

Artist Statement

Please include a statement to the exhibit visitors. This statement can include, but is not limited to information about your personal and/or artistic background, insight into why you create art and what you get out of it, or details about specific pieces that you are exhibiting.

PCAP Miniatures 2021 Exhibit

Artist Name: Matthew Jay Wood I

As a certified welder; prototype technician; Machine Builder; my ability to form anything out of a variety of materials is an extension of my talents and who I am. Prior to my commitment to the MDEC, I was beginning a variety of business startups which included a Custom Metal Fabrication business; Graphic Art & Design/Photography; Internet Blogging. To help pay for machinery, tools, equipment, office equipment, etc. I began creating sculptures from metal in my garage at home. My favorite pieces were the Rose City Forever Rose that I would scent with rose scented wax. Where would I be without the ability to create, to accurately and precisely depict, to convey what captivates my heart, my mind, my soul. I am honestly not sure how I would have spent the last five years of my life fighting for my freedom if I was unable to utilize my spare time creating beautiful works of art. My hope is that some day I will be able to showcase all my great works of art to the public. Please enjoy these small scraps of my life, these excerpts from time spent away from my legal work and studies.

Please edit your Artist Statement to the space provided