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## WILD BOOK SHOW

## **PROSPECTUS for 2015**

Artists are invited to make a book celebrating our "wild" environment, from the microscopic to the cosmic. The Wild Book show began as a celebration of the wilds of the Point Reyes National Seashore but this year we are expanding our topic to include the whole wild universe! Wild Books will be sold through a silent auction to benefit GRO's Artists in the Schools program. Along with the silent auction, the exhibition includes wild books by students in West Marin's Schools, and work by featured artist Dylan Welch. *The Wild Book Show is co-sponsored by Gallery Route One and Point Reyes Books.* 

The Wild Book Show is not a juried exhibition; books for the auction are accepted on a first-come basis but GRO reserves the right not to accept or exhibit books that do not meet exhibition guidelines. Please read the guidelines carefully. Wild Book artists receive 50% of the auction price of their book if it is \$50 or more, or may choose to donate the entire sale to GRO's Artists in the Schools program.

Exhibition dates: December 11, 2015 – January 17, 2016. Opening reception: Sunday, Dec. 13, 3 to 5 pm; closing Salon, Sunday, Jan. 17, 4 pm. Delivery dates: Saturday, Dec. 5 from 11 am– 5 m or Monday, Dec. 7 from 10 to noon. Books mailed to GRO must arrive by Monday, Dec. 7. Unsold books must be picked up on Sun., Jan. 17, 5–5:30 pm or Mon., Jan.18, 10 to noon. Unsold books that are not picked up become the property of Gallery Route One.

## WILD BOOK SHOW GUIDELINES

- Book adheres to our topic: Celebrating the Wild Environment (microscopic to cosmic)
- Book is labeled (or has a label securely attached) with Title, Artist's name and contact information.
- Book is for sale (silent auction starting bid is \$25)
- Can withstand respectful handling by the public (gloves will be provided)
- Does not contain live creatures
- Is not made with offensive smelling materials

## HOW TO ENTER

• Send an Email stating your intent to exhibit to projectspace@galleryrouteone.org. Subject line: Wild Book Show. In the body of your email include your name, email address, phone number and mailing address. Sending an intent to exhibit email is not required (you can still bring in a book during the delivery period) and does not strictly commit you to making a book, but it will insure a place for your book in the exhibition (if it meets the guidelines) and will let us keep you informed of additional events planned around the Wild Book Show.

• Follow the guidelines in making your book

•Deliver your book on time! Please note the delivery dates above. Books coming in late will not appear in publicity and may not be exhibited due to lack of space.

For more information email projectspace@galleryrouteone.org