

CALL TO ARTISTS / PROSPECTUS

- Volcano Biennial Wood Show –

at **Volcano Art Center,**

Niaulani Campus,

July 19 - August 10th, 2025

Rules

- Each entrant can submit up to 3 pieces of work. The show committee/Jury has the discretion of choosing work subject to available space.
- Participants are encouraged to use woods from Hawai'i-grown trees. Endangered woods are not permitted. **SIZE RESTRICTIONS:** Maximum size for wall-mounted work: 36" x 36" x 8" depth. Maximum size for freestanding work: 60 x 48 x 36" height. All freestanding work must be stable. Any work weighing over 50lbs should be discussed with gallery director before entry. Please call Emily at (808) 967-8222 if necessary.
- Entries are available in the following categories: Furniture, Musical Instrument, Sculpture, Turning, Accessories
- Divisions include: Experienced, Novice and Student Woodworkers.
- Entries must remain on display for the duration of the show whether sold or not.
- There will be an artist/ VAC split of 60/40 on all sales.
- Items made from pre-fabricated kits will not be accepted.
- VAC is not liable for damages incurred to any entry. Entrants can minimize risk by self-insuring and carefully crating works. Each online entry submitted serves as acknowledgement that the applicant indemnifies VAC against damage or loss incurred in any phase of handling.
- It is possible for interested artists to obtain a free slab of donated, dimensional lumber from old growth koa wood, responsibly harvested from a fallen tree in Volcano for inclusion into their submitted work of art. For complete details please contact gallery@volcanoartcenter.org by March 28th, 2025. Be prepared to discuss your design idea if requesting a piece of the donated, salvaged wood.

Application

- online registration will open on **April 1st, 2025** and must be submitted by **June 30th, 2025 at 11:59pm.**

- You can register online at www.volcanoartcenter.org/gallery/call-to-artist/
- A non-refundable entry fee must accompany each application: \$30 for one entry and \$10 for each additional entry. VAC members may enter at a discounted rate of \$20 for one entry with \$10 per additional entry. All entrants are required to sit one 4 hour do-cent shift during the exhibition. An additional \$20 may be submitted per artist to cover this requirement.
- Submit one overall image and one detail image for each piece submission.
- Submit an artist's bio

Notice of acceptance via email on or before July 10th

Delivery of Artwork -

All accepted entries must be delivered on, or by Tuesday 14, 2025, either in person or by carrier. VAC reserves the right to omit from the exhibition accepted works that differ dramatically from what is represented by the photo submitted.

Awards -

Awards for 1st Place (\$1000), 2nd Place (\$500) and 3rd Place (\$250) will be decided by jurors in the professional category. Honorable mention awards with a cash award (\$100 each) will be awarded in the novice and student categories.

Timeline –

June 30, 2025	Entry Submission Deadline
July 10, 2025	Notice of Acceptance
July 14, 10AM – 2PM	Delivery of work at Hale Ho`omana, VAC's Niaulani Campus in Volcano Village, or via mail no later than July 15
July 19, 2023 4-6PM	Opening reception/Awards Presentation
July 19 – August 10, 2025	Exhibition open, Tuesdays - Sunday 10AM – 4PM
August, 10th 2025	Exhibition closes, 4PM
August 11-13, 2025 10AM – 2PM	Pick-up of work at Hale Ho`omana or pre-arrange shipping at artists expense.

All sales and sold works will be handled by VAC. Please let us know of special crating requirements if necessary upon entry.

Volcano Art Center Coordinator - contact cateyemily@gmail.com or call (808) 967-8222