton, MA 02460

E-mail Address: info@NewtonOpenStudios.com

Make checks payable to: **Newton Open Studios** Bounced checks will incur a \$25 fee.

mail this ARTIST Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Newton affiliation: resident work in Newton participate in art classes in Newton

member of a Newton arts organization: _____ other _____

Choose one: If I am NOT accepted into the show, Please destroy return my “Accepted Artist Fee” check.

I have read and will abide by all the above requirements. The five images I have sent conform to the required file format and are representative of work I would display if I am accepted into the show.

Signature of artist: _____