

CALL FOR ENTRIES



Wish you were here!

ANNOUNCING A PAINTING AND PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST!



We are looking for 12 (one for each Midwestern state) images that captures and defines the American Midwest's foodscape: mythic + nostalgic + the Midwest's rapidly changing profile = a portrait of Midwestern Food.

Pictures of: farmers, pies, markets, restaurants, state fair, kitchen tables, slaughterhouses, covered dishes, BBQ, mills, corn, church suppers, cooks, bratwurst, agriculture, Betty Crocker inspirations, deep-dish pizza, and what ever else catches your eye.

Entries will be reviewed by an esteemed panel of judges including Brian Wallis, Deputy Director for Exhibits and Collections/Chief Curator at the International Center of Photography, New York and Debra Brehmer, art historian and director of the Portrait Society Gallery, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Winning entries will be displayed and auctioned at the **LONGHOUSE FOOD REVIVAL** and will be featured on the LongHouse website. Artists will be interviewed for our online journal, which reaches a broad media savvy readership across the states and beyond. Color postcard-sized reproductions will be printed.

Based on the 19th century American Chautauqua movement, LongHouse Food Revivals are a series of annual gatherings of thought leaders across the United States. The revivals are designed to stretch the

boundaries of how food stories are told, raise the bar on the nation's food news agenda, and most of all, foster community between generations, regions, cultures, and media platforms that support innovative work of the highest quality.

ENTRY DETAILS:

Artists are invited to submit up to six jpegs (at 300 dpi) of paintings or photographs. Please zip one folder of jpegs, titled with "Your Name/Wish You Were Here" and send to: admin@cooknscscribe.com

Send pictures and a brief bio, or send pictures to show us your working style and a equally brief (200 words) proposal of work you'll produce to meet our theme.

ENTRY DEADLINE: APRIL 20TH
NOTIFICATION: MAY 1ST

Original work should be no larger than 5' x 5'. Winning entries will be shipped to Rensselaerville, NY by Sept. 1, 2014. Artworks will be auctioned at the LongHouse Food Revival on Sept. 12-14th. Artists will receive 60% of revenue from the sale of their painting/photos. We encourage you to price the work to sell—unsold works will be returned in early October, 2014. Winning images will be photographed and reproduced as a series of "travelogue" postcards. LongHouse retains the rights to these postcards and can reproduce and use them for promotional purposes.