

Picture:Lin de Mol

## OPEN CALL>>>>> -DONT BE AFRAID OF THE DARK-

Place: Arvika, Värmland

Time: 14-11-2020 - 13-12-2020

Open call to artists to use darkness as an artistic material.

Artists Collective Kolonin is looking for three artists artists to participate in the light event "Arvika Ljus!"

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The first edition "Don't be Afraid of the Dark" wants to present a different way of looking at darkness: As the birthplace of light, rather than its opposite or even its enemy. Become friends with the dark, rather than fear it.

Works will be displayed in the public space in the center of Arvika. The place can be an empty shop window or a company that give acces to their place. It is also possible to apply with an existing work. In that case the work should be suitable to install in a site-specific place, in one of the appointed places in Arvika. One of Kolonins goals is to lower the thresholds for contemporary art for the local community. With the project Arvika Ljus! we want to take the art in to the street, outside its own safe zone, and the collaboration with the local actors that provide space for the light festival, is therefore an important part of the concept.

## TO APPLY:

Please send 1-3 images of work and a short description of your practice to: koloninarvika@gmail.com

## APPLICATION DEADLINE:

1 June 2020

Artists Collective Kolonin will decide which works will participate by 1 July 2020.

Installation period: 8 November – 13 November 2020

(with reservation regarding possible changes due to Covid 19)

Exhibition period: 14 November – 13 December 2020

If you are interested and want to have more information on travel expenses and exhibition allowance, visit: www.koloninarvika.se

## **COMPENSATION:**

Participation fee 5000 SEK Production fee 5000 SEK Travel Accommodation ( for production/opening) Exhibition Allowance













