Art In Action Policies

Purpose

The purpose of Art In Action is to allow artists and makers to engage with other Norwescon members through demonstration of their craft. We encourage those that can to teach and have projects that the members can make and take with them.

Price

Table space is available for free, however, the creator must be a member of the convention to participate. Proof of a Norwescon membership must be included when registration is turned in.

Selling

If you engage in sales you are allowed to sell only your own items.

Creators are responsible for their own sales tax collection and reports. We will not be collecting sales tax for them, nor will we be reporting for them. We will not, in fact, be handling any monies at all on behalf of Art In Action. Free temporary tax IDs are available by calling 800-647-7706.

While we permit limited selling at the table, the primary purpose of the table is for demos and artist/maker/artisan interaction with Norwescon members. Large quantities of saleable items should be sold in the Dealer's Room which is open to the public.

Likewise, if you have items for sale in the Art Show or in the print shop, please direct people there in lieu of selling the same items at the table. The Art Show is open to the public.

Times

Blocks of time will be made available depending on the amount of interest, number of tables, and participant availability.

Blocks of time will not be less than 2 hours and no more than 4 hours. Some larger demos may be given exceptions to this due to setup and take down time.

Hours:

Thursday 1:00p.m. – 6:00p.m. Friday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Set up for the first time slots should start at least 10 minutes before the start time. Tear down of your area should begin 10 minutes prior to the end of your time slot. This will allow the next creator to set up at the beginning of their time. Please respect this.

Tables will be open from 6:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. to anyone who wants to setup. This is on a first come first serve basis. On Sunday everything needs to be torn down by 2:00 pm.

Includes:

Any form of demonstrable creation

Any type of make and take

Messy demonstrations (sculpting, large-scale carving, dying, etc.) require prior permission of the Art in Action Manager. The area will be tarped.

Other

Norwescon is not providing any security for items in the Art In Action area. Any items brought are the sole responsibility of the owner. The demonstration tables are located in a hallway, there are no locks available. We assume and accept no liability for any of it.

We expect a good attitude and respect shown towards the other creators and to the public. If you have issue with how someone is treating you or acting in your area please contact the Art in Action Manager or security. Remember, we really want to emphasize demos and interaction!

Norwescon cannot provide storage space for your supplies, materials, and/or completed items.

Participants in Art In Action may be promoted on the Norwescon site and in the program guide, both digitally and paper.

We expect you to show up at your allotted time. If you cannot make your time slot you must contact the Art In Action manager so that arrangements can be made for another creator to take your slot.