

ART WARS Guidelines / Info

Register Construction, Grindley Williams Engineering, Mills & Nebraska Architectural Products, Blick Art Materials and The Mulberry Cultural Center present Art Crawl's fifth LIVE art competition!

Test your skill, creative thinking, problem solving, and time management. Artists chosen will create large works on 36"x80" panels using art materials, tools, and a surprise box of found objects in just 4 hours. See if you can make it through! Who will come out on top?

DATES / TIMES / LOCATION:

Event Date: Sunday, November 9

Location: Swan Brewing, 115 W Pine St, Lakeland, FL 33815

Artist Arrival: 9:00 - 9:15am

Artist Setup: 9:00 - 11:00am

Competition Time: 11:00am - 3:00pm

Artist Clean Up / Public Finished Piece Viewing: 3:00 - 5:00pm

Award Announcements: 4:00pm

Artist Loadout: 5:00pm

WHAT'S PROVIDED:

Each chosen artist will be provided (1) 36"x80" primed hollow wooden door (no holes, with braces mounting the door either vertically or horizontally), a box of found objects, and surprise materials which MUST all be incorporated into each artist's piece.

ART MATERIALS & FOUND OBJECTS:

All artists will be given the same surprise materials. Objects will range in size, shape, and material making up a big part of the challenge. All pieces must be incorporated, but do not have to keep their original form, color, or shape. Each random box will be handed out at 10:30am on the day of the event to kickstart creative thinking and problem solving skills.

ARTIST MUST PROVIDE:

Each chosen artist must provide their own drop cloth and basic art materials: paint, glue, collage material, other found objects, brushes, water bucket, tools, etc. making sure they have the tools in order to create the piece they desire. Battery operated tools are welcomed as no electrical outlets will be available. Anything to create the piece will be left up to each individual artist in order to make it their own. (Spray paint, airbrushes, and aerosols are **PROHIBITED.**)

NOTE: Drop cloths must be able to prevent any material the artist uses from staining or damaging property. Any staining or damage will result in fines from the city.

We highly suggest bringing a 10'x10' tent for promised shade and protection. You will be out in the direct sunlight. (Tents MUST have weights, no staking.)

ASSISTANTS:

Each artist may include one assistant to help complete their piece within the 4 hour block. Bring a buddy!

JUDGING:

Judging will be done by a surprise panel of judges and the audience! This competition will be all about having fun, material interpretation, celebrating the challenge itself, and what each artist successfully created within the 4 hour block. HAVE FUN!

AWARDS:

1st - \$500 2nd - \$300 3rd - \$200 People's Choice Award - \$100

WHAT HAPPENS TO THE PIECE AFTERWARDS?

During Art Crawl, the work can be offered for sale by the artist or may be chosen as a local exhibition inclusion piece. Ultimately, no matter what, the piece belongs to the artist. BRING A TRUCK, VAN, or SUV!

