La Casa Marianne

23847 Schiphorst
Franzdorfer Weg 32
in Herzogtum Lauenburg
/ Schleswig Holstein

La Casa Marriane was the home and studio of the late ceramic artist Marianne Praetorius.

Marianne Praetorius was a creative and charismatic woman with a colourful, eclectic, and distinctive life, as encapsulated by her own words "Life is Provisional".

Now her home is being developed into the project "La Casa Marianne – Refugee Artists in Residence".



The Project La Casa Marianne– Refugee Artists in Residence



The house and workshop of Marianne Praetorius offers a temporary refuge to artists who have had to leave their homeland due to conflict or climate change. This is a space where new possibilities and forms of existence can be grown and developed.

Conditions

Temporary residence means that the rental contract is usually signed for a set period of 6 to 12 months. Rent and operating costs should be covered by the social welfare office, insofar that there is a recognised refugee status and the requirements for receiving social assistance are met. In individual cases, other arrangements can also be made, if state co-financing is not possible.

Step by step, the house needs to be modernised and renovated. Skills and abilities are therefore sought after to contribute to the gardening, wall and window painting and so on.



BUSINESS

The idea is, not only to provide a place to live and work, but also to support visual artists in their development of new networks and sales opportunities.

The proximity of the property to the multicultural cities of Hamburg and Lübeck with their thriving art scenes, will be a resource in this regard.

HOUSE AND PROPERTY

The **living area** consists of a living room, an open-plan kitchen, a bathroom and a showroom, on the ground floor. Upstairs there are two bedrooms.

The workshop area consists of three ceramic kilns, a large workroom and a bathroom.

Overall, there is space for up to two residents.

On the road to Franzdorf, at the end of a line of other properties, Casa Marrianne lies secluded. The garden is ripe with fruit trees and offers magnificent views over the fields, into the west and out towards the sunset.

THE LOCATION

Schiphorst is a community with around 700 inhabitants in the rural district of Herzogtum Lauenburg in Schleswig-Holstein east of Hamburg, Germany. The village belongs to the municipality of Sandesneben-Nusse and lies in between both Hamburg and Lübeck.

Unfortunately, Schiphorst is difficult to reach by public transport. The nearest underground station with the Hamburg rail network is Großhansdorf and can be reached within 20 minutes by car. There are also bus connections to Bad Oldesloe, from where further connections to Hamburg and Lübeck are possible.

