

Alpha Painting Holidays

COVID19 – Safety Guidelines including Social Distancing Requirements

Introduction

This is a guide for procedures that are likely to be adopted during painting holidays during this autumn (2020). As we all know situations could change in either direction with relaxing of some rules but could equally change in the other direction in terms of more strict rules.

Please also be aware that each hotel will have variations of these rules given that they are in different locations and have different facilities.

More detail will also be added to this document nearer the time but for the moment this just includes the salient points as follows :-

Hotel Requirements

- Breakfast may be delivered to your room and left by your door
- No buffet options will be available at any meals including no drink stations
- Each hotel will have different rules on their public spaces including use of bar and toilets
- Rooms will not be serviced for the duration of your stay
- Additional towels/toiletries will be available on request and left outside your room
- For dinner you will either need to remain on separate tables by family group or there will be a third seating capacity, e.g. 3 people to a table of 9

Transport

- For those coming by public transport, it would be wise to consider hiring a car
- We will not car share and you will need to drive yourself to the location

Painting

- It is unlikely that we can provide any art equipment such as boards, chairs and easels
- In a large group demos will not be done in one go but on a shift basis in order to maintain 2 metre rule e.g. if 12 people in the group then 6 watch a demo in the morning and then 6 in the afternoon
- When a tutor gives 1-2-1 tuition you may need to step away from the easel and they will need to remain the appropriate distance from the easel too.

General

You will need to bring a mask with you and it may be necessary for you to wear it on occasions when in enclosed spaces. Failure to bring or wear a suitable mask may mean exclusion from certain activities. You will not be expected to wear a mask whilst outside painting but it may be necessary during meetings and if we need to work in the studio. We hope to keep the wearing of masks to a minimum but we or the hotel need to reserve the right to expect everyone to do so.

If you develop symptoms before coming then you must stay at home and phone us at the earliest opportunity. If you arrive with symptoms you will not be permitted to stay in the hotel and will need to return home. If you develop symptoms whilst on holiday you will need to self-isolate in your room and return home at the earliest opportunity or when it is safe to do so.

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