The Fantasy World **of Airbrush** GREFRATH GERMANY - 2024

Dear Airbrush Artists,

Our airbrush show "The Fantasy World of Airbrush", together with the US Car Show, will take place again in Grefrath on 24th and 25th August 2024!

So we are very happy to send you the invitation today. Registration is provisional and open until Mai 31st 2024. After that we will make a selection and many of you will then receive confirmation of participation....

On **Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th August 2024**, "The Fantasy World of Airbrush" Festival will take place for the **twelfth time** in Grefrath (North Rhine-Westphalia/Germany). The central proximity to the A40 motorway makes it easy for visitors and artists to reach this location (between Venlo and Duisburg).

The Fantasy World of Airbrush takes place in cooperation with the Airbrush Step by Step magazine and with the support of the Airbrush-Fachverband e.V..

The combination with the international US-Car Show, which attracts over **9,000 visitors** every year, provides the ideal venue for the Fantasy World of Airbrush. The US-Car Show has existed since 2006 and is an indoor and outdoor exhibition with almost 1000 cars and perfectly fits the theme of airbrushing: <u>www.us-car-show.de</u>.

There is enough space in the Grefrath Ice Sports Centre to present a large exhibition with about **65 airbrush artists** from all over Europe. Thanks to the optimised wayfinding system, all visitors are guided through the airbrush exhibition first before they reach the US car show area. All aspects of airbrush technique and application - from custom painting to fine art to clothing and much more - will be covered. Do you have any other ideas for activities that fit perfectly with the airbrushing theme? Let us know, always welcome by mail or phone - thanks in advance!

The details for participating in "The Fantasy World of Airbrush" remain "almost" all the same! For the artist stands (with Heras fences) including electricity, tables and chairs (number to be agreed upon on site) a symbolic fee of $60 \in$ will be charged, provided you exhibit your own artwork. The entry fee has been increased by $10 \in$ for the first time after 15 years (!). When you also would like to sell other articles, like airbrush materials a 3.5×3.5 meter module costs $300 \in$, which is about $25 \in /m^2$.

You have to set up already on **Friday, August 23th 2024**. We will be on site from 9:00 to 20:00 H. The public can visit the airbrush exhibition on Saturday and Sunday from 10:00 to 18:00 H.

What do we offer airbrush artists on site in the hall in Grefrath:

- A stand, divided with walls (Heras grids of 3.5 m width and 2 m height). You determine the size (according to availability)
- free electricity for normal use (e.g. compressor, no coffee machine)
- free tables and chairs

- Talking shop and chatting among like-minded artists
- A familiar and international atmosphere
- A joint dinner on Saturday evening at your own expense (see below).
- Lots of fun and inspiration!
- 9,000 US / custom car and bike interested visitors

We expect from you:

- That you support the event in advance by as much advertising as possible, e.g. by forwarding the newsletters, announcing it on your website, Facebook page, Twitter and in forums and of course telling your friends and acquaintances about it. That would make us very happy.
- You will help with the set-up on Friday.
- You work on a motif or something similar on site, so that the visitors can see the technique.
- You decorate your stand as nicely as possible.
- You will provide your own easel, hooks, lighting and extension cords.
- It would be great if you bring airbrushed motorbikes, cars, helmets, etc.
- And of course, as always, you will help with the dismantling when the show is over !

On Saturday evening from +/-18 :15 H we can drive at our own pace to the centre of Grefrath to have dinner together at the restaurant "Franzuse Hüske", Mülhausener Str. 1 Grefrath - if you feel like it.

Beware ! this menu list is from last year but then you have an idea ! we were with 81 diners in 2024 Details follow later on and then you can still choose !

You could choose from 5 dishes at reasonable prices

- 1 Currywurst with fries and salad €8.50
- 2 Pork chop with fries and salad €14.90 with hunter sauce or with Balkan sauce or with pepper cream sauce
- 3 Medallions of pork fillet €17.90 with Mediterranean vegetables and roasted potatoes
- 4 Steak with jacket potatoes and salad €22.90 Herb butter or pepper cream sauce
- 5 Vegan vegetable curry with rice or fries and salad €12.50 With coconut milk and Mediterranean vegetables

Please let us know in advance if you would like to attend and if so, with how many people and the number of the dish.

We would be delighted to have you and would appreciate your feedback as soon as possible by Mai 31th 2024.

or via the online form at <u>http://airbrush-magazin.de/grefrath/</u> (German) or <u>http://airbrush-magazine.net/grefrath</u> (English)

Please note: Your registration is non-binding, your participation is only official after receiving our confirmation.

Information on accommodation - Please also note whether you can cancel your registration in case the event would be cancelled:

Below is a list of accommodation options in Grefrath: www.grefrath.de.

Hotels:

PP-Hotel Grefrather Hof, Am Waldrand 1-3, 47929 Grefrath tel: +49(02158 4070 (100 m) https:// grefratherhof.de/ Hotel Haffmans, Markt 12-14, Grefrath tel: +49 215891660 (3 km) Youth Hostel/Hostel Nettetal-Hinsbeck (7 km) Heide 1, 41334 Nettetal www.hinsbeck.jugendherberge.de Hotel Landgut Ramshof, Ramshof 1, 47877 Willich, Duitsland (17 km) www.ramshof.de Hotel Josten, 41334 Nettetal, (4,3 km) www.hotel-josten.de Hotel Restaurant Haus Vorst, 47918 Tönisvorst (6.8 km), www.haus-vorst.de

or Booking.com under Grefrath, North Rhine-Westphalia

Holiday flats and guesthouses (B & B):

Gästehaus Just (2.4 km) Fréventstrasse 90, 47929 Grefrath <u>www.gaestehaus-grefrath.de/nl</u> Holiday flat Fuhrmann (5.2 km) Niederfeld 14, 47929 Grefrath <u>www.ferienwohnung-fuhrmann.de</u> Holiday flat on the Sturmhof, An der Paas 4, 47929 Grefrath, <u>www.sturmhof.com</u>

Camping:

Camping site "Waldfrieden" (3.2 km) An der Paas 13, 47929 Grefrath <u>www.ferienpark-waldfrieden.de</u> and then there is the neighbouring region "De Kempen" <u>www.kempen.de</u>

Venue:

Grefrather Icesport & Event Park, Stadium Street 161 47929 Grefrath

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us and we will be happy to answer them.

Thank you very much and best regards, Hugo & Daisy The Airbrush Step by Step Team

> Visit also our new website <u>www.airbrush-show.com</u> for more information about the event.

The Fantasy World Of Airbrush Registration 2024

What is your name? _____

.	Full Address:	
Street + No _		

Postcode, city + country _____

E-Mail Address _____

Mobile Telephone number: _____

What is your website or social media address ?

At my Stand:

I would like to show/sell only my own work _____

I would also like to offer other products ______

I would like to offer other activities (e.g. workshops, demonstrations, airbrush tattoos etc.)

How big should your stand be? (according to availability, 1 module is about 3.5 m x 3.5 m)

How many people would you like to eat with on Saturday evening at approx. 18.30 H at the

restaurant "Franzuse Hüske", Mülhausener Str.1-3, Grefrath? _____People, Menu n° _____

Send us your registration form as soon as possible before May 31st 2024 by e-mail to <u>hugo.daisy@telenet.be</u>

or to Airbrush Step by Step grefrath@airbrush-magazin.de.