ACTON-AGUA DULCE ARTS COUNCIL
2026 Adult Fine Art Show
November 7 – November 8, 2026
TAADAA Art Gallery
33330 Santiago Rd, Acton CA 93510

This art show is open theme.

The deadline to submit copy or photo of work to the Visual Arts Committee is Sunday, November 1, 2026. You must submit a copy or photo of your work for consideration by the Visual Arts Committee by mail or email. Artwork must have been created within the past 3 years, and NOT previously shown in this annual Adult Fine Art Show. However, it is acceptable if artwork has been shown in any other art shows. You will be notified promptly of your acceptance. The Artist Reception will take place from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM. Awards and ribbons for first, second, and third place for each category will be announced Sunday, November 8nd, at 2:00 PM at the Awards Ceremony. Local businesses and individuals are also invited to sponsor artwork of their choice with either a donated cash prize, or credit for a business service. Artists who placed first, second, or third in any category will be invited to show their art in a "Winner's Circle" Art Show at the Acton Agua Dulce library. The number of entries is limited to a total of 100, so we recommend that you do not wait until the last day to submit your entry. There will be a maximum of **4** items per artist due to gallery space (*maximum 48" x 48" canvas size)*. Artists may also bring merchandise to sell, such as small format art, prints, or cards, depending on available space. The entry fee is $25, however, membership in the Acton Agua Dulce Arts Council (AADAC) is NOT required. Artists must be 18 years or older to participate.

No late entries will be accepted.

Volunteers Required- The TAADAA Art Gallery is not always staffed, so volunteers will be needed to be present at the art show for 2 hours, depending on the number of participants. AADAC will coordinate with artists for what times they are available. Please let us know if you have a medical reason that will prevent you from being present at the art gallery.

Friday, November 6, 2026 – drop off art between 10:00 am and 12:00 PM.

Saturday, November 7, 2026 – Sponsor selection of artwork 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Saturday, November 7, 2026– Artist/Patron Reception 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
This evening is set aside *for you,* and you may invite two guests to view your work and enjoy the ambience of the evening. You'll meet Arts Council Patrons and enjoy appetizers and beverages (note: there will be a charge for the wine and beer).

Sunday, November 8, 2026 – Awards Ceremony 2:00 PM

Show Hours (Volunteers Required – volunteer signup link at (https://volunteersignup.org/PJ38L):

November 7 through November 8, 2026
Weekends Only
Saturdays 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Sundays 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Pick up art Sunday, November 8, after close of show at 3:00 PM, or by appointment

Preparation: Selected hanging artwork MUST include a hanging wire (framed or finished edge canvas). We will not be able to hang your work without it (see framing instructions). The backside of the framed work may be visible when on display, so please have the backs neatly covered in black or brown paper. Your **name and exhibit title** must be listed on the back of the artwork; please neatly print in light pen or pencil, or use a label.
Selling and commission: you may sell your artwork and merchandise at the show. The Arts Council requires a 10% commission. Make your check payable to the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council. ***Buyers* may pick up the artwork after the close of show at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 8, 2026, before 5:00 PM, or by appointment.**

Biography: Please include a brief typed biography so we may display it for those viewing the artworks. You may have previously submitted one, but we are updating our records and request current information. We will format the information for each artist for conformity. Please send with your art submissions. You may also bring your business cards and brochures for display.

Agreement: please review and sign the attached agreement/release prior to the show.
Send a photo of artwork, short biography, entry form and artist's agreement to:

Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council
PO Box 74
Acton, CA 93510
Or email to: aadacinfo@gmail.com

For more information, contact Karen Stueve or Paula Bradley at aadacinfo@gmail.com

ACTON-AGUA DULCE ARTS COUNCIL

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM FOR THE

2026 Adult Fine Art Show

FINE ARTS SHOW—November 7 – November 8, 2026

Deadline for Entries – Sunday, November 1, 2026.

No Late Entries Will Be Accepted

PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____

Last Name, First Name

ADDRESS: _____

Street/PO Box, City, State, Zip

PHONE NUMBER: _____

Home/Cell

E-MAIL: _____

ARTWORK: Please list all artwork to be considered for the show. If artwork is not for sale, write "NFS" under Price. A maximum of **4** pieces to be submitted (**maximum 48"x48" canvas**).

Number	Title	Size	Medium	Price
1				
2				
3				
4				

MERCHANDISE: Describe any merchandise you would like to sell at the art show. You will be notified if there is available space. The Acton Agua Dulce Arts Council would receive a 10% commission.

