

WORCESTER ART MUSEUM
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WORMTOWN ROCKS!

A Juried Exhibition

Worcester has always been known for its lively music scene and its ability to nurture artists of all genres. This photo competition and exhibition—WORMTOWN ROCKS!—to be held at the Worcester Art Museum, will be a dynamic and unique snapshot of the music scene of the Worcester area, highlighting both photographic as well as musical talents of the area. In partnership with ARTSWorcester, the Worcester Art Museum is soliciting artworks for the juried exhibition that will be shown in the Higgins Education Wing from April 6,— May 14, 2010.

There will be cash awards!

The juried exhibition is being held in conjunction with *Who Shot Rock & Roll: A Photographic History, 1955 to the Present*, a photography exhibition on display at the Worcester Art Museum from March 5-May 30, 2010.

JURORS:

David Acton

Curator of Prints, Drawings, & Photography at the Worcester Art Museum

Jim Collins

Photographer, Worcester Telegram and Gazette

Charlene Arsenault

Former Entertainment Writer, Worcester Magazine

CASH AWARDS:

1st Prize: \$750

2nd Prize: \$350

3rd Prize: \$100

Viewer's Choice Awards:

3 awards at \$100

ELIGIBILITY:

Photographers of all ages are invited to submit matted and/or matted and framed photographs in ready to hang condition. Original recent photographs, taken in the Worcester area, may be submitted. Content must be viewable by all ages. Works not conforming to these eligibility requirements will not be considered for the competition and exhibition.

ENTRY PROCEDURE:

- An Intent to Submit Form with appropriate fees is required in all cases.
- Bring ready-to-hang (framed and/or matted, and wired) photographs to the Worcester Art Museum, 55 Salisbury Street, Worcester, on Friday, March 26 from 10am-4pm, or on Saturday March 27, from 1pm-4pm.
- Jurors will view the original work, make selections, and choose prizes. All decisions by the jurors are final. Artists will be contacted by telephone or email regarding selection. Viewer's choice awards will be chosen on April 15, 2010.
- Work not chosen must be picked up by Saturday, April 3 from 10am-4pm (There is a \$10/week charge for all art not picked up on schedule. Artwork left for more than two months will be disposed.)

IMPORTANT DATES:

Intent to Submit Due	Wednesday, March 10 , 2010
Work Submission Dates	Friday, March 26 , 10am-4pm Saturday, March 27 , 1pm-4pm
Pick-up of non-exhibition work	Saturday, April 3 , 10am-4pm
Opening Reception	Thursday, April 8 , 5:30pm-8:30pm
Exhibition Closes	Friday, May 14 , 5pm
Pick-up Accepted Work	Saturday, May 15 , 1pm-4pm

REQUIREMENTS

- We welcome photographs that are recent, original work. Work must have been photographed in the Worcester area. Subject must be of the Worcester area music scene, and the content must be viewable by all ages.
- All types of photographic processes are acceptable.
- Works **MUST** be ready for hanging (framed and/or matted, and wired).
- Liability: The Worcester Art Museum will exercise due care in handling all submitted work. Accepted works must remain until the close of the exhibition. Artists are responsible for delivery of the work, and en-route insurance to and from the Worcester Art Museum.
- Size Limitation (Framed): Minimum: No minimum.
Maximum: 36" x 28".
- The bottom portion of this Intent to Submit Form must be SIGNED, COMPLETED, & RECEIVED no later than March 10, 2010, along with a brief artist statement that lists the location and approximate date of each photograph.
- Send the Intent to Submit Form along with a check for \$25 (made out to the Worcester Art Museum) for submission of up to three photographic works. Registration fees are NON-refundable.

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INTENT TO SUBMIT FORM

To register, please fill out the Intent to Submit Form below and include a check for \$25 for up to three works. Send the form and check (payable to the Worcester Art Museum) to:

**Worcester Art Museum: c/o Katrina Stacy, Education Department
55 Salisbury Street, Worcester, MA 01609**

I agree to the requirements for *Wormtown Rocks!* at the Worcester Art Museum as set forth in this Intent to Submit Form:

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

Photographic Method: _____ # of Pieces: _____

Title(s): _____