

**Eligibility:**

Open to all Artist in Northern California.

**Media Categories:**

Watercolor, Oil, Acrylic, Pastel, Ink/Charcoal/Pencil, Mixed Media and 3D

**Rules of Entry:**

Each artist may submit up to three (3) works which only two (2) maybe selected. All entries submitted for judging must be available for the exhibit. All work must be original and submitted by the artist. Works must be completed within the last two calendar years and not previously submitted to the Northern Mines Exhibit. Works produced in workshops and or under supervision are not eligible. Pioneer Arts reserves the right to refuse, upon arrival, any piece that does not match the digital image and/or does not meet the framing criteria.

**Entry Fee— non refundable**

Members \$25.00 Non-members \$30.00

**To Enter:**

Submit your completed and signed entry form, fee, (checks are payable to Pioneer Arts, Inc.) a self addressed postage envelope for notification, a CD with digital image(s) If you want your CD returned please enclose another self addressed envelope with proper postage. CD will not be returned if envelope and postage does not meet postal requirements.

**Digital Entries:**

Make sure that the digital images of your artwork are of high quality, look professional and accurately represent your work. Paintings received which do not match the digital image may be rejected. Use at least a 3 Mega pixel digital camera. Must be high resolution. Image size should not exceed 2000 pixels on the longest size of the image. Minimum 300dpi. Save image as: A\_ title of work.jpg or tiff; B\_ title of work.jpg or tiff; C\_ title of work.jpg or tiff on PC platform.

Multiple images may be saved on to one CD. Write on CD in permanent ink entry titles and your name in the same order as on the entry form. Image(s) CD to be submitted by mail only with entry form and entry fee. Mail must be postmarked no later than September 19, 2009.

**Accepted Works:**

Work maybe hand delivered or shipped. Shipping instructions will be included in your acceptance letter.

There is a \$20.00 handling fee for shipped works. Shipped paintings must use Plexiglas in lieu of glass. All Paintings must be dry, suitably framed and wired. Wire ends must be taped. No saw-tooth hangers. Work is not to exceed 45" in any direction (90 united inches), including frame. For 3-D size is not to exceed 24" per side and a weight limit of 50lb per each piece.

**Commission:**

20% commission on all sales resulting from the show payable to Pioneer Arts.

*Inquiries*

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Prospectus can be downloaded at:  
[www.pioneerart.com](http://www.pioneerart.com)

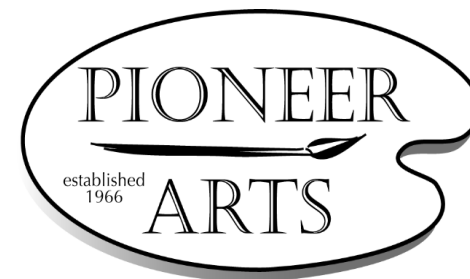
*Calendar*

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| September 19 | Digital Images(s) and entry form deadline                                  |
| October 5    | Notification to Artists mailed   |
| October 30   | Deadline for receiving shipped artwork                                     |
| November 4   | Hand- delivery paintings 9:00am to noon                                    |
| November 4   | Show opens to public   |
| November 15  | Reception and Awards 1:00pm—3:00pm<br><b>Jerianne Van Dijk</b> , our guest |
| November 29  | Show Closes 6:00 pm.   |
| November 30  | Pick up paintings before noon  |

*Awards*

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| Pioneer Best of Show :                         | \$350.00     |
| First Place Cash Award in each Media Category: | \$100.00     |
| Second and Third Place                         | Named Awards |

Artist choice award will be given at the Awards Reception



*Northern Mines*  
*26th Annual Art Exhibition*  
*November 4-29 2009*  
*Prospectus*



314 W. Main St  
Grass Valley, CA 95945

***Juror: Jerianne Van Dijk***

Working mostly in Watercolor with some Gouache, ink and crayon, with attention to mood and light, her painting style is realistic and somewhat impressionistic. When it comes to illustration, her medium use entails a grand variety of techniques and materials and ranges from whimsicality detailed and classic. Jerianne has painted and taught painting for 27 years. Designs of hers include the label art for Indian Springs Vineyards, Lost Coast Brewery, Tomaso's Dressings, and the Zap wine organization, as well as pieces for calendars, books, children's books, puzzles, CD covers, posters, and a variety of products available nationally and internationally. Her murals and wall trims have been commissioned in and around Grass Valley, Sacramento and Truckee. Recently, she was invited as on of the 26 artists around the world to celebrate the 25th Arts at El Minia University, Egypt.

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# Northern Mines Exhibit Entry Form

\_\_\_\_\_ Completed and signed entry form and endorsed check.

**Checks payable to: Pioneer Arts Inc.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Self addressed postage paid notification envelope.

\_\_\_\_\_ Titles and Artist name written on CD

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed Digital Image(s) on CD

\_\_\_\_\_ Return Self addressed Postage paid CD Envelope

Recommended you make a copy of your CD and the entry form for your files.

### Commitment on behalf of the Artist:

If accepted the Artwork will be available for display. While utmost care will be taken in handling CD and artwork, neither Pioneer Arts or The Center for the Arts will be responsible for damage or loss from any cause.

Artist's Signature:

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(Disqualified without Artist signature)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**A** Title \_\_\_\_\_

Image Size \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Frame Size \_\_\_\_x\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_

Price Framed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Title \_\_\_\_\_

Image Size \_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Frame size \_\_\_\_x\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_

Price Framed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

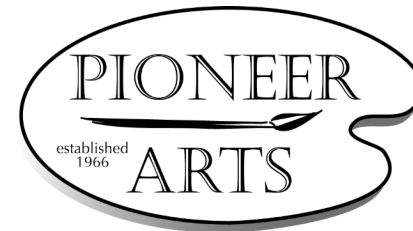
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Price Framed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail entry form and CD to:  
Pioneer Arts/ Riki Colby  
P.O. Box 226  
North San Juan, CA 95960**



Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ CA

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**A** Title \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Not Accepted \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Title \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Not Accepted \_\_\_\_\_

**C** Title \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted \_\_\_\_\_ Not Accepted \_\_\_\_\_