Ebb Tide Gallery of Gifts Art Co-op 7809 Pioneer Way Gig Harbor, WA 98335 (253)851-5293

Open Daily: hours may vary throughout the year www.Ebbtideartgallery.com

Information for New Artist Applicants

Benefits of Membership:

Space in the gallery for display of your artwork is dependent on the numbers of gallery members but is approximately 10 feet of wall space and 2 feet for prints-2-D artists, 12 surfaces-3D artists. Card racks are available for card/print display.

Website/Facebook/Instagram: Your own page with artist bio and images of your work will be on our website (Ebbtideartgallery.com,) and advertising of each artist's work is regularly placed on Facebook ("The Ebb Tide Art Gallery")/Instagram ("Ebb Tide Gallery). Artist members mostly communicate through a Facebook page called "Ebb Tide Members Only."

ET offers professional presentation of your work in a beautiful light filled gallery setting, plus the opportunity to work with other artists in a friendly art filled community.

Requirements of Membership:

Acceptance is based on screening of artwork by membership and an interview by the screening committee. Each artist must sign a 12-month contract and pay first and last month's rent at the time of contract signing. Rent is currently \$125. a month and paid the first of the month. Depending on the start date, rent may be pro-rated for the initial month's payment. The gallery charges a 10% pretax commission on all sold work, which goes to the gallery for operating expenses. Each new artist must have a Washington State Unified Business ID number and pay taxes on sold work. The permit number will be kept on file at the gallery. Members must work at the gallery approximately (5) four hour shifts a month, depending on the number of members. Hours are flexible and 4-hour shifts are available. Attendance at monthly membership meetings on the last Thursday of the month is required as is participation in committees (e.g., Display, membership, community liaison, publicity, events, etc.

<u>Screenings are on the last Thursday of the month</u>: Prospective new members must bring at least four (4) original pieces of your work for each medium screened and a completed application. Artwork should be "gallery ready" (i.e., appropriately framed, and priced.) Artist must sign a "Hold Harmless" agreement for the art left at the gallery to be screened.

If you are interested in Membership:

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