



Recipe for Success

Art Night

What you will need:

- Artist capable of leading the group through a painting
- Area suitable for the number of participants you plan to have
- Stack of paper plates to use as paint palette
- 1 ~ 16 x 20 canvas per participant
- 1 ~ set of standard paint brushes per participant
- 1 ~ gallon each of primary color acrylic paint
- Appropriate table space per participant
- 1 ~ apron per participant
- 1 ~ easel per participant
- Cup for each participant to clean brushes
- Paper towels (just in case)
- Food, drinks and music to create by (optional)

Begin by lining up an Artist that is willing to donate their time and talents to walk a group of people through a painting. Once you have locked this down, work with your Artist to determine what number of people you and your Artist are comfortable with. Once you have determined the number of people you want, decide where you will have your Art Night. Most homes can hold 10-15 people when you bring in extra tables. You may want to look into using an Art class room if possible. If you could get access to this, you may be able to borrow some paint materials from them also. Go over the list of items you will need with your Artist to see where you may be able to borrow items or get them at reasonable cost to keep your cost low and profits high. Your event should be 2-4 hours, so plan accordingly in regards to food, drink, and paper supplies.

Once your event is planned, set a price to charge each participant. Remember, this is a good cause and participants are not only learning to paint, but taking a new piece of art home with home ~ charge according to the level of your Artist and final set up costs.

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