

1. ENTRY FORM

**World's Smallest
STRETCHED CANVAS
Painting Competition**

Hudson Valley Gallery
P.O. Box 222
Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY 12520
PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
E-mail _____
Title _____
Medium (Check One) Oil Acrylic
Phone _____ Price _____

I agree to conditions set forth in prospectus.

ALL WORKS MUST BE FOR SALE

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OPEN SATURDAY AND SUNDAY 1-5PM
AND BY APPOINTMENT
(EXTENDED HOURS ARE PLANNED FOR
THIS EXHIBITION)

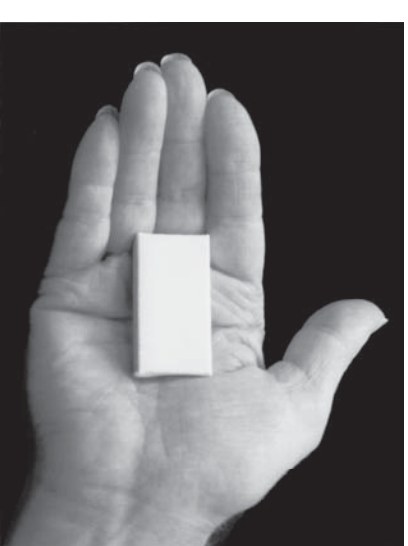
FOR INFORMATION OR DIRECTIONS CALL
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\$500 FIRST PRIZE



**“WHAT CAN YOU DO
ON A 1”X2”?**

DECEMBER 5-31, 2008



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Date of Exhibition: December 5-31, 2008

Location: Hudson Valley Gallery

246 Hudson Street, Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY

RECEIVING DATES: Entries can be hand delivered to the Hudson Valley Gallery during regular business hours, Saturday and Sunday 1-5pm. *The final date for hand delivered entries is Sunday, November 23, 2008 at 5pm.* No hand delivered entries will be accepted after this date and time. *Mailed entries must be postmarked no later than Monday, November 17, 2008.* Mailed entries postmarked after this date will be returned. Mailed entries must be sent via the US Post Office ONLY. Send to: Hudson Valley Gallery, P.O. Box 222, Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY 12520

REMOVAL OF WORK: Paintings may be removed on Saturday, January 3, 2009, 1-5pm or Sunday, January 4, 2009, 1-5pm. **NO EARLY PICK UPS.** Those wishing to have their paintings returned via the US Post Office must pay \$5.00 in advance for up to 6 paintings being shipped to the same domestic US address.

OPENING RECEPTION:
Friday, December 5, 2008, 5-8pm

AWARDS RECEPTION: Saturday, December 6, 2008, 1-5pm. Awards presented at 3pm.

ELIGIBILITY: Adult Artists
(*Must be at least 18 years old*)

COMPETITION GUIDELINES: OIL OR ACRYLIC PAINTINGS ONLY. Representational (Realistic) or Non-objective (Abstract) styles of painting. Subject matter your choice. All paintings must be painted directly onto the official 1"x2" stretched canvas. No substitutions will be allowed. (*See listing of stores carrying this canvas or for mail order instructions.*) Enter as many paintings as you wish. The cost per entry is \$10.00 All paintings for this competition will be displayed unframed. Please do not attach your painting to any surface. Each painting will be displayed on its own. Therefore, if you are submitting more than one entry, we can not accommodate any request that they be displayed together. You may chose to paint on the front only or paint on the front and sides of the canvas. **SIGN YOUR COMPLETED**

PAINTING ON THE BACK ONLY and print Entry #1, Entry #2, etc. if you are submitting more than one entry. Please print the word TOP with an arrow on the back in order that your painting be properly displayed. All works must be original and for sale. The Hudson Valley Gallery reserves the right to reject any work of art submitted to this exhibition.

