

2017 Decatur Sculpture Tour

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Decatur Sculpture Tour (DST) / North Adams Arts Council (NAAC)

NAAC / ACCF 102 N. 2nd Street / Decatur, IN 46733

(Decatur is 20 miles south of Ft. Wayne, Indiana)

by: Tuesday, **February 14.** 2017

In / Post marked

CALL TO ARTISTS Form

Artists are invited to submit up to four <u>original</u> sculptures to Decatur Sculpture Tour (DST). Entries will be critiqued based on artistic merit, public safety, variety of entries, and durability in an outdoor setting. Artists will be notified of the selection committee's decision by Friday, February 24, 2017.

Installation dates are Thursday, June 8, and / or Friday, June 9, 2017 (the schedule will be set after exhibits are confirmed).

This is a year round outdoor/indoor exhibition. In 2014, a total of 23 exhibits were accepted. In 2015, a total of 25 exhibits were accepted while two exhibits were leased for a total of 27 exhibits on the tour while in 2016, the DST was proud to reveal 31 exhibits. In 2017, the DST Committee looks to continue to offer quality art work in the city of Decatur, Indiana. Priority will be given to sculptures with broad appeal to audiences of all ages and provide for a variety of exhibits.

The sculptures are owned by the artists and loaned to the program for up to one (1) year. With pre-approval of the artist, all sculptures will be for sale to the public and featured in the Decatur Sculpture Tour brochure. Accepted artists will receive an honorarium (1), stipend for mileage (2), and be eligible for cash awards (3).

Eligibility for awards: Artist must be at least 18 years of age. Submitted sculptures must be original works created within the last three years, suitable for outdoor display and for sale.

All entries must be postmarked by Tuesday, February 14, 2017 and be mailed to NAAC / ACCF 102 N. 2nd St., Decatur, IN 46733. Along with entry form, image/exhibit (cd or sketch) and a brief artist biography. Detailed sketches will be accepted as long as support images are provided with the sketches. Please specify whether submitted sculptures are indoor or outdoor. Only one indoor sculpture may be submitted per artist. Awards and allocations in 2017 are likely to be the same or more than in previous years. For artists that meet the application requirements and due dates listed, allocations may be available. For example, in 2016 these were:

- 1: Honorariums: outdoor: first exhibit: \$400 / second exhibit: \$300 / etc. / indoor: exhibit: \$150
- 2: For artists driving 50+ miles one way, a stipend up to \$300 (max) travel allowance will be provided based on \$0.50 per mile from Adams County Court House Square, 112 S. 2nd St., Decatur, IN 46733. If an artist exhibit is transported by another artist, this allowance is void; however, other terms may be negotiated with DST Committee. Details provided upon request.
- 3: Awards: 2015 awards were: Best of Show (determined by participating and artists attending the unveiling): \$300 / People's Choice: \$300 / DST Committee: \$150 / Mayor Award: \$150 / Sponsor Award: \$150

All questions should be directed to:

Adams County Community Foundation at (260) 724-3939 or

Email: <u>decatursculpture@apls.lib.in.us</u>

Mail entry to: NAAC / ACCF, 102 N. 2nd St., Decatur, IN 46733

Thank you for your interest.

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Artist Information:

Sculpture #3 circle: Indoor / Outdoor

Sculpture #4 circle: Indoor / Outdoor

Name: Last / first	age (as of February 16,	addres 2016)	s	city	state,	zip
Contact Information:	Cell:		Email:			
Bio: please include inf	o you wish to have si	hared about your	artist history.			
Note: Though not rec	juired, accepted artist	ts are encouraged	d to attend the DS	T Unveiling event	(June 9, 2017, 6:00	pm).
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Name/Title	Height*	Width*	Depth*	Weight*	Material*	Public Sellin Price*
Sculpture #1 circle: Indoor / Outdoor						
Sculpture #2 circle:						

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^{*} Revisions: It is understood that price, size, weight, etc. may change. Please be as accurate as possible. DST will allow a one-time option to change price, size, and weight upon exhibit delivery.