

Barn Galleries



ARTSPACE 2010

7th - 31st MAY 2010

Welcome to Barn Galleries and our annual exhibition
ARTSPACE.

All professional working artists are welcome to apply for **ARTSPACE**. We accept artists from all over the world. **ARTSPACE** takes place every May and continues for 3 weeks and is part of Oxfordshire Artweeks Festival of the Visual Arts.

Artists exhibit in one of two beautiful old barns, no white walls here. Sculptors and 3-D artists exhibit in the barns and among the established gardens of Barn Galleries. As we like to show a large body of work by each of our invited artists, 2-D artists have approximately 3m x 3m wall space, 3-D variable but generous, there is plenty of space for large, outdoor 3-D work. We show all mediums: painting, ceramics, printmaking, wood, glass, textiles, sculpture, jewellery and more.....

ARTSPACE has been established for 20 years and has a loyal and enthusiastic following of visitors and buyers from all over the globe.

With around 7,000 visitors over the three weeks sales are excellent. Visitors enjoy the ambience, picnic among the sheep and chickens and eat home made cakes in the tearooms. It may sound idyllic but **ARTSPACE** is highly professional in every way.

Barn Galleries also takes space at London art fairs. We also offer residencies at ARTSPACE INDIA, our sister gallery near Kolkata, India.

For views of our gallery and an idea of the artists we invite please visit our website www.barn Galleries.com (There is a virtual tour on our website of Artspace 2007)

We very much look forward to seeing your work

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How to apply

To apply please send a maximum of 12 images, a biography including an artist's statement and list of previous exhibitions. Images can be in the format of slides, photographs and/or CDs. If entries are on a CD please use WORD for documents. If you are sending a CD please include at least 2 PRINTED images of your work. WE DO NOT ACCEPT REFERRALS TO A WEBSITE ADDRESS without something of the above as an introduction to your work. We often use images for publicity to promote your work nationally and in your local area so please make sure that the images are of your current work.

Applications from September. Deadline 1st December.

Final Selection: early January so nothing will be returned before then.

ARTSPACE 2010 EXHIBITION DATES 7th - 31st MAY

Selected artists pay a £30 non-refundable exhibiting fee plus 35% commission on sales (plus VAT on that commission) There are NO further costs for printing, publicity, Private Views etc.

WHAT DO WE ASK OF YOU?

STANDARDS: All hanging work must be framed to a professional standard. Unframed, mounted work is welcome if displayed in your own folio stand. (Folio stands are not put out until after the Private Views.)

STAFFING: Artists are asked to staff at least 2 sessions if at all possible. It is useful to encourage contact between artists and buyers. A 'sit' is interesting for artists and informative for buyers. Please try to sit if you possibly can.

INSURANCE: We arrange an overall policy to which artists may contribute if they do not have cover of their own. We anticipate the 2010 premium to be £20 per artist.

TRANSPORT: You are responsible for your own transport costs.

Please take into account that buyers of large scale sculpture often expect the artist to deliver so build it into your costs and be specific if the display plinth is included in the price.

HANGING: You hang your own work on the appointed days. We reserve the right to make final adjustments if necessary. Break down is NOT permitted on the final day.

N.B: Our insurance cover lapses 48 hours following the close of Artspace.

Please send a sae for return of your images & a sae/postcard if you would like receipt of your application.

Please complete the application form and send it to us with your images etc. We look forward to receiving your application.



ARTIST APPLICATION FORM ARTSPACE 2010 7th – 31st MAY
(Send with all requested information and images)

- Name –
- Address –

- Postcode –
- Email –
- Telephone Home/Studio -
Mobile -
- Medium –
- Outdoor/Indoor display -
- Approximate price range –
- Brief synopsis of training and experience –

- Where did you hear about Barn Galleries? -

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