MINCO Music & Arts Heritage Festival May 16th & 17th, 2020 Call for Artists

The MINCO (Mineral County) Music & Arts Heritage Festival 2020 has partnered with The Liberty Library Corporation to celebrate Leslie Thrasher, Piedmont native and famous Liberty Magazine illustrator.

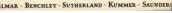
The MINCO Music & Arts Heritage Festival invites 2-D and 3-D artists to participate in a unique juried exhibition with artwork inspired by Leslie Thrasher, an illustrator and native of Piedmont WV. Original artworks in all styles, media, and techniques are welcome. A Best of Show and other prize awards available. This exhibition will be free and open to the public from May 1st through May 31st, 2020 at The Indie on Main, 15 N. Main Street, downtown Keyser, WV with an opening reception on May 2, 2020, 5:30-7:30pm (awards announced).

Artists working in all Fine Arts Media may submit up to 2 pieces of artwork. Entry fee is \$5 each for up to 2 pieces of artwork. Entries sizes: 2D artwork no larger than 24 X 20 inches and 3D artwork no larger than 2 foot square. Deliver and drop off artwork will be April 18 through April 26, 2020.

This juried all-media exhibition is hosted by MINCO Music & Arts Heritage Festival, Highland Arts Unlimited, and The Indie on Main. There will be a 20 percent commission on sales to be split between MINCO and The Indie on Main.

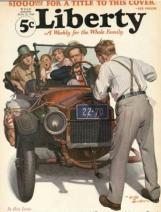
Period piece window displays will appear downtown Keyser businesses during the month of May and during the MINCO Music & Arts Heritage Festival. These New York style window displays of Thrasher's will mimic covers from Liberty Magazine.







The Mineral County Museum will also have a display of Thrasher. The festival will also have music performers, car shows, games and competitions, arts and crafts, unique items, workshops, and other events.



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For more information about the art show or downtown displays, please call Jill Baldinger at 304-788-1461 or email at <u>mijill@frontier.com</u>. For more information about the festival contact Terry Stephens, Festival Chairman at 304-813-5740 or email at <u>mincomusicheritagefestival@gmail.com</u>.

Highland Arts Unlimited is a 501c3 Non-Profit organization with no paid employees that have serving the Mineral County area for 47 years.

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