



Just Earth – Cincinnati

A Call for Visual Art Entries

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The planet may well be at a tipping point, with climate change and its complicated environmental, cultural, and political effects accelerating. In response, Just Earth - Cincinnati invites artists to seize the moment and to express, in their own compositions, a personal dedication and/or delight in creation and the beauty of nature. Submit a composition no larger than 11"x14", finished - ready to hang - depicting; warnings for the future, images of celebration, images depicting regret or loss, or pieces of art depicting hope and exaltation over a healthy world and all of life's cycles. Please follow exactly the submission guidelines listed below.

The competition will be at two levels; an adult level for artists 19 and over and a high school level for students 13-18 years of age.

Submission Guidelines

- Submission period: January 1, 2024 to Midnight, April 7, 2024.
- Submit only 1 piece per person, any style, any medium.
- Submissions must measure 11"x14" or smaller, finished/ready to hang.
- Submit only your original work with an artist's statement
- Submitted pieces will be returned to the artist.
- Pieces will be assembled into a curated show at The Annex Art Gallery @ The Pendleton Art Center on April 26, 2024 in conjunction with Earth Day celebrations.

Submission Instructions.

- Pieces should be labeled/identified with: a Title, the Artist's Name, Year of Birth, School Name (if applicable), Phone Number, Mailing Address, and email
- Email to: mshannon@justearthcincy.org to arrange for drop-off at
1501 Republic St, Cincinnati, OH. 45202
- Enter "Art Competition" in the subject line.

Submissions will be judged both on the quality of the work and the creativity and insight with which the theme is presented. A committee of local artist and art educators will review all submissions and select the winners.

Prizes to be awarded at each level are as follows:
1st Prize - \$500; 2nd Prize - \$250; 3rd Prize - \$100.

Just Earth - Cincinnati is a non-profit located in Cincinnati's Over the Rhine neighborhood. Our mission is to educate and facilitate action to address the intersecting crises of climate change, biodiversity loss and environmental injustice.

As part of our efforts, we are sponsoring a visual arts competition for artists in the Greater Cincinnati area.

To answer questions or for additional information . . .
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