

ROYAL



Events and Venue Hire

ROYAL WEST OF ENGLAND ACADEMY



Welcome to the RWA

Treat your guests to an unforgettable event in the heart of Bristol, set in a magnificent Grade II* listed building with world-class exhibitions as a unique backdrop.

Our spectacular galleries are available for event hire throughout the year. Hire of these galleries also includes access to our impressive marble landing and spacious

balcony with views across the historic area of Clifton.

Whatever your event - large or small - the RWA can provide a truly unique setting.

We have a range of flexible spaces that can be hired across the building.



Our spaces are perfect for:

- Drinks and Canapé Receptions
- Summer and Christmas Parties
- Family Celebrations
- Gala Dinners
- Wedding Receptions
- Product Launches
- Networking Events
- Meetings and Creative Activities
- Filming and Photography Shoots
- Private Gallery Tours and Viewings



“We were delighted to return to the RWA to host our annual networking event. The event space itself is fantastic and the team were brilliant. The support we received, both in the run-up and during, meant we were able to not only host a successful event but also enjoy it ourselves. We already can’t wait to return to the RWA for our 2023 Spring Networking!”

Bristol Junior Chamber



Our Spaces

Sharples and Winterstoke Galleries

With beautifully constructed interiors filled with natural light, these 19th century galleries have housed works from the big names in British art.

You will have the opportunity to host your event among some of the best of contemporary and historic art for a one-of-a-kind experience. Guests are encouraged to make the most of complimentary admission to our exhibitions. Hire of the galleries also includes use of our historic marble landing and outdoor balcony.

