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2017 APS National Exhibition  
October 19th to November 17th, 2017  
Jailhouse Gallery, Morganton, NC  
Juror, Dawn Emerson

The Appalachian Pastel Society 2017 National Exhibition has been juried. A total of 196 entries were received from 72 artists. From those, 47 paintings from 32 artists were chosen for the Exhibition. As expected, the quality of the entries was exceptional.

Congratulations to all whose artwork will be included! Below is a list of the accepted entries.

Anne Allen	Meet Me in Butchart Gardens
Elaine Augustine	Color Frenzy
Patricia Bevan	Fly Like the Wind
Patricia Bevan	Iconic
Cathyann Burgess	Long Division
Cathyann Burgess	Yellow Path
Lucy Cobos	My Lolita
Diana Coidan	All My Ducks in a Row
Bette Coningsby	Homeward Bound
Bette Coningsby	Spring Color
Ellen Corbet	On the Grass in the Moonlight
Sheryl Daniels	Afternoon on the Holston River
Marcia Donley	Along the cove creek road
Marcia Donley	Snow in the bougainvillea
Marilyn Dwyer	Late Summer- Little River Road
Marilyn Dwyer	Erin's Porch
Tracy Ference	This is Marshall
Tracy Ference	Freedom
J Kay Gordon	In Cottonwood Shadows
Alec Hall	Newton's Apprentices II
Alec Hall	Pulling Hard II
Judy Harron	Garden Stained Glass
Suzy Hart	Within Mother Emanuel
Suzy Hart	Eurydice
L. Hudson-Tolles	Ancestry Passing By
Beverly Kies	Round the Bale
Toni Lindahl	Pond Abstractions
Toni Lindahl	The Great Escape
Luana Luconi Winner	China Series: Boats on Canal, Tong Li, Suzhou, China
Luana Luconi Winner	China Series: Restaurants on Canal in Tong Li, Suzhou, China
Linda Medders-Jackson	By Dawn's Light
Linda Medders-Jackson	Winning Charms
Meryl Meyer	Senor Toucan

Carolyn Molder	Harvest Time
Diane Pike	Total Chaos
Cheryl Powell	Judith Baking
Cheryl Powell	Crossing to Picton
Gary Rupp	Peace Like a River
Gary Rupp	Abundance
Donna Schultz	2Blue
Zoe Schumaker	Barnyard Strut
Susan Sinyai	Black and White and Red All Over
Susan Sinyai	The Approach
Anne Strutz	Story Time
Anne Strutz	Drummer Boy
Susan Voorhees	Victorian Bonnet
Pamela Winkler	Unattached

The opening reception and presentation of awards will be Saturday, October 21 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. at the Jailhouse Gallery, 115 E. Meeting St., Morganton, NC 28655. We are delighted to have the Burke Arts Council co-hosting this event ([www.burkearts.org](http://www.burkearts.org)). Dawn Emerson, show juror, will be joining us for the reception. We hope you will be able to attend. If not, we encourage you to view the show. Gallery hours are Monday through Friday 10 am – 4 pm, Saturday, 10 am – 3 pm. The Show closes November 17, 2017.

Dawn Emerson will also conduct a live painting demonstration from noon till 3 pm that day. The demo will be at the historic Burke County Courthouse, which is next door to the Jailhouse Gallery in Morganton. Dawn is an energetic artist, who paints with bold, dance-like gestures. Her approach is intuitive and experimental, and she often paints very different interpretations of the same subject. During this 3 hour event, she will paint two different subjects, and then allow some time for questions and answers and book signing. Copies of her recently released book "Pastel Innovations" will be available, as well as her three new DVDs. For more information on this exciting event, or to reserve your spot go to the APS website home page, [www.appalachianpastelsociety.org](http://www.appalachianpastelsociety.org). Tickets are \$25 in advance; \$30 at the door.