



National Oil and Acrylic Painters' Society
29th 'Best of America'
NATIONAL Juried Exhibition

“BRUSH WITH NATURE”

Plein Air (Open Air) Competition and Sale

This event is being held in conjunction with the NOAPS Best of America National Exhibition at
Montgomery Lee Fine Art, Park City, Utah

ARTIST ELIGIBILITY

Event is OPEN TO All Artists: 18 years of age or older

Dates: September 25 & 26th, 2019

Times: 9am – 4pm

Painting Delivery for Jury and Sale: 8:00-9:30 am - September 27th - 3rd floor Montgomery Lee Fine Art (Bring your travel easel to display your artwork)

Event Schedule below

AWARDS

Announced at the Awards Reception lunch

3rd floor of Montgomery Lee Fine Art

12:00-1:00 pm, September 27th, 2019

FEES

NOAPS members \$30

non-members \$50

new membership & entry fee \$80

- **The 2019 annual membership is \$50 and can be paid when entering this exhibit or through the Membership Link at www.NOAPS.org/join-us.**
- **The 'Best of America' is a juried competition open to members of NOAPS.**

ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY PROCESS

- Paintings are executed outdoors from real life, without the use of photographs.
- Both painter and subject matter must be outdoors during the execution of the artwork.
- Artists may choose any subject matter outdoors within an hour drive of the gallery.
 - This event will be held rain or shine, so come prepared!
 - Blank Canvas or board must be stamped with the NOAPS stamp
- Artwork must be begun and completed in it's entirety September 25 & 26th, 2019
 - Artwork to be executed in **Oils or Acrylics ONLY**

- **Maximum painting size** 320 square inches unframed. Example: 16" x 20" = 320 sq. inches
- **One painting per artist guaranteed.**
- If space and number of entries permit NOAPS will allow additional paintings but NOAPS Canvas stamp must be present!
- The **"NOAPS" stamp** provided at registration **must be visible on the back** of each painting.
- Artwork will be displayed for sale and jurying on the 3rd floor of Montgomery Lee fine art
- **Painting display:** Please **bring your travel easel** to the 3rd floor to display your artwork on
- **Frames are not required for display** and jury but, are at the discretion of each artist.
- **Painting Sale:** -10:00am Friday, Sept. 27, to 3:00pm Saturday Sept 28, 2019
- **Painting Sale Proceeds** – 55% Artist/45% Gallery
- **Pick up Paintings:** Artists are responsible for picking up unsold paintings on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 28, between 3:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. or by arrangement with the gallery.
- NOAPS and Montgomery Lee Fine Art assume no responsibility for theft, damage or liability.
- Artists are responsible for insurance of his/her artwork.

Questions: email membershp@noaps.org or phone 780-231-0726

Event Schedule:	Date	Time	Location
Canvas Stamp and Registration	Wednesday Sept 25	8:00- 9:00 am	3rd Floor Montgomery Lee Fine Art
Shanna Kuntz leads artists to some suggested painting locations	Wednesday Sept 25	9:00 am	Leaving from 3 rd Floor Montgomery Lee Fine Art
Painting location map and canvas stamp available	Wed - Thurs	10:00 am-4pm	Montgomery Lee Fine art gallery – main desk
Outdoor Painting	Wed Sept. 25 to Thursday Sept. 26	9am to 4 pm	in any location within an hours' drive
Painting Delivery (Bring Easel for Painting Display)	Friday Sept 27	8 to 9:30 am	3 rd Floor Montgomery Lee Fine Art
Awards luncheon – Plein Air and National	Friday Sept 27	12:00 – 1:00 pm	3 rd Floor
Painting Sale	Sept 27 & Sept 28	10:00 am Friday to 3:00 pm Sat	3 rd Floor
Unsold Painting Pick up	Saturday Sept. 28	3:00-4:30 pm	3 rd Floor