



[CultureHouse Salem](#) is looking for creatives, non-profit organizations, and local businesses to participate in collaborative programming for the month of April, May and June 2022 at our pop-up community space hosted at Old Town Hall. Interested groups should fill out the [Program Interest Form](#). For questions, email salem@culturehouse.cc.

We are seeking creatives and organizations to host programs in the following categories:

Performances: Concerts, theater, dance, open mics, poetry

Installations: Gallery showings, interactive installations, informational or historical displays

Workshops: Host artist workshops, wellness workshops, a space to hold dance classes

Vendor markets: Markets may range from a single vendor in the space for a given time or multiple vendors for a larger event

Organized events: Talks/panel discussions, community meetings, book clubs, movie nights, rehearsal space, or food/drink vendors.

If your ideas do not come under the above mentioned categories, please reach out to us and we can talk more about how we can make a space for you at CultureHouse Salem!

Hours available for programming

The pop-up will be open starting April 1, 2022 for 3 months.

Wednesday–Thursday: 1pm–6pm

Friday–Saturday: 1pm–8pm

All artists will be fairly compensated for their time at CultureHouse Salem. The following structure has been created along with the City of Salem and a group of Salem artists and community members to ensure it is equitable.

Policies

- Funds will be paid directly to the artist/creative
- Compensation amounts are per-event
- CultureHouse is programming events for the first floor, events to be hosted on the second floor will go through the City of Salem
- Group events of upto 4 people will be compensated by CultureHouse, larger groups will be referred to the City of Salem
- Limited sound equipment, lights, furniture, stage and art display features will be provided by CultureHouse

Category	Duration	Compensation	Material budget
Performances	1-2 hours	\$125/person	A material budget of \$75 will be provided as requested Open mic/poetry and live music events will not be provided with a material budget
Installations	1 month	\$200 Gallery showings and exhibits will not be compensated by CultureHouse	\$100 Only interactive installations will be provided with a material budget
Workshops	2-3 hours	\$100	\$100 Classes will not be provided with a material budget
Vendors	1-4 hours	Will not be compensated by CultureHouse	None
Organized events	1-2 hours	\$50/person for panelists/hosts Volunteered events will not be compensated by CultureHouse	None

About CultureHouse Salem

The City of Salem and CultureHouse are partnering to open a three month long community arts and culture pop-up hosted at Old Town Hall in Downtown Salem. CultureHouse Salem will transform the historic structure into a vibrant, connected, and accessible destination that supports local creatives. Learn more about [CultureHouse](#) here, and the Old Town Hall [here](#).