



CALLING ALL EWING ARTISTS

Are you an artist...musician...singer...writer or involved some way in the Arts in Ewing?

The Ewing Green Team and the Ewing Arts Commission are asking all Artists living or working in Ewing Township to fill out a short survey to give us your ideas on what can be done to help promote your art in our community. The survey will also collect information for a 'Creative Assets' or 'Arts Inventory' that will be utilized as a resource for the community.

Knowing what our 'Creative Assets' are will help us better identify and explore our art community and discover what makes us distinct and sets us apart from the arts and artisans in neighboring communities.

We recognize that Art is a source for community and civic pride; it engages people and transforms lives; the arts are a powerful and dynamic economic force that supports key businesses and tourism; it attracts and retains residents, consumers and other commercial interests and brings jobs and additional revenue. The arts are essential to a quality education and help our children succeed as innovators and problem solvers in the 21st century workplace.

Participation in the survey is strictly voluntary. If you choose to supply your contact information, we will include your contact information in an inventory that will be made available to the public as a resource for promoting arts programming and resource development. Identifying the people, organizations, spaces, activities, and other assets in our community is a key component as we move to build a thriving arts community.

To take the survey online go to: <http://ewinggreenteam.org/ewing-arts-survey> or go to <http://www.ewingartsnj.com>.

Any questions or want to request a survey by mail? Call Lisa at 609-620-0722

EWING TOWNSHIP ARTS SURVEY

BACKGROUND:

Please provide us with information about yourself or your business for our public directory. Put an asterisk * next to any fields that you do not want in the published product. If you have an asterisk in a field we will only use it to contact you.

Your Name _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Email Address _____

Business/Organization Name _____

Website Address: _____

Description for our public directory _____

Facebook: _____ Twitter: _____

You Tube Instagram LinkedIn Other _____

I don't live in Ewing; but I work in Ewing. Where: _____

What is your current level of artistic activity? Active Somewhat Active Not Active

In what primary capacity are you completing this questionnaire?

Individual Artist Member of an artistic group Represent a group of artists or artistic group Business person Teacher Arts non-profit organization Creative Industry/Arts Related Business

YOUR ARTISTIC AREA (CHECK AS MANY AS APPLY):

Literary Arts

Media Arts

Performing Arts – Dance

Arts Management/Administration

Performing Arts – Music

Arts Support Services (catering, insurance, publicity, arts critic, other)

Performing Arts – Performance Art

Arts Venue/Space

Performing Arts – Theatre

Visual Arts – 2/3 Dimensions

Other (please list) _____

LITERARY ARTS: WHAT MEDIUM (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Children's books Comic books Fiction Non-fiction Plays Poetry Prose Teach Literary Arts Literary Arts support (publisher, press, book binding, publicity, etc.) Other _____

PERFORMING ARTS: WHAT DO YOU DO WITHIN DANCE AND WHICH STYLES DO YOU PURSUE? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Choreographer Dancer Teacher Dance Support (lighting, costume) Ballet Broadway Styles (jazz/tap) Modern/contemporary Hip-hop Ballroom Cultural/traditional/folk, list: _____
 Other _____

PERFORMING ARTS-MUSIC: WHAT DO YOU DO WITHIN MUSIC? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Composer Conductor Musician Singer/vocalist Make or repair instruments Teacher Music support (sound, lighting, sell sheet music) Other _____

PERFORMING ARTS-PERFORMANCE ART: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY):

Performer Teacher Performance Arts Support (sound, lighting, publicity) Other _____

PERFORMING ARTS -THEATRE: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Actor Director Teacher Theater Support (sound, lighting, set design, stage crew, publicity, etc.)
 Other _____

VISUAL ARTS: 2/3 DIMENSIONS (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Assemblage Jewelry Printmaking Stained glass Ceramics Watercolor Calligraphy
Enameling Acrylics Mosaics Drawing Sculpture Tattoo Fibers/Weaving Wood work
Wirework Stencil Graffiti Floral Art Styrofoam Paper Crafts Sewing/Quilting
Embroidery Fashion Design Leather Scrapbooking Arts Management Arts Support Services
(lighting, sound, costume, construction, catering, etc.) Stamping Metal Work Other _____

MEDIA ARTS: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Computer/Digital Media Photography Graphic Design Illustration Web Design Animation
 Film-making Virtual Art Teach Media Arts Other _____

ARTS MANAGEMENT/ADMINISTRATION: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

Agent/Manager Administrator (or arts organization or arts venue) Support services (publicity, insurance, staff, etc.) Other _____

ARTS SUPPORT SERVICES: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

catering rentals insurance other _____

Formal training? Yes No If yes, from where? _____

PROFESSIONAL /HOBBYIST/TEACHER

Are you employed in the arts? Yes No If yes, where: _____

Do you offer classes? Yes No What classes do you offer and where? _____

If you are a performer, where do you perform? _____

Do you work with others? _____

If you are a museum or live arts venue what hours are you open to the public? _____

What type(s) of Arts venue/space are you working in? (Select all that apply)

Art Gallery Museum Performance Space Theatre Space Other _____

How do you advertise your performances? _____

Would you be interested in teaching your art in the community? Yes No What would you need?

Would you offer studio tour? Yes No Maybe Not applicable

YOUR OPINIONS PLEASE

WHAT COULD BE DONE TO BETTER PROMOTE THE ARTS IN EWING TOWNSHIP?

With regards to working to be a successful artist; what do you see as your biggest obstacles? _____

What would you suggest could be done in Ewing to promote your art? _____

What do you think could make Ewing Township more attractive for artists to move here? _____

What do you think could make Ewing Township more attractive for art venues to open here? _____

Would you be interested in displaying your work at the Municipal Building, Ewing Senior and Community Center, Hollowbrook Community Center? Yes No Maybe

Would you demonstrate your art at a community event to teach/entertain? Yes No Maybe N/A

Would you participate in community events such as an annual Arts Festival? Yes No Maybe

Would you join a Creative Arts Committee to organize different events? Yes No Maybe

While working on the 'Creative Assets Inventory' the Arts Commission and Green Team may host an open public meeting to brainstorm about our Creative assets and collect thoughts about the cultural identity of the area. Would you be interested in participating in such an event? Yes No Maybe.

Best way to contact you: _____

THANK YOU

Thank you for taking the time to participate in this survey. If you filled out the personal / organizational information; you will be included in our ***Ewing Creative Arts Community Resource Guide***.

This is the first step in our campaign to identify the breadth of Ewing's artistic community and creative businesses/organizations. We are excited as we work together and look forward because...

"There is no doubt that creativity is the most important human resource of all. Without creativity, there would be no progress, and we would be forever repeating the same patterns." — Edward de Bono

The Ewing Green Team and Ewing Arts Commission

