



Chair: Yvonne Chadderton

Thank you for your enquiry regarding membership of the Guild.

The Guild was set up over 25 years ago to support and promote high quality craftsmanship and artistic talent. The Guild is organised on a co-operative basis whereby each member serves on one of two sub-committees, Publicity or Exhibitions - each of which operates its own structure in the running of the Guild. Our aim is to assist and support Guild members through exhibitions, information and personal interaction.

The initial process of application is to complete the enclosed form as fully as possible. Please add any other supporting information which you would like to include with your application. Your application documents should then be returned to the address below, together with a CD showing, at least, 4 good quality images of your work (which will be returned to you should your application be unsuccessful).

The Members Selection Panel will consider your application and make a decision regarding inviting you for interview. If successful, the interviewing process is informal and you will be required to bring samples of your work for the Panel to view. You will be informed as to whether or not you have been successful, as soon as reasonably possible after your interview.

If you are successful you will be offered a Probationary Membership for one year and will join either the Exhibitions or the Publicity Committee. You will be expected to attend a minimum of two meetings per year and actively participate in the running of the Guild. After this first year your application will be reviewed and if the review is successful you will be granted full membership.

The subscription is £48 per year, with an extra £10 levy to cover the Guild's brochure listing. The levy would not apply to new members until publication of a new Brochure.

If you are interested in applying for membership of the Guild, please complete and return the Application Form below.

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APPLICATION FORM

1. Full Name

2. Address (Home)

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Post Code Telephone No Mobile No

Email

Website / web page

3. Business Name

4. Business Address

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Post Code..... Telephone No..... Fax

5. Description of your Art/Craft

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6. How long have you been practising your Art/Craft?

7. Provide details of any formal qualifications or training for your Art/Craft

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8. Do you work full-time or part-time at your Art/Craft?

If you work part-time, approximately how many hours do you devote to your work?.....

9. Is any part of your work undertaken by others on your behalf?
e.g. printers, out-workers, etc.....

10. How do you market your work at present?

11. Do you work to commission and/or maintain a level of stock?

12. How did you learn about the Art and Craft Guild of Lancashire?
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13. Outline your reasons for wishing to become an Exhibiting Member
of The Art and Craft Guild of Lancashire.

N.B. Please provide any relevant additional information on a separate sheet.

Signed **Date**

Please return this Application Form with supporting images of your work to:-

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