

Pigeon Key Art Festival
Renée Shain
1099 73rd St., Ocean
Marathon, FL 33050

16th Annual Pigeon Key
ART FESTIVAL
FEBRUARY 6th & 7th 2010
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APPLICATION DEADLINE
NOVEMBER 13th, 2009

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Artist: Ann Marie Anderson

Pigeon Key ...

Pigeon Key is a five-acre island located 2.3 miles West of Marathon. It is connected to the mainland by a bridge originally built by Flagler for his Florida East Coast Railway. From 1908 to 1935, Pigeon Key served as a construction and maintenance Base Camp for the railroad. Currently the Pigeon Key Foundation is restoring the historic island, operating a museum, conducting guided tours and providing a center for marine science research and education.

Art Festival . . .

The Pigeon Key Foundation invites you to enter a festive weekend of high-quality artwork, entertainment and island food during this two day event which is limited to 85 fine artists.

A sneak preview of the artists' work will be presented on Friday evening during the "meet the artist" reception at the community park.

The Art Festival will take place at the Marathon Community Park, MM 49. A \$7.00 entrance fee will include admittance, hourly free t-shirt drawings, face painting, live music, art raffle and enjoyment of the day. Over 4,500 people attended in 2009.

Schedule . . .

Setup:

Friday - February 5 10 - 5 p.m.
Saturday - February 6 7 - 9 a.m.

Festival Hours:

Saturday - February 6 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday - February 7 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Checklist . . .

No application will be considered without the following materials:

- Completed and signed Application form
- CD or slides of 3 pictures of work and 1 picture of display
- Check for booth space \$185 single Double available upon request
- Check for jury fee \$15
- Self-addressed, stamped legal size envelope with adequate postage for CD/slide return

Pigeon Key Art Festival
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All Volunteer Committee Members
Larry Shain
Chris & Denise Pankow

Basic Rules for Exhibition . . .

- No less than 25% of work must pertain to our Tropical theme.
- Artists may display only in the category for which they have been juried.
- All works of art must be original (limited editions accepted) and attributed solely to display artist - no proxy exhibitor allowed.
- No clothing is to be included as art.
- Each exhibitor is responsible for their own booth canopy and display - must be white and professional in presentation - "NO APPLICATION WILL BE JURIED WITHOUT DISPLAY SLIDE."
- CDs are accepted
- Slides must be of professional quality, name on top, red dot on left lower corner & placed in sleeves.
- No pets in show area.
- No electricity will be available.
- Entry fee is \$185 - 10' x 12' space.
- Jury fee is \$15,000, non-refundable.
- An accepted application is a commitment to exhibit - no refunds will be accepted for cancellation after 1/1/2010.
- Each artist is responsible for their own collection of Florida state tax of 7.5%, and remittance to the state.
- Booth set-up must be completed prior to 10 a.m. Saturday and Sunday and must remain open during show hours. Break down cannot begin until after 5 p.m.
- Artists will be supplied with carts and volunteer help to transport artwork and display items from their cars to assigned space. **THERE IS NO STAKING ALLOWED.** Please have adequate weights for your tent.
- Festival committee shall have sole discretion to remove any work and/or artist that does not follow the rules.
- Festival will not be held responsible for weather - the event will be held rain or shine.
- All rules of the Festival will be strictly enforced. Please acknowledge your understanding, acceptance and compliance of these rules by signing the general release.



2010 Pigeon Key Art Festival

Application Form
Deadline: Postmark Nov. 13, 2009
Notification: by Dec. 4, 2009

Artist's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

E-mail Address: _____

Make separate checks for Application and Jury fee payable to Pigeon Key Foundation.

Mail to: Pigeon Key Foundation
Renée Shain
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Check category entered (one category per booth)

Watercolor _____ Sculpture _____
Oil, Acrylic _____ Glass _____
Graphics, Drawings, _____ Pottery _____
Pastels _____ Jewelry _____
Photography _____ Fine Craft _____

Brief description of your work and medium:

Yes, I would be interested in demonstrating my artistry at the show.

General Release: The undersigned does hereby forever discharge, release and hold harmless the Pigeon Key Foundation, or any member of the Festival Committee of and from any and all manner of actions, suits, damages or claims whatsoever arising from any loss or damage to the property of the undersigned while in the possession or supervision of the Festival and hereby consent to the endorsement of the Festival Rules as described in the accompanying brochure and in the letter of instructions to be mailed to accepted exhibitors.

Signature: _____

Date: _____