



Gallery One is designed specifically for artists who have had extremely limited or no experience exhibiting and selling their artwork at art fairs and festivals. This is a fantastic opportunity for new and budding artists who have never participated in a professional, juried art show to experience exhibiting and selling artwork in an easy manner. The First National Bank Gallery One is part of an ongoing effort to cultivate and encourage local (Omaha and surrounding areas) artistic talent.

In addition to no application fee and free exhibit space, Gallery One artists will also receive assistance from a professional artist on how to best present their work to the public at the festival.

Accepted Gallery One artists will each be provided with an eight-foot skirted table in the Gallery One tent to display their work for up to three full days of the Omaha Summer Arts Festival 2017. Show dates are June 9, 10 and 11 in Downtown Omaha on Farnam Street from 10th to 15th Street. All other display materials (easels, racks, etc.) must be provided by the artist. A tabletop sign with artist name and contact information along with business cards, fliers or brochures are encouraged.

Rules and Requirements:

- The artist must be present, set-up and open for business on Saturday, June 10 from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday, June 11 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The space will be available on Friday, June 9 from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. but it is optional for the artist to be present.
- The artist is encouraged to participate in a First National Bank employee event at the First National Tower on Thursday, June 8 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. This will be a preview day for our employees to meet the artists and be able to purchase the art prior to the festival.
- The work sold must be of the same nature and quality as the images submitted. First National Bank of Omaha and Omaha Summer Arts Festival reserve the right to request the removal of any work that differs from images submitted and accepted, as well as any inappropriate work or display.
- All work must be original, designed and crafted by the applicant. Omaha Summer Arts Festival does not accept work made from commercial molds, kits or patterns, or other commercial methods. Copyrighted designs not owned by the artist are not permitted. No factory-made items, including commercially produced boxes, furniture, dishware, stemware, etc.; decoupage; candles; plants; manufactured belts or handbags; etc. regardless of enhancements.

- Any reproductions may not exceed 25% of the work offered for sale and must be clearly marked as reproductions.
- **Applicants to Gallery One must not have an established professional career in visual arts such as, showing work in museums, art centers, and galleries or juried outdoor exhibitions.**
- Applicants may not be licensed as professional artists.
- Artists will handle all sales transactions individually.
- Artists are solely and exclusively responsible to insure properly and adequately their artwork and property.
- First National Bank of Omaha, Omaha Summer Arts Festival, and any sponsors, shall not be liable for any injury to artist, their personnel, agents or employees or for any damage or loss to artwork or property arising out of the event. Artist agrees to assume all risk of damage to or loss of artwork and property from whatever cause. Artist further agrees to release and hold harmless First National Bank of Omaha, Omaha Summer Arts Festival, and any sponsors from any and all liabilities and damages to artwork, property and/or persons as a result of any part of artist's participation in the event.
- Artist grants First National Bank of Omaha and Omaha Summer Arts Festival the right to use artist's name, photograph, voice and/or likeness and any entry related content, for advertising and/or publicity purposes in any and all media now known or hereinafter invented without territorial or time limitations and without compensation.
- Artists are not permitted to have any pets on the festival site.
- No amplified music is allowed in artist booths.



2017 Artist Application

Deadline: May 15, 2017

Notification: May 19, 2017

Show Dates: 6/9/17- 6/11/17

Location: Downtown Omaha, NE on Farnam Street from 10th to 15th Street

Name: _____

School/Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip** _____

E-mail Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

Art Medium: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Your signature is required and indicates acceptance of all program terms and conditions.

1. Please answer the following questions. Answers must be attached on an additional page.

- Explain the process you use to create your work.
- What makes your work and process unique?
- What would you like to learn from this experience?

2. Image Specifications:

- Please submit 3 Images of artwork (a booth shot is *NOT* required.)
- Images must be jpg. files and must not exceed 3MB per image.
- E-mail images with application directly to kbusboom@fnni.com.

E-mail completed applications, including photos, to Kayla Busboom at kbusboom@fnni.com.

Questions? Call Kayla at (402) 602-3918

All applications must be received by Monday, May 15, 2017.