



Raptor Research Foundation 2019 Conference & Art Show

The Raptor Research Foundation (RRF) is an international scientific society whose primary goal is the accumulation and dissemination of scientific information about raptors. Additionally, RRF is dedicated to the training of the next generation of raptor researchers through networking and training opportunities. This conference will bring raptor researchers, biologists, scientists and students from all over the world to Northern Colorado. The Rocky Mountain Raptor Program (RMRP), a local nonprofit, and EDM International are the co-hosts of the RRF conference this year

The RMRP's mission "To inspire the protection and appreciation of raptors and the spaces where they live through excellence in rehabilitation, education, and research" is perfectly aligned with the mission of the RRF. The nonprofit provides a vital role in community education and outreach by providing hands-on learning about raptor species and the environment. "We want to inspire our youth to find the beauty and diversity in nature, which we hope, will lead them toward a higher desire to protect our ecosystems as they grow older," says RMRP Assistant Director, Lisa Winta. When RMRP was selected to host the RRF conference, they wanted to involve the surrounding community. This led to the idea of an art show to display the talent of the Fort Collins area throughout the conference for all to enjoy.

The submitted artwork will be displayed November 7th, 8th, & 9th at the Fort Collins Hilton. The artwork can be sold; if artists choose to do so, a portion of the proceeds will go to the 2019 RRF conference. See registration form for fee payment and artwork delivery. If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Winta at the RMRP, Lisa@rmp.org or (970) 484-7756.

Guidelines for Art Submittal:

- Deadline for art submittal is October 15, 2019.
- Artwork **must be** focused around raptors.
- This is open to students (3rd grade to 12th grade), college students, and professional/non-professional adults.
- Fee for submittal: *Entry Fees are Non-refundable*
 - School(3rd- 12th): No fee
 - College Students: \$10
 - Adults: \$30
- Only 1 art submittal per person.
- Artwork must be ready for display. If artwork is wall-art, the School category does not need to frame artwork. College and Adult categories must have work framed and wired for hanging.
- Any medium of art is allowed.
- Art shown can be sold- a percentage of the final sale price will be donated to the 2019 RRF conference, no less than 20%, with 80% going to the artist. You may choose to give more than 20% to the RRF conference. The RMRP will be responsible for any financial transactions.
- The conference committee reserves the right to not display every piece of artwork received, dependent on a number of factors which may include: work is offensive, not raptor related, the art-show is low on space, and/or other circumstances may arise.

Raptor Research Foundation Art Show Registration

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

You are:

- 3rd-12th grade student (No fee)

Please state school and grade level: _____

- College student (\$10)

Please state school and year: _____

- Adult (\$30)

Title of Artwork: _____

Medium: _____

Size: _____

Is the art for sale? Y/N: _____ Price: _____

*Instead of 20% of my sale going to the RRF conference, I would like to donate: _____50% of the sale price, or _____100% of sale to the RRF Conference. If nothing is checked then 20% will go to the RRF Conference.

Please note that a minimum of 20% of final sale price goes to the 2019 RRF conference and 80% goes to the artist

Registration fees can be paid by cash, credit card, or check.

- Please make checks payable to: Rocky Mountain Raptor Program. Mail to the address below.
- If paying by cash, please bring to the RMRP 's physical address listed below.
- If paying by credit card, please call the RMRP phone number listed below.

If you would like to drop artwork off at the RMRP, a delivery appointment must be made with Lisa Winta. She can be reached at the RMRP phone number below or Lisa@rmrp.org.

Mailing Address: (To mail payment or artwork)	Physical Address: (To deliver payment or artwork)	RMRP Phone
2519 S. Shields St., #115 Fort Collins, CO 80526	720 E. Vine Dr., #B Fort Collins, CO 80524	(907)-484-7756

The Rocky Mountain Raptor Program, EDM, and/or the Raptor Research Foundation are not responsible for any damage to work that occurs during shipping. Artist must ship artwork in sturdy, reusable shipping container. Artists are responsible for arranging pick up/return (including any shipping costs) of their artwork after November 10, 2019. Any artwork not retrieved by December 31, 2019 becomes the property of the Rocky Mountain Raptor Program. The Rocky Mountain Raptor Program will be responsible for any sales and associated sales taxes. Within 30 days of the sale of artwork the RMRP will provide a check to the artist for their sale.