



WEEKEND OF THE POOKA

# A Celebration of the ARTS

SEPTEMBER 8-9, 2018

## Call to Artists

The Bedford Historical Society cordially invites you to exhibit and sell your work at the 9th annual **A Celebration Of The Arts: Weekend of the Pooka** (September 8-9, 2018). In addition to the art show, this multi-arts festival, held on the Commons in historic downtown Bedford, features live musical entertainment, dance, jugglers, performances of all kinds, food trucks and vendors, Artisan Village, Children's Art Village at the Sedlon Garden, and much more. There will also be live entertainment in the Artist Tent this year.

### Media

Work in 2 or 3 dimensions will be considered, including: drawings, paintings, mixed media works, printmaking, photography, graphic works, enameled works, metalwork, jewelry, sculptures, fiber arts, glass works, ceramics, and woodworking.

Exhibitors will be selected strictly on the merits of their art as interpreted by a juried panel. All work must be original. No kits or molds, unless mold is original work of the artist. All paintings and drawings must be framed, matted, and tastefully displayed. We reserve the right to ask that hazardous or objectionable work be removed from the exhibit. Sales are the responsibility of the exhibitor. Artists are encouraged to demonstrate their talents.

### Exhibit Space

The space fee is \$75. The fee will be due and payable to the Bedford Historical Society before the deadline of July 20, 2018. No refunds will be made after August 6, 2018.

Exhibitors will be assigned a 10' x 10' space under a large carnival tent at the Bedford Commons (730 Broadway Avenue, Bedford, Ohio 44146). Lights will be provided in the tent so that artwork can be viewed in the evening. The sides of the tent are tacked down, but may flap if there are wind gusts, so please plan your set-up to accommodate for this possibility. Free parking will be available. Exhibitors must furnish their own display equipment including tables and chairs. Electrical services are limited. Overnight security will be provided by the Bedford Police Department. Temporary booth-sitters will be available at the event for breaks.

**Exhibit times are Saturday, September 8, 11:00 am - 8:00 pm and Sunday, September 9, 12:00 noon - 6:00 pm.**

We will provide extensive advertising, including print media, radio, television, street banners, flyers, and the website [www.bedfordohioarts.com](http://www.bedfordohioarts.com).

### Application Procedure

Please send at least one photo or digital image of current work for use on our website and FaceBook page.

For more information, call or write the Art Show Chairperson:

Sandy Spinks • 265 Grand Blvd. • Bedford, OH 44146  
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[www.bedfordohioarts.com](http://www.bedfordohioarts.com)

# Artist Application

**DUE JULY 20, 2018**

PLEASE PRINT

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NAME

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ADDRESS

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CITY, STATE, ZIP

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DAY PHONE

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EMAIL

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MEDIUM

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PRICE RANGE OF YOUR WORK: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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PREFERRED TITLE FOR BOOTH SIGNS

## *Exhibitor Agreement*

I hereby agree to the rules and procedures as outlined in the invitation, and I further acknowledge that with my entry into the *Celebration of the Arts Art Show*, I do release and agree to hold harmless The Bedford Historical Society, its officers, trustees, staff, and members from any claim for loss or damage as a result of any occurrence, act or omission. I further certify that my designated representative or I will be present to exhibit my work in the medium for which I am registered during the hours that the festival is open to the public. The Bedford Historical Society reserves the right to cancel the event if deemed to be in the best interest of public safety.

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SIGNATURE AND DATE

Mail signed application/agreement along with additional items to:

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