

**23rd Annual Festival of Arts at Saint Francis of Assisi**  
*Art, Photography, and Poetry Exhibition and Sale*  
*Featuring Musical Performances*  
**April 18th, through and April 21st, 2024**

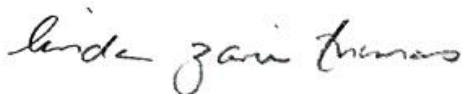
**Dear Artist:**

Thank you for entering your works of art in the 23rd Annual Festival of the Arts at Saint Francis of Assisi. We will see you on April 18-April 21, 2024 with the same beautiful event that inspires people of all ages at Saint Francis of Assisi school gym, 1 Father Hayes Drive, Haskell. It's my honor as part of our wonderful committee to help bring this beautiful, joyous event back to the community. Here is your application.

Things to note:

- After a successful night of International Dance/Music performances on Thursday night last year, we will once again host performers on **Thursday, April 18 6-10 PM**. The art exhibits will be open to the public at that time, too.
- There will be a Spotlight award this year for works depicting your artistic interpretation of "Water."
- You may enter up to three pieces of Adult art/photography/sculpture for \$50, three pieces of Adult poetry for \$30; High School two pieces for \$15 and Children one piece for \$5. Entered Art/Photography artists may submit up to 3 poems for \$15.
- We will be capping the total number of pieces at 700 so that the event looks its very best. Application deadline is when we reach this number or March 30, 2024, whichever comes first. Bio deadline is March 30.
- Drop-off Day will be Saturday, April 13th at the St. Francis of Assisi school building.
- Artist's reception Saturday, April 20 from 1-3. You will receive an invitation on Drop Off day Saturday, April 13th from 12-5 PM.

We all look forward to viewing your artistic work and seeing you once again. If you have any questions, please visit our website at [www.annualartfest.org](http://www.annualartfest.org) or contact me at [lindazanithomas@gmail.com](mailto:lindazanithomas@gmail.com)



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