

# ART + Words

**A MSA MEMBERS SHOW – in the Main Gallery**

**Unjuried Show Entry, Prizes Awarded**

**SHOW DATES: February 4 through February 28, 2026**

**Theme:** Words that inspire! Use poetry, literature, quote, phrase, or a single word to give meaning to your artwork. At receiving, bring a 4" x 6" card with your text for each work of art. The card will be hung next to your artwork. All styles of art and mediums are welcome (except film and video).

**Show Chairs:** Gail Andersen [gailsuzanne1@gmail.com](mailto:gailsuzanne1@gmail.com) and Bette Trono [btrono1@yahoo.com](mailto:btrono1@yahoo.com)

**Reception:** Friday, February 13th, 5-8 pm in the main gallery. Coincides with 2nd Friday Art Walk

**Receiving: Sunday, February 1, 2026, noon-3pm, Monday, February 2, 2026, 10am-1pm.**

**Eligibility:** Open to all current MSA members. Members are invited to submit up to three (3) of their original works. Members with a “volunteer” membership must be current with their volunteer contributions, (i.e. must commit to volunteering at least 2 hours per month)

**Fees:** \$25 for one piece, \$35 for two pieces and \$40 for three pieces. Check or cash only (exact change please)

**Requirements:** Artwork must follow the Specifications for Exhibited Artwork shown on MSA website.

1. Bring your 4"x 6" card with text for each artwork entry. Please be sure to have your name on the 4 x 6" card.
2. No item should be removed by the artist before the show closes.
3. MSA gallery receives 30% of the sale price from sold works.
4. Reproductions of completed artwork are not accepted. (This does not apply to photographic or digital artwork)
5. Artwork must be identified on the back in a secure manner with the artist's name, contact information and title of the work.
6. Complete the entry form available on the MSA website.

**Awards:** First Place, Second Place, Third Place and Honorable Mention awards will be given.

**Jurors:** MSA EAC show chair(s) + juror volunteer(s) will jury this member show.

**Pick up:** After the show, artists must pick up their work on Sunday, March 1, 12-3 pm or Monday, March 2, 10-1pm. Please contact the show chairs if other arrangements need to be made at [shows@msartists.org](mailto:shows@msartists.org)

MSA has no storage space for work not picked up and is not responsible for remaining artwork. Work not picked up within 7 days will be considered a donation to MSA. Marin Society of Artists accepts no responsibility for loss or damage of work. Marin Society of Artists reserves the right to photograph any artwork for publicity purposes.