



NAWA

National Association of Women Artists, Inc.

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NAWA and The Gallery at Yellow Studio
Presents

Surface

(Signature Members Only)

July 12, 2025 – August 9, 2025

IN PERSON Reception- **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

Saturday July 19 2025, 4-6pm

at

The Gallery at Yellow Studio

792 NY-35, Cross River, NY 10518

Gallery Hours- Tuesday- Friday 11am-5pm; Saturday 11am-4pm

Sunday/Monday: CLOSED

The Gallery at Yellow Studio invites Signature Members of the National Association of Women Artists working across all mediums to submit work that interprets, challenges, or reimagines the concept of "surface."

ELIGIBILITY:

This NAWA juried exhibit is open to Signature NAWA MEMBERS only.

Entry Fee:

2 jpg images, \$40; 3 images \$45

SUBMISSIONS:

Log onto: www.thenawa.org

Click on: Current Prospectus on the home page.

Submissions are handled through www.showsubmit.com

Contact ShowSubmit Support at support@showsubmit.com.

If you have any questions on submitting to this exhibition, please contact:

exhibitions@thenawa.org

NAWA Entry Help

[Link to exhibition entry help.](#)

IMPORTANT DATES:

Submissions open	April 21, 2025
Submission deadline	May 19, 2025
Notification of Acceptance	Week of May 26, 2025
Hand Delivery Date	Tuesday, July 8, 2025, between 11 am – 5 pm
UPS/FEDEX Delivery Date	Between July 3 to July 8, between 11 am – 5 pm
Exhibition Opens	July 12, 2025
Exhibition Closes	August 9, 2025
Pick Up Date and Time	Sunday, August 10, 2025, 11 am -5 pm

ENTERING YOUR IMAGES:

- Entry form must be filled out in its entirety. List sizes up to the nearest inch. Size of work is framed size. Works over maximum size will be disqualified. Submitted images must not include matting or frame. Crop the photos to include only the artwork. Be sure your images are right-side-up.
- **Files must be 1500 px or over**, and if necessary, will be automatically resized to the correct specifications.
- Files will be automatically renamed using your Name, Title of work, Medium, Size and Price. You do not need to name your image files.
- For questions about the entry process or this website please contact ShowSubmit Support at support@showsubmit.com.
- Artwork must meet professional web standards. Blurry or poorly lit images will be disqualified.

GENERAL RULES & SPECIFICATIONS:

- Wall art must be no larger than 40 inches in any direction, including frame.
- Freestanding sculpture is limited to a 4 foot square footprint (2 feet x 2 feet) and 20 pounds maximum. Limited pedestals are available.
- Hanging sculpture must be no larger than 36 inches in any direction and weigh less than 15 pounds.
- Painting, collage, pastel, watercolor, photography, mixed media (framed under plexiglass, 2" deep max including frame) sought.
- Work must be professionally ready for hanging (wired no saw tooth hangers, no French cleats, no corner hanging hardware.)
- No exceptions.
- Please use plexiglass if shipping work.

- Accepted works cannot be substituted and must be available for the duration of the exhibition.
- ALL WORKS MUST BE FOR SALE. Price, title, dimensions of entered work cannot be changed.
- All works MUST be original - no reproductions or GICLEE PRINTS.
- Digital work must include "digital" in the medium and description.
- Any use of AI assistance must include the words "AI assisted" attached to medium. NAWA does not encourage use of AI in original artworks but will accept in some cases.
- Do not photograph your work in frames or show mats!
- Graphic violence and/or lewd sexual content prohibited. Nudes are acceptable at the discretion of the committee.
- Please note that any artwork that previously won a NAWA award is ineligible for submission to the current and future NAWA juried exhibitions.

PROMOTION:

List all Social Media Accounts (Website, Instagram, and Facebook) Advertising will be done by NAWA PR Committee.

ARTIST STATEMENT (250 word limit):

Tell us about your inspiration and/or creative process.

COMMISSIONS and SALES:

Prices may not be changed. The artist receives 60% of the stated price, NAWA's commission is 20% and the Gallery at Yellow Studio will receive 20%. The artist pays the cost of packing and shipping or delivering the work to the purchaser, and any appropriate taxes.

