



Participant Application

Please complete the following application to be considered for the first annual Walking on Art Chalk Drawing Challenge, September 7, 8 and 9, 2012.

School Name and District

Address

City

Zip

Supervisor Contact (Teacher/Principal: Must be an adult employed by the school.)

Supervisor Contact Daytime Phone Number

Supervisor Contact E-mail

(Please be sure to include summer time contact information.)

Number of Students in contest

XL _____ L _____ M _____ S _____

Size of t-shirts for students and supervisor (adult sizes)

Submission Directions

1. Please attach a sketch of the proposed artwork that the students will create. Make a copy of this sketch as we cannot guarantee its return.
2. Note that each school will be responsible for adult supervision and transportation to and from the event.
3. Awards ceremony will take place on Sunday, September 9, 2012 at 2:00pm
4. The teams should be present at the awards ceremony – friends and family are welcome.
5. Applications are due by June 1, 2012 and each school contact will be notified by June 8, 2012.

Cultural Festivals

Attn: Walking on Art Chalk Drawing Challenge

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Guidelines

FOR STUDENT PARTICIPATION

The Saint Louis Art Fair is an annual celebration of visual and performing arts. We are excited to offer this programming component of the Art Fair - Walking on Art Chalk Drawing Challenge.

The challenge is open to high school students **FREE OF CHARGE**. Here is what you need to know to participate:

The Challenge

Ten (10) spots will be available for teams of six (6) from local high schools. The teams will create their works of art in the time honored tradition of Italian street painting – with chalk as the medium and the pavement as the canvas!

Students are the only ones that may work on the drawing. Teacher/Supervisor is there only for support and direction.

Teams will be provided a 10'x10' space, chalk pastels, and pieces of carpet to lay on the pavement.

Bottled water will be distributed on Friday evening, access to the VIP/Artist Hospitality Center will be available on Saturday and Sunday for food and beverage, and a Walking on Art t-shirt.

Artwork

Schools choose their own project. Students may re-create an existing masterpiece by a famous artist, re-create an original image, create a new piece that has never been seen before, or portray an image representative of their school, neighborhood, city, class, etc.

Preparation

Students are encouraged to design their chalk art on paper and practice their design on a section of clean sidewalk. Participants are encouraged to bring their drawing as a frame of reference for their competition piece.

Transportation

Each team will be responsible for their own transportation to and from the Saint Louis Art Fair.

If you have any questions, please call 314-863-0278 or send an email info@culturalfestivals.com.

Eligibility

High schools in the St. Louis Metropolitan Area.

Date, Times and Location

The competition will take place at the 19th annual Saint Louis Art Fair, September 7, 8 & 9, 2012 in the heart of Clayton, Missouri.

Friday

September 7, 2012

4:00 – 5:00 pm—Check-in and space assignments

5:00 – 8:00 pm—Art Competition

Saturday

September 8, 2012

10:00 am – 8:00 pm—Art Competition

Sunday

September 9, 2012

12:00 – 1:00 pm—Judging

2:00 pm—Awards Ceremony

Entry Deadline



Complete the enclosed application and submit a sketch of your proposed artwork.

Entries after that date will be accepted on a spaced available basis by calling 314-863-0278.

Judging Criteria

Each team will be judged on:

1. Draftsmanship (drawing ability)
2. Originality
3. Execution

Judging rules include:

- Teams will be asked to stay within the designated 10'x10' space marked on the pavement in advance. Drawing must be a minimum of 4'x4'.
- Non oil based soft chalk/pastels will be provided to each school and it will be the only chalk/instrument to be used in the artwork.
- Teams are encouraged to bring their own drawings to use as a guide for their sidewalk piece.
- Judges reserve the right to remove anyone who may be disruptive, uses inappropriate language or draws inappropriate renderings.

Awards

1st Place – \$500 in art supplies for their school

2nd Place – \$250 in art supplies for their school

3rd Place – \$100 in art supplies for their school