



ATTENTION ALL MENTEES!

You are invited to participate in the Mentor Me 2015 Mentee Art Show which will take place at Aqus Café (189 H Street, Petaluma, CA) from November 2nd through November 29th, 2015.

In order for your art to be accepted, it's important that your artwork comply with the attached Mentee Artwork Guidelines.

IF YOUR MENTEE WISHES TO PARTICIPATE:

1. Read the attached Mentee Artwork Guidelines completely
2. Submit the attached Registration Form to your Mentor Me Site Coordinator or the Mentor Me office before **September 25**, 2015, and **BEFORE** you begin your art project.
3. Your artwork must be completed and delivered to the Mentor Me office no later than **October 9**, 2015.

Questions? Contact Laurie Cameron, Mentee Art Show Committee Chair (contact info below).

We're looking forward to seeing your wonderful art and having a terrific Mentor Me 2015 Mentee Art Show!

Thank you,

The 2015 Mentee Art Show Committee:

Laurie Cameron, Chair (catalyst@lauriecameron.com, 303-740-0352)
Becky Winslow, Art Days Facilitator (beckydsl@yahoo.com, 707-763-9374)
Amy Turko, Artwork Coordinator
Samantha Petersen, Playshop Coordinator
Roberta Ahrens, Mentor Me Artist-in-Residence
Mary Fassbinder, Mentor Me Artist-in-Residence & Framing
Hamish Hafter, Framing
Deborah Dalton, Executive Director, Mentor Me

The Mentor Me Mentee Art Show was established to inspire, nurture, and make a difference in the lives of mentees in the Mentor Me program by providing venues for exhibiting their art and allowing them freedom of expression. This helps to ensure their creative growth, personal accomplishment, self-worth, and a connection to the community through art.





MENTEE ARTWORK GUIDELINES

It is the goal of the Mentee Art Show Committee to provide an opportunity for Mentees to create and display original works of art. You have access to high-quality art supplies: pastels, pencils, colored pencils, charcoal, crayons, tempera, collage materials, acrylic paints, and appropriate paper for watercolors and canvases for painting, all at the Mentor Me office.

These art supplies can be used to develop a variety of pictures at the discretion of the Mentee, in whatever media the Mentee feels the most comfortable using, or to venture out and try something completely new. Each Mentee is encouraged to experiment and create whatever art she/he wishes that is appropriate for school and public viewing. While the Mentor can encourage and offer appreciation, the artwork should be exclusively the work of the Mentee. The Mentee Art Show Committee will be responsible for framing and finishing touches as necessary for the various media.

Art Days will be available at Becky Winslow's house again this year, where the Mentees can enjoy the creative process in an atmosphere that empowers their freedom of expression. Contact Becky to schedule an Art Day with your Mentee: 707-763-9374 or beckydsl@yahoo.com.

MENTORS: If your Mentee wishes to complete their artwork on their own, or use their own art supplies, please be sure to help them follow the guidelines below.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Because of the available space at Aqus Café, we can only accept 2-dimensional artwork that can be easily hung on their walls. Three-dimensional artwork (anything that protrudes from the wall more than 3", or requires a display stand) will not be accepted. This includes dioramas, sculptures, etc. Collage-style art that is less than 3" deep is acceptable.

To help make this a fantastic art show, it's important that you follow these guidelines:

- Submit a completed registration form **BEFORE** beginning your artwork (by September 25)
- Each mentee may create and submit one piece of artwork
- 2-dimensional only: maximum depth of 3"
- For artwork on paper: maximum 16" x 20"
- For artwork on canvas: maximum 20" x 24"
- Must be appropriate for school and public viewing
- Each mentee is asked to sign their art with his/her **FIRST NAME ONLY** (no last name, grade or school)
- Submit your unframed artwork to the Mentor Me office no later than **October 9, 2015**.

Please direct your questions about your Mentee's choice of subject matter to Laurie Cameron, 2015 Mentee Art Show Committee Chair (catalyst@lauriecameron.com, 303-740-0352).



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REGISTRATION FORM

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MENTORS:

Print and complete this form with your mentee and submit it before you begin your art project. In order to be included in the 2015 Mentee Art Show, this form must be submitted before September 25. This will ensure time for your mentee to complete his/her artwork by the October 9 deadline.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!!

DATE: _____

MENTEE INFORMATION:

Mentee's Full Name	
Mentee's Grade	
Mentee's School	

Mentee Signature: _____

Yes, I have read and understand the Mentee Artwork Guidelines

MENTOR INFORMATION:

Mentor's Name	
Mentor's Phone #	
Mentor's Email	

Mentor Signature: _____

Yes, I have read and understand the Mentee Artwork Guidelines

Please return this completed form to your Site Coordinator or the Mentor Me

office Email: info@mentormepetaluma.org

Fax: 707-778-1176

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