



## Artist Prospectus – 2023 Edisto Plein Air Paint Out – October 11-14, 2023

In this open event, all painters and mediums are welcome.

After four days of painting en plein air, painters are invited to display their completed works at the Wet Paint Art Show & Sale on Saturday, October 14th. Collectors and the public are invited to attend this impressive display of Plein Air paintings to both view and purchase the unique works that highlight the incredible beauty of coastal South Carolina. Painters are encouraged to invite their collectors to come to the show on Saturday. The show will be held in the Edisto Civic Center where there is plenty of room in the auditorium for an artists' reception and viewing of all of the paintings.

All submitted art to the art show must be for sale and will be entered into a judged plein air painting competition.

If you or your business would like to sponsor an award, contact Camille Lemon at [cslemon@logoman.com](mailto:cslemon@logoman.com)

### Details

- Registration is limited to the first 100 artists. After that, interested artists may add their names to a waitlist registration form.
- Early Bird check-in is at the Edisto Civic Center from 10:00-12:00PM on October 11.
- Check in will also be available at the opening reception the afternoon of Wednesday, October 11 between 5:00 and 7:00 pm (or if needed, between 9:00 and 10:00 am Thursday at the Civic Center), to have canvas/ paper stamped prior to beginning work to be eligible for entry in the Saturday show and sale.
- Paintings must be two-dimensional. Oils, acrylics, watercolor, gouache, ink, mixed media, and pastels are all acceptable.
- All paintings must be done "en plein air" outside, in natural lighting during the time frame of the event. Interiors are acceptable in the event of difficult weather.
- Artists may stamp an unlimited number of canvases/boards/papers but will submit only up to two pieces for the Wet Paint Show and Sale and awards.
- Canvases must be free of images prior to stamping, though a solid base coat of paint is allowed.

- All work is to be wired for hanging and framed with an open back to facilitate viewing of the festival stamp on the back. No exceptions will be accepted. Unframed gallery wraps will be accepted. No sawtooth hangers.
- All work must be turned in with paperwork between 10-11 am Saturday October 14, at the Edisto Civic Center.
- All event sales are to be handled by the artists. The Edisto Art Guild will take no commissions.
- Payment to artists for awards will be mailed within 14 days after the event ends.
- Artists may paint at a variety of locations of their choosing as long as they are “Over the Bridge” on Edisto Island or the Town of Edisto Beach.
- Past winning work has included everything from street scenes to local landmarks, farm fields, trees, to scenic vistas and marshscapes.

*NOTE: Since you never know when you’ll do your best work, make sure that during the paint out you always use a substrate showing the EAG 2023 stamp on the back.*

## Event Schedule

### **Wednesday, October 11:**

- Artist check-in from 10:00-12:00 PM (Edisto Civic Center)
- Artist/Sponsor Social 5:00-7:00 pm (late check-in available at this time)
- Artists continue painting through until Saturday turn in.

### **Saturday, October 14:**

- 10:00 AM: all work must be turned in with completed paperwork between 10:00 and 11:00 AM at the Civic Center. Art may be turned in earlier by appointment.
- 1:00 PM: Judging
- 2:00 PM: Awards Announced, Sponsors’ Viewing and Reception
- 3:00-5:00 PM: General Public Admitted
- 5:00-6:00 PM: Artists collect any unsold paintings

### **Event Fees:**

\$35 Early bird registration - through May 31, 2023 (*deadline extended*)  
 \$45 June 1, 2023 - September 30, 2023

*Cancellation policy: a 100% refund will be issued if artists cancel on or before August 31, 2023.*

Registration is online at: <https://www.edistoartguild.com/edisto-plein-air-paint-out-2023>