

Call for Entries for the "PORTRAITS" Juried Show 2026

Important Entry Instructions for the "Portraits" Juried show

• **IMPORTANT:** Please read this prospectus completely and fill out the entry form receipt and labels before submitting your art. Make sure the labels are attached to your artworks. If you don't have a printer entry forms will be available at the gallery. They will need to be completed before submitting your artwork.

• **IMPORTANT:** Please respond YES to this [Gallery e-mail Link](#), or e-mail YES to hfrank@sonic.net so we have email addresses for all entrants.

Non refundable entry fees: \$20 per entry
maximum of 3 entries, due at time of submission.

Artwork delivery & pickup:

- Hand deliver to Graton Gallery on
Thursday, February 12 through Sunday, February 15, 2026, 11am-4pm
- Please take your art packaging home and bring it with you when you pick up your work. We can not store your packaging.
- Show dates: February 19 - March 29, 2026.
- Accepted work will be posted on our website, www.gratongallery.net, by midnight, Wednesday, February 18.
- Unselected works MUST be picked up on Thursday, February 19, or Friday, February 20, 11am-4 pm.
- • All works entered must be available for purchase.
- Accepted but unsold artwork MUST be picked up on
Sunday, March 29, 11am-4pm or Tuesday, March 31, 11am -1pm

Artists Reception:

- Artists reception is Saturday, February 21 from 1pm-4pm.
- Please bring some finger food, wine or non-alcoholic beverage to share

Complete Prospectus and entry form on the following pages

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Show Dates: February 19 - March 29, 2026

Reception: Saturday, February 21, 2026, 1pm - 4pm. Juror: Michelle Carnes

Note: Submission of artwork indicates artist's agreement to the terms and conditions of this exhibition.

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Description:

Graton gallery is looking for artworks that portray people, pets or other animals, posed or active in the world. From a classic portrait to a scene or event, from a realistic image to the limits of abstraction, celebrate the beings that have meaning for you. Bring them to life.

- Artists are invited to use any medium or artistic style. 2D & 3D works welcome.

Calendar and Deadlines:

Artwork delivery & pickup:

- **Entries must be hand delivered Thursday, February 12 through Sunday, February 15, 2026**

Graton Gallery: 9048 Graton Rd., Graton CA 95444. Gallery Hours: 11am - 4pm

- **Results of the juror will be posted on our website: www.gratongallery.net, by 12pm, Wednesday, February 18.**

The posting will include the list of those artists whose work was accepted. It will also indicate the number of pieces a particular artist had accepted.

- **If your name is not on the list**, or one of your pieces was not selected, **your artwork MUST be picked up on Thursday, February 19 or Friday, February 20, between 11am and 4pm.**

- **All accepted but unsold artworks MUST be picked up on Sunday, March 29, 11am - 4pm or Tuesday, March 31, 11am - 1pm.** Please make arrangements if you can not come.

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Artist Commitment:

By submitting your work for consideration, you agree that the work will be available during the exhibition dates listed in this prospectus/call for entries, and that **you will deliver and pick up your work on the dates specified.** Alternate work may not be substituted for work selected by the juror.

Eligibility:

- Open to all Artists • Maximum 3 entries per artist, all media accepted • All work must be original (no giclees).
- All work must be ready to exhibit and have label attached to back. No wet or unfinished work will be accepted.
- All wall-hung work must be securely wired for hanging, (no sawtooth hangers).
- **All works entered must be available for purchase.**
- All works juried into the show shall remain on the walls until the end of the show. A red dot will be placed on the wall label if sold.
- You may submit a short statement about your work for inclusion in the show information binder.

Maximum size, hanging and labeling:

- Wall hung work may not exceed 600 square inches overall, (including frame), and not weigh over 30 lbs.
- The width x depth of 3-dimensional work may not exceed 900 cubic inches total, or weigh over 30 lbs. and fit on a 12" x 12" pedestal.
- No wet or unfinished work will be accepted.
- **All wall-hung work must be securely wired for hanging. NO SAWTOOTH HANGERS.**
- **All work must be ready to exhibit and have label attached to back.**
- **Improperly framed, wired or labeled works will be rejected.**

Liability, Sales, etc. regarding work submitted:

- All reasonable care will be taken with the works, but insurance is the responsibility of the artist.
- Artists agree to 40% of sale price to Graton Gallery on sales of their work. All works submitted must be available for purchase.
- Graton Gallery is not responsible for work left beyond 30 days after closure of show.

For additional information: Tel: 707/829-8912 • e-mail: info@gratongallery.net • visit: www.gratongallery.net

ARTIST BINDER INFO for "PORTRAITS" 2026

Graton Gallery Receipt.

**You MUST fill out this form completely
and bring it to the gallery when you submit your artwork.**

Note: Submission of artwork indicates artist's agreement to the terms and conditions of this exhibition.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

Title: _____

Price: _____

Medium: _____

Title: _____

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Labels - Attach to back of artworks.

You MUST fill out these labels completely
and attach them the back of your artworks before bringing them to the gallery.

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| Name: | | |
| E-mail: | | Phone: |
| Title: | | |
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