



2019 Punta Gorda Quickdraw

Monday, January 14, 2019 at the Visual Arts Center

Check-in opens at 8:00am | Painting starts at 8:30am | Collector's Preview starts at 1:00pm

Wine & Cheese Reception: Thursday, January 17 at 5:00pm

OVERVIEW

The Annual Punta Gorda Quickdraw is presented by the Visual Arts Center and Peace River Painters. This is a fun and friendly competition where artists have three and a half hours (8:30am - 12:00pm) to depict picturesque Punta Gorda in the medium of their choice. This competition is open to all 2D artists. Registration is limited to 50 artists on a first come, first served basis.

REGISTRATION

Registration is \$30. Register at www.visualartcenter.org or the VAC front desk. You may also register the day of the event with cash or check, IF there are spots left. Registration is limited to 50 artists on a first come, first served basis. Registration opens online Nov. 30th. Lunch is included for participating artists, additional lunches for purchase available for guests.

AWARDS

One painting may be submitted per artist. Prizes are in the form of ribbons and cash. Our sponsors provide awards for \$300 First Prize, \$200 Second Prize and \$100 Third Prize plus Merit for Best Non Oil Medium, Merit for Best Architectural Subject, and Merit for Best Use of Light. There will also be a Best of Show award for the combined Annual Show and Quickdraw paintings.



COLLECTOR'S PREVIEW LUNCHEON

Collector's Preview starts at 1pm in the Main Gallery. Enjoy a meet and greet with participating artists and preview the freshly finished paintings and the current plein air show. Lunch for guests can be pre-ordered online or paid for the day of. (Lunch is included for participating Artists)

ARTISTS SALES

Artwork will be displayed for sale at the Visual Arts Center, 210 Maud Street, Punta Gorda, FL 33950 from January 14 - January 31, 2019. Any artwork sales must go through the Visual Arts Center. Thirty (30%) percent of sales will benefit the Visual Arts center. Proceeds support current and future Visual Art Center events and help the VAC with its mission of supporting artists at all levels of their careers through exhibition and education. The Visual Arts Center and Peace River Painters will not be liable for any artwork displayed.



For more information and to register visit www.visualartcenter.org

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