

Become an Elk County Council on the Arts artist!

About Us:

The ECCOTA Gallery is located on Main Street in beautiful downtown Ridgway. The gallery proudly features over 40 local and regional artists in a variety of mediums. All artists displayed in the ECCOTA Gallery have been accepted through a jury process with our Gallery Committee.

The perks of becoming an ECCOTA artist:

- ◆ In 2013, the gallery underwent major renovations which have allowed us to display a large amount of art-work in a professional setting. Renovations included: new floor, faux tin ceiling, track lighting, display items, and a new awning to brighten up the outside.
- ◆ We promote our artists and their work through Facebook and by providing clean and professional web presence within the ECCOTA website. Our website features an online shop, artist profile pages, classes, exhibits, events, wish lists, registries, and more.
- ◆ The gallery hours vary seasonally. We do not require our artists to work in the gallery– ECCOTA's regular staff and interns covers all shifts.
- ◆ As a benefit to our members we offer a 20% discount on all purchases made between December 1 and December 31. This promotion encourages sales and serves as a thank you to our members and sponsors (remember you're a member too- so don't forget to stop in and shop your fellow artists).
- ◆ There is no fee to apply. Our artists pay a yearly minimum membership fee of just \$12- \$15 and an exhibitor fee of just \$25.00 . These fees allow us to cover a small portion of the operating costs necessary to keep the gallery open.

When we jury:

The Gallery Committee typically juries and accepts new artists twice a year.

Next jury session:

Submissions may be dropped off at the ECCOTA Gallery located at 237 Main Street Ridgway during regular business hours. Check the website for forms and hours.

Please visit our website to download the jury forms and review the gallery guidelines or stop in the gallery to say hello and ask any questions you may have.