

General Information:

St. Thomas Public Library is proud to support the community's culture and talent. It is for this reason that St. Thomas Public Library started the "Art in the Library" program. For one-month periods, local artists will have their work displayed in a newly designated area of the library. The "Art in the Library" program is provided as a community service; displays are open to the public and there is no fee for artists to participate.

Selection Process:

Artists who are interested in the "Art in the Library" program should contact the Adult Services Department at the library or by email at info@stthomaspubliclibrary.ca. Artists are required to fill out an application, agree to the Terms of Reference, and attach a sample (photographs or digital copies) of their work. These will be forwarded to the Chief Librarian. The Board reserves the right to refuse any exhibit or display it deems inappropriate or unsuitable to the library's mission, goals, policies, and best interests.

Program Information:

The "Art in the Library" program is provided by the library as a public service; displays are open to the public and there is no fee for participating artists. Depending on the size of the art, artists usually display 15-20 pieces of framed or unframed work. Artists also have the option of providing titles, explanations of the pieces and the sources of inspiration, as well as a personal description. While artists can provide price information for their work, sales will not be conducted at the library nor by the library staff. All art will be displayed for approximately one month. For questions, more information, or to request an application, contact the Adult Services Department at the library, by email at info@stthomaspubliclibrary.ca, or by calling (519) 631-050.

