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CURATOR'S REPORT - November 20, 2021

Welcome to the holiday season at the FCCA. The Frederick Gallery is presenting a national all-media juried exhibit "Winter White" representing artists from Virginia and seven other states including Hawaii, New York, Indiana, and Pennsylvania. We are excited to offer this winter themed show that is open to the public from November 27, 2021 through January 28, 2022, and I invite all to visit in person or view the show on our website at www.fccagallery.org.

The new 2022 Frederick Gallery Exhibition Schedule is available (in newsletter and on our website) for artists to review and plan for future submissions. I am excited that Jeffrey Allison of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts will be returning to the FCCA to jury and judge the February 2022 "All Photography" national exhibit, one of our most popular annual exhibitions. Entries are now being accepted online https://submissions.fccagallery.org/2022-02-all-photography/ or by emailing submissions to the curator at curator@fccagallery.org. Submission forms will be available at the docent desk for hand-delivered entries. Submission forms are no longer mailed USPS to artists but will be sent by email to all artists who previously requested mailings. Please contact the curator if you wish to be added to the calls-for-entries email list or would like to receive an email copy of the 2022 exhibit schedule.

Monthly FCCA Juror Talk/Awards videos will be posted on First Fridays on YouTube, with all videos available for viewing at later dates. I wish to thank the following: David C. Kennedy who generously volunteers his professional time as videographer for the FCCA; Olivia Sanderson our publicity and marketing chair; Maura Harrison our webmaster; Carolyn Beever our gallery photographer; the exhibition crews who take down and install exhibits; and the docents who keep our gallery open.

Best wishes to all as we enter this holiday season, and I encourage visitors to consider purchasing art as a lasting gift and a means of supporting our art community.

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