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Jackson, New Hampshire invites you to experience the world of Art through the work of over 40 Artists and Artisans at the Annual **White Mountain Art & Artisan Festival...**

This two-day juried event **Saturday August 21st & Sunday August 22nd** will be held in **Jackson Village Park**. Many selected artists and artisans will be displaying and selling their work under the large tent by the pond in Jackson Village Park or under their own individual tents set up throughout the park.

Our White Mountain Art & Artisan Festival is one of the Northeast's premier events for artists and artisans, this year's juried exposition features works by more than 40 artists presenting sculpture, glass and wood arts, ceramics, fiber arts, fine arts and jewelry for sale at all price points.

There will be live musical performances throughout the weekend, including a local favorite "Calico Slim" and the ever popular "Swing Tones". There will be food and refreshments, including lobster sandwiches as well as BBQ foods.

Join in on the arts and crafts activities for children, including sand sculpting, beading, temporary tattoos and t-shirt decorating.

Remember it was through the eyes of the artists of the White Mountain School of Art that the world first became aware of the beauty of Jackson. Many of the artists of the 19th century White Mountain School came to Jackson to view the lovely scenes we live with every day from pastoral farms to the grandeur of Mt. Washington. In 1923, Wallace Nutting, author of "New Hampshire Beautiful" put it well when he said "People of Jackson can claim as their advantage to be in the immediate view of the best of the White Mountains. Jackson undoubtedly stands high among the more desirable mountain towns as a goal of visitation." This holds true today. Works of art from local and visiting artists who convey their vision of this spectacular area on canvas continue to be popular purchases.

This event can be enjoyed by singles, couples and the entire family... with something special for each.

For more information on this Jackson Area Chamber of Commerce event please call the office at (603) 383-9356 or (800) 888-3334 and be sure to check out our website at www.JacksonNH.com. See you there!