

The Meeting Place Art and Fine Craft Co-Op

TERMS AND REGULATIONS

- Applicant must be a SC resident, age 18 and up.
- Artwork must be original works completed in the last two years. Original work is the artist's sole creation and is not, in whole or part, a copy, digital image, or print of any other persons work.
- Applicants must submit for review by the Review Panel by Thursday, March 1. This process is free.
- A minimum display space of two approx 3x5 ft screens will be afforded to each 2D artist. Display case and pedestals available for 3D artwork. All work will be arranged by the exhibition curator.
- Sponsor reserves the right to reject any entry that does not meet the terms and regulations or is inappropriate for public exhibition. The quality of pieces submitted to the Co-Op and subject/theme must match that represented by application.
- Artist agrees to a minimum work commitment of approx 8 hours. If necessary, artists may designate someone to work for them or may pay City of North Charleston \$8/hr, (not to exceed 8 hours) if they cannot work their scheduled hours.
- Artist agrees to provide a small donation of food and/or beverages for the reception.
- A 10% commission will be charged on all sales resulting from the exhibit. Artists will be notified by mail.
- Sponsor reserves the right to use images of work and/or exhibition for publicity.
- By submission of an application, the artist accepts all conditions set forth in this prospectus.

REVIEW PANEL GUIDELINES

- Acceptance to participate in the Co-Op will be at the sole discretion of the Review Panel. Applicants must submit for review by the Review Panel a minimum of five quality photographs or digital images of work that accurately represents the workmanship. For photograph images, write the title number on the back of the photograph in the upper right hand corner. For digital images, identify the image by the file name with the title. Include SASE if images are to be returned. Panel results and accepted artists contracts will be mailed.

EXHIBITION GUIDELINES

- The Co-Op is promoted as a component of the North Charleston Arts Festival. Cultural Arts will distribute special press releases for the Co-Op and Art Walk in addition to regular festival promotion. Participating artists may request Arts Festival postcards for personal distribution. Any additional promotional material must be approved by Cultural Arts.
- Entries must be ready for exhibition. Two-dimensional artwork must be wired, framed or gallery wrapped. No glass clip frames or saw tooth hangers. Artist may be required to provide custom display equipment for large or small items.
- Artists will fill out their own title cards provided by the Cultural Arts Department at drop off. Each card will include artist name, title, medium, size, price, POR (Price On request) or NFS (Not For Sale).
- Artists are responsible for providing a complete inventory of works. A log form will be provided.
- The artist may choose to feature the sale of prints, note cards, or other small works for the duration of the exhibit. Items for sale must be pre-approved.
- The artist may provide their own original brochures, business cards, and supplemental handouts.

SUBMISSION OF WORKS

Review Panel Deadline: Thurs., March 1
 Mail: City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Department
 PO Box 190016, North Charleston, SC 29419-9016
 Deliver: City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Department
 2500 City Hall Lane, 2nd Floor North Charleston, SC 29406
 Notification accept/decline mailed: Sat., March 10
 Co-Op Contracts due: Tues., March 20

DELIVERY OF WORKS

Meeting Place, 1077 E. Montague Avenue, 29405
 Sun., April 1 3:00pm-5:00pm

HOURS OF OPERATION

April 6 – May 26
 Fri. & Sat. 11:00am-7:00pm

RECEPTION

A component of the North Charleston Arts Art Walk
 Wed., May 9 5:00pm-8:00pm

RETURN OF WORKS

Sun., May 27 3:00pm-5:00pm
 Participants may allow someone to pick up their entries by using contract copy. Not responsible for unclaimed works.

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Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted.

Name _____
 Street _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Phone _____ (W) _____
 Email _____

Label images with your name and corresponding number below.
 Indicate top with arrow in upper right corner.

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April 6 – May 26, 2012

Call for Artists and Fine Craft Artisans

Art, Fine Craft, Photography, Pottery, Jewelry, Fiber, Glass, and Sculpture

Application Deadline: Thursday, March 1



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City of North Charleston

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1077 E. Montague Avenue, North Charleston

The Meeting Place Art and Fine Craft Co-Op is a temporary artist cooperative gallery coordinated by the City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Department and presented as a component of the North Charleston Arts Festival. Operating annually, April through May, the Co-Op is dedicated to presenting many artists of varied backgrounds working in a diverse array of media. Artists and fine craft artisans are invited to exhibit art, fine crafts, photography, pottery, jewelry, fiber arts, glass, sculpture and more. The gallery offers a full range of styles, from representational to contemporary.

Other opportunities for visual artists are available year round at the North Charleston City Gallery and The Meeting Place Window Display. The North Charleston Arts Festival offers additional opportunities for visual and fine craft artisans. Local, regional, and national publicity for the festival will include the Meeting Place Art and Fine Craft Co-Op schedule and it's participation in the Art Walk on Wednesday, May 9, in the Olde North Charleston Business District.

Visit the City of North Charleston website to view the 2011 festival and updates on the 2012 festival schedule, including downloadable applications for Judged Art, Photography, Youth Art, SC Palmetto Hands Fine Craft, National Outdoor Sculpture competitions and exhibitions; Arts and Crafts booths, Food booths, and Volunteers.

The Art and Fine Craft Co-Op Exhibition
is a component of the

North Charleston

ARTS FESTIVAL

May 4 - May 12, 2012

Web: www.northcharleston.org

Phone: (843) 740-5854

E-mail: culturalarts@northcharleston.org

The North Charleston Cultural Arts Department is the recipient of the 2000 Elizabeth O'Neill Verner Award for the Arts and receives support from the National Endowment for the Arts, SC Arts Commission, and the corporate community. The North Charleston Arts Festival was named a "Top 20 Event" by the Southeastern Tourism Society.