Chaparral Artists 2024 Exhibit Schedule with Descriptions Rainbow Stew in Yucca Valley

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January "Anything Goes" (members show) Take in day 1: January 11, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: January 12, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: February 15, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: February 16, 12:30-2pm	We are showcasing anything our members wish to share with the world, from their favorite creations to their latest adventures in creativity. Bring in work that says something about YOUR style as a creator.
February "Land & Sea" (members show) Take in day 1: February 15, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: February 16, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: March 14, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: March 15, 12:30-2pm	In this nature-oriented exhibit, we summon forth the captivating beauty of landscapes and seascapes, where the stunning panoramas of nature unfold before your eyes in all its splendor. All 2-dimensional creations are welcome as long as they are depicting land and/or sea in majority to other creative elements.
March "Surprises" (members show) Take in day 1: March 14, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: March 15, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: April 11, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: April 12, 12:30-2pm	This fun exhibit can be as simple or as complicated as you wish, for surprises come in many different forms. The surprise vibrancy of a sunrise/sunset, the excitement of capturing something elusive on camera, the surprise result of a new technique that succeeded or something that went wonderfully unexpectedly right. What surprises will you share during this exhibit?
April <u>Creative Art Exhibit</u> — open to the public, JUDGED — Take in day 1: April 11, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: April 12, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: May 16, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: May 17, 12:30-2pm	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC , the Creative Art exhibit calls to all creators interested in a friendly competition spanning three categories - Nature, Creatures, Man-Made. Please only submit creations that have NOT previously been awarded a prize in a Chaparral show. Chaparral defines 'art' as being created using a painting medium or assembled using mixed mediums and materials (jewelry, ceramic, glass, metal, etc.) At this time we can only accommodate creations that can safely hang on the wall.
May <u>Creative Photography Exhibit</u> — open to the public, JUDGED — Take in day 1: May 16, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: May 17, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: June 13, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: June 14, 12:30-2pm	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC , the Creative Photography show calls to all photographers interested in a friendly competition spanning three categories - Nature, Creatures, Man-Made. Please only submit photographs that have NOT previously been <i>awarded a prize</i> in a Chaparral show.
June "Atmospheric/Cosmic" (members show) Take in day 1: June 13, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: June 14, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: July 11, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: July 12, 12:30-2pm	From the earthly wonders of fog, snow, and rain to the moody natures of nostalgia and mystery, and further past what we know to what we can imagine. The Atmospheric/Cosmic exhibit calls upon creations featuring weather, mood, and beyond to the vastness of the cosmos. This exhibit is open to the imagination and calls to all 2-dimensional art forms.

July "Floral Explosion" (members show) Take in day 1: July 11, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: July 12, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: August 15, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: August 16, 12:30-2pm	Let's decorate the walls with flowers of all colors. While we're fortunate to experience the blossoming of some cacti during the summer, let's elevate the experience by spreading an abundance of floral beauty throughout the month of July.
August "Portraits" (members show) Take in day 1: August 15, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: August 16, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: September 12, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: September 13, 12:30-2pm	Portraits are typically limited to people, the focus being on human faces and expressions, but we are opening it up to creatures. Bring in those beautiful, expressive, and loved pet portraits, wild captures, and friendly faces for this exhibit featuring 'portraits'.
September "Assemblage & Collage & Digital Art" (members show) Take in day 1: September 12, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: September 13, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: October 17, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: October 18, 12:30-2pm	Last year's art exhibit featured Assemblage and Digital art, and it was enjoyable, educational, and challenging. This year, we're doing it again and introducing Collage! Assemblage involves creating three-dimensional art by assembling unrelated everyday objects, while Collage is a 2-dimensional arrangement of paper, cloth, ribbon, and paint to create unique visual and verbal textures. Digital Art relies on computer-based techniques like digitally woven photography, drawings, and compilations created on a tablet. Join us in exploring new perspectives by trying your hand at creating an assemblage or digitally manipulating or inventing new scenes while relying on AI and your verbal descriptions for this show!
October "A Celebration of Women" (members show) Take in day 1: October 17, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: October 18, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: November 14, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: November 15, 12:30-2pm	The strength of women is a powerful presence, evident in their passions and the dedicated endeavors they embrace. In this exhibition, we honor and celebrate women, leaving it to each participating artist to express their unique tribute in two dimensions. We invite entries from all members—men, women, and children alike—to craft scenes that capture the resilience, love, empowerment, and nurturing essence bestowed by the women in their lives. Get creative and join us in commemorating the remarkable force that women embody.
November <u>Creative Art Exhibit</u> — open to the public, JUDGED — Take in day 1: November 14, 4:30-6pm Take in day 2: November 15, 12:30-2pm Take out day 1: December 12, 4:30-6pm Take out day 2: December 13, 12:30-2pm	OPEN TO THE PUBLIC , the Creative Art exhibit calls to all creators interested in a friendly competition spanning three categories - Nature, Creatures, Man-Made. Please only submit creations that have NOT previously been <i>awarded a prize</i> in a Chaparral show. Chaparral defines 'art' as being created using a painting medium or assembled using mixed mediums and materials (jewelry, ceramic, glass, metal, etc.) At this time we can only accommodate creations that can safely hang on the wall.
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