CALL FOR ARTISTS Best :: Gelebrating the pets we love



CALEB GRISWOLD

Best Friends: An exhibit of works in all media celebrating the pets we love

They can be lovable, they can be loyal...they can be lovely, lively, or even... licky? Any way we describe pets, we certainly love them.

Unleash your creativity: The Cedarburg Cultural Center invites adults ages 18+ to participate in "Best Friends"– an exhibit and sale of original artworks which reflect the exhibit's wide-scoped theme. Create an artwork reflecting your pet, your friend's pet, a pet in general...it can be an everyday pet, or a very exotic one! Maybe it's even the pet you dream of one day owning!

Accepted media may include but are not limited to: painting, sculpture, photography, jewelry, ceramics, fiber, fine art printmaking, drawing and mixed media. There is no size limit. The exhibit is not juried.

Artists will be asked to include a short paragraph describing their "Best Friend" (aka Pet) and any specific details about the artwork created.

Works must not have been shown before at the CCC.

EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

Application and entry fees due: Tuesday, April 8 Artwork Delivery: Tuesday, April 15: 10 am – 5 pm Exhibit open to the Public: April 19 – June 1, 2025 Public Opening Reception: Sunday, April 27: 1-4 pm Pick up of Unsold Artworks: Tuesday, June 3: 10 am – 5 pm

ENTRY FEE

There is an entry fee of \$10 per artist. Fees may be paid to the Cedarburg Cultural Center online, by cash, check or credit card, and are due with the application/entry form. See inside for a special workshop opportunity with Fred Bell!



FRED BELL



CEDARBURG CULTURAL CENTER arts, community, history

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SPECIAL WORKSHOP OPPORTUNITY Pet Portraits with Fred Bell Thursday, April 3: 1-4 pm

Explore the joy of painting your best friend in our relaxing classroom setting. Fred will demonstrate his impressionistic style throughout the class and provide suggestions to help you develop your painting skills and capture the essence of your favorite pet. We encourage you to submit your painting in the CCC Best Friends Exhibit. Students will be working from their own reference photo of their pet. All supplies are included (except your reference photo) in this class for beginners and experienced painters alike.

\$55 CCC Members / \$66 Non-Members

Register online at **www.cedarburgculturalcenter.org/classes** or scan the QR code on the right



CEDARBURG CULTURAL CENTER (CCC) EXHIBIT POLICIES

1. While the CCC is insured for loaned property, coverage provided by the Center is in excess over any other insurance available on the loaned exhibit items. In an effort to protect both the CCC and owners of loaned exhibit items, the Center reserves the right to request insurance documentation and to limit the value of items accepted. In the event of an insurance claim, artwork is insured for its stated value on the exhibition contract.

2. Artwork must be appropriately matted, framed or otherwise presented and ready to hang. 2-D art should be framed or have painted gallery-wrapped edges and be fitted with hanging wire – no sawtooth hangers without prior consent/approval. 3-D art must stand firmly on its own if not mounted to a base.

3. Artwork cannot be removed from the premises during the exhibition period.

4. Drop-off or pick-up of artwork outside of the specified time frame is not allowed without prior consent. The CCC is not liable for the security

of or damages to artwork dropped off or picked up before or after designated times. Works left behind longer than two weeks after the designated pick-up time will become the property of the CCC.

5. Artists warrant originality and ownership of the artworks and that the artworks will not infringe upon any copyright, right of publicity, moral right, or any proprietary or other right of any third party. The artist warrants that he/she has not used any copyrighted or licensed material (text or visual images) in the art works or in the making of said artworks without the express written permission of the owners of those rights.

6. Artists will indemnify and hold harmless the Cedarburg Cultural Center and anyone deriving his or its interest from, through or under the CCC, from and against any claim, suit, action, liability or expense (including reasonable counsel fees) arising out of any matter or claim which would result from presentation of the artist's art work at the CCC or through using images of the artwork for publicity/advertising purposes.

THE VENUE

The Cedarburg Cultural Center is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. The mission of the Cedarburg Cultural Center is to enrich lives by providing a gathering place that fosters community, arts and history.

Now celebrating its 40th year, the CCC, in the heart of historic downtown Cedarburg, has been the cultural hub of our community—the place where art, music and history thrive. From the beginning, the Center has provided access to and participation in the visual and

performing arts, the humanities and local heritage. A free gallery with frequently changing exhibits surrounds the Center's performance space which features music, theatre, comedy and educational presentations. Exhibits include curated shows of artistic and historical interest and juried shows by local artists. Classes are offered for children and adults. The Center's public spaces may also be rented for events ranging from business meetings to wedding receptions.



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Exhibit Entry Form

I agree to display the artwork listed on my inventory form at the Cedarburg Cultural Center from April 15 (delivery) through June 3 (pickup) according to the terms and conditions of the CCC Exhibit Policies, which I have read. The Center will retain a 35% commission for CCC Member artists and 40% for Non-Member artists on any artwork sold during the exhibition. Payment for sales will be mailed to the artist at the following address within one month following the sale of the artwork. It is the artist's responsibility to supply the CCC with correct mailing address and contact information. The CCC is not liable for any payments which are undeliverable and /or outstanding six months after check is issued.

ARTIST CONTACT INFORMATION

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	
ADDRESS	CITY/STATE/ZIP	
PHONE NUMBER	EMAIL	
	DATE	
ARTIST'S SIGNATURE	DATE	
Your signature indicates that you have read and agree to abide by all CCC Exhibit Policies.		
ENTRYFEES		
\$10 per artist		
Paid by check, payable to Cedarburg Cultural Center		
Credit Card (Visa, Mastercard or Discover)		
Cash in person at delivery		
Paid online at www.cedarburgculturalcenter.org/call-for-artists		
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QUESTIONS?

Call the CCC at **262-375-3676** or email us at **cccmail@artmusichistory.org**

ALL APPLICATIONS & ENTRY FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 2025 @ 5 PM

Inventory of Artwork

List artwork to be exhibited at retail price including commission. Artwork must be labeled on the backside documenting artist name, title and price.

ARTWORK DESCRIPTION

ARTIST NAME		
TITLE		
MEDIUM		
PRICE	INSURANCE VALUE	

BEST FRIEND

Please include a short paragraph about the pet(s) and any specific details about your artwork you'd like to share. (Write here or attach a separate sheet): (approximately 50-100 words are ideal)

HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION: 2 OPTIONS

- 1. Print and mail this entry form or deliver in person to: Cedarburg Cultural Center, W62 N546 Washington Avenue, Cedarburg, WI 53012
- 2. Scan or photograph your printed entry form and email to: cccmail@artmusichistory.org



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