

## FRIGHT GALLERY: ARTIST INFO

**EVENT**: Fright Gallery 3

DATE: Sunday, May 22, 2022

**VENUE**: Vulcan Gas Company (418 E. 6th St, Austin, 78701)

SHOW TIMES: 5pm-10pm

LOAD IN: 1pm-4pm / LOAD OUT: 10pm-12am

**AGES**: 21+

**ARTIST COST**: \$40 to show

**VENUE DETAILS**: The venue is located downtown on 6th street (corner of Neches and 6th). It has an industrial, upscale look. It's a really nice venue with great styling, a good sound system and lots of bathrooms. It has two floors with a large opening in the middle of the 2nd floor, looking down on the stage; as well as, two large bars and an outdoor balcony. We will have chairs in front of the stage for the performances. Artists will have displays on both floors along the walls. There are two sets of stairs, one on each side of the venue, and no elevator.

**COST TO SHOW**: The cost to show at the event is \$40. It is payable once you are accepted. Once you are accepted, payment info will be given via email. No refunds unless show is canceled. Each artist gets one guest for the show. That includes any helper at your space.

**ARTIST SPACES**: For this Fright Gallery, we are working with a new space that is much smaller. For that reason, we won't be able to have any traditional vendors and artists will need to display on vertical displays.\* The vertical displays must be free-standing and will need to fit within certain dimensions. The artist is also responsible for supplying their own displays.

## Dimensions of space: 5ft. wide x 7ft. tall x 3ft. deep

- Examples of displays would be free-standing pegboard or wood panels, grid setups and easel(s). On your display you are able to display as many pieces as you can fit. \*If you have standing pieces like sculptures, please let us know, and we can work with you on ways to display on a small table, column etc.
- All displays must be free-standing and can not lean or touch the walls of the venue. Artists are responsible for any damage to the venue that happens in their space (damage from displays, paint, fake blood, anything).
- The club has plenty of barstools that we can use but not regular chairs since we will be using those for the stage seating. You're free to bring your own chair. Know that any chair/stool will need to stay within your space dimensions.
- **Lighting**: Expect to have low lighting because this is a club setting. We highly suggest bringing your own battery-operated lights to light up your art. You will need to attach any lighting to your display. The space in front of your display will need to be clear of any obstructions, so clip-on lighting for your display is best. There are several inexpensive clip-on, battery-operated lights on Amazon and at most stores.

**ARTWORK LABELS:** It would great if you could make a label for each art piece — like an art gallery. Just a tag on each piece with: 1) **Title of your piece** 2) **Media** 3) **Cost or NFS (not for sale)** 4) **Your name** 

Having any business cards or ways to contact you in your space is also encouraged.

**SELLING**: This is not a "cash & carry" show, meaning, we ask that you not sell the pieces on display until the end of the show. If a guest would like to purchase a display piece, they can pickup at the end of the night or you can arrange a way to get the piece to them after. You can, however, sell prints of the piece you are displaying during the show. We don't want empty displays during the show — so the guests can enjoy the full gallery until the end of the event.

**STAGE PERFORMANCES**: There will be three performances throughout the night and they will be performed by our BOT "orchestra." They will be performing two sets of live DJ/video montages and one special set showcasing 2-3 artists creating live art while they play (i.e. painting, illustrations, etc.)

LIVE ART: We are asking if any artists are interested in being featured for this live art set. The set will only be 30 minutes, so we'll need artists who can finish a piece in 30 minutes. There might be a chance for artists to move their piece and setup to another area to do any finalizing, but that might be challenging logistically. We are also in the process of finding a non-profit to raise money for at the event. Maybe the pieces created on stage can be sold/raffled/auctioned off with the proceeds going to this non-profit? If you're interested in being one of the artists featured, let's talk more. If we get a bunch of people interested, please know that we'll have to choose the best fit.

You are welcome to show at the gallery and leave your space to be in the live set.

**LOAD IN**: 1-4pm (Load out is 10pm-12am and the same loading info applies) You will be allowed to load in the front of the club (on 6th street) or in the alley behind the club (entrance off Neches).

- When you load in the front, there won't be a reserved loading area because it is public parking and we aren't allowed to mark it off. So you will have to temporarily double-park with your hazards on. Much like the other delivery companies do on 6th Street. A helper would be especially helpful in this situation.
- The alley behind the club is only wide enough for one-way parking. Which might be an issue for getting stuck.
- We will try and have team members in both areas to help direct traffic. Hopefully, this load in will be less complicated than the last Fright Gallery as you'll only have your display and art and not a room full of stuff. Please bring a helper if you can. We will try and help as we can.
- No load in will be allowed after 4pm. Please make sure you are completely loaded in by that time. You will still have an hour to finish your space before doors open.

**CHECK IN**: When you arrive for load in, check in at the box office (at the front of the venue) to get your wristband and your plus one wristband. The staff will direct you to your space.

**PARKING**: Street parking on Sundays is free. There is a pay parking lot right behind the venue.

If you have any further questions, or need to work with us on how best to display, please email us at: info@bloodovertexas.com (with "Fright Gallery Artist" in the subject line).