

**OSA WILL BE ACCEPTING NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS THIS
YEAR FOR 2012 MEMBERSHIP.**

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN APPLYING FOR 2012 MEMBERSHIP,
PLEASE FIND BELOW THE INFORMATION AND
REQUIREMENTS ABOUT OUR JURING PROCESS.**

**WE WILL BE TAKING NEW MEMBER APPLICATIONS IN
NOVEMBER OF 2011. PLEASE FIND THE DOWNLOADABLE
APPLICATION BELOW.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST.

OSA

OJAI STUDIO ARTISTS

MEMBERSHIP AND APPLICATION SUBMISSION

The Ojai Studio Artists (OSA) is a cooperative non-profit group of Ojai area resident artists committed to helping further the arts in our community. Each year OSA hosts a Studio Tour and raises money for art scholarships, books for the library, outreach events and more. OSA relies on participation by all its members to be successful. We are a volunteer organization.

Each active member is required to serve on at least one committee and attend at least six of the annual General Meetings. Annual dues are \$60 and a \$10 maintenance fee for the website - \$70 total. There is a one time charge of \$50 for website start-up. All fees are subject to change.

OSA SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

_____ **COMPLETED APPLICATION**

_____ **CD OF 5 DIGITAL IMAGES:** jpeg image files only, cannot exceed 500 KB or a height or width greater than 800 pixels. No class or copied works. Please label your CD with your Name.

_____ **ONE ORIGINAL PIECE OF ART:** to be delivered on day of ballot jury.

OSA members will jury your CD and original piece using numbered anonymous ballots.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS DUE BY NOVEMBER 20, 2011.

Mail your **application** and **CD** to:

Patricia Kuebler
10908 Encino Drive
Oak View, CA 93022

HAND-DELIVER ONE ORIGINAL PIECE OF ART ON JANUARY 21, 2012 BETWEEN 2 P.M. AND 4 P.M. TO:

Bert Collin's Studio
1545 Cuyama Road
Ojai, CA 93023
(Near 5 way stop in Meiners Oaks)
Phone: 646-6907

***PLEASE PICK UP YOUR ORIGINAL ART ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 2012 BETWEEN 2 P.M. AND 4 P.M.**

If you have any questions, please contact:
Patrish Kuebler, OSA Membership Chair
Phone: 649-3050
pbkuebler@sbcglobal.net

OJAI STUDIO ARTISTS

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

1. NAME OF APPLICANT ARTIST:

- (Please check)** I have noted that all active OSA artists are required to:
- (1). Serve on a committee
 - (2). Attend at least 6 of the annual General Meetings.
 - (3.) Pay yearly dues and website fees.

2. ADDRESS OF STUDIO:

Phone:

Email:

3. PLEASE ATTACH TO THE APPLICATION A SHORT BIOGRAPHY OR HISTORY OF YOUR PERSONAL ART BACKGROUND. (For instance: how long have you been a professional working artist, your education, variety of media you have worked in, achievements, etc.)

4. LIST YOUR GALLERY AFFILIATIONS AND/OR 3 RECENT JURIED EXHIBITIONS THAT ACCEPTED YOUR WORK.

1.

2.

3.

5. GIVE A BRIEF ARTIST'S STATEMENT.

6. PLEASE GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR STUDIO (Size, location of studio on property, number of available parking spaces nearby, etc.) The membership committee will arrange a date and time for a brief studio visit from a few members before the jury process.

7. PLEASE LIST TITLES, SIZE, and MEDIUM USED OF THE 5 IMAGES SUBMITTED:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Below you will find a descriptive listing of the different committees that are needed to accomplish the work of this volunteer organization. Please acquaint yourself with the functions of each of these because every member is required to work on one or more committees.

OSA COMMITTEES

OSA Executive Board is made up of the following positions:

President, 2 Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, and Governance (advisory group of past presidents)

Chamber Liaison Represents OSA in working with the Ojai Chamber of Commerce
Art Center Liaison

Membership Committee: Oversees Membership Recruiting and OSA Membership

E-mail Liaison: Generates email notices to membership

OSA Directory: Updates directory yearly and oversees updates throughout the year

Phone calls: Responsible for calling non-email members and sending them copies of information via snail mail

Socials: Plans and organizes socials for OSA members

Outreach Committee: Oversees Scholarships and Outreach programs

Scholarships: Receives applications and juries scholarships

Teaching Programs: Organizes venues for teaching

Professional Development Committee: Oversees elements of professional development for members

Workshops: Plans and Organizes workshops

General Meetings: Plans Professional Development Segment to General Meeting

Cultural Art Trips: Plans trips

Exhibitions Committee: Oversees and plans OSA exhibitions

Hangers

Hanger - 3D work

Graphics Committee: Oversees Brochure, mailings, Map and tickets and printing

Brochure: Creates brochure

Made in Ojai Postcard: Designs and creates postcard

Member Press Book(s): Creates Book of OSA Members

Brochure Bulk Mailing: Mails brochure & postcard

Map & Tickets: Creates Map Ticket, collects updated information from members,

Proof Reader:

Tour Name Tags:

Website Liaison: Coordinates with web-master

Newsletter and facebook representation

Publicity Committee: Oversees and Coordinates with Paid Publicist

Ads: Creates ads for publicity

Banners: Generates banners for new members

Photographer: Photographs events for publicity

Proof Readers:

Writers: writes content for publicity

Reception Committee Plans and oversees annual tour reception (Coordinates with the Art Center liaison and the Docent Chair) This may include such responsibilities as decorating, catering, and such fundraisers as auctions and/or art raffles.

Arts Advocates Committee (The Docent committee): Fosters and promotes the participation of non-OSA members of the Ojai community in OSA annual tour weekends, and other OSA events.

(Coordinates with Art Center liaison and the Reception Committee)