

67th Otero Arts Festival Visual Arts Winners, 2023

Best of Show, Senior

Emily Malec

Title: Weeping Willows Medium: Tempera

School: La Junta Jr/Sr High School

Grade: 9

Instructor: Justin Miller

Best of Show, Junior

Andy Scuzzaro Title: Sunflower Medium: Collage

School: Fowler Jr High School Instructor: Rebecca Caterina

Otero College Visual Art Scholarships

Amelia Sollenbarger Homeschooled

Instructor: Cynthia Sollenbarger

Evan Hackler

Fowler High School

Instructor: Rebecca Catherine

Otero College Visual Art Scholarship Alternates

Jessica Solis

Granada High School Instructor: Anne Melton

Liliana Maes

Rocky Ford Jr/Sr High School Instructor: Cindy VonFeldt

President's Award

Allyah Garner Title: Mushy

Medium: Acrylic, Grade 12

School: Genoa-Hugo High School

Instructor: Jill Hollowell

President's Award

Amelia Sollenbarger

Title: Snaxton

Medium: Pencil, Grade 12 School: Homeschooled

Instructor: Cynthia Sollenbarger

Visual Arts Senior Portfolios

1st Place, Amelia Sollenbarger

Homeschooled, instructor Cynthia Sollenbarger

2nd Place, Evan Hackler

Fowler High School, instructor Rebecca Caterina

3rd Place, Jessica Solis

Granada High School, instructor Anne Melton

4th Place, Mark Reed

La Junta Jr/Sr High School, instructor Justin Miller

Honorable Mention, Cody Lockhart

Swink School, instructor Crystal Cuckow

Judge's Selection, Senior

Rafe Cousins

Title: Lunch

Medium: Clay, Grade 12

Lamar High School, instructor John Gersick

Judge's Selection, Junior

Kory Pieper

Title: Picasso Portraits

Medium: Tempera, Grade 8

Fowler Jr High School, instructor Rebecca Caterina

Judge's Choice, Senior

Kaden Longworth

Title: Desperate for Attention

Medium: Photography Combination, Grade 12 Granada High School, instructor Tonya Kempa

Judge's Choice, Junior

Tay'lor Archuleta

Title: Flower

Medium: Printmaking / Block Soft-Kut, Grade 8

Rocky Ford Jr High School, instructor Cindy VonFeldt

Judge's Artistry Award, Senior

Jolynn Goodwin

Title: Dragon of Dreams

Medium: Foil Pillow, Grade 11

Swink School, instructor Crystal Cuckow

Fine Arts League, Southeastern Colorado Awards Visual Arts Senior Portfolio Award

Jessica Solis

Title: Stigma

Medium: Acrylic, Grade 12

Granada High School, instructor Anne Melton

FAL Senior Awards

Destiny Garcia Title: Stranded Medium: Batik

Granada High School, instructor Anne Melton

Rafe Cousins

Title: Broken Humans

Medium: Clay

Lamar High School, instructor John Gersick

FAL Junior Awards

Lorelai Woods

Title: Bro

Medium: Combination Mixed Media

Fowler Jr High School, instructor Rebecca Caterina

Ally DePriest Title: Siblings

Medium: Printmaking

Rocky Ford Jr High School, instructor Cindy VonFeldt

Southeast Colorado Creative Partnership Awards

Amelia Sollenbarger Visual Arts Senior Portfolio #12 Homeschooled, instructor Cynthia Sollenbarger

Carolina Cortez Visual Arts Senior Portfolio #8 Rocky Ford High School, instructor Cindy VonFeldt