



341 Beech St., Unit 1, Pottstown, PA 19464
610-326-2506 * www.artfusion19464.org

Dear local artist:

ArtFusion 19464 has been serving the tri-county area since 2004 as your non-profit community art center. We could not have come so far without the support of our artists, and we are so excited you are interested in joining that important group.

ArtFusion 19464 works hard to present an exciting schedule of exhibits throughout the year. We encourage you to participate in each member only show and also in our yearly educational exhibit. You can check out past exhibit topics on our website. This year's educational exhibit will feature recycled and upcycled art. As part of these exhibits, we offer free field trips to local schools and other organizations.

We also offer opportunities for group and solo shows. Please contact us if you are interested in talking further, and remember scheduling for all our shows is done 7-12 months out.

We are currently working on forming a Working Artist Committee. This committee would help in developing themes for our two yearly member exhibits, gallery events and educational show opportunities. This committee would also assist in getting sponsors for our Best in Show awards. If you are interested in joining, please indicate that on your application.

ArtFusion 19464 is always looking to expand our educational offering. If you are interested in teaching, please let us know. We teach all ages—kids through senior citizens. We do require background checks and clearances from all of our instructors. We also rent classroom space if you are in need of a location to hold your own class or workshop. Please contact us for more information.

The cost of our membership is \$100, or \$80 with a 10-hour volunteer commitment. Our commission percentage on art sales is 35%, with you the artist setting the sale price. Proceeds from these fees and commissions help to pay for preparing gallery walls, hanging the show, and creating tags for each piece. They also help offset expenses associated with running and maintaining our facility, including credit card processing fees.

If you have not participated in a show with us, we will need to jury your work for membership. Please email 3-4 high quality jpegs of your work to info@artfusion19464.org. Choose pieces that best represent you as an artist.

Working Artist Membership Benefits

- Gallery lighting, space and wall preparation, and hanging of all shows.
- Staff interaction with customers and handling of sales in our facility which is open 5 days per week.
- Having work for sale in the annex on a year round basis
- Having a dedicated artist page on our website, maintained by ArtFusion 19464 with images and information you provide
- Reduced exhibit fees for all gallery shows (member shows \$10, all other shows \$15)
- Reduced tuition for classes.
- Reduce member ticket prices for special events
- Participating in events for just artist members

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- Becoming part of the larger art community through initiatives like the Fusion Chronicles and our Artsphere open studio time.

Additional benefits

The following community partners have generously agreed to offer our members discounts at their establishments.

- **Steel River Playhouse:** \$3 off any show in their 2018/2019 subscriber season (*Sweeney Todd, Miracle on 34th, Santaland Diaries, Nunsense, Much Ado About Nothing, The Fisherman and His Wife, Constellations, and Beauty and the Beast*). You will receive a discount code when you renew.
www.steelriver.org
610-970-1199
245 E. High Street
- **The Avenue restaurant:** Free beverage with meal purchase when showing your ArtFusion membership card. You will receive your card after you renew.
107 E High Street, Pottstown Pa 19464
484-752-4076
FB & Instagram: @lovetheavenue
www.welcometotheavenue.com
- **Grumpy's Handcarved Sandwiches:** Free drink with sandwich purchase when showing your ArtFusion membership card. You will receive your card after you renew.
137 E High St, Pottstown, PA 19464
610-323-1232

If you have any questions or concerns about membership, please contact me at erika@artfusion19464.org or call 610-326-2506 to make an appointment. We so appreciate your interest in ArtFusion 19464 and look forward to seeing your artwork in our gallery.

Sincerely,

Erika Hornburg
Executive Director

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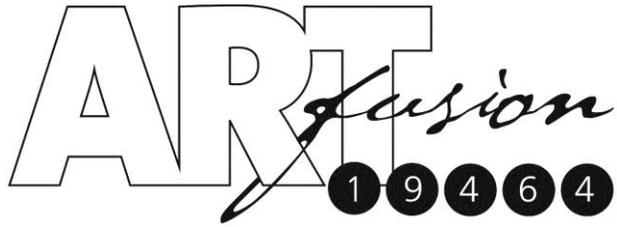
New Working Artist Member 2018 Application

Date:		
Last Name:		First Name:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Alt Phone:	
Email:	Website:	
Occupation:		
My concentration is:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Painting (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing	<input type="checkbox"/> Pastels
<input type="checkbox"/> Encaustics	<input type="checkbox"/> Ink /Pen	<input type="checkbox"/> Photography/film
<input type="checkbox"/> Printmaking	<input type="checkbox"/> Collage/mixed media	<input type="checkbox"/> Bookmaking/journaling
<input type="checkbox"/> Calligraphy/lettering	<input type="checkbox"/> Computer graphics/illustration	<input type="checkbox"/> Clay/ceramics
<input type="checkbox"/> Fiber/textiles	<input type="checkbox"/> Metal	<input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry
<input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture	<input type="checkbox"/> Assemblage	<input type="checkbox"/> Glass blowing/fusing
<input type="checkbox"/> Mosaics	<input type="checkbox"/> Stained glass	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodworking
<input type="checkbox"/> Papermaking	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Poetry
<input type="checkbox"/> Prose	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)	
Is there any medium you would like to explore further?		
Please share any other arts organizations of which you are a member.		

As a non-profit organization, we have many opportunities for our members to volunteer. If you are able to commit to 10 hours of volunteer time in the next calendar year, we can offer a discount on your membership. All instructors receive a complimentary membership. Please check which membership you are interested in and indicate the areas in which you could assist ArtFusion 19464. **Please check one.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Working Artist Membership	\$100.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Working. Artist Membership with volunteer commitment	\$80.00

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Volunteer opportunities

Would you be interested In serving on any of the following committees:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Working Artist Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Strategic Planning
My skills include:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer/database	<input type="checkbox"/> Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/> Marketing
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance	<input type="checkbox"/> Event planning	<input type="checkbox"/> Grant writing
<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Would you be willing to volunteer to gallery sit? <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		
How did you hear about ArtFusion?		
Comments:		

I agree, as a Beech St. Artist Member of ArtFusion 19464, for my work to be used in promotional materials and advertising.

Signature of Artist: _____

Date: _____

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