

## South County Art Association

### Safety Precautions and Cleaning Procedures

The SCAA wants you to know that we are following all of the Covid prevention cleaning protocols recommended by the CDC and the State of Rhode Island. The Pottery Studio has only five wheels available for use to maintain social distancing in the studio. When the studio has six persons, the sixth person must work at the handbuilding table. The teacher and two students is the maximum number allowed in the glaze room at any one time.

We cannot run any air conditioning in the studio because of the risk; windows will be left open for ventilation. Fans for drying must be facing away from people.

Everyone entering the SCAA studios is required to wear a mask at all times and maintain six feet of social distancing while working in the studio. Each morning SCAA staff will follow the guidelines set forth by the CDC for disinfecting common and high touch areas. Disinfectant cleaners and paper towels will be provided by the SCAA and hand sanitizer will be located in every room. We use disinfectant using the World Health Organization's recommended formula and approved by the State of Rhode Island. It contains 80% alc/vol. and made by Sons of Liberty in Wakefield. You may 'single use' a cloth towel for your own personal use during the clay throwing or handbuilding process and then place in the hamper to be sanitized. *Every potter is responsible for disinfecting their workstation, wheel etc. before leaving.* By following these simple protocols we will all minimize any risks. We welcome you and want you to enjoy your time in the studio.

The following lists the surfaces which will be disinfected each morning: *\*Common High Touch Surfaces*

#### ***Studio Annex***

- *Door handles*
- Stair rails outside and upstairs to studio
- Microwave handles and keypad
- Sink handles (hot/cold)
- Sink spout swivel
- Pen on sign in sheet
- Sign in sheets
- Keys
- Glaze mixing drill
- Light switches
- Lock on back door
- Key box
- Bathroom handles

Thank you and be safe, be optimistic and be creative. The SCAA Board of Directors and Staff  
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