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Event Rules

- Must be 18 or older to participate.
- Painting *en plein air* is to be held between October 1-7, 2016. Artists will check-in on Oct. 1 to have their work surfaces stamped*. (Time and location TBD later.) The judging and show will be held on Saturday, October 8th from 2-5pm at the Solitude House located on 7 River Road.
- The non-refundable registration fee is \$25. Please make checks out to **The Borough of High Bridge**. Indicate "High Bridge Paint Out" on the memo line.
- The following media will be accepted: acrylic, charcoal, oil, pastels, pen and ink, pencil and colored pencil, and watercolors.
- A maximum of 2 pieces each no larger than 24"x 16" unframed or multiple smaller pieces which total the aforementioned area unframed will be accepted. *There is no limit on surfaces that can be stamped at check-in. The artist must determine which pieces they will enter for the competition.
- The artwork subject/inspiration must be within the Borough of High Bridge and done on public property unless a private owner gives permission to go on their property. As High Bridge is a gateway to the Ken Lockwood Gorge, this area is also acceptable as subject matter.
- Digital images of the completed artwork must be sent in .jpg format to hbpaintout@yahoo.com by noon on Oct. 7, 2016. Include your work title, medium used, and framed size of work.
- All fees, commissions and sponsorship funds collected by the Borough of High Bridge will be used for this and other art events and/or art projects.
- The Borough of High Bridge reserves the right to photograph all artists and use images of their artwork; which will be used for advertising and promotion uses only.
- The North County Library will display pieces from the show in November 2016. *The pieces which are awarded 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Places must be on display, even if sold on Oct. 8.* Artists are responsible for bringing their work to the library. The 20% commission will be collected from the sale of any displayed artwork during this timeframe. More details will be sent later.

Silent Auction Information

- All artists participating in the event must include their artwork in the silent auction. Artwork must be framed, matting is optional.
- Bidding forms will be provided but artists must complete the form including their name, title of work, and media used. Price specified as starting bid price cannot be changed.
- Once artwork is put up for auction, it must remain up for bid until the auction is over.
- Artists are responsible for their artwork while on display at the show.
- All sales will be made through the Borough of High Bridge with a 20% commission on the final bid price. Based upon money collected by the Borough from the purchaser for sold paintings, the Borough shall have no responsibility to pursue the purchaser who submits a check or other funds that are not collectable. Proceeds will be mailed to artists within 30 days of the event.