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2008 Best-in-Show
"Tectonic Shift"
Adam Adcock, Sculptor

The Caldwell Arts Council &
Tri-State Sculptors Association Present the

24th Annual Sculpture Celebration Friday & Saturday September 11-12, 2009

JE Broyhill Park
509 Ridge Street,
Lenoir NC

Artwork available for purchase
More than 75 sculptors
Live music and food vendors

EVENT IS FREE TO THE PUBLIC!

Non-Profit
Auto
US Postage
PAID
Lenoir, NC
Permit #218

Merit Awards

\$2,000 Caldwell Public Art Award
\$2,000 First Place Award
\$1,500 Second Place Award
\$1,000 Third Place Award
\$500 ea. Judge's Merit Awards (five awards)

NO COMMISSION is taken in the event of sales. Please invite gallery curators, friends, family and potential buyers whom you may know.

Directions

- Lenoir is at the crossroads of US 321 and NC 18.
- From the west, take Interstate 40 to its intersection with NC 18 in Morganton and go north to Lenoir to US 321/Highway 64/18 intersection. (See below*)
- From the north, take US 321 south from Boone and turn right onto Greenhaven Drive. (See below*)
- From the east, take US 421 from Winston-Salem to its intersection with NC 18 in Wilkesboro, and go west to US 321/Hwy 64/18 intersection. (See below*)
- From the south, go north to Interstate 40 and take either US 321 north from Hickory, or US 64 west from Statesville to US 321/Hwy 64/18 intersection. (See below*)
- *From the US 321/Hwy 64/18 intersection in Lenoir, go north on US 321 to the fourth stoplight, turn left onto Greenhaven Drive, and proceed approximately 1/2 mile to the JE Broyhill Park on the left.
- Signs leading to the park will also be posted throughout Lenoir.

Lodging:

Irish Rose Bed & Breakfast.....(828) 754-9691
Comfort Inn (Hwy. 321).....(828) 754-2090
Days Inn (Hwy. 321).....(828) 754-0731
Jameson Inn (Hwy. 90).....(828) 758-1200
Red Carpet Inn (Hwy. 90)(828) 758-4403
Free outdoor camping-Lenoir Aquatic & Fitness Center
(Contact Caldwell Arts Council for reservations).....(828) 754-2486

Our Partnership

The Caldwell Arts Council was organized and incorporated in 1976 to establish and maintain an awareness for and an appreciation of the cultural arts in Caldwell County. To this end, we encourage participation in arts events, promote the arts, assist in cultural planning for the community and offer educational opportunities. Finally, we support artists, arts agencies and their audiences.

The Tri-State Sculptors Educational Association was formed in 1978 by a group of sculptors from Virginia, South Carolina and North Carolina, to promote public awareness and appreciation of sculpture in the region and to exchange ideas and information among its members. Membership is open to anyone interested in sculpture, regardless of style, medium, education or location.

New This Year—Caldwell Public Art Award

This year we are introducing a new award category. The Caldwell Public Art Award will go to one artist for a one-year outdoor installation in Caldwell County from September 2009 to September 2010. The award includes a \$2,000 stipend to the winning artist. Digital entries for this award only are due to the Caldwell Arts Council by 5pm on August 1, 2009. Entry fee is waived if registered for the Sculpture Celebration or \$25 if only registering for the Caldwell Public Art Award.

Criteria:

1. Artist must reside in the United States.
2. Works entered must have been completed within the last 3 years and never been exhibited at the Sculpture Celebration.
3. Sculptures must be completed and ready for installation. Sculptors may enter a maximum of three completed works (the artist may submit two views of three works for a total of six images). Images or maquettes and models are not eligible for consideration.
4. The selected work will be exhibited in Caldwell County from September 2009 to September 2010. The sculpture is loaned for the specified time and will not be returned until said period is completed unless prior arrangements are made with the Caldwell Arts Council.
5. Work must be suitable for outdoor installation and must:
 - be structurally secured to the concrete pad with anchor bolts or similar devices
 - be capable of withstanding adverse weather conditions including high winds, below zero temperatures, heavy rain, etc.
 - be able to withstand a high traffic, public environment
 - be able to take into consideration the safety of the audience, and
 - be relatively maintenance free during the exhibition period.
6. The winning piece is invited to be exhibited at the Sculpture Celebration prior to installation at the site, but will not be entered for competition at the Sculpture Celebration.
7. The winning artist will be provided with lodging for both the delivery and pick up of the winning piece.
8. Some installation assistance will be provided by the Caldwell Arts Council.
9. Notice of Liability: All reasonable care and precaution will be taken in the handling and storing of materials submitted for this competition. Insurance will be provided for the borrowed object for the duration of the object's stay in Caldwell County, provided that the piece fulfills all the requirements in #5 above. Insurance will not cover damage to the piece due to poor construction or craftsmanship while creating piece or during shipping.
10. The Caldwell Arts Council reserves the right to photograph the chosen work for publicity, promotional, and archive purposes.
11. Participation in the entry process constitutes a full understanding and acceptance of the above conditions.

