

Port Townsend Wearable Art Show 2018 CALL FOR ENTRIES

The Port Townsend Wearable Art Show 2018 is accepting entries for its 8th annual benefit event. This is a juried runway show that consists of two parts.

Our show features sculptural, unexpected Wearable ART. We encourage provocative, challenging art in any media that must be wearable by a model on a runway. We are looking for inventive and exciting pieces! *We welcome student entries.*

The second category is Fashion, a high-caliber, fast-paced runway show with an emphasis on style. These pieces must be for sale, priced by the artist and will be displayed for sale in the Boutique.

Models will **exhibit on an 8' wide lighted runway.** The venue has seating for 600+ people and all previous shows have held an enthusiastic audience.

Music for all performances will be provided by our PT Wearable Art Team. All music will be royalty free.

- Two Performances, Saturday, May 12, 2018
- Matinee and Evening Shows at McCurdy Pavilion, Fort Worden, Port Townsend, WA
- Proceeds from this event benefit the **Jefferson Community Foundation's Fund for Women & Girls.**

Jury System

A blind jury process ensures impartiality during selection. The jurors will make all the selections for the show from the entry description and drawing.

Judging is based on the following criteria:

- 50% for creativity. Does the piece WOW the audience? Is it conceptually fresh and stand out from the rest?
- 25% for craftsmanship. Is the piece well-constructed?



- 25% for presentation / staging / performance. Does the piece show well on the body and the stage?

Awards

Wearable ART: Best-in-Show \$2500, Second Place \$1000, Third Place \$500, Best Fashion \$500, People's Choice \$500, Best Student \$250, Best Use of Material \$300, Best Hair \$125, and Best Make-up \$125.

Guidelines

- **All entries must be the artist's original work, must be a complete ensemble and not previously shown in Port Townsend.**
- **Artists may choose their own model, though we encourage you to rely on our committee to provide a model.** All models are required to attend a training session.
- **Hair and Makeup artists will be provided to complete your presentation.**
- Pieces must be completed and on location with their models in the McCurdy Pavilion by the *mandatory* dress rehearsal on Friday, May 11, 2018.
- Pieces may have multiple models.
- **The PT Wearable Art Show reserves the right to refuse pieces that do not reflect the intent of the original concept on the application form.**
- Wearable ART may be for sale. Fashion entries *must* be for sale. Artists will receive 60% of the sale price. *Last year, sales topped \$8500!*
- **An artist will receive one free ticket for each accepted piece in the show.** Artist groups will get one ticket per accepted entry.
- **The PT Wearable Art Show will take care to handle your art carefully, but does not insure your piece for loss, theft or damages.**

Port Townsend Wearable Art Show 2018 APPLICATION



ONE COPY PER ARTIST

Artist Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone Number(s) (required) _____

Email (required) _____

Title of piece(s) _____

I understand that submission of an entry constitutes my permission for the PT Wearable Art Show to video or **photograph the work and to reproduce my images for the show's purposes. I am in agreement with all** other conditions set forth in the Call for Entry.

Artist Signature _____ Date _____

Student information (if applicable)

School/College _____ Grade/year in school _____

Birth Date ____/____/____

Student signature _____ Date _____

Parent or guardian signature (if 16 years or under)

_____ Date _____

Art mentor if applicable _____

Port Townsend Wearable Art Show 2018 ENTRY FORM



ONE COPY PER PIECE

All entries are anonymous to the jurors. YOUR NAME SHOULD NOT APPEAR ON THIS PAGE.

Title of piece _____

Category (choose one) Fashion Wearable ART

Medium (materials used) _____

Number of Models _____ Do you have a Model? YES NO

Description of piece to inform juror and catalog description:

Application Process

Application Fees: Each artist must submit an application form(s) with \$20 for the 1st entry, \$10 each for the 2nd and 3rd entries. Student entries are \$10 each. Entry fees are non-refundable.

Application Limits: Three pieces may be submitted per artist. Each piece requires a separate entry form. *Be prepared to finish all pieces selected by the jurors.*

How to Submit your Application

We are accepting applications via Electronic Submission. These must be received by midnight on December 12th at sponsor@ptwearableart.com.

An auto response will be sent out to confirm that we received your entry. Applications received after the deadline are not accepted. Notification of acceptance or rejection will be by email January 9th, 2018

- Include:**
- One Application Form per Artist**
 - One Entry Form per piece submitted**
 - Images or sketches with title of piece only -- not your name.**
 - Entry fee mailed to JCF (check payable to JCF Fund for Women & Girls)**
 - Please keep a copy of this application for your records.**

MAIL check to:
JCF Fund for Women & Girls
201 W. Patison, Suite B
Port Hadlock, WA 98339
Attn: PT Wearable Art Show 2018

For more information contact Marla Althouse, Co-Chair at (503) 928-2196 or sponsor@ptwearableart.com.

Port Townsend Wearable Art Show 2018 SKETCH SHEET

This page is provided as an aid to artists with the description of their piece. Feel free to use color or whatever will aid jurors to understand the artists concept.

Title of piece _____

