

Chama Valley Arts

*Cultivating Creativity, Learning, and
Community Through Arts and Culture*



*16th Annual
Chama Valley Art Festival and Studio Tour
Artist Applicant Agreement*

Eligibility

Artists residing in Northern NM within the area of Santa Fe, Taos, Farmington, and including Bayfield and Alamosa CO, are eligible to apply.

Fees

For artists from within the Chama Valley (including Canjilon to Dulce and Chromo): application fee for studio tour artists or festival artists reserving a 10x10 booth space is \$65, 10x20 booth space: \$85.

For artists from beyond the Chama Valley: 10x10 booth space: \$75. 10x20 booth space: \$100.

Every artist exhibiting and selling work must complete an application.

Booths

Artists provide all of their own equipment for booths, including displays, tables, chairs, and canopies if needed.

Booth Locations

Studio Tour Artists may show from their own home and studio or location of their choice, or they may choose to put a booth at one of the festival stops in the village. Festival Artists setting up booths within the Village of Chama Festival Area will be assigned spaces.

Liability

The Chama Valley Art Festival (CVAF) will not be responsible for damage to, loss, or theft of artwork, display materials, or personal belongings. Nor can CVAF be held liable for acts of terrorism or individuals committing illegal acts during the Art Festival.

Taxes

Exhibitors are responsible for collecting and paying NM gross receipts taxes of 8.44% for the Village of Chama on sales within the village limits. For further information contact NM T&R Dept. at (505)827-0700.

Publicity

All applicants are encouraged to send brief biographical materials and photos to be used on social media and our website. Chama Valley Arts reserves the right to use any photos or written materials for promotional purposes. Festival information is shared with media outlets throughout Northern and Central New Mexico, Southern Colorado, the Four Corners, West Texas, social media, and on posters and banners throughout the region.

Photo/Video Release

Submission of this application gives Chama Valley Arts permission to use your image and video or audio recordings of you taken during the festival, for promotional purposes.

Donation to Auction

CVAF requests that every artist donate an artwork (minimum value \$15) to the auction in support of the CVAF. *Please send an image, description, and value of the piece for the auction at the time of your application.* Thank you!

Please Read Carefully

- The work of artists who reside beyond the Chama Valley will be subject to approval by a jury. Your work will be reviewed anonymously by a panel for inclusion.
- Digital images of your work are preferred. They will be used for the selection process and may be used in advertising. Only images submitted digitally will be used for advertising.
- Only artwork which has been represented on your application may be displayed at the festival.
- All work must be created and produced by the exhibitor.
- Resale of commercially manufactured goods is not permitted.
- Jewelers are permitted to sell finished work only. Pre-made materials (beads, charms, etc.) cannot be sold separately; they must be incorporated into the artist's own completed designs.
- It is forbidden to display political or religious handouts or brochures
- The Chama Valley Art Festival and Studio Tour reserves the right to reject any exhibitor who does not abide by this agreement.

Deadlines and Cancellations

Artists who apply by May 22nd will have an image of their work included in the brochure. Application window closes 7/31/2023. After all booth spaces are filled applicants will be placed on a waiting list. Applicants on the waiting-list may be asked to join if other exhibitors cancel. Cancellations made at least 2 weeks prior to the event will be refunded excepting the \$15 jury fee. No refunds will be issued after August 18th. No refunds will be issued due to weather. If an artist does not cancel and does not show up, they will not be considered for inclusion in CVAF 2024.

Entry Procedure

If you are not able to complete the application online, download the application on our website chamavalleyart.org, call (505) 492-3339 or email info@chamavalleyarts.org and we can email or mail you a copy.

Submission Media

All applicants, even previous participants in the Art Festival, must submit 3 to 5 digital images as samples of their work to info@chamavalleyarts.org. If unable to send digital images, you may send photos or a USB drive to Chama Valley Arts PO Box 95, Chama NM 87520.



16TH Annual Chama Valley Art Festival

Labor Day Weekend September 2 & 3, 2023

Hours: 10:00AM – 4:00PM

Return this form with your payment



Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website _____

PLEASE DESCRIBE WORK, MEDIUM, AND PROCESS – INFORMATION WILL BE USED IN ARTISTS BIO AND HELPS WITH JURY PROCESS:

PRICE RANGE: From \$ _____ to \$ _____

- SUBMIT 3-5 IMAGES OF YOUR CURRENT WORK AND ONE (1) OF YOUR BOOTH DISPLAY
- SUBMIT ONE (1) IMAGE WITH DESCRIPTION AND VALUE OF YOUR RAFFLE DONATION (Minimum value \$15)

CHECK YOUR CHOICE OF SPACE:

Artists from inside Chama Valley: ___ 10' X 10' SPACE (or studio) **\$65** ___ 10' X 20' SPACE **\$80**

Artists outside Chama Valley: ___ 10' x 10' SPACE **\$75** ___ 10' X 20' SPACE **\$100**

NEW MEXICO TAX ID# _____

VEHICLE MAKE/MODEL _____ **LICENSE PLATE#** _____

Vehicle information only needed for artists with booths in the festival

___ YES, I GIVE PERMISSION TO USE IMAGES OF MY WORK FOR FESTIVAL PUBLICITY

Signature: _____

By signing here you agree to the CVAF23 Artist Agreement.

Please download and review that document at chamavalleyarts.org

Application Deadline July 31st

Send application and payment to:

Chama Valley Arts, PO Box 95, Chama, NM 87520

* must be postmarked by 7/31/23

Questions: Contact Anita Massari (505) 492-3339, anita@chamavalleyarts.org (or)

Lisa Martinez: (575) 209-1079, Email: lisa.chama.arts@gmail.com

Staff use only. Date rec'd _____ Location _____ Date _____ Ck# _____