



**4<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL LANGLEY ART STUDIO TOUR**  
**September 22-23 & 29-30, 2012, 10:00 am-5pm**

**2012 ARTIST APPLICATION**

Thank you for your interest in the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Langley Art Studio Tour! This self-guided tour is being made possible by the cooperative volunteer efforts of participating artists. We are pleased to be building on the success of previous years and expect the tour to continue to grow!

The goal is to spotlight Langley artists who work from home studios. The tour is supplemented with other venues, what we call "Stops of Interest", which make the experience more rewarding for visitors and provide additional display space for artists who don't have their own studios.

To be included in the tour, art studios should be located in either the Township or the City of Langley (if your studio is located just outside the municipal boundary, please enquire). We are seeking studios in diverse locations and artists who work in a variety of media, including painters, potters, jewellers, sculptors, etc. Studio spaces should be suitable for the public to visit and be dedicated workspaces with easy access for visitors, an available washroom, and adequate off-street parking. We regret that bylaws prohibit condominium and townhouse units from participating in the tour. Each studio should offer light refreshments for visitors during the tour.

**If you don't have a presentable studio space, we will assist you in partnering with another Langley artist who does, or we will work to arrange placement at one of the Stops of Interest. Artists from outside Langley are encouraged to apply and will be accepted into the tour as space permits.**

Artists must have a significant body of work to display. Artists' work will be reviewed by the Studio Tour jury prior to acceptance into the tour. During the tour, artists are encouraged to have work-in-progress on hand and, if possible, be actively working on some art. Artists are also encouraged to conduct free, short mini-workshops and/or demos (i.e. 30 minutes) during the tour. Workshop/demo times, topics, etc. will be highlighted in the tour's printed materials and on the website. If you are an art instructor, it's definitely worthwhile to offer a brief workshop and/or demo.

We will provide tour brochures/guide-maps, signage to indicate tour stops, and directional signs to help visitors find each studio. We will also be coordinating an advertising and media campaign to promote the tour. We encourage all participants to assist in promoting the event by distributing promotional materials and advertising the tour to their client list. Working together we can make the event a success!

The studio tour again coincides with Culture Days, a nation-wide initiative designed to raise public awareness of the arts. The Langley Art Studio Tour is a registered Culture Days activity.

**The Studio Tour entry fee is \$100 per studio (solo artist) OR \$50 each for artists sharing a studio.**

Each participating artist gets their name listed on printed promotional material, a brief write-up in the tour brochure, and an image, write-up and web link on the tour website. To ensure that visitors are able to flow through the tour and reach as many locations as possible, the studio tour committee reserves the right to limit the number of artists at any one studio or Stop of Interest.

Every year we are asked by artists if they may participate on one weekend only, or on one day of each weekend. To make the tour as consistent as possible on both weekends, this is strongly discouraged and preference is given to applicants who can participate on all four days. Feedback from visitors indicates they very much appreciate having two weekends to enjoy the tour, particularly given that Langley is a large area to cover. Attendance numbers on both weekends have proven to be consistent.

**[www.langleyartstudiotour.ca](http://www.langleyartstudiotour.ca)**

**Email: [artinfo@langleyartstudiotour.ca](mailto:artinfo@langleyartstudiotour.ca)**

# Langley Artists Studio Tour 2012 Application Form

Submit this completed form and a cheque for entry your fee to:  
**Langley Artists Studio Tour, c/o #102 – 22025 – 48<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Langley, BC V3A 8L2**  
If you are not accepted into the tour, your fee will be refunded.

**Application forms and fees are due by JUNE 30, 2012.** If you miss the deadline, please enquire.

Note: all participants are responsible for their own insurance and for any theft/breakage/damage/injury that may occur during or as a result of the tour.

Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Studio Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

1. If you do not have a website, please send five digital images of your work and your artist's biography to: [artinfo@langleyartstudiotour.ca](mailto:artinfo@langleyartstudiotour.ca). (Those without e-mail may send print materials to the address noted above.)
2. For promotional purposes, **all artists must submit one digital jpg image (640 x 480 pixels)** of one of their art pieces. Note that horizontal images are preferred and are less likely to be cropped.
3. For the tour website, all artists must provide a description of their artwork (40-50 words): \_\_\_\_\_

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4. For the tour brochure, all artists must provide a short version of the above description (approx. 15 words):

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5. If you plan to offer a specific workshop/demo, please supply topic and times:

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## For artists **WITH** studios:

**Fee: \$100**

Briefly describe your studio space (i.e. the space you intend to open to the public, which may include a display area in addition to your working studio). Note that condos/townhouses cannot be accepted.

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I do not wish to share my studio

I plan to share my studio with: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Note: sharing artist(s) must also submit an application form.)

I would like to share my studio. Please connect me with an artist or artists. (How many? \_\_\_\_\_ )

When your submission has been reviewed, a committee member will contact you to schedule a studio visit.

## For artists **WITHOUT** studios:

**Fee: \$50**

I plan to share the studio of: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Note: The host artist must also submit an application form.)

I would like the studio tour committee to place me in an available studio or Stop of Interest. (We cannot guarantee placement but we will do our best. Priority will be given to Langley-based artists. Artists from outside Langley are encouraged to apply and will be accepted as space permits.)

*~ Thank you! You will be notified of acceptance once your application has been reviewed. ~*