



2026-27 LOW Arts Membership & Waiver Form

Name: _____

Full Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website/Social Media Address: _____

Art Concentration: _____

As we grow, we have many opportunities for members to help—some ongoing, most short-term. Many require only a small-time commitment. Please check the committees that interest you, and we’ll reach out to discuss what might be a good fit.

_____ **Publicity Committee** – May include graphics for advertising, social media, publicity write-ups, or website. This can be ongoing or specific to an event or operation.

_____ **Special Events Committee (SEC)** – help us research and plan club events such as field trips, art walks, and art workshops. SEC meets once a month.

_____ **Community Service** – I am interested in helping with community-related projects (ie, kids’ art projects at LOWA events or mural painting projects for the community).

_____ **Annual Fine Art Show and Sale** – this committee meets monthly, starting about 6 months before the show. We discuss what has and hasn’t worked in the past and make changes accordingly to improve the show.

_____ **Nominating Committee** – talk with members about stepping into a board role and what it would include. ~~Fine~~ Find suitable and willing members to take on a more involved role.

_____ **Membership Committee** – help keep a current roster of members and provide new members with club information.

_____ **Board Position** – president, vice-president, secretary, or treasurer. I am interested in becoming more involved in club decisions for our membership’s review.

_____ **Volunteer coordinator** – needed for both overall coordination, Special Event Committee coordination, and specific coordination for the Fine Art Show and Sale

_____ I am willing to help but unsure where I fit in. Please call me so we can talk.

We all have talents, skills, and experiences that could benefit the club. Please check any areas below where you have experience or interest, and feel free to add details at the end.

_____ Writing, editing, proofreading, graphic design

_____ Spreadsheets, financials, Square, Quicken/QuickBooks type programs, forecasting

_____ Databases, word processing, PowerPoint type programs

_____ Communications, social media

- _____ Technology, SignUpGenius, Publicity, Photography, Audio-Video
- _____ Research, reporting, organizing, analysis, scheduling, systems set up
- _____ Presentation, visionary, public speaking
- _____ Entertainment, cooking, event planning
- _____ Manual labor – electricity, sound, display building, design concepts, willing to help moving and setup/breakdown of displays
- _____ Organization/leadership

Other/details: _____

Release and Waiver of Liability

- 1) The artist assumes all risks and hazards incidental to any participation in the display of their artwork during exhibits associated with Lake of the Woods Arts.
- 2) The artist warrants and represents that they are the sole legal owner of all rights, titles, and interests in the artwork they provide to exhibits.
- 3) Artwork shall not be sexual, racist, demoralizing, or discriminatory.
- 4) The artist is responsible for packing and transporting their work to and from each exhibit as required by the specific guidelines of each exhibit.
- 5) The artist is responsible for adhering to all guidelines for hanging and displaying their work and understands that they do so at their own risk and expense.
- 6) Once submitted, the artwork will remain in the exhibit for its duration or until sold under the guidelines for that exhibit.
- 7) Artwork may only be moved or rearranged by the exhibition management during the exhibit. Artwork removed or rearranged for any unapproved reason may disqualify the artist from future Lake of the Woods Arts exhibits.
- 8) The artist agrees to make prompt payment of commission due to Lake of the Woods Arts in accordance with the guidelines for each exhibit.
- 9) Unless otherwise specified, the artist understands and agrees that photographs of themselves and/or their work may be used for publicity purposes.
- 10) By signing this waiver, the artist agrees to read and abide by the specific details of each exhibit they participate in throughout the calendar year of this signed waiver.

Artist's Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Annual dues are \$20 per person per year and are collected at the beginning of each year. Our year begins May 1 and ends April 30. Please give payment and completed form to our treasurer, Eve DeVito. Her contact information is below. Please make checks payable to Lake of the Woods Arts.

Eve DeVito – 105 Trails End Road, Locust Grove, VA 22508 (703-304-4323).

For office use

Payment Date _____

Payment by check/ credit card _____