



# OTTAWA ART ASSOCIATION

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## PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Hello fellow artists,

Well the countdown is on and I'm sure you are all working on your masterpiece for our Annual Juried Awards Show on April 27<sup>th</sup>. Malcolm has kindly arranged for a very talented guitarist to entertain us with soothing music and Carol, as usual, will be ready with an array of wonderful food items. All we need to complete the picture is a large turnout of talented artists.

The hanging for the awards show will take place from 10:00 – 10:30am on April 25<sup>th</sup>. There is usually a line up for this drop off, as there are a number of tasks that need to be completed, including verification that your membership is current as of March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015. Given the limited timeframe to verify, record and label artwork, collect the forms and money, please help us out by ensuring that you bring a completed and signed entry form with you and exact change. The ticket price remains the same at \$6.00 and these are available when you drop off your art and as well as at the door on Awards night.

This is the highlight of our year and the culmination of a lot of work both on your part and that of our Board Members. Come join us and make it a real celebration.

On another note, we sold 11 paintings from the last hanging for a total of \$2,200.00 and the prices ranged from \$125.00 and \$400.00.

Elaine Boivin

## EXHIBITION CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

The Musée Laurier of Victoriaville (Québec) invites the artists in fine arts to present a dossier as part of its upcoming summer exhibition to be presented from 4 June to 27 September 2015 at the Musée de l'Hôtel des Postes (949, boul. des Bois-Francs sud, Victoriaville) and will have as theme "CINQUANTE VILLES ET VILLAGES AU

### OAA MEETING & HANGING

Juried Awards Show: April 27, 7-9  
Awards Drop Off: April 25, 10 – 10:30  
(Ottawa Little Theatre)

### OLT PLAY

"Breaking the Code"  
By Hugh Whitmore May 5 - 23

On this occasion, fifty (50) works of art of fifty (50) different artists from Quebec, making the honor of the urban and rural reality will be presented on both floors of the museum. These works will be selected from among the file's artist received.

Also, the fine arts artists interested to participate in this exhibition may submit a complete application consists of proposals for works of all mediums, techniques, formats and styles. **Only (s) artists whose work has been selected will be contacted (s) by e-mail no later than April 30, 2015.**

**Deadline: April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015.**

Your complete file can be sent to us by mail or via the Internet:

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Attn Branch  
16 rue Laurier, Victoriaville, QC  
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### PASTEL COMPETITION

Collection Beaux-Arts Réaliste invites all artists in realism and impressionist to enter this month's pastel contest to be held from April 1<sup>st</sup> to June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Accepted mediums are dry and oil pastel sticks. The CBAREaliste seeks to constantly develop new tools to promote and make known the realist and impressionist art across Canada.

For our competition, all categories are eligible: portrait, nude, still life, indoor scenes, landscape, urban landscape, animals, etc. Be inspired by nature's awakening after a long and dreary winter and send us your masterpiece as soon as possible.

For more information and to enter our contest, please visit: <http://cbarealiste.com/en/>