



MOUNT ROYAL CEMETERY 16TH ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION AND SALE

“THE SEASONS OF THE MOUNTAIN”

Exhibition: Saturday and Sunday August 26th and 27th from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Vernissage: 1p.m. Saturday / Awards Ceremony: 4:30 p.m. Sunday

It's not a matter of painting life; it's a matter of giving life to painting”
Pierre Bonnard, French painter and printmaker.

In 2002 we hosted what we envisioned as a one-time art exhibition to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Mount Royal Cemetery but soon realized that in this way we could help promote local artists.

2017 marks the 16th anniversary of this juried art exhibition providing opportunities for artists not only to expose their works in a very unique public venue but also to win cash prizes and have their work appear in publications of the organisation of the *Friends of the Mount Royal Cemetery*.

This year we are looking for works depicting your favourite mountains including Montreal's own Mount Royal; and more than mountain landscapes, we are looking for mountain treasures captured in any of the four seasons; perhaps the elusive Red Fox, a crystalline landscape, the fleeting image seen in a rushing stream or a brilliant sunset.

Discover the hidden treasures of this magnificent garden cemetery and display your works in the incomparable setting of the Mount Royal Funeral Complex located at 1297 Chemin de la Forêt on beautiful Mount Royal in Outremont.

The *Friends of the Mount Royal Cemetery* helps preserve and promote the tremendous natural and historic treasure that the Mount Royal Cemetery has become since its founding in 1852.

For more information and to register please contact Andrew Sarrasin
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2017 Art Exhibition Guidelines: Please read all guidelines carefully as some have changed.

1. Please note paintings are to be installed from 4p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday August 25th and removed immediately following the exhibition. Under some circumstances you may be permitted to install Saturday morning.
2. Participants may display a maximum of 6 paintings in total; all works must be faithful to the theme and original to this Exhibition; at least one of these works must clearly represent Mount Royal Cemetery.
3. For our selection process we ask to please submit photos of all cemetery paintings by August 1st to Andrew Sarrasin with a picture of the sight that inspired the painting.
4. Giclée or prints, as well as paintings of the other cemeteries on the mountain, will not be accepted.
5. To respect the integrity of the cemetery and its clientele, identification of family names on monuments is to be avoided; nudity or similar content is not permitted.
6. Artists will be provided with one 4' x 8' panel and hooks for hanging your works; all paintings must fit artistically on the panel without overhanging and we ask that you refrain from using any materials that may cause damage to the panels and your works.
7. For safety and aesthetic reasons side tables are not permitted; albums and small items may be displayed only on tables in the adjacent area.
8. You may describe all works together on an 8.5in. x 11in. sheet of paper and include a short bio on the same paper if you wish. Please identify each work on a 5cm x 9cm (2in. x 3.5in.) card listing the number, medium and title as well as the price if it is for sale. Works in the cemetery category should be clearly marked "CEMETERY" on the card.
9. Works that are sold must remain on display for the duration of the exhibition.
10. Participants are solely responsible for the safety of their paintings and personal items.
11. All submissions are confidential and will not be published without your permission.

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Registration Form 2017 Mount Royal Cemetery Annual Art Exhibition

Name: _____

Address: _____ City/Prov. _____

Postal Code _____ Tel. _____ E-mail _____

Facebook _____ Twitter _____

Other _____ Other _____

Please send your registration with a cheque of \$40.00 payable to the
Friends of the Mount Royal Cemetery, 1297 Chemin de la Forêt, Outremont, H2V 2P9

- Participants are invited to join us for a light lunch at noon on Saturday.
- Confirmation will be issued after your cheque is received.

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