

OLD FIRE STATION COMMUNITY ARTS CENTRE

BOOKING FORM



Exhibitions

Cultural art activities of all types, both groups and individuals, are welcome at the Old Fire Station Community Arts Centre. The Old Fire Station is available for a range of arts based activities including; visual arts exhibitions, workshops, lectures, talks, recitals and performances.

Bookings

Booking periods are on a weekly basis, running from Thursday (noon) to Wednesday (pm). Bookings of two (2) weekly duration may be considered pending availability and content.

Exhibition bookings are scheduled in advance every six (6) months.

1st Half Year – January to June (inclusive)

2nd Half Year – July to December (inclusive)

To ensure equity of access artists are limited to one exhibition every six (6) months.

Where a date has been requested by more than one (1) exhibitor applications are prioritised giving local artists highest priority.

The Arts Centre is to be used for locally based, original work only. No commercial operations or non-original mass produced items are permitted.

Fees

See Council website (<http://www.kiama.nsw.gov.au/your-community/arts---culture/exhibition-spaces>) for current fees

All fees, including hire, bond and key deposit, must be paid to secure your booking within one month of being advised in writing that your application has been successful and a booking date has been allocated.

Exhibitors must have their own public liability of \$20M, or pay Council's Casual Hirers Public Liability fee of \$150.

Cancellations and Refunds

Refunds on bond and key deposit will generally be provided within two (2) weeks of the end of you exhibition.

Booking cancellations where a replacement exhibitor can be found will receive a full refund of all fees.

Booking cancellations where a replacement exhibitor cannot be found, will receive a full refund of bond and key deposit, and 50% refund of the hire fee.

Completing this form

Ensure all sections of this form are **fully completed** or your application will not be processed.

Your Details

Name for Refunds:

(Any necessary refunds will be made out to this name)

Contact Person:

Email:

Phone:

Address:

I/We wish to use the Old Fire Station for:

Visual Arts exhibition

Performance space

Workshop

Talks/Lecture

Meeting

Other

Are you an:

Independent artisan – Kiama LGA resident

Artisan group – all Kiama LGA residents

Artisan group – some Kiama LGA residents

Independent artisan – live outside the Kiama LGA

Other

If group, Name of the Group:

Your Exhibition

Exhibition Name

(this should not be just the name of your group, think about something catchy for promotional purposes; it may be themed or a description of the type of work you are doing or something fun and engaging)

Describe your Exhibition (what would you like the public to know to encourage them to attend your exhibition)

All work produced for the booking is locally based (Illawarra region) and original:

Yes

No, what percentage is original work

Photo for Promotion

(please attach with your email a colour photo to be associated with promotion of your exhibition)

Preferred Exhibition Dates

While all care will be taken to get you your preferred dates these cannot be guaranteed. Please note the **booking period (full week) is 12noon Thursday to 5.00pm Wednesday**

1st preference:

2nd preference:

3rd preference:

Enter the name and residential suburb of all individual who will be using the Old Fire Station during your hire week.

Name & Suburb

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Public Liability and Banking

Note: All relevant attachments must be submitted with this form for your booking to be processed.

Do you have Public Liability Insurance (minimum \$20,000,000)

Yes

No

If No, you will be able to pay in insurance fee which will cover your exhibition under Council's Insurance. This cover will include being able to sell your work.

If Yes, please attach your Certificate of Currency with this booking form.

Date of expiry for your certificate of currency:

Banking Details

If you have not previously submitted your banking details, or your details have changed, please complete the new Banking Details Form attach with this form

Terms and Conditions

These are a list of the most pertinent and immediate expected behaviours and guidelines, a full list of information and guidelines can be found in the Exhibitors Information Guide.

Hanging Wires: Are to remain hanging straight at all times.

If you do not require the wires and want them out of sight please slide them into the corners.

Do not under any circumstances roll, bend or curl the wires up or remove wires from track.

Do not remove hooks from wires, unused hooks can be move to hide behind the painting that is hanging.

There are fifty (50) wires all with 3 hooks on each wire, 150 hooks in total.

Walls/Doors/Windows: only white tack may be used on the walls.

Blue tack, sticky tape, glue or any other items may not be placed directly on the walls or doors.

Brochure Holder: Ensure that nothing is placed in front of or hung over the brochure holder and that it is in a place accessible to the public.

Daisy Location: Daisy will be under your care and protection while you are exhibiting. She is an icon of Kiama; please read her care instructions carefully these can be found in the Exhibitors Information Guide.

Internal Door: the internal door between the exhibition space and kitchen is to be closed at all times (other than during set up and pack up)

Back Door: The back door must be securely closed and locked when you leave the building unless Council staff are in the office opposite the kitchen area.

Display Boxes: Do not remove the display boxes from the exhibition space

Concerns: Feel free to discuss any concerns you have with Council's Community and Cultural Development Officer (back office of gallery) 02 4232 0549

Breaches: Any breaches to these rules may result in a deduction from your bond. A \$30 admin. fee will be charged plus cost to repair or replace.

I have read the above and the complete Exhibitors Information Guide (this can be found on Council's website)

I understand a hardcopy of the Exhibitors Information Guide will be also made available to me at the Old Fire Station during my exhibition period.

I agree to abide by the expected behaviours and guidelines of the Old Fire Station Community Arts Centre.

I have read and agree to the terms and conditions as listed above

Further information about the use of the Old Fire Station can be found in the Old Fire Station Information Guide available on Council's website.

Closing Dates

January–June inclusive close on 30 October Applicants will be notified of their exhibition by end of November.

June-December inclusive close on 30 April. Applicants will be notified of their exhibition by end May.

Submission

Please return applications to:

Old Fire Station Bookings
Kiama Municipal Council
PO Box 75
Kiama 2533

Or Email council@kiama.nsw.gov.au

Late Applications will not be considered in the first round of programming, but will be considered for any dates available after all first round applicants have been accommodated.

For further information and inquiries please contact me on 4232 0549 or email: louisec@kiama.nsw.gov.au