

# FAQs for Creative Growth's Annual Holiday Show

This once a year spectacular shopping event, where you can purchase one-of-a-kind art made by the truly remarkable artists at Creative Growth.

We've put together a list of frequently asked questions about the event to help everyone have a wonderful time.

## When is the 2023 Holiday Show?

The 2023 Holiday Show is open to the public on Friday, December 1st from 6:00PM-9:00PM and Saturday, December 2nd from 10:00AM-4:00PM.

The exclusive VIP preview for Members/Donors-only is Friday, December 1 from 5:00PM-6:00PM.

The exhibition runs through January 13, 2024. Gallery hours are Wednesday - Saturday from 10:00AM - 4:00PM. *Note, that the studio is only open to the public on December 1-2.*

## Where is the Holiday Show?

Explore contemporary art in our gallery and art studio located at 355-24th Street, Oakland, CA 94612. Parking can be found on adjacent streets and at public parking lots located within walking distance. We are also within walking distance of the 20th Street BART Station and AC Transit bus routes.

## What's for Sale?

This is the time of year to get amazing deals on one-of-a-kind art produced by world-class contemporary artists. You will find deep discounts on raw art and merchandise.

You'll find sculpture, painting, weaving, prints, home goods, clothing, holiday decor and more!

## Is everything in the studio for sale?

The studio is the primary workspace for more than 140 artists. There will be works throughout the space that are NOT for sale. Those items will be clearly labeled. If you want to be informed when the piece is ready for sale, let us know your name and contact information and we can follow up when the time comes.

## How are prices set?

This is a HAGGLE-FREE zone. All items will only be sold at the prices as marked.

In addition to the Holiday Show being a perfect place to do all of your year-end shopping, it is also a critical fundraiser for our studio program. All proceeds from the sales are invested right back into art studio programming.

## Payments Accepted

Credit Card and Cash Payments Accepted

## Do Artists make money from the sale of items?

Yes! Artists will receive an individual commission on all artwork over \$25.00.

## Are Pets allowed?

Only service animals will be permitted.

## Accessibility

There are two entrances to Creative Growth: one through the gallery and one through the studio. The studio entrance is the most accessible way for people with mobility aids to enter. The event will likely be crowded and loud. To access the sensory room (on the second floor accessible by stairs and elevator), please find a volunteer or staff person. Masks are optional. Contact Emma at [emma@creativegrowth.org](mailto:emma@creativegrowth.org) for accessibility requests and questions.

## Restrooms

Multiple stall gendered restrooms are on the first floor. To access the single-stall gender-neutral bathroom on the first floor, please find a volunteer or staff person.

## Language Access

ASL, Mandarin and Spanish interpretation will be provided.

## Food, Bar, & Music!

Friday night, come to the party! The band will be playing, the A-16 food truck will be right in front of the studio on 24th Street, and Kon Tiki will be selling Creative Growth-inspired beverages!