

2010 Pennsylvania Apple 'n Cheese Festival
Fine Art and Photography Show
Fine Art Division

Dear Fine Art Friend,

We are happy to announce the twenty first annual Pennsylvania Apple 'n Cheese Festival which will take place at the Manley-Bohlayer Farm property in East Canton, PA. The dates for this year's festival are October 2 and 3. The historic farm is just off route 414 east of the town of Canton.

The festival's Fine Art and Photography Show has become a favorite for many festival goers. Last year we had over 2000 guests visit the exhibit during the two days of the festival. (Over 25,000 attended the festival.)

We are happy to offer this event as a display for the wonderfully talented artists from our local area as well as those from neighboring areas and states. We invite you to participate in this year's show whether you are a beginner or a professional. The show also offers you the opportunity to sell your work if desired. We take no commission.

The event has become popular because of its professional presentation, the lovely Victorian era setting and the attractive awards. In 2009 we were able to award the equivalent of nearly \$2000.00 in prizes and cash!

We are able to give prizes (monetary and merchandise) as well as ribbons through the efforts of the festival's committee and private and corporate donors. The continued support from our benefactors is greatly appreciated.

We have incorporated the idea of "corners" from the Professional Photography Association. Each entry receives a "corner". Then, using a point system, each entry is awarded a ribbon to denote how the judge scored the work. This allows each artist to see the merit of his/her work in the judge's eye. Typically there is only one first, second and third place and best of show. But with the use of the corner system, every entrant receives a blue, red or white ribbon to denote the number of points the work scored during judging. The "corner" idea has been well received by our entrants during the past shows.

We are honored to announce Roger Shipley of Cogan Station, Pennsylvania as our fine art judge for the 2010 show. Roger was born in Cleveland Ohio and has been interested in art since a very early age. Roger, Professor of Art at Lycoming College, has been listed in Who's Who in American Art since 1978. He holds a BA degree from Otterbein College with a major in painting. He obtained a degree of MFA in painting and a minor in printmaking from Cranbrook Academy of Art. Roger has done special study in painting, printmaking and sculpture at the Cleveland Institute of Art and Fontainebleau School of Music and Art, Fontainebleau, France. Roger's work consists of drawings, oil and watercolor paintings, prints and sculpture. Roger's work can be found in many private and corporate collections in this country and overseas. Images of Roger's work may be found at www.rogershipley.com. We feel extremely fortunate to have an artist of his renown judging the PA Apple'n Cheese show this year.

Again this year, we will be hosting a reception for our artists/photographers and invited guests. The reception is planned for Thursday, September 30th from 6:00 to 7:30 PM at the Manley-Bohlayer house. We will have further details about the reception when entries are delivered for the show.

Please consult the registration form and eligibility rules for all information necessary regarding entries for this year's show.

We hope to see all of your familiar faces again this year and hope to welcome newcomers to our exhibit. If you have any questions or suggestions, please direct inquiries to Marcie at 570-673-PAAC (7222) or [email:paapplecheese@yahoo.com](mailto:paapplecheese@yahoo.com). Also check our web site at www.paapplecheese.com Driving directions may be found on the web site.

Feel free to distribute copies of the enclosed entry form and eligibility rules to anyone you feel may be interested in exhibiting in our show.

Sincerely,

Chairpersons: Brenda Hilfiger and Marcie Shinn
PO Box 6, Canton, PA 17724

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Fine Art Eligibility Rules

1. Show dates, October 2 and 3, 2010. This show is open to all artists, amateur to professional. The show is held at the PA Apple 'n Cheese Festival site. Directions are available on our website; paapplecheese.com.
2. The closing date for the Fine Art registration is **September 17, 2010**. Forms should be mailed to PA Apple 'n Cheese FA & Photography Show, PO Box 6, Canton, PA 17724 attention Marcie.
3. **Please do not** ship entries to us. Entries may be brought to the Manley-Bohlayer farmhouse during the following hours:
Saturday- September 25, 11:00 to 5:00
Sunday- September 26, 1:00 to 4:00
4. Entries must be original and completed within the last two years. **Please, no reproductions.** Entries from previous Apple and Cheese shows will not be accepted.
5. Adult entries must be framed and wired for hanging. **NO** saw tooth or eyelet hangers will be accepted. Youth and teen work may be matted with no frame.
6. The framed size of the piece may not exceed 36 inches in any direction.
7. Criteria for judging: Visual Impact, Composition, Technique, Creativity
8. Two works may be entered by each artist in the same or different mediums such as watercolor, pastel, oil, acrylic, pen and ink, pencil, mixed media, etc.
This is a two dimensional show.
9. We would ask artists to carry their own insurance. Your signature on the registration form denotes your acceptance of the festival's policies and verifies that the entry is your original work.
10. No entries may be removed prior to 4:30 PM on Sunday, October 3, 2010.
Entries may be picked up at the close of the show, immediately following the awards ceremony. Entries may also be picked up during the following hours:
Monday, October 4 - 2:00 PM to 6:30 PM
We cannot be held responsible for pieces not picked up during designated hours or prearranged special pick up arrangements.
11. (There will be a fee of \$5.00 for special pick-up arrangements and a \$2.00 per day fee for storage beyond the above pick up date.)
12. Entry fees are: (Please place age of youth or teen on the application form.) Thank You
Adult - \$6.00 first entry, \$2.00 second entry
Teen (ages 13 through 19) \$2.00 for first entry, \$1.00 for second entry
Youth (12 and under) \$1.00 for first entry, \$.50 for second entry
13. We reserve the right to reject any material we feel has an inappropriate theme or that may be unfit for family viewing.
14. The award ceremony will take place on the front lawn; weather permitting, at 4:30 PM on Sunday October 3. Your presence is appreciated. (A pass for free admission for the ceremony will be available when the entries are dropped off.)
15. Please feel free to call (570) 673-7222 (voice mail) with any questions and/or requests. Please direct your questions to Marcie.

Fine Art Registration

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Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Email address for 2011 applications: _____

Show use only	Entry	Title of Entry	Medium: w/c, oil, acry, etc.	Adult, Teen, Youth	For Sale Price	Not for Sale	Fee
A	#1						
B	#2						

Total \$ _____

Please make checks payable to "Pennsylvania Apple 'n Cheese Festival". The Pennsylvania Apple 'n Cheese Festival and its agent will exercise care in the handling of all entries but accepts no responsibility for loss or damage. Any sales will be direct transactions between the artist and the purchaser.

Signature _____

Please **fully complete the entire form for each entry** and return Attention: Marcie Shinn at PA Apple 'n Cheese Festival, PO Box 6, Canton, PA 17724. **Return by September 17, 2010.** Questions may be directed to 570-673-PAAC (7222) attention Marcie.

*** Please list age if Teen or Youth**

ID TAG	ENTRY #1	A	ID TAG	ENTRY #2	B
	Name			Name	
	Address			Address	
	Phone			Phone	
	Circle one: Adult	Teen/Age		Circle one: Adult	Teen/Age
		Youth/Age*			Youth/Age*
	Medium			Medium	
	Title			Title	
	Price \$	Not for sale		Price \$	Not for sale

JUDGING TAG	ENTRY #1	A	JUDGING TAG	ENTRY #2	B
	Title			Title	
	Circle one: Adult	Teen/Age		Circle one: Adult	Teen/Age
		Youth/Age*			Youth/Age*
	Medium			Medium	

RECEIPT	ENTRY # 1	A	RECEIPT	ENTRY #2	B
	Name			Name	
	Title			Title	

Please complete all tags for each entry.