

REGULATIONS AND PRACTICAL ARRANGEMENTS

PET SHOP OPEN CALL & EXPO FOR VISUAL ARTISTS

WHAT

With 'Pet Shop', Kunstwerkt and Kunsthall Gent are organising a summer fair without selection for visual artists focused on the theme of pets. This open call runs from 28 May to 11 June 2024. The works will be on show from 19 July to 26 August 2024 in a group exhibition in the Oud Huis at Kunsthall Gent.

THEME

Unconditional love, companionship and joy: nothing a pet can't fix. For the expo 'Pet Shop', we are looking for visual work around your favourite pet. From 19 July to 25 August, together with Kunsthall Gent, we will exhibit a multitude of works during a thematic summer exhibition in Oud Huis. From feathered friends, to fluffy four-legged friends, from paintings to etchings and textiles: all two-dimensional pets will be included in this expo.

EXPO WITHOUT SELECTION

We choose not to make a selection on the submitted works. However, only a limited number of works can be shown until the exhibition hall is full. If you submit on time, your work will be part of the group exhibition 'Pet Shop', which will be shown at Oud Huis in Kunsthall Gent from 19 July 2024 to 25 August 2024.

TIMING

Submit your work at Beeld	From 28 May to 11 June 2024. Registrations will be closed as soon as the entire space is filled with works.
Handing in work	<u>Handing in your work at Kunsthall Gent through time slots</u> Friday 5 July between 10h and 17h Saturday 6 July between 10h and 17h Adress: Lange Steenstraat 14, 9000 Ghent <i>Check the accessibility of Kunsthall Gent here</i>
Vernissage	On Friday 19 July 2024 we open at 20h with a festive event
Expo in Kunsthall Gent	From 19 juli t/m 25 August 2024

Pick up of work	<p><u>Pick up Kunsthall Gent</u></p> <p>26, 27 and 28 August 2024 according to the allocated time slots (specific information will follow in August)</p> <p>Participating artists remove their own work from the wall, check it for damage and pack it themselves.</p> <p>Adress: Lange Steenstraat 14, 9000 Ghent</p> <p>Check the accessibility of Kunsthall Gent here</p>
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WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

'Pet Shop' is for everyone, from 18 years old.

HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?

Submit your work to the online platform Beeld between 28 May and 11 June. Send an image of your work, with a short explanation, exact dimensions framed and brief material information via this link.

Participation is free of charge.

Within the open call Pet Shop, each participant may submit one work until midnight on 11 June (depending on how many artists participate). In the entry form, you can upload up to five images of your work. You can also choose to participate with a work already on your Image profile.

WHAT'S ALLOWED, WHAT NOT

- With 'Pet Shop', we want to show visual artwork on the theme of 'pets'. For this, all types of work are allowed, but they must have a clear link to the theme.
- Video, 3D work and performance are not allowed.
- Your work must be framed or have a proper hanging system.
- Maximum dimensions: 1 metre high, 1 metre wide, 10 cm deep.
These maximum dimensions include frame/hanging system.
Make sure to indicate dimensions as accurately as possible in the entry form. If dimensions of the work turn out to vary much from those previously specified during the submission period, the organisers are free to reject the work.
- A series or a sequence (a work consisting of several parts) is allowed. Please state this clearly in the description, and communicate the total dimensions of the series. When framed, the total series must fit within the imposed maximum dimensions.
- Total maximum weight: 5kg.

SELECTION

All works that were correctly submitted via the online platform Beeld and conform to the above requirements will be shown in the group exhibition.

But first comes, first serves: as soon as the available space of the Oud Huis is occupied, we will close the submissions.

Participants will be personally informed by 14 June at the latest whether or not their work will be part of the expo.

Selected works will be exhibited from 19 July 2024 to 25 August 2024 in the Oud Huis of Kunsthall Gent. If your work is selected, you commit yourself to making it available for the expo. You do this by bringing your work to Kunsthall Gent. For practical information about dates and opening hours, see table 'Timing'.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION EXPO PET SHOP

The selected works will be exhibited in Oud Huis at Kunsthall Gent from 19 July to 25 August 2024.

Admission is free.

Opening hours expo:

Opening on Friday 19 July 2024, from 20h

Each Saturday and Sunday from 11h until 18h

INSURANCE

Artworks are insured by Kunstwerkt. The 'All Risks to Exhibit' insurance runs from the moment the work is in Kunsthall's possession until it is collected from Kunsthall.

The insurance value per work is €300. In case of damage, restoration or repair costs will be reimbursed.

COPYRIGHT

The organisers have the right to publish images of the submitted works in all communication channels and in press releases about the project. The copyright is correctly stated or correctly communicated to the press in each case.

DISPUTE

All matters not provided for in the regulations will be submitted to the organising parties ('Kunstwerkt' and 'Kunsthall Gent'). They will make a final decision in this regard. By participating, you, as a participant, declare that you agree to the regulations.

PERSONAL DATA

The personal data shared by participants in the open call will only be used to contact the participants. This data will not be kept longer than necessary. Personal data will not be passed on to third parties.

QUESTIONS? Get in touch with Kunstwerkt

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