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# **16th Annual Strictly Functional Pottery National**

Lancaster, PA Show Dates April 19 - May 18, 2008

Wayne, PA Show Dates May 27 - June 27, 2008

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## **LOCATION**

- The SFPN will be in historic downtown Lancaster, PA at Kevin Lehman's Pottery, and at Wayne Art Center in Wayne, PA.

## **CALENDAR**

- Application deadline: January 10, 2008 (postmark)
- Notification begins: March 13, 2008
- Accepted work due: Ship by April 4, 2008
- Exhibition dates Lancaster: April 19 - May 18, 2008
- Exhibition dates Wayne: May 27- June 27, 2008

## **ELIGIBILITY**

- Open to residents of the 50 United States.
- Submitted work produced after January, 2006.
- Size may not exceed 30 inches in any dimension or 20 pounds in weight.

## **RULES**

- Enter up to three functional pieces or sets.
- All exhibited work **MUST BE FOR SALE**.
- Retail price: up to \$600 per piece or set.
- Specific piece accepted **MUST** be available for both exhibitions.
- We will exhibit **NO** substitute pieces.
- Work will be disqualified if it is not the same piece in the accepted slide.
- Work must arrive in time for the opening.
- Accepted work which displays poor craftsmanship or fails to perform the function for which it is intended will be withdrawn from the exhibit.

## **ENTRY FEE**

- \$30, non-refundable.
- Make payable to Market House Craft Center.

## **COMMISSION**

- A 35% commission will be charged on all sales.

## **FREIGHT AND INSURANCE**

- The artist is responsible for freight and insurance on the work to and from SFPN. The organizers are responsible for insurance during the exhibition.

## **DIGITAL IMAGE REQUIREMENTS**

- Submit only one image per work entered.
- Save as jpg at 300 dpi.
- Save each image as ID number and entry letter. (ex. 4777A.jpg, 4777B.jpg, 4777C.jpg)
- No text directly on images, please.
- Label CD with your name and ID number.
- CD will not be returned.

## **SLIDES ACCEPTED:** Extra \$25 fee

- Label top of each slide with: the last 4 digits of your social security #, A, B, or C to conform with your entry and an arrow to show top of slide.

## **PHOTOGRAPHY**

- MHCC reserves the right to photograph works, and use submitted photo materials of accepted pieces for the purposes of documentation, education, publicity, promotion and future grant proposals. Slides of accepted work will not be returned.

## **APPLICATION CHECKLIST:**

- Your completed entry form.
- A stamped (\$.64 in postage) self-addressed business envelope (no smaller than 4x9) for notification and return of slides, any. Put your check or money order for \$30, payable to the Market House Craft Center. A fee of \$20 will be charged for returned checks.
- Please do not use oversized envelopes (larger than 5x7.)

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**FOR QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL 717-560-8816**  
Phil Haralam, 717-314-0806 or Jean Lehman 717-291-2154.

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**STRICTLY FUNCTIONAL POTTERY NATIONAL APPLICATION**

All applications must be postmarked by January 10, 2008.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (daytime) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied to the show before? \_\_\_\_\_

Last four digits of your Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

May we release your address to galleries and buyers? \_\_\_\_\_

If a piece is accepted, do you promise it will be available for the exhibition? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you see ad in Ceramics Monthly? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you see ad in Clay Times? \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark your slides A, B, or C to correspond with the descriptions below. All information is final, including selling prices and titles. All must be for sale; limit \$600.

**Entry A** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of work: \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions (HxWxD not the circumference )Please round to nearest inch. \_\_\_\_\_

Type of clay: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of firing: \_\_\_\_\_

Price: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry B** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of work: \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions (HxWxD not the circumference )Please round to nearest inch. \_\_\_\_\_

Type of clay: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of firing: \_\_\_\_\_

Price: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry C** \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of work: \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions (HxWxD not the circumference )Please round to nearest inch. \_\_\_\_\_

Type of clay: \_\_\_\_\_

Method of firing: \_\_\_\_\_

Price: \_\_\_\_\_

Submission of my application and slides shall constitute my agreement with all the conditions and terms set forth in this prospectus. I understand that all decisions by the MHCC, the juror, and the project directors are final. I release and discharge the MHCC and its workers from any and all claims.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(No entry will be accepted without signature)

Mail completed application, disk, check and self addressed business size stamped envelope on or before January 10, 2008 to:

**Strictly Functional Pottery National  
Market House Craft Center  
P.O. Box 204  
East Petersburg, PA 17520-0204**