CB8M Spring 2023 Art Show Frequently Asked Questions Sheet

June 17th, 2023 (Rain Date: June 18th, 2023); James Cagney Place (East 91st Street b/t Second and Third Avenues)

Where will the show be held?

The show will be held at <u>James Cagney Place</u>, located on East 91st Street, between Second and Third Avenues.

The show is outdoors, on a street with no cars. There may be bikes that pass by occasionally. We encourage everyone to be respectful and friendly to each other.

When will the show be held?

The show will be held on June 17th, 2023.

If it rains, or if rain is likely, we will email you the morning of the show to move the event to the <u>June 18^{th} , 2023</u> rain date.

When is the deadline to submit art to be considered for participation?

The submissions deadline is May 5th.

How many samples of my work should I provide?

As many as you believe captures the quality of your work. If there are specific pieces you plan to showcase, please send them over as well.

If I have already participated in a previous art show, do I need to send pictures of my work again to be considered for participation in this show?

Like our previous shows, there is a blind review process by our Arts Committee for acceptance into the show, so we require all artists to submit once more for this new show.

What types of art are permitted for this upcoming show? For example, is photography permitted? Handmade jewelry?

All types of art are permitted for this upcoming show, including photography, handmade jewelry, ceramics, paintings, drawings, handmade clothing, sculptures, crafts, etc. Please feel free to email our office at <u>wu@cb8m.com</u> if you have any concerns about the medium of your work.

How many total participants will there be?

Previous events have include more than 90 participants. To ensure that there will be space for all exhibitors, we advise artists that have been invited to exhibit to confirm participation as soon as possible.

Will any display materials (easels, tables, chairs, etc.) be provided to participants?

Because of the large interest in this event, we are unable to provide any display materials, such as easels, tables, or chairs. Please bring your own display equipment, which could include a table, easels, screens, or blankets to show your art, and a chair or stool for sitting.

What are the guidelines for setting up on the day of the show?

You may set up your display starting at 10 AM. Each artist will be allotted about 8 linear feet of space. Since the show is advertised to end at 4 PM, we ask all artists to remain until 4 PM to avoid disappointing the public.

Since the show cannot provide electricity or outlets, please make sure all devices are fully charged in the morning.

The Community Board is not responsible for any loss or damage to artists' works OR ANY INVOLVEMENT IN ARTISTS' FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS. TO HELP PREVENT LOSS OR DAMAGE, please stay with your artworks during the show, unless someone else can mind your work if you step away. All sales are the responsibility of the artist.

Once at the venue, how will all the artists be organized?

Find the welcome table and an Arts Committee representative will show you to your area.

Will bathrooms be provided for the artists?

Bathrooms are available for the artists.

Will there be parking space provided for the artists?

No, there is no parking set aside for artists.

What can I do to spread awareness of this event?

Please PROMOTE this important event on social media and to your friends, family, colleagues, and neighbors. You can find media posts linked below. And, have a good time!

- Facebook
- <u>Twitter</u>
- <u>Instagram</u>
- CB8's Website

Who is responsible for organizing the show?

The Art Show is presented by the CB8 Arts Committee, a small group of volunteers whose passion it is to support local arts and our community.

What is the purpose of Community Board 8 Manhattan's Art Shows?

The CB8 Arts Committee's mission is to present visual and performing arts in public spaces. We believe art is essential to quality-of-life. We are delighted to have you participate in this much-anticipated event and are pleased to be able to showcase your works.

The Arts Committee wants you to have fun and enjoy your time meeting other artists and the local community.

We look forward to seeing you there!