quilters' fair

exhibitor information pack

Sunday 16 January 2022

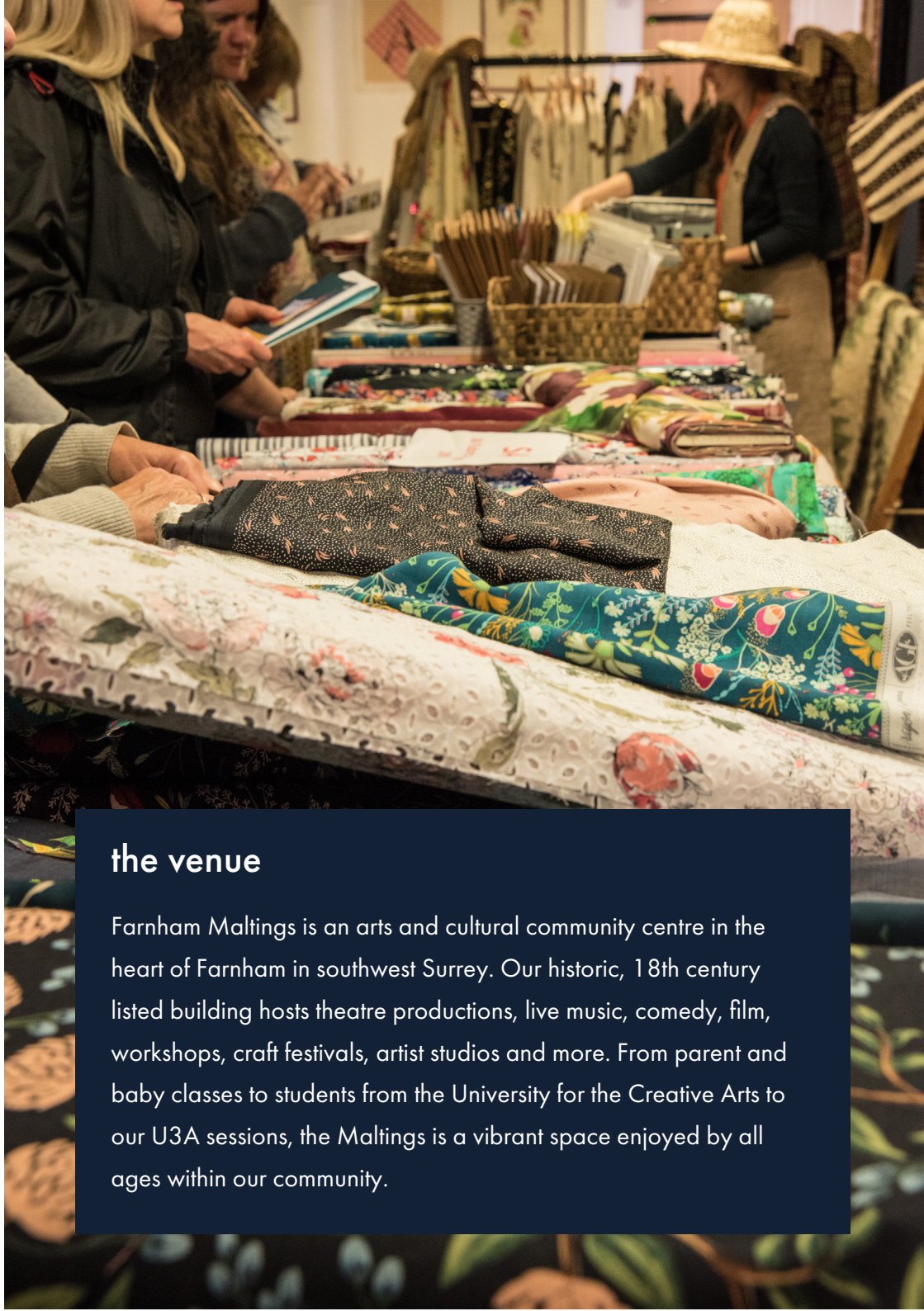
general information

the festival, location & our venue

about the Quilters fair

the Quilters' fair is an annual one-day event held at Farnham Maltings. Now in its 25th year each year the quilters fabric sale kicks off our festival events calendar each January. The stalls range from fabric retailers, haberdashery's, kits and quilting equipment.

The show offers opportunities to well established businesses as well as first time exhibitors. Please be aware that this is a curated festival and exhibitors are selected by a panel and places are limited. The selection process aims to offer visitors an eclectic mix of stalls.



the venue

Farnham Maltings is an arts and cultural community centre in the heart of Farnham in southwest Surrey. Our historic, 18th century listed building hosts theatre productions, live music, comedy, film, workshops, craft festivals, artist studios and more. From parent and baby classes to students from the University for the Creative Arts to our U3A sessions, the Maltings is a vibrant space enjoyed by all ages within our community.

the location

From its roots as a medieval market town, Farnham has a long history of supporting craft and makers. In 2020, Farnham was awarded **World Craft Town** status by the World Craft Council in recognition of the town's ongoing celebration and promotion of craft. In addition to the Maltings, craft is proudly on display in Farnham at the New Ashgate Gallery, the Craft Study Centre and UCA Farnham.

Farnham Maltings is a short two minute walk from the town centre with plenty of public car parks and the rail station only five minutes away. Trains run between Farnham and London Waterloo on a regular service, taking only an hour.

what to expect

- A marketplace of fabric retailers selling fabrics at discount prices
- Twelve local quilting groups displaying their work.
- Quilting workshops.

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what we are looking for

We are looking for applications from a range of people selling fabrics, haberdashery items, quilting retreats/holidays, vintage fabrics, quilting equipment.

Each application must be supported by images to reflect the products that will be sold.

The Quilters' fair is a curated show and applications are not on a first come first served basis.

stand sizes & prices

There is no shell scheme at Farnham Maltings. We can provide tables and chairs and electricity at no extra charge. *(Please note that VAT is applied at the UK standard rate at the point of invoice).

Please be aware that sizes of the pitches are approximate. Due to the quirky nature of the Maltings building, pitches may vary in shape while still having the square footage of a single or double pitch.

- **Single table (175cm x 75 cm) 105+ £21 VAT = £126**

your exhibitor fee includes:

Online: Listing on the website, including an image and link to platform of your choosing.

Print: Inclusion in the print catalogue provided to every visitor. The listing includes a description of work, image and website details.

Stand: Table and chair and electricity use as required.

how to apply

Online: Applications should be made via the online form from the farnhammaltings.com website.

Email/post: We encourage all applications to be made online. However, if you do require a copy to be sent via email or post please contact: **caroline.pearce@farnhammaltings.com**.

get applying!

Applications close on 8th August 2021 and applicants will be contacted with regards to the status of their application shortly after this date.

contact us

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comments from previous exhibitors

"Extremely good, best range and quality that I've experienced as an exhibitor!"

"Excellent. Everyone commented on the high standard both customers and exhibitors!"

"Wonderful, I do think you put together a really good and high quality show!"

"It's brilliant, I can't wait for next year's festival!"

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