



PRESENTED BY JOHN WILSON'S HEDCO GROUP



**SATURDAY, SEPT. 17, 2016
FROM 11 A.M. TO 3 P.M. AT JUBILEE PLAZA**

in support of the Wood Buffalo Food Bank

EMPTY BOWLS ARTIST MARKETPLACE CALL FOR ARTISTS

EVENT DETAILS

The Empty Bowls Festival is a family friendly celebration of local talent including visual arts, performing arts, and fine craft. This event will draw the community together, bring awareness to local hunger issues, and raise funds for the Wood Buffalo Food Bank.

Guests will purchase a hand-crafted bowl, made by the Fort McMurray Potter's Guild, and with that bowl will be able to make their way around the festival, sampling creations from several stations hosted by local eateries.

Local artists have the opportunity to showcase and sell their art as part of this festival. There will also be opportunities for schedule demonstrations and performances throughout the day.

PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE:

- Access to an estimated 500 Empty Bowl attendees.
- A 10' x 10' tent with table and 2 chairs.
- Art market ambassador to ensure smooth set up and take down.
- Promotion in various Empty Bowls advertising and communications.
- Tax receipts for donated portion of sales.

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Registration forms must be completed by August 19, 2016 and submitted to constance.scarlett@artscouncilwb.ca.
- As there is no fee for the booth, and space is limited, successful vendors must submit a \$50.00 deposit by September 6, 2016, which will be refunded if the vendor participates in the festival (arrives for the event).
- We ask that 15% of sales from each vendor be donated back to the Wood Buffalo Food Bank. A tax receipt will be issued for the donation amount.

DATE: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2016 11:00 - 3:00 PM

LOCATION: JUBILEE PLAZA

DEADLINES FOR APPLICATIONS: AUGUST 26, 2016

NOTIFICATION TO SUCCESSFUL ARTISTS: AUGUST 31, 2016

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GUIDELINES

- Photos of work or links to on-line portfolios/ websites must be included in the submission.
- Artists for the event are selected based on the quality, aesthetic appeal, price range, genre of their artwork or service.
- Artists must be permanent residents of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo.
- Artists should take into consideration unforeseeable events such as inclement weather.
- All artists must be fully set-up a minimum of 45 minutes prior to the start of the event.
- Artists must provide a description and/or logo no later than September 6, 2016 for potential inclusion in marketing materials.
- Artists must understand that the show is family focused and any act deemed inappropriate will immediately be removed from the event.
- Event organizers will provide a 10' x 10' tent, six-foot table and two chairs for the event, artists are responsible for supplying any additional equipment needed, artists are responsible for the set-up and take-down of their booth in its entirety.
- Please note that no electricity will be available to artists.
- Artists are responsible for their own meals.
- Event security is limited, please ensure that all valuables are not left unattended.
- All participating artists are encouraged to promote this event amongst their networks, promotional materials / graphics can be supplied by the Wood Buffalo Food Bank.
- Artists must carry their own insurance. The Wood Buffalo Food Bank, its partners and sponsors are not responsible for damage to, or theft of, artwork during this event.
- 15% of all sales from each vendor must be donated to the Wood Buffalo Food Bank.

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ARTIST SUBMISSION FORM

Contact Name:
Company (if applicable):
Address:
City: Postal Code:
Phone:
Email:
Website (if applicable):
Twitter (if applicable):
Facebook (if applicable):
Interested in demonstrating artwork to attendees: Yes No

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Completed application form
Samples, photos, or links to work
Artist statement, description and / or logo

ENDORSEMENT

I/we the undersigned, agree to, if selected as a festival participant, fully abide by the guidelines set forth in the Empty Bowls Call for Artists, and allow the Wood Buffalo Food Bank and Arts Council Wood Buffalo to use images and artist information for promotional purposes.

Printed name of applicant or company representative:

Signature of applicant or company representative:

Date:

PLEASE SEND YOUR SUBMISSION VIA EMAIL TO
CONSTANCE.SCARLETT@ARTSCOUNCILWB.CA BY AUGUST 19, 2016

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