

Challenges

a Santa Barbara Printmakers MEMBERS ONLY exhibition in partnership with the Santa Barbara Sculptors Guild

at Voice Gallery

121 S. Hope Avenue, Unit H-124 Santa Barbara, CA 93105 Monday-Friday 10am-5:30pm Saturday & Sunday 1-5pm

June 30 - July 31, 2025

TWO receptions: First Thursday, July 3, 5-8pm Third Friday, July 18, 5-8pm

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Each member may submit up to THREE PRINTS.

ENTRY FEE:

\$40 - FIRST ENTRY \$35 - SECOND ENTRY \$30 - THIRD ENTRY

MEDIUM:

Original, hand-pulled prints (not reproductions) including silkscreen, linocuts, woodcuts, lithographs, etchings, collagraphs, monotypes, photopolymer etchings, and traditional techniques in combination with photochemical or digital printing.

SIZE RESTRICTIONS:

Maximum size: 36 inches in any direction

PRESENTATION:

The final arbiters of presentation requirements are the presentation reviewers at the ingathering.

- All work must be presented in a professional manner.
- Unique presentations will be accepted on a case to case basis. Delicate presentations are not advised.
- For traditional presentation:
 - Glass and mats should be clean and the cut edges of the opening should not be discolored.
 - Mats must be neutral color (white to cream)
 - Frames should not overwhelm the print and in most cases full bleed prints should be floated.
- Work must be wired for hanging on the gallery system. No sawtooth hangers or tab type hangers allowed.

If you have questions about presentation, please contact <u>mail@sbprintmakers.com</u>

AWARDS:

First Place: \$100 Second Place: \$75 Third Place: \$50

Honorable Mention: \$25 JUROR: Judy Larson, Ph.D.

BIOGRAPHY

SALES:

Artists will receive 100% of sales of their artwork.

All sold works must remain in the gallery throughout the exhibit. Buyer will contact the artist directly for payment.

SBP will provide a PayPal QR Code as a courtesy to exhibiting artists. If you wish to use it, please note that a PayPal processing fee of 3.49% plus 49 cents will be deducted from the proceeds.

DELIVERY OF ARTWORK:

Sunday, June 29, 10am - Noon

If someone other than yourself is bringing your artwork in, please be sure it is carefully wrapped and labeled (artist's name, title, medium, price).

RETRIEVAL OF ARTWORK:

Friday, August 1, Noon - 2pm

Artists who sell work are responsible for making sure buyers pick up the work or they must pick up and deliver the work themselves. Artists must pick up un-sold work. If you cannot personally pick up your pieces, please have a trusted proxy retrieve it at times shown from Voice Gallery. Email the name and contact number of that person to mail@sbprintmakers.com

REGISTRATION:

Deadline: June 21, midnight

Open to all members of Santa Barbara Printmakers. Registration and payment are through the SBP website.

REGISTER HERE

https://sbprintmakers.com/exhibit-registration-and-payment/

If you have trouble with the direct link, please follow the instructions below.

- Go to sbprintmakers.com
- Click on the "EXHIBIT REGISTRATION" page
- Fill out the form for Challenges Registration
- Press the "SUBMIT" button.
- The form will then "disappear" leaving only the title *Challenges* and a message confirming your submission.
- Pay after you register.

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