For each entered piece include the following information:

- Artist Name
- Dimensions of piece
- Medium

Images should be sent to info@caldwellarts.com

Judge—John Henry

John Henry is known worldwide for his large-scale public works of art, which grace numerous museum, corporate, public and private collections. His works are prominently exhibited in many American cities and states as well as throughout Europe and Asia.

John has shown his work extensively since the early 1960's and exhibits a definitive trademark style that is recognized internationally. His works range in scale from small tabletop pieces to some of the largest contemporary metal sculptures in the world.

The geometric forms that have defined John's work for more than forty years have their aesthetic and historical base in Constructivism.

He is now the Curator of the Outdoor Museum of Art at Chattanooga State College, Chattanooga, TN. Visit his website at <http://johnhenrysculptor.com>.

Schedule of Events

Friday, September 11th

1pm-7pm.....Park opens for on-site registration and site selection
 7:00pm.....Evening Dinner—Blue Jeans Preview Party*
 8:00pmIntroductions, Judge's slide show and open discussion

Saturday, September 12th

7:00am.....Park opens for on-site registration and site selection;
 continental breakfast available
 9:00am.....Exhibition opens; judging begins for Merit Awards
 3:30pmAwards presentation; Judge's walking tour of winners
 and discussion
 4:00pmExhibition closes
 4:00pm-7pm.....Removal of sculpture, cleanup of park

***Blue Jeans Preview Party**

On Friday, September 11th at 7pm at the J.E. Broyhill Park, peers, patrons and Judge John Henry will gather for dinner and music, followed by the Judge's slide show. Join with the other sculptors and talk about your work. Meet patrons and make friends in this party-like atmosphere. This event is included in your registration; your guests' meals are \$15.00 each (payable with your registration) and includes meal, beverage, beer, wine.

Guidelines

Sculptors may enter three works, indoor or outdoor sculpture. If your submission for the Installation Award is chosen, you may bring this piece as one of your three for display, but it will not be considered for further awards. This event is held outdoors, rain or shine. Photographic portfolios are encouraged. Pedestals, if needed, are the sculptor's responsibility. Security guards will patrol the park periodically from 7pm Friday to 7am Saturday. Work installed in the park overnight, however, will be left at the sculptor's risk.

All sculpture must remain on display in the park until 4:00pm on Saturday.

No alcoholic beverages are allowed at either the J.E. Broyhill Park or the City of Lenoir Aquatic & Fitness Center.

Registration Form

*clip out, include payment, and mail to
 Caldwell Arts Council, PO Box 1613, Lenoir NC 28645*

Please register early for best savings. Your registration includes:

- *Sculptor's Friday evening meal and Blue Jeans Preview Party*
- *A participant list of sculptors*
- *Assistance with unloading, installation, removal and reloading of your work*
- *Outdoor camping, with showers and full bathroom facilities, available free at the City of Lenoir Aquatic & Fitness Center*
- *Continental breakfast at the park on Saturday morning*

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

E-mail: _____

Please check all that apply, and include fees as noted:

Registration Fees (register early for best savings)

Student registration,\$30\$ _____
 Name of School: _____
 Pre-registration by July 31\$45.....\$ _____
 Pre-registration August 1-15\$50.....\$ _____
 Pre-registration August 16-September 10.....\$55.....\$ _____
 Registration on-site Sept. 11-12.....\$60\$ _____
 Entry for Caldwell Public Art Award.....\$25 or
 Free with Sculpture Celeb. Registration.....\$ _____

Blue Jeans Preview Party Friday, September 11, 7-8:30 pm (RSVP Yes or No)

I will attend the Blue Jeans Preview Party.....\$FREE to sculptors
 I will be accompanied by _____ guests, and
 have enclosed \$15 per guest.....\$ _____
 I cannot attend

Other Items:

I would like manpower assistance loading/unloading/
 placing my work.....\$FREE to sculptors
 Donation to the Caldwell Arts Council\$ _____
 Need Camping reservation for Friday night.....\$FREE to sculptors
 Membership with Tri-State Sculptors at \$35 (make
 separate check payable to Tri-State Sculptors).Sep. ck. enclosed

Payment Method

Total due\$ _____

Check(s) enclosed

Mastercard/Visa/Discover # _____

Expiration: _____ Signature: _____