Cape Coral Art League, 2026/2027 Season, Show Prospectus

"Art and Emotion"

The "Art and Emotion" show is looking for any artwork that expresses an emotion or elicits an emotion from the viewer. The subject of the art piece may express the emotion, or the artwork elicits an emotion from the viewer by the use of art elements and principles. Consider emotions from anger to joy, chaos to calm and the vast array of emotions in between.

Receiving: **Monday, November 2, 2026, from 12pm to 3pm** **Show Judge: Shirley Hales**

Reception: **Thursday, November 5, 2026, from 5pm to 6:30 pm** **Show Chair: Kim Carioto-Krugle**

Removal: **Monday, November 23-25, 2026, from 12pm to 3 pm**

This is a juried Art Council Member Show. This show is open to CCAL members and Art Council of Southwest Florida members. The Judge will determine if artwork meets fine art criteria and is accepted.

*****Exhibiting artists must show their current membership card at receiving*****

Awards:

Blue Ribbon:	1st Place $100
Red Ribbon:	2nd Place $75
White Ribbon:	3rd Place $50
Yellow Ribbon:	Honorable Mention

Only one monetary prize may be given to an individual artist per show. *Award recipients are notified by phone and must be present or represented at the reception. *A People's Choice Award will also be awarded.

Artwork Requirements:

Artwork must be signed on the front or back by the artist.
Artwork awarded higher than honorable mention in any Art Council of SWFL or CCAL show is not eligible.
Artwork cannot be a copy of other artwork, magazine, book or photograph (unless photo is taken by the artist or used with permission)
Artwork must not be a giclee or reproduction.
Artwork must be the creation of the artist without physical assistance from another artist or instructor.
You may take your work home the Wednesday before the end of the show since CCAL is closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday. CCAL is not responsible for artwork not picked up on the removal date.

Presentation Requirements:

2D Art: Artwork must be thoroughly dry and framed or professionally presented.
Artwork cannot exceed 52" x 52" or equivalent size, including framing.
Framed artwork larger than 24" x 30" must use Plexiglass acrylic, not glass.
Artwork on canvas may be unframed if gallery wrapped canvas with painted staple free edges.
Artwork must have a wire hanger that reaches no higher than 3 inches from the top. Sharp ends must be taped for safety.

3D Art: Sculptures must be dry, structurally stable and may not weight more than 40 pounds.
Sculptures with a footprint over 12" x 12" must have their own pedestal.

Note: **Additional fees may be assessed for work that needs alterations to meet show requirements.**

Sales and Commission:

All sales are handled through the CCAL gift shop. *Artist's instructions for online gallery store are located on the website.
A commission of 40% will be donated to CCAL, and the remaining sale price is paid to the artist after the show ends.
Artwork sold during the show must remain in the gallery until the show ends.
Artists assume responsibility for paying sales tax.

Fees: The entry fee for up to two (2) pieces is $30.00 for paid CCAL members and $40.00 for ACSWF members.

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CCAL members are encouraged to enter artwork, be present, contribute to the reception for the shows and support our sponsors.
*All fees, awards, dates, judges, and entry rules are subject to change by the CCAL Board.

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Appetizers Ideas List

Popular
- Antipasto Skewers
- Spinach Artichoke Dip
- Queso Dip
- Deviled Eggs
- Chicken Wings
- Pigs in a Blanket
- Jalapeno Poppers
- Baked Brie
- Bread and Olive Oil
- Pinwheels

Easy
- Stuffed Mushrooms
- Cranberry Pistachio Goat Cheese Log
- Charcuterie Board
- Candied Nuts
- Veggie Platter
- Roasted Nuts
- Roasted Pumpkin Seeds
- Baked Feta
- Mango Salsa
- Sausage Rolls

Quick
- Whipped Feta Dip
- Smoked Salmon Bagel Bites
- Seasoned Popcorn
- Cheesy Garlic Bread
- Caprese-Stuffed Avocado
- Blistered Shishito Poppers
- Cheese Ball
- Stuffed Cherry Peppers
- Prosciutto-Wrapped Melon
- Melon Bites in Maderia Wine

Italian
- Bruschetta
- Crostini
- Focaccia
- Marinated Olives
- Caponata
- Caprese Salad
- Antipasto Platter
- Marinated Mozzarella
- Mini Pizzas
- Garlic-Parmesan Breadsticks

Mexican
- Guacamole and Tortilla Chips
- Nachos
- Avocado Salsa
- Pico de Gallo
- Tostadas
- Taquitos
- Street Corn
- Taco Dip
- Ceviche
- Bean dip

French
- Tapenade
- Mini Quiche Lorraine
- French Cheese Board
- Beef Bites
- Fish Dips
- French Bread & Cheeses
- Pate & Crackers
- French Cheese Puffs
- Baked Camebert
- Tomato Tart

Asian
- Spring Rolls
- Rice Paper Rolls
- Vegetable Dumplings (potstickers)
- Pakora
- Edamame
- Somosas (fried pastry)
- Bao Buns
- Chicken Satay Skewers
- Gyoza
- Thai Lettuce Wraps

International
- Mini Empanadas
- Hummus
- Baba Ghanoush (Eggplant dip)
- Muhammara (Roasted Pepper dip)
- Tirokafteri (Greek Feta Dip)
- Tzatziki (Greek Yogurt Cucumber dip)
- Falafel (deep fried balls made from fava beans)
- Grilled Halloumi (grilled cheese)
- Pita Bread & dip
- Flatbread bites

More
- Mini Crab Cakes
- Mini Quiches
- Pizza Rolls
- Shrimp Cocktail
- Sliders
- Pretzel Bites
- French Onion Dip
- Prosciutto-wrapped Asparagus
- Mini Meatballs
- Avocado Fries
- Potato Skins
- Smoked Salmon Dip
- Zucchini Fritters
- Popcorn Chicken
- Potato Pancakes
- Fried Green Tomatoes
- Salmon Patties
- Crab Rangoon
- Cheddar Scones
- Marinated Tortellini

Desserts
- Cookies, Cake, Cheesecake, pies, etc.