



Membership Options: 2010

OVERVIEW

We here at FUNKē FIRED ARTS are glad you are considering our studio for your ceramic work. The following pages will detail the types of memberships that we offer. Feel free to contact us anytime if you have questions or would like to sign up. Thanks!

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FUNKe Friends Membership

FUNKe's circle of friends will always be the first to know what's going on in the gallery and what our visiting artists are offering while they're in town. A **FUNKe Friends** Membership will get you:

- a personal invitation to all artist lectures, gallery openings, workshops, and events
- the opportunity to attend *invitation-only* special preview parties *before* the opening of every show in our exhibition gallery
- A FUNKe Friends membership card to get 10% off select items in stock on Member Nights
- A FUNKe Fired Arts canvas tote bag upon registration to take all of your goodies home in

Cost: \$50/year

Hourly Studio Rental Membership

Hourly Studio Rental Membership is designed for the clay lover who just wants to stop in and use our facility for a little while. This is a great option for people who have taken a class in the past and want to come in and throw or use the slab roller for a couple of hours. Hourly studio rental is also ideal for the potter who is away from their home studio, or who wants to sample ours. You *must* have clay experience to rent hourly studio time, as there is **no instruction included** in this option. Hourly renters are responsible for their own tools and supplies. Credit card information will be required up front upon registering for studio time. You will receive a studio orientation packet with your hourly studio rental purchase to help you find your way around.

Cost: \$15/hour *No clay, glazes, or firing included.* Commercial glazes may be purchased for use during studio rental hours.

Monthly Membership

Monthly membership is for anyone who is not taking class, but who wants to use the studio regularly over the course of a month. Monthly members will be given a shelf for storage. You will also have **unlimited studio use during your month**. That means you can come in and use the wheels, handbuilding tables, slab roller, and extruders whenever we're open. Your month will begin on the day you register for membership, and end on that day of the following month (ex: January 8th – February 8th). You will have the option to renew at the end of your month if you need more studio time. There will be no extra days given for days that the studio is closed during your month (a planned closing schedule will be provided).

Cost: \$150/month *No clay, glazes, or firing included.* Monthly members may purchase commercial glazes or a studio glaze package for \$65/month.

Class Membership

FUNKe Fired Arts offers all levels of instruction, from beginning to advanced, in wheel, handbuilding, and sculpture classes. Classes run in 8 week sessions, with 7 weeks of instruction and week 8 being reserved for glazing. Check out our website, www.FUNKeFiredArts.com, for more details on what classes we are offering each session.

Class membership registration will begin at least 4 weeks before the start of the upcoming session. Class membership includes:

- class for one session
- a shelf for storage
- use of studio equipment
- free use and instruction of our studio glazes
- unlimited time to work in the studio during business hours
- **FREE FIRING** for everything you make in class.

Class registration is first come first serve. We can only accommodate 100 students per session, and classes fill quickly, so please sign up as soon as possible to secure a spot in the class of your choice.

Introductory classes are all inclusive. Basic tools and 25lbs of clay will be provided for intro level students to help them get started. Introductory level classes include Intro to Clay, Wheel 1, and possible specialty classes to be noted as beginner level when they are announced.

Cost: \$215/session for intro level classes, \$230/session for all other classes
Specialty classes may include extra material fees.

Yearly Class Membership

Yearly Class Membership is for students who plan on taking a class every session. This level of membership includes **seven classes** during the normal **six session year**, beginning in January and ending in December. The price of yearly membership will be prorated for anyone who joins after the start of the January class session.

Students with a Yearly Class Membership will also:

- Have free use and instruction of our studio glazes
- Have **unlimited time** to work in the studio during business hours
- Have **TWO** shelves in the main studio area for storage
- Receive **FREE FIRING** for everything you make in your classes
- Have access to 3½ weeks of extra studio time throughout the year that is not included in class membership
- Not have to pay lab fees that are \$20 or less for specialty classes
- Not have to fill out a new class registration form every session
- Get 10% off of in stock tools and supplies from our retail shop during the month of November

Class registration is first come first serve. We can only accommodate 100 students per session, and classes fill quickly, so please sign up as soon as possible to secure a spot in the class of your choice. If we don't hear from you at least 1 week prior to the start of a new class session, we will assume that you are not planning on taking class at that time.

Cost: \$1600/year Quarterly payment plan available with a \$10 processing fee per payment.

Booth Membership

Booth Rental Membership is designed for the artist who is looking for their **very own studio space** with the added advantage of a vibrant community of fellow artists. Booth members at FUNKe Fired Arts sign a 12-month lease agreement, starting on January 1st and ending on December 31st. Rent will be prorated for artists who join Booth Membership after January. Many booth members share a booth, splitting the monthly rent and sharing the space. FUNKe Fired Arts will be happy to pair you up with a booth partner if you need one. Let us know what days and times you prefer to use the booth, and we'll do our best to match you up with someone who has different preferences. Please note that should your needs change, artists may terminate their lease agreements with 90 days written notice.

Some of the perks included with Booth Membership are:

- Your own 10' X 10' space, which contains a wheel, wedging board, and plentiful shelving units (twelve -24" x 48" including a top shelf for taller pieces)
- Access to the common areas of the studio, including the slab roller, extruder, and other general use equipment
- Unlimited time to work in the studio during business hours
- Free use of our cone 10 studio glazes
- Voucher for a free class with full booth rental, or 50% off a class with half booth rental
- 10% off of in stock tools and supplies from our retail shop in the month of November
- Options for firing your work

Several Booth Members like to **rent space and take classes**. In an effort to make that more affordable, FUNKe's will be offering you a brand new option when registering for or renewing your Booth Membership. Booth Members will have the option of paying a one-time fee of \$600, which will give you access **to one class each session over the course of the year**. That is a discount of \$1,000 on classes for the year! Even if you only take 3 classes, you'll save \$90! And don't forget the added bonus that everything you make in class will be fired for free.

Cost: \$3200/year for full booth or \$1800/year for half booth, to be paid in equal monthly installments.