

# Application: "Creepy Critter" in the Community Art Garden" At Alpharetta Arts Center

Name:	_
Parent's or Gardian's name (if Minor):	

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

ARTIST'S STATEMENT: Your concept and why you are interested in participating in the project:

# **OPEN CALL FOR ARTISTS! "Creepy Critter in the Community Art Garden"**

## Theme

Creepy Critters in the Garden items should reflect a Creepy Critter theme, character, or form. Think small animal or animated object with a whimsical Halloween type persona.

We have created a Community Art Garden Walk behind the Art Center. The Garden walk started with a Flower Power theme then moved on to Getting Buggy. We now invite the Community to submit their art projects reflecting a "Creepy Critters" theme for addition to the Garden's Fall Season. We will be asking for photos of projects created along this theme in any weatherable medium as this is an outdoor display to be submitted for consideration.

#### Materials & Display

Creepy Critter Projects can be made of any weatherproof materials and look to represent any form or type of Creepy Critter. Think animal, bug, or animated Halloween type display. They may be functional or decorative, or whimsical; 2-dimensional or 3-dimensional. Techniques may be traditional or innovative.

These items will be for display in the OUTDOOR Community Art Garden and should be Weatherproof or Weather resistant. Coated with Outdoor Acrylic sealer or Resin and or be constructed using weather resistant materials.

- All accepted hanging artwork must be able to be hung on a fence or wire display rack with plastic wire ties (must come with suitable hanging hooks already attached).
- All sculpture pieces must be free standing and durable or able to be attached to wire fencing.



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## **Entry Instructions**

- Open to artists of all ages.
- Application, including images, is due by October 13th, 2023.
- Artists may submit up to 3 artworks and show 2-3 views of each piece.
- Submissions can be sent to arts-culture@alpharetta.ga.us
- Artists will be notified of acceptance by October 17th, 2023.
- All accepted artworks must be delivered by October 21st, 2023.
- At the time of drop off, you will need to sign an artist waiver for your piece(s).
- Along with your work please include an Artist's statement. The statement should include Artist's name, media used, and/or production process.

## Duration of exhibit

Art will be on display in the garden from **October 24th to November 22nd**.

All artworks must be picked up by artists at the Alpharetta Arts Center no later than November 29th. Pieces not picked up will not be stored by the Arts Center.

Each artwork should be securely labeled on the back with artist's name and title of piece.

Artist statement should include media choices and/or production process.

Alpharetta Arts Center is located at 238 Canton Street, Alpharetta, GA 30009. Arts Center hours for delivery are M-TH 8:30a - 8p, F 8:30a - 4:30p, and Saturday, 10am - 4pm.

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I understand the guidelines and timelines for this project. The information I am submitting is true and factual and the artwork is original.

Artist Signature

Print Name

Parent's of Gardian's signature (if Minor):

Date