

## **Competitors:**

Fifth Annual

### **"Battle of the Brushes".**

Saturday, June 20,

Participating artists, please sign in at the SSAC registration table at **1:00 pm** to be ready for the first round of battle

This year we are located at Mill St. and the river's edge of the Boyne River, *behind Details*. North side of Victoria Street in Downtown ALLISTON.

Our Guest Artist "Barbra Lica" performs at 2:00pm for 45 minutes.

### **The 1<sup>st</sup> round of painting begins at 2:45 pm**

Barbra Lica will perform again at 3:15 pm for 45 minutes

### **The 2<sup>nd</sup> round of painting begins at 4:00pm**

### **The final round of painting begins at 4:30 pm**

The total number of contestants will be split into 2 rounds. 2 winners in each round will compete in the FINAL round for the grand prize of \$500.00 and SECOND prize of \$250.00. We expect the 2 rounds and one final round, plus the silent auction to be complete at approximately 6:00pm.

**Email, Facebook, Twitter or call your friends and family.** We request your help in networking to spread the word of this event. The crowd votes for their favorite painting.

### **GUIDELINES:**

Artists must supply their own brushes, palette knives, cups or any other mixing/painting utensils desired.

Artists will be supplied with a blank 18" x 24" canvas on an easel, running water will be available.

You will be supplied with 5 colours of paint, 3 primary, white and black.

You will be given 20 minutes to create.

Things you may want to bring; rags, sun hat, sunglasses, plastic bag to take utensils home.

**Artists can certainly plan their painting in advance however no reference materials to look at during the event, this is what creates the wonderment of the**

**audience watching. No pencils, No masking tape.**

The completed canvas will go up for silent auction and is property of the South Simcoe Arts Council, all proceeds go to the South Simcoe Arts Council.

If you have a stand up easel please bring it along for stand-by.

**VOTING:**

One vote per person

\$2.00 per vote ticket, this includes a total of 5 votes - 2 votes for round 1&2 and one vote in the FINAL round.

All proceeds go to the South Simcoe Arts Council.

**RULES:**

Play fair and have fun.

Respect the neighbouring artists space.

Subject of painting, keep in mind this is a family event.

Artist not to supply additional paint colours or mixed media supplies.

No pencils or writing implements. No masking tape.

Please empty dirty water and/or unused paint into the buckets supplied.

Please take all your utensils with you when finished, a bucket of water will be supplied for cleaning.

In the event of a 3-way tie (or more) in rounds one and two, all 3 artists will compete in the FINAL round.

In the event of a 2-way tie (or more) for FIRST place in the FINAL round of competition, the total sum of \$500.00 will be evenly split between the artists.

In the event of a 2-way tie (or more) for SECOND place in the FINAL round of competition, the total sum of \$250.00 will be evenly split between the artists.

**SILENT AUCTION:**

Bidding starts at \$10.00.

All proceeds go to the South Simcoe Arts Council.

Payment by cash/cheque or VISA

**We are thrilled, and looking forward to a fun time, see you there.**