



BUCKINGHAMSHIRE ART SOCIETY

After undergoing a series of major changes in recent years Buckinghamshire Art Society, founded in 1920, is now playing a very active role in the visual arts in Buckinghamshire - organizing exhibitions, lectures, demonstrations, outdoor art-trails, gallery visits and other art related activities. Many of these are open to the public. The society maintained close links to both the County Museum in Aylesbury and the Milton Keynes Gallery.

The objective of Buckinghamshire Art Society is "the encouragement of painting, drawing, printmaking and sculpture and related activities within the County of Buckinghamshire". To achieve this "the Society shall strive to present and represent the Best of Art in Buckinghamshire". In order to live up to this objective and be a true and worthy inspiration to artists all work submitted to BAS exhibitions is now subjected to selection by a panel consisting of Invited Honorary members, invited experts on art assessment as well as some of the Society's well-reputed members.

BAS currently has around 100 members a large proportion of which are professional and semi-professional artists. Representing a wide variety of styles and media, all members have been elected to the Society on the basis of their skill as artists.

The "Young Artists Award" was instituted in 2006 in order to encourage artistic activities among younger members of the public and to forge links with the art education system.

If you wish to know more about us, see some examples of work produced by the members, read about our activities etc., please visit our website at www.bucksart.co.uk, where you will find a list of current members. You can email us on mail@bucksart.co.uk.

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**BUCKINGHAMSHIRE ART SOCIETY
Membership Application Form**

Name.....
Address.....
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Post Code..... Telephone.....
Email Address.....

Our byelaws state that candidates must live or work in Buckinghamshire or have significant links to the county. If your address is not in Bucks, please specify your links to the county.

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Write a few lines about yourself and your artistic background, art training, any previous experience from exhibiting your work etc.

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What do you expect from possible membership?

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How would you be prepared to help with the running of the Society?

Please tick:

- Supervise exhibitions for a few hours (mandatory for exhibitors)
- Help with setting up and taking down exhibitions
- Catering
- Secretarial work
- Organise social events
- Organise lectures
- Organise outings
- Other (please specify).....

Signature..... Date.....

Please send your application to: Antonia Glynne Jones, The Bungalow, Stoke Road, Aylesbury, Bucks HP2 17TE

You will be contacted before the next meeting of the Selection Committee, at which time you will be asked to submit samples of your work, sketch books etc.