



## Honoring the Arts

We know life needs to include balance. For many people, life is balanced by spending time with their hobbies, passions, and art. As a local artisan, you have an opportunity to apply for a free hallway booth or stage performance at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Pope County Community Expo on Saturday, April 8, 2017. You will be able to share your passion and inspiration with the public, and sell your items if you choose.

### LOCATION:

Minnewaska Area High School – 25122 State Hwy 28, Glenwood, MN 56334

Submit application to:

Glenwood Area Chamber of Commerce

7 First Street NW

Glenwood, MN 56334

Phone Number: **(320) 634-3636**

### REQUIREMENTS:

Complete the attached application and provide images as requested. All artwork displayed must be original and produced entirely by the hands of the exhibiting artist. The committee is looking for balance in terms of variety of product and the way in which it is displayed.

Sellable work is permitted and encouraged, but is not mandatory. Artists retain all revenue from the sale of their work. No commission on sales is due to the Pope County Community Expo. Artists are responsible for collecting and reporting sales tax on any sales. Sellers are required to provide the Pope County Community Expo Committee with a completed Operator Certificate of Compliance, Form ST19.

### JURY DETAILS:

#### Event Summary

**Celebrate the 7th Annual Pope County Community Expo – Saturday, April 8, 2017**

The Pope County Community Expo is a one-day event that features the benefits of living in Pope County. It is held at the Minnewaska Area High School from 9:00 am – 3:30 pm. A selection committee will jury the applications and photos and select artisans to participate in the one-day event.

### IMPORTANT DEADLINES:

Application In-Hands Deadline: **Friday, January 27, 2017**

Email Notification of Application Status: **Wednesday, February 8, 2017**

Deadline for accepted artists to commit to exhibit: **Wednesday, February 22, 2017**

Set-up Date: **Friday, April 7, 2017** (start and end times are to be determined)

Expo Date: **Saturday, April 8, 2017** set-up by 8:00am, tear down after 3:30 pm

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

Whatever medium you work with, please consider applying for an Honoring The Arts table at this year's Pope County Community Expo. As our guest, there is no cost to exhibit and sell your products at the designated Local Artisan tables. You will be provided with one 6 foot skirted table. No electricity is provided. Artists must exhibit work for the entire day from 9:00 am – 3:30 pm.

If your entry is not selected, and if booths are still available in the Main Gym, you may choose to rent a booth at the regular booth cost. See our website [www.glenwoodlakesarea.org](http://www.glenwoodlakesarea.org) for details.

## Medium Categories

- **Ceramics**  
Original clay and porcelain work, functional or sculptural. No artwork from mass produced studios, collectives, or items made with commercial kits, molds, patterns, plans, or prefabricated pieces are allowed.
- **Digital Art**  
Includes any original work in which the original image, or the manipulation of other source material, was executed by the artist using the computer. (Digital photo editing within the confines of what could be done in the darkroom is allowed in the photography category.)
- **Drawing**  
Work created using dry media including chalk, charcoal, pastels, pencil, wax, crayons, etc. or from a fluid medium of ink are accepted in this medium. Reproduction prints are not allowed.
- **Fiber**  
Unique, one of a kind artwork crafted from fibers, including embroidery, basketry, weaving, and tapestry created by the exhibiting artist alone are accepted. No machine-tooled work, machine-screen printing or other forms of mass production are accepted.
- **Glass**  
Functional and sculptural work using kiln forming, blowing, molding or casting as well as cold working processes are permitted. No forms of mass production or reproductions are permitted.
- **Jewelry**  
Jewelers must be the designers and hands-on makers of their one of a kind work. No commercial casts, molds, or production studio work.
- **Leather**  
One of a kind unique pieces created by the exhibiting artist are welcome. No factory-produced wearable items, regardless of additional modification or enhancement by the artist, are allowed.
- **Mixed Media**  
This category includes works, both 2 and 3-dimensional, that incorporate more than one type of physical material.
- **Painting**  
Acrylic oil, gouache, and watercolors are accepted in this medium. Reproduction prints are not allowed.
- **Paper**  
Flat and three dimensional unique one of a kind works made with paper by the exhibiting artist are accepted.
- **Photography**  
Includes traditional film photography, hand colored images, emulsion transfers, and digital photography that has not been manipulated to achieve results beyond what could be done in a traditional darkroom. Only artist's original source material is acceptable. Work must be in editions, signed and numbered on archival material and all work displayed in the booth must be for sale. Signage of an overtly commercial nature listing the availability of numerous sizes, print surfaces, and/or other framing options is prohibited.
- **Sculpture**  
Unique, one of a kind, art that is 3-dimensionally sculptural and is original work done in any medium by the exhibiting artist is welcome. No reproductions or mass produced work.
- **Wood Objects/Hand-Crafted Furniture**  
Unique, one of a kind, original hand-tooled, machine worked or carved work made entirely by the exhibiting artist is accepted. No reproductions or mass produced work.
  
- **Performing Arts**  
Individuals or groups may apply to perform a song, dance, instrumental piece, speech, etc. in the Auditorium at the Pope County Community Expo.
  - In addition to the attached application, provide your bio along with a video of the piece you would be performing at the Pope County Community Expo. Please keep in mind this is a family-oriented event and your piece must be appropriate for all ages.
  - Up to two different performances may be submitted for the selection committee's consideration.
  - List all items you would need for your performance, such as a microphone, chair, piano, etc. within your bio information.
  - Sellable items are permitted following your performance.

Please print clearly

<b>Artist's Name</b>	
<b>Email</b>	
<b>Phone Number</b>	
<b>Mailing Address</b>	
<b>What I love most about creating art is...</b>	
<b>My passion for art began...</b>	
<b>My art medium is...</b>	
<b>I am applying to exhibit or perform my art at the Pope County Community Expo because...</b>	
<b>I will be selling items at the Expo</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>
<p>Sellers are required to provide the Pope County Community Expo Committee with a completed Operator Certificate of Compliance, Form ST19. The form will be provided to you upon your acceptance.</p>	

**Digital Images**

Three (3) images are to be submitted for the media category you are applying for. Images must accurately represent the body of your work to be exhibited at the Expo.

**DVD or Electronic Video**

Performing artists are required to provide a personal bio and a sample of the piece that would be performed at the Expo. A DVD may be sent in the mail or may be sent via email to [chamber@GlenwoodLakesArea.org](mailto:chamber@GlenwoodLakesArea.org).



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Friday, January 27, 2017

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and images to:  
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The selection committee will meet the week of January 30-February 3 to jury the artisan's applications. It is important to have the applications in-hands on or before the deadline date. Artisans will be notified of their application status the week of February 6<sup>th</sup> via email.

