

## ARTISTS ALONG THE BITTERROOT STUDIO TOUR APPLICATION

*Mission Statement: AAB is a Bitterroot valley Montana organization of professional artists representing a wide variety of mediums who collectively offer a unique annual spring tour by opening their studios and galleries to the public.*

### Call for Artists Submission Guidelines

Forms must be completed and mailed along with a CD or e-mailed to the AAB coordinator along with 5 JPEG (1800x1200 pixels or 4"x6" 300 dpi) images of original works, and one JPEG of the studio. Only digital images will be accepted. Please include titles, size and media. Artwork submitted for jurying by the five person jury panel must be current (produced within the last two years.)

Studio areas must be presented separately from other business interests or living arrangements during the tour. Members must live and produce their art in the Bitterroot Valley (Lolo to Sula.)

The application deadline is February 12, 2012 for the June 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 2012 studio tour. (Friday, Saturday & Sunday) Notification of acceptance will be February 17, 2012. Upon acceptance, a fee of \$175.00 per year per artist covers yearly dues, advertising, marketing materials, signs, opening reception, studio tour fee and event insurance. This must be paid by March 1, 2012.

All sales are handled by artists with no commission to Artists Along the Bitterroot.

Submissions will not be accepted that appear to be copied in part or in whole from the work of other artists.

PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION CLEARLY;

**Artist's Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Studio Location & Phone (if different)** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Website** \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your artwork, professional goals, and reason for joining AAB:

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I affirm that I have read the Guidelines and Mission Statement of AAB and by signing the entry form I agree to abide by its terms.

AAB assumes no responsibility for lost, damaged or stolen items or damage to real property during the annual tour. The undersigned discharges AAB of any and all claims, damages and suites from damages or loss to the undersigned's property during the event. The undersigned agrees to abide by the rules established by AAB. Anyone not in compliance will be suspended from future participation and is subject to removal from the event with no refund of the annual membership fee.

**Signature of Artist:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**SEND APPLICATION & CD OF ART AND STUDIO TO: Elene Weege, AAB Studio Tours, 506 Wheatgrass Road, Stevensville, MT 59870 (406 777-0553)**

Or application and jpegs can be emailed to: [Elene@EleneWeege.com](mailto:Elene@EleneWeege.com), write **AAB Tour Application in subject line**