

Okanagan Artists Alternative Association

General Policies

- Treat all of the artists (and their work) with care and respect, regardless of their age, background, personality or professional experience
- To the best of the OAAA's ability, notwithstanding the economic realities of varying artists' fees, the Alternator should endeavor to promote a non-hierarchical atmosphere of support and recognition
- Pay artist fees at CAR/FAC rates or higher in all three exhibition spaces including the main space, the window and the lounge as well as any other programming
- The OAAA, including its board of directors and staff, shall welcome and validate the work of volunteers in order to promote a sense of accessibility and the free flow of ideas, skills and temperaments
- The board of directors and staff will endeavor to present a positive and professionally supportive image to the general public and members of the art community and in this way help sustain a well-regarded reputation for the space.
- Board members demonstrate their involvement in the organization through active participation and service and endeavor to make a commitment of time and energy to facilitate various project and tasks
- Board members participate actively in decision making and recognize that their opinions and concerns regarding the gallery are valuable and should be stated in the context of board meetings