



# Los Gatos Art Association

## Membership Application

(Fill out one Application per person.)

**New**       **Renewal**

<b>Name:</b>		<b>Medium:</b>	<b>Birth Month:</b>
<b>Address:</b>			
<b>City:</b>		<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>
<b>Telephone:</b>	<b>Email address:</b>	<b>Website url:</b>	

*Note: membership information is used only by LGAA for official communications - not shared/sold/published.*

<b>Membership</b> Membership is based on a <b>calendar year</b> . Renewals are <b>due and payable on or before January 1st</b> of each year.  Pay by <b>March 1<sup>st</sup></b> to be included in the printed Membership Directory.	<b>Annual Dues</b> (please check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Individual - \$45/year <input type="checkbox"/> Senior (65 & over) - \$40/year <input type="checkbox"/> Student (18 & under) - \$10/year	<b>New Members</b> New members may join at any time of year.
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**By CHECK** – make payable to **Los Gatos Art Association** or **LGAA** and mail it with this completed form to:  
Los Gatos Art Association - Membership  
P.O. Box 1193  
Los Gatos, CA 95031

**PayPal OPTION:** If you pay by PayPal, you may email this completed form to [membership@lga.org](mailto:membership@lga.org)

**Membership Agreement**

I hereby apply for membership in the Los Gatos Art Association and agree to abide by the aims and purposes of the Association as set forth by the by-laws of the Association. I agree that the Association has the right to screen all work submitted by me for exhibition in any art show or exhibit sponsored by the Association. Although all artwork submitted to the Association for exhibition will be handled with the utmost care, I agree to hold the Association harmless for loss or damage from any cause whatsoever. I allow the use of photos of myself or my work to be used for publicity.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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All applicants please complete this page whether new or renewing.

**The Los Gatos Art Association** is a non-profit organization dedicated to the education and support of the community of artists since 1948. Our mission is to promote creative expression in the fine arts by fostering high standards, extending appreciation and encouraging cooperation and camaraderie among artists.

**Membership:**

Membership is open to artists of all levels and art supporters.

**Meetings:**

General meetings are usually held on the second Sunday of each month from 1-3pm at Congregation Shir Hadash 20 Cherry Blossom Ln. Los Gatos.

Each meeting features a Demo or Guest Speaker as well as a Peer Exhibit.

**Shows:**

The LGAA sponsors major annual shows, a weekly Plein Air group and participates in several Bay Area artist exhibitions and community galleries.

**Member Benefits include:**

- a bi-monthly Newsletter
- inclusion of Member Artists' art and website links on our Members Gallery web page
- eligibility to participate in the monthly Peer Exhibit + Review with ribbons awarded and raffle drawing for those who bring art
- Peer Exhibit participation is the basis for the LGAA Artist of the Year award
- opportunities to volunteer for committees, local art events and association activities

To better serve all of our members, please complete this short questionnaire.

**1. Things you want most from the LGAA:**

- Opportunity to exhibit your art
- Fellowship with other artists
- Learning from the demonstrations
- Other

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**2. Volunteering:**

We strongly rely on participation of members to keep our dues low.

Which of the following areas are you interested in exploring? *Checking a box does **not** obligate you.*

**At Meetings**

- Set up Peer Exhibit
- Tally Peer Review votes
- Set up audio/camera/projector
- Take photos for social media

**Prepare for Shows**

- Hang Art
- Prepare spreadsheets in Excel
- Maintain database of jpegs
- Prepare wall labels in MS Word
- Assist Show Chair/Co-Chair

**General Help Needed**

- Find demo artists
- Writing / editing skills
- Photography skills
- Outreach to new members
- General computer skills
- Social Media skills
- Corresponding
- Organizing parties, events
- Store digital images
- Internet skills - scanning
- Page Layout

**3. Technical Skills**

- MS Word
- Excel
- WordPress
- HTML
- Adobe Photoshop

**3. Comments or Suggestions**

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