

Advice for the hanging of shows in the gallery

- To keep the top of the painting/photo from “leaning out” put hanging fixtures as near as possible to the upper two corners.
- Fixtures should not themselves stick out
- Fixtures should not have any sharp edges that might cut the fishing line that we use for hanging.
- The fishing line can be attached either to each side or to the middle of a wire running across the top edge of the painting/photo.

If a group is hanging the show, it helps to have:

- 1) a second ladder
- 2) at least two roles of clear fishing line—30 lb or greater, library usually has some
- 3) extra scissors
- 4) extra hardware for hanging paintings (and a small hammer and a few nails)
- 5) extra plastic nametags for labeling paintings/photos—the library has some but needs more.
- 6) tags labeling each piece that fit into plastic name holders
- 7) squares of two sided/ removable sticky mats for attaching label to painting.