

# Call for artists



## Art Center East plans fiber arts and jewelry exhibit for February and March

LA GRANDE — Artists are encouraged to submit entries for the fifth annual Fiber Arts and Jewelry Exhibit at Art Center East, 1006 Penn, La Grande.

The show is set for February and March.

According to ACE, “This annual exhibit creates a platform for an underrepresented branch of the visual arts while showcasing the breadth of talent within our local community of fiber and jewelry artists.”

This year’s theme is “Comfort.”

This can mean a variety of things: comfort in process, comfort in the products you make, or a little bit of both.

ACE is encouraging artists to “create a fiber or jewelry piece that explores one or both sides of this coin — process and product — while visually expressing whatever the word “comfort” means to you (chunky yarn, soft textures, calming color combos or focal points, reassurance, support, etc).”

The exhibit runs from Feb. 5 to March 27.

### Submission requirements

One submission per artist. The entry fee is \$10 per person, regardless of ACE membership status. This fee is due when artists drop items off at ACE.

Submission process includes: filling out an online submission form any time between now and Jan. 30, paying the \$10 entry fee, and dropping off your submission between Jan. 13-30. The form is available at [www.artcentereast.org/artist/annual-fiber-arts-jewelry-exhibit](http://www.artcentereast.org/artist/annual-fiber-arts-jewelry-exhibit).

Fiber Arts submissions are restricted to a maximum displayable width of 24 inches. There is no constraint on the height of the artwork. Pieces may be folded to meet the width limit.

Jewelry submissions need to come on a display provided by the artist, and must be able to sit safely on an ACE pedestal.

Artists participating in this exhibit must be older than 18.

### Important dates

The deadline to submit an entry form is Jan. 30. Artwork can be dropped off between Jan. 13 and 30 during regular business hours of 1-5 p.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday.

Those unable to submit work during those hours can make an appointment by sending an email to [president@artcentereast.org](mailto:president@artcentereast.org).

The virtual opening reception will be announced at a later date.

Artists can pick up their entries on Saturday, March 31, from noon to 4 p.m.

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