

ARTISTS' CO-OP GALLERY

Gallery Membership Requirements and Information

- ✓ We are a cooperative gallery established in 1980 as a group of local artists, whose purpose is the displaying and selling of fine arts.
- ✓ Each artist has artwork display in an equally enhancing space, as well as enjoying the benefit of hanging their 2-D art in several prominent outside businesses.
- ✓ As a group, we participate in outside events for the purpose of Gallery exposure and to be part of the community. Member special events and charity events may be scheduled during extended hours.
- ✓ Dues are \$150 per quarter and are payable on the first of the month. We ask you to give us a six month commitment. The Gallery collects and submits the sales tax and charges 20% commission on the sales of which 15% goes to the building owners and 5% into Gallery.
- ✓ Members are required to attend each monthly meeting currently being held on the first Tuesday of the month. Gallery hours are currently Wednesday – Saturday (A shift is 10 am to 2:30 pm and B shift is from 2:30 pm to 7pm) and Sunday shift is 12 pm to 5 pm. The Gallery is closed Monday and Tuesdays.
- ✓ As this is a co-op, our artists staff the Gallery and perform Gallery duties. Each artist works at least 2 shifts (4.5 hours per shift – Sundays are 5 hours) and possible more based upon membership.
- ✓ We regularly rotate the art, paint and do general clean-up and you will be expected to participate.
- ✓ You are eligible to join the Gallery if you are a Washington State Artist and are over the age of 18.
- ✓ Art forms accepted for consideration are: painting, drawing, printmaking, graphics, pottery, fiber arts, jewelry, photography, mosaics and sculpture.
- ✓ The following items are not accepted: ceramics cast form, works made from kits or mass produced parts, crocheting, knitting, string art, candles, decoupage or shell craft.

- **Please fill in the attached 1) Applicant Contact Information, 2) Art Medium to be Juried, Prospective 3) Member Interview Questions**
- **You can mail or email your form to the Gallery.**
- **You will be contacted to schedule an interview and presentation of your artwork for membership at a designated monthly meeting.**
- **We will want to know all about you and your art. You can be juried in more than one art. Please be prepared to bring a selection of 6-10 pieces in each jury.**