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Auditions/Call for Entries

• **ONGOING:** The Bristol Public Library invites artists, groups and curators to submit **proposals for exhibition** in the Virgie R. Fleenor Gallery. Work should exemplify the mission "Expanding Minds, Building Communities." Submit contact information, description including titles and dimensions, two to 10 images, résumé and dates to Bristol Public Library, Attn: TJ DeWitt, 701 Goode St., Bristol, VA 24201 or gallerly@bristol-library.org.

• **ONGOING: Public Art Kingsport** invites artists to submit proposals for exhibiting work in public gallery space in Kingsport, Tenn. All entries must be two-dimensional. Artists and organizations within 100 miles of the Kingsport area may apply. No entry fee. To apply, submit brief bio, artist statement and up to five images of work. Send entries to Kingsport Office of Cultural Arts, Renaissance Arts Center and Theatre, 1200 E. Center Street, Kingsport, TN 37660 or email bethestep@kingsporttn.gov.

• **ONGOING:** The Smithsonian's National Portrait Gallery announces an open call for submissions to its **Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition**. The competition invites artists (18 and over) in the United States to submit one portrait for consideration. Selected artworks are featured in a museum exhibition and some are awarded prizes. This year, the competition focuses on broadening the definition of portraiture. **Deadline is Sept. 3.** For more information or to enter, visit <http://portrait-competition.si.edu>.

• **AUG. 5, 11, 12 & 13:** Theatre Bristol, Bristol, Tenn., holds auditions for the musical **"Fiddler on the Roof."** Auditions are at 2:30 p.m., Aug. 5 and 12, at 10 a.m. Aug. 11 and at 6:30

p.m., Aug. 13. A poor milkman, determined to find good husbands for his five daughters, consults the traditional matchmaker and has a word with God in this play set in the Jewish community of a pre-revolutionary Russian village. 423-212-3625, www.theatrebristol.org

• **DEADLINE AUG. 8: Arts In The Park**, "Art In The Heart of Hamblen County," a one-day celebration of visual and performing arts scheduled for Sept. 15, in Morristown, Tenn., seeks artists' applications. Arts In The Park is a juried event. All work must be original to and created by the exhibitor. The application is at www.morristown-art.org. For information, contact Peggy Brewer, at pbrewer@charter.net, 423-312-8325 or visit www.morristownart.org.

• **AUG. 11: Bristol Ballet Company** holds **auditions** for its performing company and for **The Nutcracker** from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at its studio in Bristol, Va. Open to dancers intermediate or advanced level. 276-669-6051, www.bristolballet.org

• **AUG. 13 & 14:** Kingsport Theatre Guild holds auditions for **"Tambling of the Shrew"** at the Renaissance Center, Kingsport, Tenn., at 6 p.m. Come with a prepared 60-second monologue. You'll be asked to cold read from the script. 423-392-8427, www.kingsporttheatre.org

• **AUG. 16:** The Symphony of the Mountains holds **auditions** for the **Primo Orchestra**. Auditions are held at the Renaissance Center, Kingsport, Tenn. To audition, teachers should complete the checklist on the website and contact the symphony at 423-392-8423 to schedule an audition time. Audition requirements for the string ensemble include a solo selection, a scale and a sight-reading selection. www.symphonyofthemountains.org

• **AUG. 17 & 18:** The Symphony of the Mountains holds **auditions** for the **Youth Orchestra**. Auditions are

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held at the Renaissance Center, Kingsport, Tenn. Contact the symphony at 423-392-8423 to schedule an audition time. Audition requirements include a solo selection, scales and a sight-reading selection. For more information, visit www.symphonyofthemountains.org

• **DEADLINE AUG. 22:** The **FL3TCH3R Exhibit: Social and Politically Engaged Art** seeks entries. David Carson is the juror. Entries should express concern about social issues. Accepted categories include audio/sound, ceramics, digital, fiber, glass, graphic design, jewelry/metals, mixed media (2D and 3D), painting, performance/installation, photography, printmaking, sculpture, video/film and other. Cash prizes. A non-refundable fee of \$40 is required for submission of up to three entries, with an additional \$10 fee per artwork/title. Artists should submit entries online or consult the prospectus, which can be found at www.FL3TCH3Rexhibit.com/downloads/prospectus.pdf. The **extended deadline**, with an additional fee, is **Aug. 31**. www.FL3TCH3Rexhibit.com

• **DEADLINE AUG. 26:** The Arts & Culture Alliance of Greater Knoxville and the Metropolitan Knoxville Airport Authority (McGhee Tyson Airport) announce a call for entries for the **20th Arts in the Airport**, a juried exhibition. Approximately 40-45 fine art works encompassing all styles and genres from emerging and established artists comprise the exhibition. Open to

all artists 18 and older residing in the 33 counties of East Tennessee. Each artist may submit up to five entries, which must be original works in the following categories: 2-D (painting, drawing, mixed media, printmaking, photography) and 3-D (sculpture of all media). The nonrefundable entry fee is \$30 for up to five works (free for Arts & Culture Alliance members) and includes a six-month membership in the Arts & Culture Alliance. Cash prizes. More information and entry form are at www.knoxalliance.com/airport-entry/.

Comedy

• **AUG. 2: Vic Henley**, a comedy veteran of 30-plus years, performs at the Allandale Amphitheater, Kingsport, Tenn. He has appeared on HBO, CBS, NBC, FOX, BRAVO, CMT, MTV, A&E, The History Channel and more. He was a VH-1 VJ and has his own Comedy Central half hour special and performances on "The Late Show" and "The Tonight Show." Adults only. Local musician **Mike Milhorn** and friends open the concert. The event begins at 7 p.m., with food trucks opening at 6 p.m. Free. www.visitkingsport.com

• **AUG. 4:** Humorist **Jeanne Robertson** brings her "Rocking Chair" tour to The Paramount Center for the Arts Bristol, Tenn., at 8 p.m. At 75 years young, Robertson continues to charm audiences with her humorous observa-