

ASHBURTON SOCIETY OF ARTS INC.

Terms and Conditions for Online Selling and Purchasing of Art

- Anyone using this service to sell art works must be a financial member of the Society. Any member of the public will be entitled to purchase works on the basis of the conditions set out below.
- A once only set up fee of \$50 is to be paid before entries can be accepted for sale, regardless of the number of entries
- Good quality photographs in .jpeg format square sized to 1000px x 1000px to be submitted for each art work, optimised for web, giving the artist's name, title, dimensions, framed or unframed in the case of paintings, medium/media and new or preloved, to a maximum of 20 works. This is to be submitted to ashsocart@gmail.com
- Artists are to provide a brief biographical statement and a photograph of themselves (photograph is optional but preferred) to be displayed on the website along with the artist's works. Bank account details must also be submitted to enable payment of net sale proceeds but will not be published
- The Society reserves the right to refuse to display any work it deems inappropriate or if the file quality is not satisfactory and any such decision is at the sole discretion of the Society
- Once the purchaser has confirmed the purchase and payment has been received into the Society's bank account, the artist will be given the purchaser's contact details to arrange freight costs and subsequent delivery which will be organised by the artist. The Society will have no responsibility for the physical delivery of the works or for their safety while in transit
- Freight is payable by the Purchaser unless an alternative arrangement is reached directly between the artist and the Purchaser and the Society will bear no responsibility for the item while it is in transit, nor if any dispute shall arise over payment or transport.
- Commission of 20% which includes a 3% service fee for payment processing, will be deducted from the sale proceeds before any payment is made to the artist.
- Works will stay on the website until sold or until such time as the artist and Society agree that they should be removed.
- Artists are not required to list works exclusively with the Society, however all efforts must be made to notify the Society immediately a work is sold elsewhere. If any issues should arise the Society may invoice you for a percentage of its commission that it deems appropriate to reflect the time and costs expended.
- Submission of works for sale on the website is confirmation of full acceptance of these conditions.