



2023 Cleveland VA SCI 17th Annual Art Festival



Visual Arts

1. Acrylic

Virgil McKinney, Untitled Acrylic 3
Kenneth Medell, Dancing in the Snow
Traci Wakeman, God's Peace

2. Watercolor

William Baker, By the Lake
George Duke, Jumbo
Justin Del Sol, Paint Spatter

4. Monochromatic Drawing

Joseph Felder, Grandma's Love
Jeremy Trammell, Everyone's Got a Story
Traci Wakeman, Growing Pains

5. Colored Drawing

Emeri Delanoye Scott I "Moja", Listen to You!
Alan Cummings, Winter Beauty

6. Pastels

Justin Del Sol, Landscape with Trees

11. Black and White Photography

Randall Harrod, No Way Out

12. Color Photography

Randall Harrod, Rising Thoughts
Cheryl Poole, Don't Fence Me In
Pamela Poole, Door Enter

24. Original Design in Needlework

Carolyn J. Barnes, Multiplication Table Runner
Holly Koester, On the Road Again

32. Mixed Media

David Sykes, Bill Bass
Traci Wakeman, Silent

39. Craft Coloring Kit

Richard Baumgartl, Untitled Velvet 1
Alan Cummings, Spinning Wheel

41. Paint by Number

Todd Mix, Show Me the Way

Music

1. Vocal Solo Country/Folk/Bluegrass
Joshua Maley, Heading South

12. Vocal Patriotic
Larry Bostic, God Bless the USA

Creative Writing

4. Non-Rhyming Poetry- Military Experience
Cory Anderson, GSQMCWIBLHVC

5. Non-Rhyming Poetry- Inspirational
Deidre Arnold, Birds

6. Non-Rhyming Poetry-General Topic
Rex Shryock, Warfare-Insurrection-Aggression-Oppression

9. Personal Essay- General Topic
Rex Shryock, Time

10. Humor
Rex Shryock, Jack Whiskers



2023 Musical Entries

Live Performances from:
Click links to YouTube Videos.

Josh and Missy Maley
Heading South by Zach Bryan
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GM43CsedWRs>

Larry Bostic
God Bless the USA
<https://youtu.be/WRfchiKxk7c>



2023 Written Entries

Cory Anderson - GSQMCWIBLHVC

Rex Shryrok - Time

Jack Whiskers - Mountain Man



Visual Art Collection



Jack Whiskers
Mountain Man



Cory Anderson
GSQMCWIBLHVC



Emily Dale
Silly Ice Cream



Rex Shryrok
Time



Holly Koester
On the Road Again



John Kotalac
Inside Outside



Carolyn Barnes
Multiplication Table Runner



Carolyn Barnes
Lets Play Ball



Kenneth Medell
Champagne Wishes



Cheryl Poole
Dont Fence Me In



Traci Wakeman
Silent



Kenneth Medell
Midnight Moon



Virgil McKinney



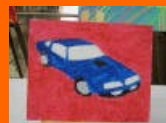
Joseph Felder
Grandmas Love



Virgil McKinney



John Kotalac
Jack in the Box



George Duke
Beep Beep



William Baker
Misty Trees



Alan Cummings
Spinning Wheel



William Baker
By the Lake



Traci Wakeman
Growing Pains



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David Sykes
Bili Bass



Todd Mix
Show me the Way



Randall Harrod
No Way Out



Mathew Bourbon
Monterey Red Cypress



Robert Mazur
Mt. Fuji



Cheryl Poole
Arm of Life



Alan Cummings
Winter Beauty



Jeremy Trammel
The Journey



George Duke
Jumbo



Justin Del Sol
Landscape with Trees



George Duke
Bunny



John Kotalac
Ardens Eyes



Jeremy Trammel
Everyones Got a Story



Mark Morrison
Before the Storm



Emeri Scott
Listen to You



David Sykes
Stormy



Traci Wakeman
Gods Peace



Pamela Poole
Two Tennis Balls Fences Cross
in Seasons



Virgil McKinney



Todd Mix
Smoochie



Richard Baumgartl
Velvet



Joseph Felder
Birds of Paradise



Dee Dee Arnold
Birds



Michael Shouse
Birdhouse



Kenneth Medell
Dancing in the Snow



Dewitt Collins
Little Moma's House



Micheal Shouse



Todd Mix
Funhouse



Justin Del Sol
Paint Splatter

**Thanks to all of our Local Veteran Artists
who took the time to participate in this years event!**



NATIONAL VETERANS
CREATIVE ARTS
FESTIVAL

Our Cleveland event follows the
regulations of each category set by the
National Veterans
Creative Arts Festival:

<https://department.va.gov/veteran-sports/national-veterans-creative-arts-festival/>

Endless Potential No Matter What Medium Is Chosen!

**The real art
is in the process
as well as the
end result!**

Thanks to all of the Veterans who created art this year



Special thanks to our 2023 Festival "Organization" Team

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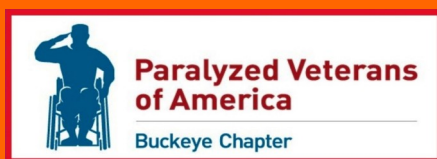
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Thank you to all who participated and to all who helped make this happen!

This years influencers are:



Thanks to all who supported our event - see you next year!