

11TH ANNUAL 2009 Bucktown Holiday ARTSHOW

PARTICIPATING IN THE BUCKTOWN HOLIDAY ARTSHOW

For its 11th year, the Bucktown Holiday ArtShow selects about 100 artists to display and sell their art to eager and anxious holiday shoppers. The Bucktown Holiday ArtShow offers art of all media - from photography to textiles, water colors to oils, and jewelry to ceramics. Come celebrate and share your unique, one-of-a-kind artwork.

DATE AND LOCATION

The Bucktown Holiday ArtShow is held at Holstein Park Fieldhouse, 2200 N. Oakley Ave., Chicago, IL 60647 on December 12-13, 2009 from noon to 5pm each day. The Fieldhouse is nestled in the heart of Bucktown next to the popular Holstein Park and Senior Citizens' Park. Setup is held 5-7pm on Friday night. Artists may continue set up at 10:30am Saturday, and the Fieldhouse closes at 5:30pm. Entry on Sunday for artists is 11am, and tear down must be completed by 7pm.

PICKING A SPACE (Gym or Auditorium)

All spaces are no larger than six feet by six feet. You may choose between an auditorium space or a space in one of two gyms. The main entrance opens into the auditorium with customers entering the ArtShow through this main entrance. The elevator also opens into the auditorium. The two gyms are accessible through doors located at two corners of the auditorium.

SILENT AUCTION

A Silent Auction takes place during the ArtShow. Each artist donates an item of their own work for the Silent Auction. A surcharge may be paid in lieu of donating to the Silent Auction.

ARTIST INFO

The ArtShow is open to artists of all media. Artists may only sell their own work. The Bucktown Holiday ArtShow is a juried ArtShow which will only consider original works of art made by the artist applying for the ArtShow. To maintain quality and integrity of the ArtShow, you will not be allowed to sell items that you have not submitted as exemplary of your work for jurying with your application or identified as media offered for sale at the ArtShow. For example, if you are a photographer who submitted examples of photography for the jury, you may not sell jewelry along with your photography.

We suggest staging a mock-up of your space prior to the ArtShow. You, your work and your entire display must fit within the dimensions of your space. Tables are available for rental, or you may bring your own table or tables. Tables longer than six feet may not be used. Chairs are not provided, nor are they available for rental.

Artists must submit at least two slides or photos along with their application UNLESS you participated in a previous Bucktown Holiday ArtShow and have not significantly changed your work or your media.

Application deadline is **September 4th, 2009**. Applications must be received by Bucktown Promotions on or before the application deadline, or you must pay a late fee. You will be notified of acceptance as soon as possible. **THERE ARE NO REFUNDS AFTER THE MAILING DATE OF YOUR NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE FOR ANY REASON**

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Application Deadline is September 4th, 2009

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Media (Include a list of artwork in all media you will offer for sale at the ArtShow) _____

Fees & Surcharges

Space: Auditorium space: 6 feet x 6 feet _____ ↗ \$275 _____
(choose one) (some auditorium spaces may be smaller) or
Gym space: 6 feet x 6 feet _____ ↘ \$200 _____

Surcharge: I do **not** wish to donate to the Silent Auction _____ \$35 _____
(if applicable)

Table Rental: 2.5 feet x 6 feet (per table) _____ x \$30 _____
(optional) (# of tables)

Late Fee: I am submitting this application for receipt by _____
(if applicable) Bucktown Promotions after September 4th, 2009 _____ \$50 _____

Returning Artists: I participated in the 2008 Bucktown Holiday ArtShow _____
(if applicable) and am entitled to a \$25 reduction in booth fee _____ -\$25 _____

Total _____

If accepted into the ArtShow, please send me _____ posters and _____ free admission passes to distribute to friends, family,
(#) (#)
co-workers, neighbors, those on my mailing list, etc.

I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Bucktown Promotions and the Chicago Park District. I agree to assume full responsibility for any damage to my exhibit by any cause, or loss thereof. I further agree I will indemnify and hold harmless, Bucktown Promotions, and its officers and sponsors, from any claim or cause of action against the above specified organizations, persons, or sponsors. I understand there are no refunds for any reason after acceptance to the ArtShow. I am the artist of all the work I am offering for sale, and I understand I will not be allowed to sell any item not made by me as the artist without the permission of Bucktown Promotions.

Signature _____ Date _____

Return application along with slides/photos, self-addressed stamped envelope and check payable to:
Bucktown Promotions, ATTN: Brian Mattson, 2849 W. Armitage Ave., Chicago, IL 60647