DESCRIPTION OF MERCHANDISE, OR N/A: _____

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FEES: The application fee is $25, although **membership in the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council is NOT required to participate.** Standard Annual Membership in AADAC is $50, and Student Annual Membership is $25 with valid student ID. Membership fees are used to fund exhibitions, community events, and scholarships. AADAC is a registered 501c3, and contributions are tax deductible.

PRE-DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS: Selected hanging artwork MUST include a hanging wire. We will **not** be able to hang your work without it. The backside of the framed work will be visible when on display, so please have the backs neatly covered in black or brown paper. Your **name and exhibit title** must be listed on the back of the artwork; please print in light pen or pencil.

Deliver to the TAADAA Gallery, on **Friday, November 6, 2026** between 10:00 AM and 12:00 PM, or by appointment. Pick up artwork Sunday, November 8, 2026, after the show ends at 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM, or arrange for someone to pick it up for you. *Neither the Arts Council nor Picasso's Playmates are responsible for your artwork.*

If you have questions, please contact:

Paula Bradley at studio_me@sbcglobal.net

Karen Stueve at aadacinfo@gmail.com

ACTON-AGUA DULCE ARTS COUNCIL
AGREEMENT WITH EXHIBITING ARTIST

Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council agrees to take reasonable measures in order to safeguard the artwork to be presented. This is limited to providing a locked structure for the artwork when the exhibit is closed. In leaving your artwork with the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council at the TAADAA Art Gallery, you hereby release the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council and TAADAA Art Gallery from any responsibility for damage or theft to the artwork.

In consideration, including but not limited to the ability to show the art work at the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council event, I release the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council, their board members and volunteers from any and all claims, demands, liens, actions, suits, causes of action, obligations, controversies, debts, costs, attorney's fees, expenses, damages, judgments, orders, and liabilities of whatever kind or nature in law equity or otherwise, whether now known or unknown, suspected or unsuspected, and whether or not concealed or hidden, which have existed, or which do exist or which hereafter can, shall or may exist, based on any facts, regarding the art work left with the AADAC for display.

On the event, the above provision is held invalid, should liability exist, by the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council, their board members and volunteers, the parties agree that it is impossible to arrive at an exact value of the damages. Therefore, it is agreed that if liability exists, liquidated damages in the total sum of $50.00 shall be the maximum amount to be paid to the artist by the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council.

SALE OF ARTWORK:

At the artist's sole discretion, he/she may choose to place the artwork for sale at the art exhibit. The artist has the sole responsibility to arrange for the display and pick up of the artwork. The Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council will not be involved in the sales transaction. The buyer and seller of the artwork will be solely responsible for local, State and Federal taxes applicable (if any).

It is further agreed that at the conclusion of a sale obtained through the display of the artwork, the artist shall pay the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council ten percent (10%) of the gross selling price of said artwork.

Artist

Date: _____

By: _____

Name (print): _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____

Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council

Date: _____

By: _____

Name (print): _____

Title: Board Member of the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council

MINI MASTERPIECES FUNDRAISER

Mini Masterpieces is a fundraiser for the Acton Agua Dulce Arts Council, that coincides with the Adult Fine Art Show.

Artists who choose to participate in the Mini Masterpieces Fundraiser may provide 5”X5” or 5”X7” artwork to be sold. There is no limit on the number of Mini Masterpieces submitted. 50% of the sale price will be donated to the Acton Agua Dulce Arts Council, a registered 501(c)(3), and the remaining 50% will be remitted to the artist. 5”X5” artwork will be listed at $20, and 5”X7” will be listed at $30.

If you would like to participate in the Mini Masterpieces fundraiser, please indicate how many paintings you will be submitting.

Number of Mini Masterpieces to be included: _____

THE MISSION OF THE ACTON-AGUA DULCE ARTS COUNCIL

The mission of the Acton-Agua Dulce Arts Council (AADAC) is to strengthen and expand the creative ecology of Acton, Agua Dulce, and the surrounding Antelope Valley. Our goal is to provide opportunities for established and emerging visual and performing artists to foster culture and arts in the community. The arts are integral to the human experience, and can create connectedness, engagement, and expression. AADAC is dedicated to cultivating an inclusive creative environment to improve the quality of life and vitality of the community through its work as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.

ARTISTS' RECEPTION

ADULT FINE ART SHOW

HOSTED BY

THE ACTON AGUA DULCE

ARTS COUNCIL

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2026

7:00 PM TO 8:30 PM

TAADAA ART GALLERY

33330 SANTIAGO RD, ACTON

Please RSVP by November 5, 2026

aadacinfo@gmail.com

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AWARDS CEREMONY

ADULT FINE ART SHOW

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2026

2:00 PM

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