

# Canada 150 Juried Art Exhibit

Sponsored by the Gibson Gallery of Amherstburg, Ontario

You are invited to participate in the juried art exhibit to be held September 14-October 8, 2017.

The Gibson Gallery/ The Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts is a non-profit, charitable organization. It is the sole owner of the historical, Michigan Central Railway Station circa 1896. The Gallery gives local artists an opportunity to showcase their works in an aesthetically pleasing, heritage site with modern gallery heat, humidity, light and security controls. This beautiful building is open free to the public 11:00am-5:00pm, Thursday through Sunday.

*One hundred and fifty years ago in Charlottetown and Québec City, the Fathers of Confederation first dreamed of a united and prosperous Canada. They worked on a visionary project—to create a lasting democracy—which today serves as a model for the world.*

In the mid-19th century, British North America was a patchwork of colonial lands. Each province had its own legislature and governor, and reported to the British government. However, a number of social, economic and security issues encouraged some people to consider a union or alliance. A conference was convened in Charlottetown 150 years ago and a convincing proposal, became the framework for Confederation. Three years later, the vision of a union was realized at the London Conference with the creation of the British North America Act which finalized the union of the provinces and on July 1, 1867, gave birth to the Dominion of Canada.

*This exhibit expresses the celebration of the birth of our nation and presents an opportunity for the artists to showcase their art in a **juried** exhibit and to promote their art. Prizes will be awarded to the works which most effectively reflect the theme.*

**Entry Fee: \$10.00** (non-refundable).

**Location:** Gibson Gallery, 140 Richmond St. Amherstburg, ON N9V1G4

**Pre-register before** with entry fee

**Digital images to be sent** to [office@gibsonartgallery.com](mailto:office@gibsonartgallery.com) for review and acceptance

**Exhibit Dates:** Thursday –Sunday from **September 7 to October 1, 2017**

**Exhibit Time:** 11am-5pm

**Drop off date :** Artwork to be delivered between **12-5 pm September 2 & 3**

**Pick up date:** Sunday, October 1 after 4:30pm.

**Artists Reception:** Sunday, September 17, 2017 from 1-3pm

For more information please contact: Bonnie Deslippe Gibson Gallery Administrator  
519-736-2826 [office@gibsonartgallery.com](mailto:office@gibsonartgallery.com)

**Please keep this page for reference purposes.**

# Application and Agreement

Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

City

Province

Postal Code

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Dimensions \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Price \_\_\_\_\_

Description of how the work reflects "Canada 150"

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Artist Statement

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Date produced \_\_\_\_\_

Non Refundable Cheque (of \$10.00) made payable to: Gibson Gallery  
Please mail application and cheque to:

Canada 150 Exhibit  
c/o Gibson Gallery  
140 Richmond St.  
Amherstburg, ON N9V 1G4

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## Application and Agreement

### Terms and Conditions:

- Exhibit will be open to the public for the dates and hours as outlined. Exhibitors must not disassemble or remove any part of their display during show hours
- Original, representational work only. All mediums. Each artist allowed one piece, with a possibility of a second, if space allows. All art submitted will be subject to the discretion of the Gibson Gallery exhibit committee. Quality, originality of work and consideration of the theme will be deciding factors.
- All wall pieces must be wired and ready for hanging. All other work must be ready to be installed. Sculptures must be able to sit sturdy on pedestal or floor
- Entry must be ready to be hang/display. Wrap around canvas need not be framed provided it is painted on all sides. Unframed works to measure 24'x36' maximum
- Name and contact info to be placed on the back of the piece.
- Pre-register with \$10 non-refundable entry fee to cover cost of the exhibit, including prizes.
- Digital images to be sent to [office@gibsonartgallery.com](mailto:office@gibsonartgallery.com) for review and acceptance
- Artwork to be delivered between 12-5 pm September 2 & 3 and picked up Sunday, October 1 after 4:30pm.
- Please note that your works may be photographed for promotional purposes by the Gibson Gallery or media attending the exhibit.
- Insurance-artwork is not insured by the Gibson Gallery during shipment or while on exhibit at the gallery

The Gibson Gallery, employees and volunteers are not responsible for any loss or damage to the artwork.

I agree to the above terms.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_