

# AARP Foundation 2009 “America: Then and Now” Calendar Contest Entry Form

INTERNAL USE ONLY:

ENTRY #: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Size of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium Used (*check one*):     Oil     Watercolor     Acrylic

Brief Description of Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name (*please print*): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number & Alternate Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

AARP Membership ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature — I accept the Terms and Conditions (*see reverse*):

PLEASE SEE REVERSE FOR CONTEST REQUIREMENTS.

Please check here to receive a list of the winners when available.

Complete and mail this entry form along with either

1) a color slide, or

2) a CD (compact disc) with a JPEG image of your painting to:

**AARP Foundation 2009 Calendar Contest**

**PO BOX 93028**

**Long Beach, CA 90809-3028**

OFFICIAL RULES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THEM ARE ENCLOSED.

Entries must be postmarked by  
May 31, 2008.

Due to volume of entries, slides  
and CDs will not be returned.

Winners will be notified on or  
about June 18, 2008.

## Contest Requirements:

- Contest is open to amateur artists who are AARP members (see "Official Rules")
- AARP employees (and their family members) and winners of the 2008 AARP Foundation Calendar Contest are not eligible to enter the 2009 Calendar Contest.
- Artwork must prominently depict the theme: "America: Then and Now"
- Artwork must be an oil, watercolor or acrylic painting on a flat, 2-dimensional surface and feature an image of either the past or the present.
- Do not send original artwork with your entry (If you are chosen as one of the 14 winners you will be asked to donate your original piece of art and you will be instructed on how to submit). Only color slides or a CD with a JPEG image will be considered for entry.
- Images on slides or CDs must be clear and accurately represent the original artwork; Do not affix tape or any other adhesive to any part of the slides. Damaged slides or CDs will be disqualified.
- You may enter as many paintings as you wish, but separate entry forms must accompany each color slide or CD (and each CD may contain only one image).
- Contest winners must donate and ship their original artwork to the AARP Foundation. To obtain reimbursement for reasonable shipping costs, winners must submit a receipt for their shipping costs to the AARP Foundation. The AARP Foundation will not reimburse contestants or winners for the costs of art supplies and materials or for the costs of preparing color slides or CDs with JPEG images of entry artwork.
- Winners must sign a liability, publicity and copyright release for the benefit of the AARP Foundation.
- By entering, you agree to be bound by the complete Official Rules for the Contest and the additional Terms and Conditions printed below.

## Terms & Conditions:

By signing and submitting this form, I, the Artist, acknowledge that I have read and agree to be bound by these Terms & Conditions and the Official Rules of the Contest.

I understand that I will retain the copyright in the submitted artwork. However, by entering the contest, I hereby grant AARP Foundation the following rights:

- AARP Foundation shall have exclusive first worldwide publication rights in and to all entries for the period up to winner selection (which means that entrants may not otherwise publish their work during this period) and AARP Foundation shall retain exclusive first worldwide publication rights in all winning entries for the period up to publication of the works in the 2009 AARP Foundation Calendar.
- AARP Foundation shall have the right to display all winning entries at the 2008 Life @ 50+ National Event and Expo taking place September 4-6, 2008.
- Following exclusive first publication of winning entries in the 2009 AARP Foundation Calendar, AARP Foundation shall have the non-exclusive worldwide right and license, in perpetuity, to reprint, make copies, distribute, publish, archive, publicly display and otherwise use the winning paintings, and any derivative works created therefrom, in whole or in part, for any commercial or promotional purpose, through any media or medium now known or developed in the future, including without limitation, microfilm, microfiche, electronic, magnetic or optical media, the internet, CD-ROM, and retrievable computer database (regardless of whether the artwork may be accessed individually or in conjunction with other materials), without limitation or further compensation. AARP Foundation also may authorize and/or sublicense others to do the same.
- With respect to any use(s) authorized in this grant of rights, AARP Foundation shall have the right to size, adapt, edit, modify, alter, crop, digitize and/or manipulate the artwork in connection with such use(s).
- AARP Foundation shall have the right to use the Artist's name, biographical information, and/or likeness in connection with the artwork, in any media or medium now known or hereafter developed, for any commercial or promotional purpose, without limitation or further compensation.
- All rights granted hereunder are irrevocable and may be exercised by AARP Foundation or by third parties authorized or sublicensed by AARP Foundation (including without limitation, third party reprint services, Internet sites, or archivists).

Furthermore, I represent, warrant and agree to the following:

- I am the sole owner of the artwork and the artwork has not been previously published in any form.
- Nothing in the artwork is or will be defamatory, will invade the rights of privacy or publicity, or will infringe the copyright or any other rights of any person, partnership, corporation, or other entity.
- I will not have the right to review or approve any use and/or display of my artwork by AARP Foundation, and will not receive any compensation from AARP Foundation for such use and/or display. I understand that the use, display and/or removal from display of the artwork by AARP Foundation is entirely at the discretion of AARP Foundation.
- In the event my artwork is selected as a winner by AARP Foundation, I will donate the original artwork to AARP Foundation for sale at auction with proceeds going to the AARP Foundation, a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt non-profit organization. I understand that tax deductions for self-created art are limited to the artist's basis (expense of creating the art – cost of frames, paints, canvas, etc.) and that AARP Foundation will not make a determination (for purposes of my own personal tax calculation) regarding the value of the art donated.
- I hereby waive, and release and hold harmless AARP Foundation, its licensees, parents, subsidiaries, affiliated entities, and advertising and promotion agencies, and their respective officers, agents, directors, contractors, and employees (collectively, "Releasees") from and against any liability for, any claims, costs, liabilities, injuries, losses or damages of any kind (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising directly or indirectly out of or in connection with the Contest and/or any use or display of the artwork, including, without limitation, any and all claims based on publicity rights, defamation or invasion of privacy, or the violation of any intellectual property rights, and any claims arising out of any changes or distortions to the artwork, whether intentional or otherwise, including but not limited to blurring, distortion, alteration, optical illusion, or use in composite form, or through the use of any accompanying materials or text. I agree to cooperate with the Releasees if any complaints, claims or litigation should arise regarding the artwork.

Winning entries will be on display at the 2008 Life @ 50+ National Event and Expo taking place in Washington, DC, September 4-6, 2008. The original works will then be sold at auction to benefit AARP Foundation. Winners will be invited to attend the National Event and Expo and may be invited to attend various events promoting the AARP Foundation calendar and their winning artwork. (Attendance at such events is optional and is not a condition of winning. While AARP Foundation encourages and welcomes winners to attend, the Foundation will not pay for travel or other expenses in connection with these events).