

NORTH VAN ARTS



ART IN THE COMMUNITY: CALL FOR ARTISTS

Submission Deadline: Friday May 7, 2023, at midnight

North Van Arts (North Vancouver Community Arts Council) is currently accepting submissions for our Art in the Community Programme for **2024 Season**. Currently this exhibition programme takes place at two venues:

- **District Library Gallery** / Located at the Lynn Valley Main Library
- **District Foyer Gallery** / Located at North Vancouver District Hall

The Art in the Community Programme, run by North Van Arts has a mandate to celebrate and enable emerging and professional artists through exhibitions in public spaces, which serves to promote artists, to increase public awareness of the visual arts, and to make original work by local artists accessible to the public.

We invite visual artists working in all 2D and small 3D mediums including painting, photography, and mixed media to apply. Successful candidates will be booked for an eight-to-twelve-week exhibition.

North Van Arts encourages applicants of all races, ethnicities, identities, abilities, ages, and genders, to apply.

Terms and Conditions:

Please make sure you fill out all fields in the application and read through the terms and conditions before submitting.

- North Van Arts will manage digital marketing materials, exhibition installation, sales, and the promotion of the exhibition through our website, member newsletters, e-bulletins, press releases and online listings.
- If the artist agrees, all their work will be for sale. North Van Arts staff handles all sales and takes a 30% commission on sales of artwork. There are no exhibiting fees offered to the artists.
- This call is for District Library Gallery located at the Lynn Valley Main Library and District Foyer Gallery located at the North Vancouver District Hall.
- There are no application fees.
- Visual artists working in 3D can apply to display their work at District Foyer Gallery at North Vancouver District Hall. The 3D work must be able to fit in 35.5 x 35.5 x 14.5 inches glass cases.

Submissions must include:

- A one-page document (Word.doc or PDF) clearly outlining the theme/concept of the exhibition.
- A document including an up-to-date artist's statement and biography, (No more than 400 words each.)

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- List of works including title, date, medium, size, and price. If the work is not for sale, a value is still necessary.
- Attach up to 10 high-res images (no more than 1MB each) of works that you would like to propose for an exhibition. Proposed artwork must be available for the exhibition at the time of making the application. Images must be titled to match the corresponding list of works. If work is framed, please include image of the frame. Please title each image in the following format:
Firstname_Lastname_Title (up to 250 characters)
- Artwork should not have been displayed on the North Shore within a one year prior to the application.

Venue specific information:

DISTRICT LIBRARY GALLERY - 2D Artwork

Lynn Valley Main Library | 1277 Lynn Valley Road
Mon, Fri, Sat, Sun: 10am - 6pm
Tues, Wed, Thurs: 10am - 8pm

- Proposed artwork must be representative of a collection of work and have a cohesive concept/theme/or subject matter. Any framed work proposed should be framed professionally.
- **All artworks** must be fixed with two eyehooks, D-rings, eyelets, or their equivalent, on the back of the frame or canvas. The 2D pieces are hung with a track system that uses construction string threaded through the eyelet hole. **Important** - eyelets need to be installed approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from the top of the work piece.



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DISTRICT FOYER GALLERY - 2D & 3D Artwork

North Vancouver District Hall | 355 West Queens Road
Monday to Friday: 8am - 4pm

- Proposed artwork must be representative of a collection of work and have a cohesive concept/theme/or subject matter. Any framed work proposed should be framed professionally.
- **All 2D artworks** must be fixed with two eyehooks, D-rings, eyelets or their equivalent, on the back of the frame or canvas. The 2D pieces are hung with a track system that uses construction string threaded through the eyelet hole. **Important** - eyelets need to be **installed approximately ¼ inch from the top of the work piece.**
- **3D pieces** will be displayed in two display cases of 35.5 x 35.5 x 14.5 inches.



If you have any questions, require support, or would like more information about our Art in the Community programme and our exhibitions please visit www.northvanarts.ca or contact the Exhibitions Manager:

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