

The House
of the Seven Gables



SALEM ARTS ASSOCIATION

3rd Annual Salem Arts Residency at The House of Seven Gables

For the third year in a row The House of Seven Gables will allow Salem Arts members on the grounds of their property to sketch, paint, photograph, and write without the need to pay admission.

This year there will be guidelines (regarding use of their furniture and the need to sign in so that they know who is on the grounds). We will provide them with a list because for the first time SAA will require that you fill out this Call for Proposal to participate and pay a fee. They want emails and phone numbers of the artists in attendance. We will be able to “hang” our work for two days and we will have a reception on June 7th, the Sunday closing the Salem Arts Festival.

Residency dates: Saturday May 16 to Saturday May 30, 2015

During their normal hours of operation of 10 am to 5 pm daily.

Please refer your questions to:

Co-chairs: Sue Grillo: <sgrillov@comcast.net>

Sheryl Lily Pond: <sherylpond3@gmail.com>

Artists will sign in at the entry way desk and follow the guidelines provided by the H7G when they are working. **Exhibit Location:** The House of Seven Gables, 115 Derby Street, Salem Mass., open daily **10:00 am to 5:00 pm**

****Work Sought:** If you sketch, paint, draw, photograph, and/or write you are encouraged to treat yourself to this wonderful opportunity. For the 2015 event we will create a boxed set of notecards of artwork created in the previous two years. Going forward we hope to continue this tradition of showcasing the work created during the Residency.

Any artist whose work is selected will receive 2 boxed sets of their notecards as compensation. All proceeds from the sale of the notecards will benefit Salem Arts Association. Please send us your art from the last two years that you feel might work for a notecard.

Eligibility: Open to all only SAA members

DEADLINE: Application by May 4 via email to one of the co-chairs or to our PO Box 226, Salem MA 01970. Application and \$10 per SAA member. Only open to SAA members.

Other information:

All work for exhibition must have it's own easel (table or floor)

EXHIBITION: Sunday, June 7th, 3-6 pm and June 8th 10 am to 4 pm

RECEPTION: Sunday, June 7th, 3-6 pm

Details for Participation:

Art Take-in: For Reception and exhibition: Tuesday, June 2nd and Wednesday, 3rd from 10 am to 5 pm and June 7th from 10 am to Noon.

Art Pick-Up: June 8th from 4-5 pm (*not during the reception on 6/7, if you cannot leave your work through the 8th please do not enter the exhibition.*)
June 9th from 10 am to 2 pm.

Insurance: We are not responsible for any property loss or damage. Artists must provide their own insurance if they wish additional coverage.

Name

Email and phone number

Time you most likely will participate? *If you can predict (we know it's often weather dependent)*

Optional: Attach or include a 250-300 word description of your work for publication. We would like to create a leave behind for visitors to the exhibition.