Capacity: Sharples and Winterstoke

Seated dinners Up to 120

Drinks receptions Up to 220

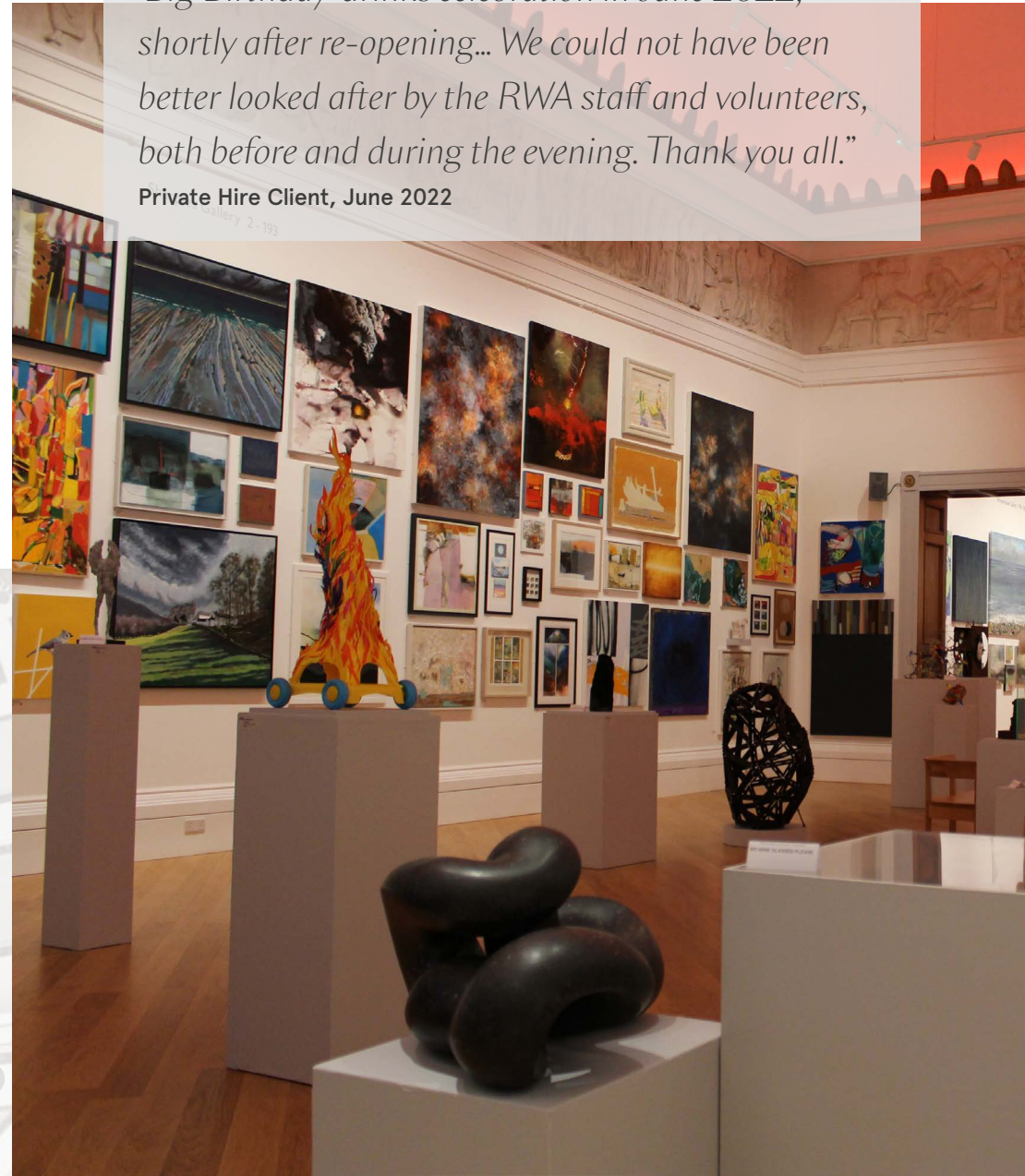
Theatre style Up to 140

Prices start from £975+VAT

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“The grandeur of the refurbished RWA galleries provided a magnificent space in which to host my ‘Big Birthday’ drinks celebration in June 2022, shortly after re-opening... We could not have been better looked after by the RWA staff and volunteers, both before and during the evening. Thank you all.”

Private Hire Client, June 2022





Our Spaces

First Floor Landing and Balcony

The RWA is opening its iconic Grade II* listed landing and balcony for exclusive evening hire. Whether you're planning relaxed summer cocktails, a special celebration or a formal canapé reception, our impressive marble landing, overlooked by a breath-taking atrium and historic, sunny west-facing terrace, is the perfect setting to treat your clients, colleagues, friends and family.

Capacity:
First Floor Landing and Balcony

Drinks reception Up to 60

Prices start from £675+VAT

Our Spaces

Kenny Gallery

The newly refurbished Kenny Gallery is the ideal spot for more intimate events, including smaller drinks receptions, tea parties and dinners.

Hire also includes the balcony and First floor landing.



Youngwood Room

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The RWA's Youngwood room is the perfect place if you want to host a meeting, away day or even a creative workshop. The space is available for both day time and evening hire, and is a truly versatile space.

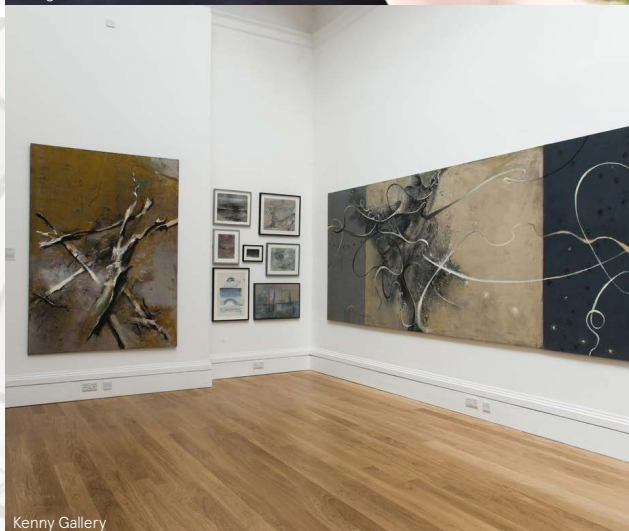
Flipcharts, Presentation equipment and teas and coffee packages available upon request.

Capacity: Kenny Gallery

Drinks reception Up to 60

Seated dining Up to 20

Prices start from £675+VAT



Kenny Gallery

Capacity: Youngwood Room

U Shape and Boardroom Up to 12

Theatre Style Up to 30

Prices start from £105+VAT

Catering

Our newly refurbished spaces can accommodate a range of catering requirements to suit your event.

The experienced RWA events team can suggest caterers or work with any caterer of your choice to provide a range of delicious options for your event. We have a range of trusted local partners we work with that can cater for all occasions



"We were very happy with you and all the wonderful staff at the RWA, who could not do enough for us in the preceding days and the days just after, not forgetting the Wedding day itself! What a wonderful venue, we have been very lucky. Everything was perfect." Wedding Party, June 2022

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Hire Includes

- Exclusive access to the venue including full use of the galleries, 1st floor landing and balcony
- Dedicated event manager and venue staff
- Set up and packdown time either side of your event, including venue staff to implement this
- Cleaning fee
- Free use of PA system and programmed lighting
- Fully staffed cloakroom



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