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Juror Dennis Reed

Dennis Reed taught drawing and painting for twenty years, mainly at Los Angeles Valley College where he currently is Dean of Fine, Performing and Media Arts. He is also a writer and curator who has organized one-person exhibitions of artists Doug Harvey, Emerson Woelffer, Walter Askin and Richard Pettibone, to name a few. He is perhaps best known for his work in photography, having organized exhibitions for such institutions as the Whitney Museum of American Art, the Corcoran Gallery (Washington, DC), the Oakland Museum, and The Huntington. He has written numerous essays and two books, *Japanese Photography in America, 1920-1940*, for the Japanese American Cultural Center, and (co-authored) *Pictorialism in California: Photographs, 1900-1940*, for the Getty Museum. His most recent essay is *The Wind Came from the East*, was published in 2008 by Stanford University in the book, *Asian American Art, 1850-1970*. He is a collector of art and photography, and his collections has been shown at such museum as the National Gallery of Australia, the Los Angeles County Museum of Art, the DeYoung Memorial Museum, the Houston Museum of Art, the Minneapolis Institute of Arts, to name a few. In 2006 the Santa Barbara Museum of Art presented two exhibitions highlighting his collection of photographs. The January 2008 issue of *Art on Paper* magazine included an article profiling Mr. Reed. In January he will assume the role of Chair of the Photographic Arts Council at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art.



Dates to Remember

Bring In:
Sun., Jan. 18 & Mon., Jan. 19, 2009
11am-2pm

Email Notification:
Tue., Jan 20, 2009

Non-chosen Work Pick Up:
Tue., Jan 20, 2009
12-7pm

Reception:
Sat, Jan. 24, 2009
4-7pm

After the Show Pick Up:
Sun., Feb. 1 & Mon., Feb. 2, 2009
11am-2pm

Buenaventura Gallery is owned and operated by the members of the Buenaventura Art Association, a California 501 (3) (c) nonprofit organization.



23rd Annual Open Competition Jan. 20 - Jan. 31, 2009



Bob Privitt's "Rockin' Red Ram Face"
First Place 3D, 22nd Annual Competition

Call for Entries

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Eligibility

This exhibition is open to professional and amateur artists from Ventura County. All entries must be original artwork: no student-supervised accepted. All work MUST be for sale. Entries must not have been entered in previous Buena Ventura Art Association Open Competitions.

Specifications

2D and 3D work accepted. Pieces must be available for the duration of the entire exhibit. They should be framed to professional standards and in a state suitable for final hanging and display. Must be wired for hanging — no saw-tooth hangers. There are some pedestals available for three-dimensional work.

Submissions

Artists may submit up to three (3) works of art for consideration. Drop-off dates are Sunday, Jan. 18 & Monday, Jan. 19 at the Buena Ventura Gallery between 11 - 2 pm. **Non-chosen works** must be picked up between 12 - 7 pm on the Tues., Jan. 20. Works not picked up will be subject to a \$5.00 per day storage fee. All works chosen will be subject to a 30% commission for members and 40% commission for non-members if sold during the course of the exhibition. Payment for works sold will be made at the beginning of the month following the sale. All decisions of the juror are final. The Buena Ventura Gallery

will exercise due care and handling of artwork, but will not be responsible for loss or damage.

By entering this competition, artist agrees to allow Buena Ventura Art Association to use images of artwork in promotional materials free of charge.

Fees

The fee for each piece submitted is \$12.00 for members and \$18.00 for non-members. All fees are non-returnable.

Awards

Best of Show	\$400
First Place	\$300
Second Place	\$200
Third Place	\$100

There will be ONE Best of Show award. There will be TWO First Place, Second Place and Third Place awards; one for 2D and one for 3D.

In addition, 2 non-cash Honorable Mentions will be awarded.

Reception

Artist Reception and award ceremony will be on Saturday, Jan. 24 from 4 - 7 pm.

After the Show

The exhibit ends on Saturday, Jan. 31, 2009. Works to be picked up either Sunday, Feb. 1 or Monday, Feb. 2 between 11:00 am and 2:00 pm. Works not picked up will be subject to a \$5.00 day storage fee.

Entry Form

Please fill out all parts of this form, WRITE LEGIBLY, Make out your checks to: Buena Ventura Art Association. Any questions, Call Gallery Director Christine Beirne at 805.648.1235.

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State/Zip _____
 Home# _____
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(Gray areas are for gallery use only)

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