

## **Noank Historical Society's "Noank Artists Exhibition" 2025**

**On view June 27 - August 31, 2025**

**( Weds - Sun 1- 4pm)**

**"Meet the Artists" reception is Friday, June 27, 5-7pm**

**At the Latham Chester Store Gallery (foot of Main St., Noank)**

*The annual Noank summer art show has been a community tradition for over 30 years, celebrating our area and its artists. The Noank Historical Society is grateful to the participating artists, who donate 30% of their sales to support our mission.*

### **INFORMATION FOR THE ARTISTS :**

**Receiving dates for artwork: Monday, June 23 (10am-2pm) and Tuesday, June 24, (2pm-6pm)** (NOTE: afternoon hours on Tuesday)

**Pick up date: Tuesday, September 2 (10am - 1pm)**

The exhibition is open to current members of the Noank Historical Society.

#### **Checklist for artists' requirements:**

- **Renew NHS annual membership:** Either go online to [noankhistoricalsociety.org](http://noankhistoricalsociety.org), or send a check to Noank Historical Society, P.O. Box 9454, Noank CT 06340. Dues are \$20/individual or \$30/family.
- **Fill out necessary forms** on receiving day or before:\* (1) NHS Artist Agreement: artists agree to donate 30% of sales proceeds to NHS and also to hold NHS harmless for any damage/loss of artwork (2) Gallery Entry form - one for each piece of original artwork submitted (3) Inventory sheet (only for cards and prints; available on receiving day)
- **Bring on receiving day:** your 1-3 pieces of original artwork (*see guidelines below*): your calendar to schedule required gallery sitting (at least one 3-hour session), your updated artist's bio, and any completed paperwork
- On receiving day **make time for a 20-minute training session** to review gallery procedures, including how to make a sale using the Square terminal
- Please bring a plate of **finger food** to the opening, June 27 at 5-7pm

#### **Artwork Guidelines:**

##### ***Guidelines for original artwork to exhibit (no digital reproductions or prints)***

All fine arts media (painting, drawing, sculpture, photography) are welcome

- All artwork must be for sale
- Art which is indicative of our area and/or maritime character
- **For paintings, drawings and sculpture:** 1 - 3 pieces may be exhibited, with size not to exceed 40" on longest side (including frame)
- **For photography:** 1 or 2 photographs (of local scenes only) per artist, not to exceed 11"X14"
- All work must be identified, **framed and wired** for hanging (no brackets please). Sculptors must supply pedestals.
- A piece that is sold during the show may be replaced by another one of your pieces, but you must fill out a new gallery entry form for that piece before it is hung.
- *The receiving committee reserves the right to decide if an artist's work can be exhibited*

##### ***Guidelines for artist's sale of prints and cards:***

- One copy each of priced and matted prints may be left for sale in artist's own rack (no prints or digital artwork on wall, no framed prints in bins.)
- Cards made from original art may be sold
- Artists must supply their own rack (not too large) for these items
- NEW: Artists must fill out an inventory sheet each time you submit cards or prints

**Questions? Call Carol Connor (860)912-7691 or Carole Erdman (860)536-3652**

*\*Forms are available on receiving day and to download from [www.noankhistoricalsociety.org](http://www.noankhistoricalsociety.org)*