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GLENDALE CHOCOLATE AFFAIRE FEATURES PLEIN AIRE COMPETITION OPEN TO ALL ARTISTS

GLENDALE, Ariz. – The Glendale Chocolate Affaire, held in Historic Downtown Glendale Feb. 4-6, will include a Plein Air competition again this year, open to all artists 18 and older, on Saturday only between 8 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

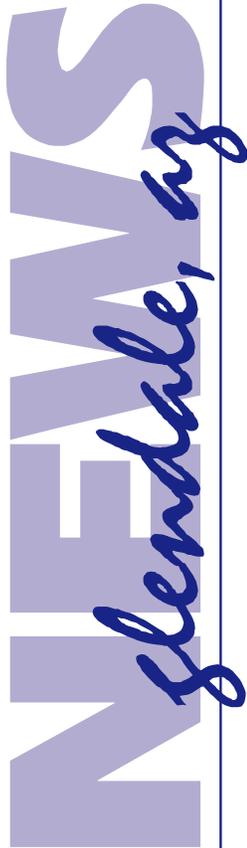
Interested artists must register between 8-10:30 a.m. at the Promenade on Paltaire, located at 5835 W Paltaire Ave., and have their canvas, panels or paper stamped prior to any work being done (no exceptions). Information on rules, and the submission and jury process can be found on the city's website at www.glendaleaz.com/arts.

Awards will be presented in the following categories and will be accessioned into Glendale's permanent collection upon completion of the event:

- **Best of Show.** One (1) \$1,000.00 Best of Show award will be presented.
- **Portraiture.** One (1) \$500.00 award will be presented.
- **Landscape/Cityscape.** One (1) \$500.00 award will be presented.
- **Architecture.** One (1) \$500.00 award will be presented.
- **Anima/Fauna.** One (1) \$500.00 award will be presented.
- **Abstract.** One (1) \$500.00 award will be presented.

Awards will not be presented on the day of the event. All funds will be disbursed within 30 days. For further information, contact Mojgan at mvahabzadeh@glendaleaz.com , or Judy at jfleming@glendaleaz.com.

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