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ENTRIES INVITED FOR NEW RIVER ART 2007
Juried Exhibition Open To Regional Artists

Blacksburg, VA--Artists living within a 150-mile radius of Blacksburg, Floyd, or Pulaski who are 18 years of age or older are encouraged to enter New River Art, a biennial juried fine arts exhibition. This year's event will be held in Perspective Gallery of Squires Student Center at Virginia Tech from November 4 – December 7.

The deadline for submissions is Friday, September 14, and the fee is \$25 for up to three entries.

More than \$1500 in cash and prizes are planned for selected works. A reception and awards presentation will be held from 3:00-5:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 4.

The show's juror is Susan Ruddick Bloom, who is professor and chair of the Department of Art and Art History at McDaniel College in Westminster, MD. Bloom is trained in drawing, painting, and printmaking and is a former courtroom artist. She is author of the book, *Digital Collage and Painting*.

The exhibition is sponsored by the Blacksburg Regional Art Association, the Jacksonville Center for the Arts, and the Fine Arts Center of the New River Valley.

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