## Woodstock Professional & Business Women presents the

## **Autumn Art Tour 2025**

Saturday September 6th, 2025 10am-5pm

# Artist's Application for the Autumn Art Tour

The Woodstock Professional and Business Women (WPBW) are now accepting applications from artists to showcase and sell their art at the WPBW Autumn Art Tour September 6th, 2025. **This event is a fundraiser** for Woodstock Professional and Business Women, a not for profit, philanthropic organization that offers scholarships to local District 200 women and annually recognizes a Woman of the Year whose contributions and efforts both personally and professionally have made a significant, positive impact on the Woodstock community and beyond. The \$500.00 Angela Burden Award is donated to the Woman of the Year's charity of choice. Past recipients have been Turning Point, CASA, Home of the Sparrow, the Land Conservancy of McHenry County, Operation Wild Horse and most recently the D200 Education Foundation.

The goal of the art tour is to showcase the **exceptional art and fine crafts** produced in the region. The self-guided Art Tour will feature work from artists throughout Woodstock and the surrounding areas. Visitors may view and purchase a wide range of original work by local artists who appreciate the opportunity to share how, why, and where their art is created.

WPBW will provide: advertising (online & print), signage, and a tour map. Your website will be linked on the WPBW.org website, we ask that you link to WPBW on your websites & promote the event as well. An ARTIST MEET AND GREET will be held Sunday June 1st from 2-4pm on the patio at Ortmann's Red Iron Tavern - 101 E Church St, Woodstock... We look forward to seeing you there!

#### **Application Process:**

Completed application, payment, and at least three photos of your craft or artwork (photos will be featured online - artist authorizes photo usage) sent to WPBW - Susan Bocian <a href="mailto:SBOCIAN59@gmail.com">SBOCIAN59@gmail.com</a>

Or mail to WPBW PO Box 344, Woodstock, IL 60098

Registration Deadline: All applications must be submitted by June 15th, 2025.

#### **Declaration of Authenticity:**

ALL items sold by show participants MUST BE THE WORK OF THE ARTIST.

#### **FEES**

**\$100.00 non-refundable participation fee.** No fee/commission per sale; artist keeps all sale proceeds, WPBW gets only the \$100 application fee. <u>CLICK HERE to pay</u>

Approved artist vendors will be allotted a space approximately 10'x10' on or near the Woodstock Square.

\*WPBW reserves the right to deny a vendor. If a vendor is denied, the \$100 fee will be refunded. By participating, each artist fully understands that WPBW does not guarantee sales of exhibited works and that this event is free to the public.

## **Autumn Art Tour Registration Form**

Artist's Name
Address
City,State,ZIP
Phone
Email
Website
Price Range of Work
<u>Category:</u> Painting:OilAcrylicWatercolorMixed MediaOther
Sculpture
Jewelry
Printmaking
Photography
Master Crafts
Digital Art
Pottery
Glass
Other
Description of work**
**This description will be used in the brochure and on the website, space is extremely limited
PAYMENT MADE BY: CHECK ONLINE
<b>Deadline for Entries:</b> June 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2025
Send completed application with pictures of your artwork (for advertising purposes) to <a href="mailto:SBOCIAN59@amail.com">SBOCIAN59@amail.com</a> Your application will be confirmed upon payment:

Pay Online at WPBW.org | Pay via Venmo to @WPBW-Woodstock | By Check made payable to WPBW, PO Box 344, Woodstock, IL 60098

\*For additional information please contact: Susan Bocian at 815-236-0139 or email SBOCIAN59@gmail.com