Community Sponsored Awards Show

Judge's Statement

Thank you RAC for this opportunity to jury this engaging show by our very talented community members. I am so impressed by the diversity of styles, realism to abstraction; mediums, oils and acrylics, photography, collage, drawing, 3D; and subjects, nature, figures, and imagined. It is inspiring to see so many creative artists express their unique visions.

I want to congratulate all the artists who submitted work to this show. Choosing the winners was no easy feat, but an intriguing one. I felt that each piece expressed an interesting viewpoint and displayed technical skill. However, I did have to make choices. I believe my selections represent a cross section of the incredible diversity of our creative community.



RAC and its members make Rowayton a richer and more vibrant place.

Susan Hardesty, Juror

Judge's Bio

For the past 20 years, Susan Hardesty was Director of Exhibitions and The Collection at Norwalk Community College. She has curated and installed over 200 exhibitions, including alternative spaces promoting young, emerging artists. Susan also served as the Gallery Director at the Silvermine Arts Center before opening an art advisory. She is currently a 2022-2023 Korry Fellow at the Norwalk Arts Space, where she curated the show "Alternative Realities."