

# 30 x 40 SUMMER SHOW

## An Open Call Exhibition at The Horsebridge

**Exhibition Dates: 17<sup>th</sup> July – 26<sup>th</sup> July**

The Horsebridge invites submissions for our '30 x 40 Summer Show', a curated open submission exhibition. This exciting show is open to established and emerging artists from the UK. We will provide a FREE 30cm x 40cm canvas or picture frame, you just pay the entry fee.

### SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

**Eligibility:** Open to all 2D artists aged 16+

- Work submitted is a 30cm x 40cm canvas or frame, which we can provide free of charge.
- We are unable to post canvases or frames. Work may be sent for inclusion in the exhibition on your own canvas or frame but MUST measure 30 x 40cm. Any work received outside these measurements will not be included in the exhibition.
- All work must be original by the submitting artist

### Presentation:

- Work must be ready to hang (with a wire or cord) and not exceed the 30 x 40cm dimensions

### Entry Fees:

- £35 per entry
- Maximum of 2 entries per person
- Entry fees are non-refundable and include VAT at 20%

### SALES & COMMISSION:

- Sales of works are subject to a 10% fee to cover gallery administration costs.
- Proceeds of any sold works will be paid once the exhibition has closed.
- The gallery will act as a disclosed agent in selling artwork on your behalf and the 10% commission will include VAT at 20%. Please let us know if you are registered for VAT.

### HOW TO SUBMIT:

#### Digital Submission:

- Deadline: **31st May**
- Spaces in the exhibition are limited and will be allocated on a **first-come, first-served basis**. The exhibition is non selective, so once payment has been received, your place is confirmed. Submissions will close once all available spaces have been filled.
- Links to these T's and C's can be accessed once payment has been received.

#### Collection of Frame or Canvas:

- You will need to **collect** your frame or canvas from The Horsebridge during opening hours. These are Monday-Saturday from 9am - 5pm or Sunday 10am - 4pm, please note we are closed on Tuesdays. We will not post any canvases or frames, collection only.
- You will need to bring proof of purchase when collecting. A digital confirmation email including the order number will suffice, it does not need to be printed.

- Nearer the exhibition date we will email you, using the email address supplied with your order, with further instructions on labelling and marketing.

#### **Delivery of work:**

- **From 5<sup>th</sup> July until 12<sup>th</sup> July**

All work must be clearly labelled with artist, title, medium and price of work.

Deliver work via postal service (in suitable packaging and labeled clearly) must be sent to:

**Summer Open**

**The Horsebridge**

11 Horsebridge Road,

Whitstable,

Kent CT5 1AF

Contact number: 01227 281174

#### **RETURN OF WORK:**

Unsold work will be available to collect from 28th July until 4<sup>th</sup> August.

#### **INSURANCE & LIABILITY:**

**Artists are responsible for insuring their own work.** The Horsebridge Arts Centre take great care with all artwork, however we cannot accept liability for damage or loss.

#### **PUBLICITY & COPYRIGHT:**

Selected works may be used for exhibition promotion (online and in print).

**Copyright remains with the artist.** The Horsebridge Arts Centre reserves the right to use submitted images for promotion, free of charge.

#### **KEY DATES:**

- **Digital Entry Deadline:** 31 May
- **Art Work information for labels and website:** 1 July
- **Delivery Deadline:** by 12 July AT THE LATEST
- **Exhibition Open to Public:** 17 July – 26 July 2026
- **Collection of Unsold Works:** By 4 August 2026

#### **CONTACT & CONNECT:**

- **Email:** [30x40open@thehorsebridge.org.uk](mailto:30x40open@thehorsebridge.org.uk)
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