Kennedy Heights Arts Center

2023 Holiday Art Market at Kennedy Heights Arts Center

CALL FOR VENDORS!

We are currently taking applications for local vendors to sell their unique, handmade items at our annual Holiday Art Market at Kennedy Heights Arts Center! The Holiday Art Market will be open from *November 4 through December 31, 2023*.

Deadline for submissions is by midnight on Friday, October 6, 2023.

The Holiday Art Market is an extension of our year-round Art Shop, and runs in conjunction with our annual Winter Kennedy Collective members' exhibition. The Market provides an opportunity for talented makers throughout the Greater Cincinnati region to exhibit and sell their original wares in a curated gallery setting. Additionally, it creates an opportunity for community members to buy local and distinctive artisan gifts created by talented artists and makers.

We are looking for HANDMADE (no kits) items that make a great gift. All mediums are welcome. Functional items, ceramics, jewelry, knitted things, cards/paper, ornaments and holiday themed items in the \$5-60 price range have sold very well in the past. All Holidays are celebrated: Christmas, Chanukah, Kwanzaa, etc.

Commission rate is 70% to the artist and 30% to KHAC. All items are on consignment, and vendors are responsible for their own inventory (information on how to label inventory will be given at time of acceptance).

There is NO fee to apply and NO table fee if accepted! KHAC staff and volunteers will conduct all the sales and handle sales tax. Sale tables and displays will be set up and designed at the discretion of the KHAC staff and Holiday Art Market Committee. We encourage jewelry (and other) artists to supply displays for their work that can best enhance it (please put your name on these). Vendors can have a maximum number of 30 pieces for sale at a time (depends on size of items), and there is no minimum.

We will have many community events during the run of the Holiday Art Market to help promote our vendors. These include:

- Saturday, Nov. 4 from 6-8pm: Opening Reception for Kennedy Collective exhibition
- Saturday, Nov. 25 from 11am-4pm: Small Business Saturday
- Artist Spotlights: selected vendors and their items will be promoted through our social media!

TO APPLY, please email the completed <u>Holiday Art Market 2023 Vendor Application</u> and 3-5 good quality JPEG images of your work to Mallory Feltz at mallory@kennedyarts.org. **Deadline for submissions is by midnight on Friday, October 6, 2022**.

Important Dates:

Application Deadline: Friday, October 6, 2023 (by midnight)

Selected artists will be notified: Friday, October 13, 2023 (by end of day)

Inventory Drop-Off: October 24 – October 28, 2023 (Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 11am-4pm)

Holiday Art Market Dates: November 4, 2023 – December 31, 2023

Inventory Pick-Up: January 2 – 6, 2024 and January 9 – 13, 2023(Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 11am-4pm)