

Gallery OonH



WELCOME TO GALLERY O ON H

Gallery O on H is DC's most unique indoor-outdoor gallery and event venue. It is a space where art, music and the unexpected come together to honor the past and celebrate the present delivering the authentic experience you were hoping to find for your wedding.

Gallery O on H is located in the Atlas District Arts and Entertainment neighborhood in the 1300 block of the historic H Street corridor. The space smoothly integrates the East Gallery and Courtyard with the newly renovated West Gallery and the "Garage".

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about GALLERY O ON H



Gallery owners and spouses Dolly Vehlow and Steve Hessler have collected self-taught folk art for more than thirty years. The collection began as an attraction to the creativity of the art and has been sustained through the relationships they forged with many of the artists. The collection has grown not because of a need to be acquisitive, but because of a passion for the art itself, and their appreciation for how every work of art in their collection is a piece of the artist. Dolly's lifelong interest in art began in 1956 when she won Maybelle, a 24" walking doll in the local IGA coloring contest. Steve's collecting started under the Christmas tree with a toy animal farm set. It meandered through various collections from military patches to Lionel trains until, and when he bought his first house, he chose art instead of furniture. Their propensity for collecting together started with the gift of a Florida snow globe in 1981 and has grown to a collection of over 800 globes, the tackier the better. In 1990, a cypress alligator at Pelligro Gallery in New Orleans leading them to Dr. Bob Schaffer, and thus began their adventure in discovering self-taught art. Dolly and Steve view their role as collectors as an opportunity to preserve, promote and bring awareness to others of self-taught art; art created in response to the internal voice of a creative muse. They believe that while intuitive art stands on its own merit, knowing more about who created it and what inspired or directed the art brings a greater value to the experience. Intuitive art is not a category or a subset of art; it is art. Dolly and Steve chose to collect it because for them it does what all art is supposed to do; it speaks to them. The goal of Gallery O on H is to share that "voice."

SPACES IN GALLERY O ON H - LEVEL 1

Gallery O on H is made up of three unique spaces, all connected by a beautiful New Orleans Style courtyard



SPACES IN Gallery o on h - level two



EAST GALLERY

CAPACITY Standing Reception: 50

The East Gallery, the original gallery building, consists of two cozy floors with an ADA restroom on the first floor. Take in the beautiful rotating display of Dolly and Steve's private art collection. Couples often use this gallery as the main entrance and have even welcomed their guests here with a glass of champagne!





WEST GALLERY

CAPACITY For Each Floor Standing Reception: 75 Seated (Rounds): 60

The newest addition to Gallery O on H, the West Gallery is the perfect space for an intimate reception or dinner. The original details of the space, lovingly restored during the renovation, make this a truly unique space. The first floor includes a catering kitchen, an ADA restroom, and a permanent ramp. The second floor includes two additional spaces, two more restrooms, and a couple's suite, perfect for getting ready or for a quiet moment during your big day.







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Glass Bottle Photo

GARAGE

CAPACITY Standing Reception: 50

With a windowed garage door opening to the private courtyard, the Garage offers the perfect indoor-outdoor space. Complete with two more ADA restrooms and a custom built-in bar, the space is often used for cocktail hour, dinner buffets or dancing.





THE Courtyard

CAPACITY Standing Reception: 150 Seated (Rounds): 100

The gem of Gallery O on H, the courtyard becomes your private urban oasis. Gather your guests in this intimate space for dinner and then dance the night away under the string lights.





RENTAL RATES

EIGHT HOUR RENTAL- \$8,800

Includes: Five hour event, two hour set up, one hour breakdown Rental fee also includes a one hour rehearsal the day before \$1,100 for each additional hour



RECOMMENDED VENDORS

CATERERS

GetPlated Catering www.getplateddc.com

Main Event Caterers www.maineventcaterers.com

RSVP Catering www.rsvpcatering.com

Spilled Milk Caterers www.spilledmilkcatering.com

Well Dunn Catering www.welldunn.com

RENTALS

Party Rental Ltd. www.partyrentalltd.com

Sugarplum Tent Company www.sugarplumtents.com

Something Vintage www.somethingvintagerentals.com

BEVERAGE DELIVERY

Ace Beverage Fine Wine & Spirits Romain Cartoux 202.966.4444 romain@acebevdc.com www.acebevdc.com





What's included in my rental?

The rental rate includes the exclusive use of the entire Gallery O on H facility, a venue manager during the event, access to 25 hand-painted folk art chairs, five cocktail rounds, and six wine barrels.

Can we hold a date?

Unfortunately, we do not hold event dates. In order to secure your date, you must submit a signed contract, and a deposit of 50% of the rental fee.

How many restrooms are there?

There are a total of seven restrooms in the facility, four of which are ADA compliant

Is the Gallery ADA compliant?

The first floor of the East and West Galleries, the Lower Courtyard, and the Garage are all ADA accessible. We provide a ramp to allow access from the Garage to the Upper Courtyard.

What is the cancellation policy?

Up to 90 days before the event date: Forfeiture of the deposit
90 days or less prior to the event date: No refund will be provided

What are the noise regulations?

To comply with the city's sound ordinances, and to respect our neighbors, music in the Courtyard must maintain a decibel level below 60 dbs in the alleyway behind the fence. This requirement generally allows for 70-80 dbs inside the Courtyard. The sound level is tightly monitored and enforced by the Gallery O on H staff. The event end time is 11:00pm.

Where can the caterer set up?

Gallery O on H has a catering kitchen on the first floor of the West Gallery that is perfect for your caterer's set up.

What is the parking situation?

There is no onsite parking available at Gallery O on H. Vendors may use the loading zone behind the rear gate during the load-in and load out. Immediately after loading, all vehicles MUST be moved to either a paid valet spot or to the street. Vehicles cannot block the alley, as it is a fire lane. Valet parking services are available through H Street Valet, but are not included in your rental.

THINGS TO KNOW

Licensed Caterer

Clients may select any caterer from the Preferred Vendor List or one of their choosing. Caterers must be full-service (no drop-off catering is allowed). Caterers must have a current DC license for catering and ABRA certification.

Alcohol

Clients MUST provide their own alcohol licensing for the day. This is best accomplished through the caterer or a mobile bar-tending company. A valid DC ABRA license is required to serve alcohol to your guests. Alcohol cannot be sold to guests or attendees.

Professional Event Planner

Clients are required to hire a professional event planner to be onsite throughout the event.

Security

Clients are required to book security services for the duration of their booking time through Gallery O on H's preferred security provider.

Decorations

All decorations must be removed without leaving damage. Nothing may be hung, pasted, or printed on any of the walls. Candles or open flames are not permitted anywhere in the venue. Clean-up related to event setup (i.e. flowers/flower detritus, packaging and any related event materials) is the responsibility of the client. No balloons, glitter or metallic confetti/streamers, are permitted.

Trash & Recycling

All event waste must be sorted into recycables and trash and be disposed of in the designated dumpsters at the conculsion of the event.

Storage & Items Left Behind

All items must be dropped off and removed during your booking hours. Storage is not provided and all items must be removed at the end of the event. Items not removed will be discarded.

