



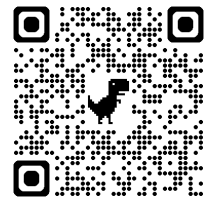
# Application for Visual Art Exhibition The YSAC Gallery

## Overview of the Visual Art Exhibition Program

The Yellow Springs Arts Council *Arts Exhibition Program* empowers member artists, performers and presenters to showcase local works, from February – early November. We provide space, publicity and consultation services. The program stimulates membership for the YSAC and supports artists of multiple disciplines and experience levels in Yellow Springs and beyond. While artists are encouraged to exhibit for professional gain—including visibility, networking, and sales—our presenting artists are fundamentally motivated by a desire to enhance the community's creative spirit through their art. This *YSAC Gallery Terms of Agreement* **must be reviewed and signed** before presenting in the space.

## Eligibility

The Robert F Baldwin Jr. YSAC Gallery is available for exhibition by current YSAC members. In the interest of fostering a variety of artists and promoting inclusivity, preference will be given to artists who have not had a solo exhibition at the YSAC gallery in the last two years. Individuals may become members with the express purpose of applying to present in the gallery. Solo and shared exhibits, as well as collaboration with other arts disciplines, are encouraged. All work must be original. To become a member follow this QR code or use this link: <https://givebutter.com/ysacjoin>



## Gallery Details

The Robert F Baldwin Jr. YSAC gallery and exhibition space is 61.5 feet of linear wall space with a selection of pedestals for 3D work. You can see a map of the building [here](#).

## Artist Responsibilities

- It is the sole responsibility of Artist to hang their exhibition in the week prior to their opening. We ask that all of your work is dry. Artists agree to mount title/price labels near their art, or number work with a reference sheet. DO NOT use nails for labels. If you want to make ANY kind of building alterations discuss them with the gallery coordinator first. If anything is to be painted please do so before it goes on the wall.
- Artists are responsible for hosting an opening reception, which includes providing and setting up refreshments, and providing entertainment if desired. There is an outdoor stage that can be made available to the artist for their reception with notice given to the Gallery Coordinator.
- Artists are responsible for gallery sitting 5 of the open days during the month of their exhibition (Thursday – Sunday 1pm - 4pm). Volunteer hosts will make up the other days.
- It is the sole responsibility of Artist to take down their exhibition on the final Sunday of their exhibition period, and spackle or paint holes if needed.
- We expect artists to provide photos and description of their exhibition for advertising and promotion. Deadlines will be provided with acceptance. If the artist fails to meet deadlines the exhibition spot will be given to someone else.

More details can be provided upon request. All exhibiting visual artists must review and sign the **YSAC Gallery Terms of Agreement** prior to showing, which also provides more detail.

## Exhibition Fee, Membership and Gallery Commission

Artists applying to present an exhibition at the Yellow Springs Arts Council Gallery must be current YSAC members. If the Artist is not currently a member, then an individual/artists membership fee is due with application – you can become a member [HERE](#). Artists can check on their membership status by emailing [membership@ysartscouncil.org](mailto:membership@ysartscouncil.org) if they are uncertain of their status. Artists participating in group shows of 4 or more persons may purchase a group membership in lieu of individual memberships. In group exhibitions of 3 persons or less all exhibitors must be YSAC members.



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If your exhibition proposal is accepted the Yellow Springs Arts Council asks for a \$30 Exhibition fee due at the time of acceptance of time slot and with your signed exhibition agreement. Only one \$30 dollar exhibition fee is necessary no matter how many artists are exhibiting

Artist must provide the YSAC with a list of all art with prices (or NFS) prior to the opening of the exhibition. This is for both insurance and sales purposes. There is a 25% gallery donation on all sales that happen during the run of the exhibition. All transactions MUST be run through the gallery.

### Application Procedure

- Submit at least four (4) color images of your work through mail or email address below. Label images with the work's title, medium and size. Please don't put your name in the title of your image.
- Submit this application with your images through mail or email. Application materials will not be returned.
- Artists will be notified about selection and scheduling by December 31, 2025.

### Submission Deadline

**Applications are due October 1st at 11:59 PM.** You will get an automatic reply from YSAC so you know your submission was successfully received.

### Submission Process

Please fill out the following application to apply for a one-month exhibition in the YSAC Gallery for our March through early November exhibition season. Send application and materials via mail or email to the address at the bottom of this form. If you have questions, please contact Laura Truitt at [laura@ysartscouncil.org](mailto:laura@ysartscouncil.org).

**Name** (individual or names in shared exhibit). Please specify if you are applying as a show curator.

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**Complete Mailing Address**

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Would you be willing to be part of a group show?**

That would be perfect! \_\_\_\_\_ I'd be willing \_\_\_\_\_ I'd prefer not \_\_\_\_\_

**Rank your top three months by number based on your interest in showing.** Place an X by any month when you would be *unavailable*.

March \_\_\_\_\_ April \_\_\_\_\_ May \_\_\_\_\_ June \_\_\_\_\_ July \_\_\_\_\_ Aug. \_\_\_\_\_ Sept. \_\_\_\_\_ Oct. \_\_\_\_\_



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Do you have other exhibitions planned in 2026? If so please share when and where.

**Please write a short description of your proposed show.** This description will help us with booking decisions and may be used for marketing purposes. You may also attach a full artist statement and list online sources to view your work (*optional*).

Please email your completed application and 4 color images of your artwork to [laura@ysartscouncil.org](mailto:laura@ysartscouncil.org)