



**47th Annual
Raymond James Gasparilla Festival of the Arts**

The Raymond James Gasparilla Festival of the Arts is a premier juried outdoor fine art and fine craft festival featuring national and international award-winning artists.

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Dates: Saturday, March 4, 2017—9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, March 5, 2017—10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Location: Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park and Kiley Garden, Downtown Tampa

Admission: Free

Estimated Attendance: 100,000

Festival Juror: Mark Ormond

Major Festival Sponsors: Raymond James Financial, City of Tampa

Accepted Media:

Ceramic, digital, drawing, fiber, glass, jewelry, mixed media, painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture, watercolor and wood

Awards Ceremony & galaRE:

The works of art selected by the juror for awards will be announced at the galaRE: event on Saturday evening, March 4, at the Tampa Museum of Art.

Award Monies:

- \$15,000 Raymond James Best of Show Award
- \$7,500 Board of Director's Award
- \$4,000 Roddy Brownlee Reed Award of Excellence
- \$3,500 Mayor's Award
- \$2,500 Anniversary Award
- \$2,000 Friends of the Museum Award
- \$1,300 Awards of Merit (30 awards of \$1,300 each)
- \$1,500 Holmes Hepner & Associates Architects Emerging Artist Award
- \$1,000 High School Art Student Scholarship Award

Total: \$76,500 award money for 2017, plus a generous Purchase Award Program.

Entertainment: Local and regional live entertainment.

More information about the Gasparilla Festival of the Arts is available on its website: gasparillaarts.com