

35th Annual Sculpture Celebration

We invite you to participate in the 35th Annual Sculpture Celebration on September 11, 2021. Join emerging and established sculptors to compete for a total of \$11,000 in cash awards.

In addition to your participation in our event, large scale entries will be considered for a second exhibition/sales opportunity at the Western NC Sculpture Center & Park. Chosen works will be transported at the close of the Celebration on Saturday afternoon and placed at the WNCSC&P for up to one year. For more information on this juried opportunity, please see the flyer included with this prospectus.

\$11,000 in Awards

\$3,000 Best in Show

\$2,000 First Place

\$1,500 Second Place

\$1,000 Third Place

Five \$500 Judge's Merit awards

Five \$100 Honorable Mention awards

\$500 Stevens Family

People's Choice

2021 Juror: Elizabeth Brim

Please see the back panel for her bio.

Meet our 2021 Juror, Elizabeth Brim

Elizabeth Brim is a blacksmith and teacher, living in western North Carolina. She's best known for feminine imagery in her ironwork.

A native of Columbus, Georgia, she graduated with an MFA in printmaking before studying and working with a variety of materials at North Carolina's Penland School of Crafts. Quite unexpectedly, she fell in love with iron.

With a unique juxtaposition of the feminine and the ferrous, Brim transforms the frilly dresses, fairy tales, and gender expectations of her childhood into remarkable works of social commentary.

To learn more and to see examples of Elizabeth's work, visit www.elizabethbrim.com.



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Sculptor Prospectus

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Broyhill Walking Park
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Sculpture Celebration Schedule of Events

Friday, September 10th

CHECK IN: 10am Sharp -6:45pm. Set up opens; on-site registration, site selection installation of work. A crane is available for unloading large sculptures. See further information under payment. Also security will be provided on Friday night.

Friday Night Sculptors' Dinner: This event will be held off-site at the WNC Sculpture Center & Park. This casual Friday evening event will begin at 6pm, complete with a bonfire, dinner, and live music. **In addition to the Lenoir Aquatic Center, camping will be available at the WNCSC&P. See the flyer included with this prospectus for details.**

Saturday, September 11th

7am-8:45am: Park opens for on-site registration, site selection/installation; only small trucks allowed in the park.

7am: Free Continental Breakfast will be available for sculptors.

9am: Exhibition opens; judging begins & continues through 2:30pm.

10am-3pm: On-site live music, food vendors and children's art activities.

3:15pm: Sculptors gather for awards.

3:30pm: Awards presentation and announcement of pieces chosen for display at the WNC Sculpture Center & Park for up to one year. Judge's walking tour of winning entries will follow.

4:00pm: Exhibition closes; removal of sculpture & park cleanup.

No Sculptures, including sold work, may leave the park prior to 4pm.

35th Annual Sculpture Celebration Registration Form

NOTE: BY REGISTERING FOR THIS EVENT, YOU AGREE TO MAKE ANY AND ALL EFFORTS TO SECURE YOUR ARTWORK TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF VISITORS, OTHER ARTISTS, AND OTHER WORKS OF ART AGAINST DAMAGE OR INJURY.

Complete this form, enclose payment and mail to Caldwell Arts Council , PO Box 1613, Lenoir NC 28645. You also can register online at www.caldwellarts.com, and we will invoice you.

Register early for best savings. Registration includes:

- Manpower for unloading, installation, removal, and reloading of your work.
- Friday Night Sculptors' Dinner at the WNC Sculpture Center and Park.
- Free outdoor camping with showers and full bathroom facilities at the Lenoir Aquatic and Fitness Center or the WNC Sculpture Center & Park; other accommodations at www.caldwellarts.com.
- Free Continental Breakfast on Saturday and a \$10 voucher to use at one of the on-site food trucks during the event.
- Possible second exhibition/sales opportunity at WNC Sculpture Center & Park.

Name: _____

Address/City/ST/Zip: _____

Preferred Phone#: _____ Home Work Cell

Email: _____ Website: _____

Please check all that apply and include fees as noted. Register early for your best savings.

Registration Fees

- College/University Sculpture Student\$35\$ _____
Include Name of School: _____
- Early registration by June 30\$50\$ _____
- Early registration between July 1-31\$60\$ _____
- Early registration August 1-September 9\$70\$ _____
- On-site registration September 10-11\$80\$ _____

Friday Sculptors' Dinner @ the WNC Sculpture Center & Park, September 10th @ 6pm

- I will attend the Friday Night Sculptors' Dinner at the WNC Sculpture Center & Park. (Free)
- I will be accompanied by _____ guests* at \$15/each (\$20 onsite)*.....\$ _____
- I cannot attend the Friday night event. * I/We need _____ (#) vegetarian meals

Camping (Find other accommodations at www.caldwellarts.com.)

- I need a reservation for FREE camping only on Friday night at the Lenoir Aquatic Center.
- I need a reservation for FREE camping on Friday &/or Saturday night at the WNC Sculpture Park.

Loading, Unloading & Setup

- I would like FREE manpower assistance. I would like FREE crane /boom assistance.

Payment Method:

- Check Enclosed Credit Card # _____ **Total Due.....\$ _____**

Expiration: ___/___ CVV: _____ Billing Zip Code: _____

Signature: _____