

Spellman Art Gallery Call for Entries

2027 Coastal Coasters Community Event and Silent Auction

What is “Coastal Coasters”?

Coastal Coasters is a community event and fundraiser for the Spellman Art Gallery at Grays Harbor College. We invite local artists, students, and community members to design a unique “coaster” and submit it to the Gallery. Once installed, the community will have the opportunity to bid via a silent auction to take an artwork home.

Timeline

- **December 10th, 5:00pm:** All coasters and entry fees due at the John Spellman Library at GHC
- **January 5th, 7:30am - 5:00pm (M-Th), 10:00-2:00pm (F):** Exhibition and bidding open at Spellman Gallery
- **February 4th, 6:00pm – 8:00pm:** Closing reception and silent auction closes. *Bidding closes at 7:30pm.*

How Do I Submit?

Entry Fee:

Each \$5 entry includes up to three artworks.

Choose Your Materials:

- Pick up pre-printed, blank coasters at the John Spellman Library (can be mailed upon request), **or**
- Create your own 4" x 4" artwork on a flat material such as matboard, cardstock, foam, thin wood panel, or canvas board and pay entry fee when dropping off artwork.

Create Your Artwork:

Choose the medium and style that inspires you! Paint, draw, collage, print, photograph, use mixed media, or explore another creative approach. Artwork may be created in any medium, but must remain 4" x 4", flat, and suitable for display.

Submit Your Artwork by December 10:

Deliver completed artwork to the John Spellman Library by 5:00pm, December 10th.

Group & Classroom Entries:

Groups, including K–12 classrooms, may submit up to 20 artworks for a \$20 group entry fee.

Release of Artwork

By submitting artwork, artists acknowledge that their work will be offered for sale as part of the exhibition. Artwork that is purchased will be released to the purchaser and will not be returned to the artist. Artwork that remains unsold at the close of the exhibition may be collected by the artist by coordinating with John Spellman Art Gallery staff. Submission of artwork also grants Grays Harbor College permission to photograph submitted works and the exhibition and to use those images for promotional and marketing purposes related to the John Spellman Art Gallery.

Questions? Contact Us!

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