



CAPE CORAL ART CENTER

Merry & Bright ART MARKET

Spark Joy. Shop Local. Share Art.

**SHOP OUR SALE FROM
NOVEMBER 24 THROUGH DECEMBER 17**

HOURS

Mondays, Fridays, Saturday: 9 AM - 4 PM

Tuesdays, Wednesday, Thursdays: 9 AM - 8 PM

Closed on Sundays

Closed on November 26 & 27



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Merry & Bright Art Market Prospectus

Registration Deadline: Friday, November 13, 2026, by 4pm

Vendor Number Deadline: Friday, November 20, 2026, by 12pm

Receiving: Saturday, November 21, 9am-12pm & Monday, November 23, 9am-12pm

On Display: November 24 – December 17, 2026

Removal: Friday, December 18, 2026, 9am-12pm

Venue: Side Gallery, Building 2; Cape Coral Art Center 4533 Coronado Pkwy Cape Coral, FL 33914

Attention all local artisans, Art Center students, instructors, and passionate creators - the Merry & Bright Art Market is your chance to shine! This annual fine art sale is a holiday shopping destination, where the public eagerly awaits to discover unique, handmade treasures crafted by our vibrant community. With an eager audience ready to support small businesses and champion local artistry, prepare to be Merry & Bright this holiday season.

Registration is at the front desk in Building 2. You will receive your artist number, inventory sheet, price stickers and vendor registration instructions. You may not participate if this is not completed by the deadline listed above.

Eligibility

- Artists must be over the age of 18.
- Submissions must be original works created by the submitting artist. No AI submissions, in whole or partial, will be accepted.
- Works may be in any medium, including but not limited to: painting, pottery, sculpture, photography, digital art, printmaking, mixed media, and textile arts.

Submission Guidelines

- Local artists can submit a maximum of **25** pieces of artwork at any given time with no registration fee up front.
- Work is not required to be holiday themed; however, holiday-themed work will also be accepted.
- Due to the nature of our government-owned parks and recreation facility, our space maintains a neutral, family-friendly policy and does not accept submissions containing nudity, gore, or other explicit content. Discretion may be applied on a case-by-case basis. Please contact us if you have any questions.
- All pieces must be listed on your inventory sheet, priced, and labeled with the artist number you were assigned at pre-registration.
- Prices are pre-determined by the artist(s) for each piece of artwork. Sets must be packaged together and cannot be separated while on display.
- Hanging works must not exceed 50 lbs. Artwork intended to hang from the ceiling is limited to 5 lbs. The artist will accept any means used by the Gallery Committee to enable a piece to be displayed.
- Artists are responsible for the delivery and removal of artworks and must take packing materials home. Cape Coral Art Center is not responsible for storing boxes or packing supplies for the duration of the event.
- The artist is not expected to be present during the event.
- Sales are allowed up until the moment works are picked up during removal on Friday, December 18, 2026, by 12pm.
- If an artist(s) sells more than 5 works, artist(s) are welcome to bring in more works, not to exceed the maximum amount of **25** works for sale at any given time.
- Pieces delivered after the deadline must be approved and arranged with Art Center staff with a specific drop off time coordinated on a specific date.
- CCAC will take all appropriate measures to monitor our Merry & Bright Art Market inventory. However, CCAC is not held responsible for any damage or theft related to artwork exhibited.
- Any artwork that is left longer than 30 days after the removal date will be donated to the Cape Coral Art Center. Staff will provide a courtesy reminder via phone and email to all artists during that 30-day period.
- Artists receive 70% of the listed price of the artwork sold. A 30% consignment fee is charged by the Art Center.
- Payment will be dispersed via the preferred method selected during vendor registration (either mailed via a physical check OR electronic funds transfer) after the Merry & Bright Art Market fine art sale ends. Every effort will be made to pay artists as quickly as possible. Please allow a period of up to four weeks after the removal date of Merry & Bright Art Market to receive payment.

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