



RULES & GUIDELINES

St. Augustine Plein Air Paint Out APRIL 24 - 28, 2024 Pop-Up Exhibit: April 28, 2024

ARTIST REGISTRATION

Participants must be 18 years or older.

- Register & pay online at www.staaa.org/plein-air-paint-out-registration
- **Registration Deadline:**
→ Online: April 19, 2024.
- **Paint Out Registration:** \$55 for STAAA Members | \$80 for non STAAA Members. Registration fees are nonrefundable. *Registration fee includes: Access to the STAAA Wet Room & Amenities; Access to private and exclusive painting locations; Special Plein Air events; One entry into the juried Plein Air Pop-Up Exhibit at the St. Augustine Yacht Club on April 28, 2024. See website as other inclusions will be added as confirmed.*
- **Exhibit Entry:** Artists may exhibit one work completed during the Paint Out in the Plein Air Pop-Up exhibit (judged for awards), April 28, 2024, at the St. Augustine Yacht Club. *See details below for artwork intake dates.*

FIRST CHECK IN & STAMPING

Before artists may go out and paint, they must check in **in-person** at the St. Augustine Art Association (22 Marine Street). Surfaces must be stamped to be eligible for the Plein Air Pop-Up exhibit.

- **CHECK IN:** Artists may check in Wednesday through Saturday, and are not required to paint every day of the Paint Out. **First check-in is Wednesday, April 24, at 9:00am.** Daily check-ins will be from 9:00am-2:00pm.
- **SURFACE STAMPING:** Artists should get all of the surfaces they plan to work on stamped at check-in. If they need to have more stamped later, they can do so between 9:00am and 2:00pm at the check-in tables. *Any surfaces used for works entered into the exhibit MUST BE STAMPED and the stamp should be visible when framed.*
- **ARTIST NAME BADGES:** Artists will receive an event name badge at check-in. Please wear this at all times when out in the field. Artists will also be given business cards to refer patrons back to the STAAA to view the wet room and small wall or purchase art.

PAINTING IN THE FIELD

Many local businesses and attractions have opened up their space for the Plein Air artists, so please be respectful of their business and clients, and only paint during allowable hours that are posted in the welcome packet you'll get at check in.

- Artists must follow the one easel one canvas rule. Setting up a display of your work is strictly prohibited by the City of St. Augustine.
- When setting up in the field, be mindful of pedestrian traffic and only set up in open and safe spots.
- Do not block walkways. Do not cause any damage to property. Clean up any mess. Do not block vehicular traffic.
- As per government regulations and required vendor permitting, artwork **MAY NOT BE SOLD IN THE FIELD**. All art sales must be processed at the St. Augustine Art Association.
- Paintings entered into the exhibit may not be worked on or finished in a studio. They must be completed on location.

WET ROOM

Works-in-progress (WIPs) and finished works should be stored in the STAAA Wet Room.

- We ask that artists have at least one painting stored in the Wet Room.
 - **The STAAA Wet Room will be open 9:00am to 5:00pm daily.**
 - Unless working on a nocturne, artists are strongly encouraged to leave their WIPs in the Wet Room daily.
- Works may be sold from the Wet Room
 - Wet Room artwork does not need to be framed to be sold.

**There will be an online entry system for the Wet Room so that works can be sold online. No entry fee for Wet Room. Please price work to sell.*

LOCATIONS

Artists may paint at designated or legal locations (see City Map). Certain locations may require sign-up and have a limited amount of space. Artists must follow all guidelines and hours any location has.

PLEIN AIR POP-UP EXHIBIT – April 28, 2024

The Plein Air Exhibit will be at the St. Augustine Yacht Club (442 Ocean Vista Ave.) on April 28, 2024. All registered artists may enter ONE painting to be judged. The exhibit will be judged in-person for awards (\$1,000 Best in Show; \$700 First Place; \$500 Second Place; \$300 Third Place; \$100 Fourth Place; St. Augustine Yacht Club Award).

- **Artwork must have visible 2024 plein air stamp on the back.**
- **Framing is optional, but consider your presentation.**
- **Exhibiting artwork must be entered online by April 27 at 5pm.**
- **Artwork must be dropped off at the St. Augustine Yacht Club (442 Ocean Vista Ave.) on April 28, 2024. Artwork not brought to the St. Augustine Yacht Club in time for judging will not be included in the exhibit.**

Artists are responsible for retrieving their artwork by the end of the evening.

ART SALES

All art sales during the Paint Out and Pop-Up Exhibit will be handled by the St. Augustine Art Association. A 30% commission will be assessed for STAAA members and 50% for non-members.



CITY MAP

