



Goleta Valley Art Association (GVAA) How to Join During Pandemic

The Goleta Valley Art Association invites artists working in two-dimensional fine art and photography to apply for membership. Membership in GVAA remains in effect as long as yearly dues of \$25 are paid each year by February 28. Dues for new members accepted after August 1 are \$15 through the remainder of the year.

At this time, we encourage members to actively participate in virtual shows, membership zoom calls, and zoom workshops offered by the GVAA.

To apply for membership, *submit two pieces of artwork in the same medium and style via jpeg for jurying by 5 pm, July 15th 2021. Artwork should be submitted to Jan Smith jansmith.sb@gmail.com. Instructions for Submission by jpeg are attached and must be followed for acceptance.*

You may also find Instructions for Virtual Submission at our website:
<https://www.thegoletavalleyartassociation.org/events.html>.

The fee for entering two pieces for jurying is \$10. Please send check to GVAA, P.O. Box 435, Goleta, CA 93116, at the time you submit your art work. You may also pay through our PayPal link at:

<https://www.thegoletavalleyartassociation.org/events.html>

Artwork must be your original work, not copied from another painting nor enhanced in any way by an instructor or other person.

Craftwork, jewelry, stitchery, weaving, stained glass and sculpture are not accepted.

If both of your artworks are accepted by the Juror for the show, you shall become a member of the GVAA upon payment of \$25 dues and filling out a Membership Form. Membership will remain in effect for the balance of the year. Both pieces will be displayed in our virtual show.

Your email address will be displayed by your art pieces in the virtual show. Interested parties will contact you directly to get more information and to purchase the art. There is no commission to GVAA.

If not accepted, you are encouraged to try again.

Benefits of Membership

The opportunity to present your artwork for public exhibition and sale.

Opportunities to participate in quarterly members' zoom meetings offering peer critiques. Also periodic zoom workshops and art presentations.

Monthly newsletter with exhibition opportunities, local workshops, shows, and events, news of members' artistic successes, and other art news.

Camaraderie with artists of like interests.

A link from the GVAA Website to your personal art website.