AWARDS: First Prize is \$500. Other cash, gift certificate and merchandise awards will be given. The awards judge is Del-Bourree Bach. The awards ceremony will be held on Saturday, December 6, 2008 at 3pm.

ENTRY FORM: All entries must have entry forms properly filled out and signed by the artist. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. DO NOT WRITE. Duplicate the entry form as needed for the multiple entries. Please write Entry #1, Entry #2, etc. on the forms if submitting more than one entry to coordinate with the entry number on the back of your painting.

SALES: Paintings Must Be For Sale. Hudson Valley Gallery will retain a commission of 50% on each painting sold.

ENTRY FEES: A fee of \$10.00 will be charged for each entry. (Cash, Check or Money Order) Entry fees are non-refundable. **THE WORK PICKUP RECEIPT MUST BE PRESENTED TO OBTAIN WORKS AT TIME OF PICKUP.**

RESPONSIBILITY: The greatest possible care will be taken in handling works. The Hudson Valley Gallery, nor any of its agents shall have any responsibility whatsoever for any loss or damage to any entry from any cause whether such entry shall be on display, in storage or in transit. Artists must carry their own insurance if deemed necessary. The Gallery requests the right to photograph works for the catalog, website or press information. **SUBMITTING AN ENTRY TO THIS EXHIBIT IMPLIES AGREEMENT ON THE PART OF THE ARTIST WITH THE CONDITIONS SET FORTH ABOVE.**

WHERE TO BUY THE CANVAS: The canvases are available at Hudson Valley Gallery (Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY), Bethlehem Art Gallery (Salisbury Mills, NY), Catskill Art and Office Supply (Kingston, Poughkeepsie and Woodstock, NY), and Newburgh Art Supply (Liberty St., Newburgh, NY) Please check with each store for directions and hours of operation. Canvases may also be ordered by mail (Domestic US only) at \$2.00 each. (NY residents add 16¢ Sales tax for each canvas ordered.) Include \$5.00 for shipping and handling up to 6 canvases going to the same US address. Please make checks or money orders payable to Hudson Valley Gallery. Send your order to Hudson Valley Gallery, P.O. Box 222, Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY 12520. Please allow 2 weeks for delivery. Orders will be shipped via US Post Office only.

HELPFUL HINTS: 1) To explore potential subjects for your painting, cut a 1"x2" window in a piece of plain white paper and look through it to see the possibilities or hold this 1"x2" opening against a section of one of your previous paintings or a photograph you have taken to isolate an interesting part for consideration as a subject. **2)** To make the 1"x2" canvas easier to handle while painting, TEMPORARILY attach the canvas with double face tape to a larger surface, such as a small piece of mat board or canvas panel.

SUMMARY OF GUIDELINES

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- **LOCATION:** Hudson Valley Gallery
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- **DEADLINES:**
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MAILED ENTRIES: Postmarked No Later Than Monday, November 17, 2008. (*Include \$5.00 for return of mailed entries.*)
- Oil or Acrylic Paintings Only.
- **SUBMIT UNFRAMED.** Do Not Attach Your Painting to Any Surface.
- \$10.00 Per Entry
- Sign On Back Of Paintings Only.
- Mark entry forms and back of canvas Entry #1, Entry #2, etc. for multiple entries.
- Print TOP on back of canvas with an arrow. ↑
- Duplicate Entry forms as needed for multiple entries.

HUDSON VALLEY
GALLERY

HUDSON VALLEY GALLERY is owned by artist Paul Gould, who also is co-owner of Bethlehem Art Gallery/Salisbury Mills, NY) founded by his parents, John and Mary Gould, in 1957.

Paul Gould conducts Painting and Drawing classes at Hudson Valley Gallery and Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, NY. He also teaches Travel Art Workshops in Europe and the United States. This years workshop was aboard the Caribbean Princess, with stops along the New England and Canadian Coastlines.

Paul Gould is also highly regarded for his experience and skills in Painting Restoration.



For more information, please call
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