

Martha's Vineyard Film Center / Featherstone Center for the Arts Feldman Family Artspace 2023 Exhibition Guidelines

The Martha's Vineyard Film Center has opened its lobby to display Island artists' work. Featherstone Center for the Arts manages the gallery for the Film Center. **Artists interested in exhibiting their work in 2023 should submit an electronic application to: ann@featherstoneart.org**

**Applications can be downloaded from the Featherstone web site:
www.featherstoneart.org**

The application requires: a resume/bio, artist statement and 3 to 5 digital examples of the work you intend to exhibit:

Submissions will be juried by a committee at the end of January.

The selection committee will choose ten artists and two alternates for this year.

Selected artists will then be scheduled for specific show dates throughout the year. Please review the 2023 calendar months and in your application note any that are impossible for you. Please do not request a specific month as the slots will be filled in such a way as to balance the various mediums of the selected artists.

Work will hang for 3 or 4 weeks depending upon the season. The art will be hung by the artist under the supervision and with the assistance of the Featherstone Gallery Manager.

Art work must be framed and/or presented in a professional manner in keeping with the high standards of The Film Center and Featherstone Center for the Arts. All work must be wired in order to accommodate the hanging system at the Film Center, which is the same system used at Featherstone.

Individual labels with prices or a price list and an artist biography will also be displayed with the work; such information to be provided by the artist no later than one week before the date set for hanging the work.

All sales will be made through Featherstone Center for the Arts. The sales commission will be 70% to the artist and 30% split between the Film Center and Featherstone. All works must remain up throughout the duration of the show. Red dots will be placed near any works that have been sold over the duration of the show.

The Film Center will advertise the show on its Facebook page and by direct e-mail to members.

Featherstone will advertise the show on its Facebook page and through Constant Contact. Any additional mailings or newspaper announcements or a formal opening and/or refreshments are the responsibility of the artist and need to be coordinated with the management of the Film Center.

We will make every effort to protect all work. The Film Center is a secure building with a burglar alarm and sprinklers. Art is insured up to \$10,000.

If you have questions or need additional information, please email or phone:

**Ann Smith, Featherstone Executive Director, at:
ann@featherstoneart.org • 508-693-1850**

**ARTIST AGREEMENT
FOR THE FELDMAN FAMILY ARTSPACE
AT THE MV FILM CENTER**

Work will hang for 3 or 4 weeks depending upon the season.

The art will be hung by the artist under the supervision and with the assistance of the Featherstone Gallery Manager.

Artwork must be framed and/or presented in a professional manner in keeping with the high standards of The Film Center and Featherstone Center for the Arts. All work must be wired in order to accommodate the hanging system at the Film Center, which is the same system used at Featherstone.

Individual labels with prices or a price list and an artist biography will also be displayed with the work; such information to be provided to the Gallery Manager by the artist no later than one week before the date set for hanging the work.

All sales will be made through Featherstone Center for the Arts. The sales commission will be 70% to the artist and 30% split between the Film Center and Featherstone. All works must remain up throughout the duration of the show. Red dots will be placed near any works that have been sold over the duration of the show.

The Film Center will advertise the show on its Facebook page and by direct e-mail to members.

Featherstone will advertise the show on its Facebook page and through Constant Contact. Any additional mailings or newspaper announcements are the responsibility of the artist. A formal opening and/or refreshments are also the artist's responsibility and must be coordinated with the management of the Film Center.

We will make every effort to protect all work. The Film Center is a secure building with a burglar alarm and sprinklers. Art is insured up to \$10,000.

If you have questions or need additional information, please email or phone:

Featherstone Executive Director, at: ann@featherstoneart.org • 508-693-1850

**To accept your invitation, please sign and date below
and return a copy to Ann Smith at Featherstone.**

Artist's Signature

Date

Gallery Manager

Date

**ARTIST APPLICATION
FOR THE FELDMAN FAMILY ARTSPACE
AT THE MV FILM CENTER**

The MV Film Center and Featherstone Center for the Arts are pleased to offer you the opportunity to exhibit your work at the Film Center in 2023.

Please fill out the following form and return it as instructed below with the appropriate documents. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

PHONE #2 _____

WEBSITE (where your work can be seen if available): _____

MEDIUM: _____

The following items, **CREATED AS SEPARATE DOCUMENTS AND ATTACHED TO THIS E-MAIL** must accompany this application. **DO NOT PASTE THE DOCUMENTS INTO THE APPLICATION FORM.**

- 3-5 digital images of the work you intend to exhibit*
- Bio and/or resumé
- Artist's Statement

** If the work you intend to exhibit is "in progress", please attach images that are as close as possible in style and content to the proposed work.*

SEE NEXT PAGE

Please review the exhibition dates below and indicate any slot that is **impossible for you** by writing the word “no” next to it.

Please do not request a specific date. Artists who are selected will be assigned an exhibition date which allows allow us to balance the different media.

January _____

February _____

March _____

April _____

May _____

June _____

July _____

August _____

September _____

October _____

November _____

December _____

January _____