In the event of a sale through the NAWA website, where paid by PayPal, the PayPal fees (3.49%) will be deducted from the price before commissions to the venue, NAWA and the artist.

DELIVERY/SHIPPING

Hand delivery to the Gallery at Yellow Studio. 792 NY-35, Cross River, NY 10518 on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, between 11 am – 5 pm.. Shipping can arrive on or before Tuesday, July 8, 2025, between 11 am – 5 pm, a pre-paid bar coded return shipping label (UPS/FEDEX only) in normal size shipping box (we cannot store oversized boxes). **Please include signed contract and labels.**

In the event that work is not picked up from the gallery by the pick up date of Sunday August 10th by 5pm there will be a \$20 a day charge.

DELIVERY OF ACCEPTED WORK:

☐ I will ship my work.

☐ I will deliver my work in person.

How did you learn about this call for entries?

☐ Email

☐ Print advertisement

☐ From ShowSubmit platform

☐ Social Media post

☐ Word of mouth

NAWA WAIVER

WAIVER- Please read carefully, your delivery signifies agreement with NAWA

My application for entry into the Gallery at Yellow Studio exhibit entitled, Surface. Located at 792 NY-35, Cross River, NY 10518 binds me to the agreement as stated below, and I am to hold available said artwork from notification of acceptance on or around May 26, 2025, until the removal date of August 10, 2025.

In consideration of the display of my artwork, I hereby declare I am the owner and creator of the original artwork being submitted by me, both as to the artwork's physical manifestation and the copyright of the artwork. I accept full responsibility for any casualty of any kind while in the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. (NAWA) Surface Exhibition.

I understand that my work may not be included if it fails to meet professional presentation standards (as determined by the Exhibitions Committee), including but not limited to: unprofessional framing, sawtooth hangers (must be professionally wired), or delivering wrong work.

I hereby waive any and all claims against the National Association of Women Artists, Inc., as well as their employees, officers, directors and committee personnel.

Nevertheless, for the purpose of this agreement, I agree that the stated value of the artwork shall be One U.S.Dollar (1USD, \$1), in the event of any loss or damage to the piece of artwork.

I agree to allow an image of my artwork to be exhibited or to be used without charge for advertising and/or promotion in the furtherance of the Exhibition, and for other purposes including, but not limited to traditional media, social media, website, as well for public relations, prior to and/or during or after the Exhibition. In the case of the latter- after the exhibit, NAWA will ask permission if use is requested. **Click here to refuse permission to use artwork on Social Media.---** The waiver still holds you to use for publicity on traditional media and the NAWA website.

My work is to be available for sale at the price hereinbefore agreed on. I agree that if my work is sold during the exhibition, I will pay NAWA Headquarters 20%, Gallery at Yellow Studio 20% and I will retain 60% of the selling price. In the event of a sale, works purchased on www.thenawa.org will have PayPal's 3.49% fee deducted from the gross price (split between artist and NAWA).

Point of release clause: the work on exhibition is considered part of the exhibition from point of delivery between the dates of July 2, 2025 and the close of exhibition August 10, 2025. NAWA retains the right of discretion not to exhibit artworks if they do not meet the requirements of NAWA show standards, or contain any inflammatory or offensive materials.

Labels: NAWA is a not-for-profit art organization, and as such will not list anything other than the name of the artist, the title of the work, its dimensions, medium and price on the labels.

In the event of a dispute with regard to this Waiver Agreement, we agree that all disputes must be adjudicated in a State Court in the County, City and State of New York (i.e., Manhattan), under the Laws of the State of New York, without regard to choice of law rules.

Note: The use of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc.'s logo, without prior written permission is prohibited. The use of the registered Trademark Seal and the logo of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. for any personal or business use on any documents, postcards, invitations, and other promotional materials and communications is a violation of law.

Upon entering this competition, I agree to the policies of this Waiver. Signature below shows I agree to the policies of this Waiver, and those that indemnify The Gallery at Yellow Studio, below. Please sign and include with your delivery to the exhibition space.

Signature _____ Date _____

Artwork Label

Title of Exhibit: _____

Artist: _____

Email: _____

Phone #: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____

Size: _____ **Price:** _____

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