

Exhibiting Artist Information



Contact

All activities related to our exhibitions should be coordinated with the art Exhibition Coordinator.

Gallery Space

The gallery space is located in the 'Vineyard View' room above the shop/cafe. The room is modern, clean, carpeted and well-lit.

The available areas are indicated on the downloadable Exhibit Space Diagram, and include approximately 15 linear meters of wall space.

Please see attached diagram of room with wall measurements.

Expectations

- Selected artists are expected to work with a member of the Art Committee to hang and take down the show at mutually agreeable dates. All artwork is to be signed in and out with a member of the Art Committee. Shop/cafe staff are not involved in the handling of the exhibits; artists must work with a member of the Art Committee when exhibits are being hung or removed.
- Placement of the artwork is at the sole discretion of the Art Committee
- Artwork cannot be removed from the exhibit prior to the final date of the show.
- Permanent fixtures or adhesives of any sort cannot be used on the walls for any purpose.
- No clip type frames with exposed glass edges can be utilized for exhibiting. No glass covered pieces can be exhibited over seating areas.
- All pieces must be brought to the vineyard ready to hang with mounting wire in place, and approved for hanging by an Art Committee representative. Artwork must be suitable for display including proper support. Frames and mountings should be secure. (Note: Saw tooth hangers do not work with our hanging system)
- The vineyard will make every attempt to monitor and protect items on exhibit but it does not assume any responsibility for damage or loss sustained while items are displayed. Our insurance will however cover any damage or loss.
- Please prepare an artist's statement/biography/information sheet that can be displayed with the exhibition and used for promotion.
- Please prepare an inventory of artwork included in the exhibit, include the title, dimensions, and medium of each piece. Please number each piece and prepare a corresponding price list that will be kept at the vineyard desk for interested parties. Sold pieces must remain on exhibit through the entire run of the exhibit, unless other arrangements are made with the Art Committee.

- The vineyard will publicize the show to the best of its ability. Artist information must be submitted one month before the scheduled exhibit. A clear photograph or digital image is helpful for publicity.

Things to consider

- Artist must arrange for transport of all artwork to and from the vineyard
- Artist is invited to consider presenting a workshop
- Artist may submit any cards, prints, books for consideration by the AC for sale alongside the exhibition.
- Artist should be available for the Exhibition launch reception
- Only drinks purchased from Kerry Vale Vineyard can be consumed during exhibition related events i.e. Launches, workshops etc. (Discount available please enquire).
- Please determine how your art work will come down and be returned after the show period

Commission

Kerry Vale Vineyard will take 30% of the sales proceeds of art sold during the exhibition.

Viewing / Traffic / Attendance

Many locals and visitors make it a point to visit the gallery to view artworks. The exhibition will be closed every Monday in line with shop opening times.

The 'Vineyard View' room is rented for meetings and programs and may be closed to the viewing public from time to time. Please check with the vineyard on 01588 620627 so as to not disappoint visiting family and friends.

What Kerry Vale Vineyard will provide for the Artist

- Advertising and promotion in the form of posters, flyers, newspaper articles, postcards, and website and word of mouth. (Show budget is £150.00 for promotion.)
- Insurance to cover damage or loss.
- If the artist leads a workshop, the artist may keep related workshop fees charged of the public

Workshops / Lectures / Demonstrations

The Exhibition Coordinator will work with you if you would like to lead a workshop, lecture, slide show or demonstration.

Arts Committee Selection Criteria for Exhibitions

- The Committee seeks to balance local artists with occasional displays from other artists
- We look for quality, diversity, innovation and variety in the gallery displays
- You must submit prints, digital photos, or actual work to the Art Committee for consideration (Shows are planned 6-12 months in advance).
- Art shown at Kerry Vale Vineyard within the last twelve months will not be accepted

Kerry Vale Vineyards Arts Committee is responsible for selecting artists to exhibit. To be considered for an exhibition, please submit one copy of the following to the Committee:

Printed reproductions (photographs or digital prints) or originals of at least five (5) pieces of your work with the following information:

- Title
- Medium
- Dimensions
- Price (Kerry Vale Vineyard collects a 30% commission on pieces sold)
- Year Created

Artist Curriculum Vitae including:

- Dates and locations of past exhibitions
- Workshops, teaching, or public speaking experience
- Books, prints or other reproductions of your work available for sale

Contact Information:

- Name
- Address
- Telephone
- Email

The Exhibition Coordinator will contact you within 30 days of receipt of your materials to the address below. Please note that the selection process, while considering the art itself, will also take into consideration scheduling and balancing types of media and workshops. Shows are usually scheduled from 6-12 months in advance and run 3-4 weeks in length as agreed between the AC and the Artist.

Please call Exhibition Manager Nadine Roach for more information at 01588 620627.

Kerry Vale Vineyard

Attention: Arts Committee

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