

BIRMINGHAM WATERCOLOUR SOCIETY

SUBMISSION ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE 2016 SUMMER EXHIBITION

to be held in
The Long Gallery
Hanbury Hall, School Road, Hanbury, Droitwich, WR9 7EA
Saturday 23rd July to Wednesday 31st August 2016
A National Trust property

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. You may submit a maximum of **3 Framed** works & **3 Unframed** works. Members will be expected to submit Framed work as a priority and in addition they may submit Unframed work.
2. A submission fee of **£20** for up to 3 framed & **£20** for up to 3 unframed paintings is required, to be paid by cheque. Cheques should be made payable to The Birmingham Watercolour Society.
3. It is envisaged that each member will have 2 framed paintings hung, with the 'reserve' painting used in the event of the artist making a sale during the exhibition period. This is because of the amount of the limited wall space available, and the anticipated number of paintings which members will submit. Up to 3 Unframed paintings will be on permanent display in browsers.
4. Unframed **original** paintings (not prints) shall be suitably mounted and protected in clear covers, a BWS label will be produced for the front showing artist name, title and price, for consistency and good presentation. This will be attached upon handing in.
5. Framed & Unframed Paintings should have a label on the back with the artists name, title, medium and price. All submitted work should display a minimum price of £100.
6. All Framed paintings should be suitably framed and be fitted with 'D RINGS' fixed no lower than 1/3rd from the top of the frames. Metal frames will not be accepted.
7. In signing the schedule members accept the exhibition arrangements and verify that the work is their own, original, and unaided work.
8. The Hanging Committee will decide which two paintings will be on display. Paintings that have been previously displayed at a BWS exhibition at Hanbury Hall will **not** be accepted for this Exhibition.
9. **Handing in and Hanging Day is Friday 22nd July. Paintings should be delivered to Hanbury Hall between 9:30 am and 11: 00 am.** Work which arrives after this time may not be accepted. Please note that delivery is to be made through the Staff & Delivery only gate (not Main Entrance gate). This will apply on collection day also. When through the gate, continue along the drive around to the car park at rear of the property. Walk through the arch past the tea room into the gardens & the Long Gallery is on the right.
NOTE : ENTRANCE TO THE GALLERY OTHER THAN HANDING IN & TAKING DOWN DAYS MUST BE THROUGH THE MAIN GATE RECEPTION.
10. **Taking down and Collection Day is Thursday 1st September. All unsold work must be collected from the Gallery between 10:00 am & 11:00.** Please make alternative arrangements with another member if you are unable collect on this day, this arrangement could also apply on delivery day if required. There are no storage facilities at the Hall for uncollected work.
11. A commission on all sales of 20% will be made to BWS.
12. All artists, both home and international alike, must take sole responsibility for the delivery and collection of their own work. Artists must also make their own insurance arrangements.
13. Work will only be accepted within the conditions set out above and the medium must be clearly stated. At the discretion of the Committee, unsuitably framed and or poorly presented work, or work that does not fit into the definitions set out above, will not be hung. Pastels will not be accepted.

BWS and National Trust will not be responsible for any loss or damage to exhibited work

Schedule & Cheque to be returned to arrive no later than Friday 24th June 2016 to MATHÉ SHEPHEARD



SUMMER EXHIBITION 2016 SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE & CHEQUE TO BE RETURNED TO ARRIVE NO LATER THAN Friday 24th June 2016 to:

Mathé Shephard, 20 Allesley Close, Sutton Coldfield, West Midlands B74 2NF
tel: 0121 355 3461
email: matheshephard@me.com

Please make sure when you fill in your name below to add any art-related qualifications you wish to see appear in the catalogue e.g. Frederick Bloggs RCA RBSA

Name (as to be shown in catalogue)

Address

_____ **Phone** _____

Works:

Framed

	Title	Medium	Price
F1			£
F2			£
F3			£

Unframed

	Title	Medium	Price
U1			£
U2			£
U3			£

Definitions:

Watercolour: Transparent watercolours; line and wash; and watercolour heightened with body colour. The use of watercolour crayons is acceptable so long as they are applied within the standard of a watercolour painting, and not submitted as a drawing.

Water media: Covers work under glass in other water soluble paint, including acrylics and gouache, painted on paper within the standards of a watercolour painting.

N.B. Members wishing to display work must have paid their **subscription** for the current year. However this must be done separately from paying their **submission fee**.

I enclose a cheque for £

Signed _____