

2026 Hidden Studios Working Art Studio Application

Art Along the Ice Age Trail

WORKING Art STUDIO APPLICATION

The Hidden Studios Art Tour is a juried, studio-based event that celebrates the creative spaces where fine art is made. Our working studios are the foundation of the tour—welcoming guests, hosting visiting artists, and helping sustain this beloved regional event.

All details about the tour and past guest artists can be found at **HiddenStudiosArtTour.com**.

PERKS OF BEING A WORKING STUDIO

- Increased visibility and local promotion through tour-wide marketing.
 - Opportunity to host talented guest artists and form creative partnerships.
 - Active role in guiding the direction of the tour as a **Steering Committee member**.
 - Long-term participation—working studios may remain on the tour indefinitely after completing the initial two-year commitment, provided participation requirements continue to be met.
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Tour Dates: October 2–4, 2026 • October 1–3, 2027

Application Deadline: Friday, December 5, 2025

WORKING STUDIO REQUIREMENTS

- Commit to two consecutive years of participation (2026 and 2027).
 - Pay a \$300 booth fee each year (subject to slight annual adjustment).
 - Host Guest Artist(s) and provide breakfast and lunch for them during the event.
 - Assist with promotion, guest hospitality, refreshments, and parking at your studio.
 - Provide an indoor exhibition space for displaying artwork.
 - **Studio Heads are required to serve on the Hidden Studios Steering Committee** during participation.
 - Working Studios may remain on the tour indefinitely after their initial two-year commitment, provided they meet participation requirements.
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PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS TO SUBMIT

- 6–10 Images of Your Studio (interior and exterior)
- Images of Hosting Areas (if available)

The steering committee will want to view the space in person and go over rule and policies of being a Studio Head if accepted into the Hidden Studios Tour.

Email all materials to: **art@hiddenstudiosarttour.com**

Studios will be notified by **mid-December 2025**.

Questions? Contact **Paul Klein • 715-824-2624**

Online Application Coming Soon!