

**THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND ACCOMPANY YOUR POSTER SUBMISSION. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.**

I, the undersigned, understand that IF my submitted design and original artwork is selected, I will fulfill all obligations listed below:

- As the poster winner, I understand that my original artwork will become the property of MKAF and I give MKAF all rights to reproduce the chosen artwork on T-shirts, posters, festival collateral and any other related items.
- A \$500 cash prize will be awarded to the winning poster artist.
- I, the undersigned, understand that IF my submitted design and original artwork is not selected, my artwork may not be reproduced for sale or any other reason with words that may cause someone to believe that the artwork represents the official 2023 Festival of the Arts poster.
- Please do not include any reference to and/or graphics referring to "Festival of the Arts" or the current year. MKAF will incorporate any Festival graphics during the design process. Any artwork displaying these words cannot be displayed and/or sold without consent, review or request by MKAF.
- I fully understand and acknowledge that MKAF is vested with the sole authority and discretion to determine whether a violation of this agreement has occurred.

The Mattie Kelly Arts Foundation and the Festival Committee as official promoters and organizers of the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Festival of the Arts, retain the sole propriety over all aspects of the festival, including official poster, official t-shirt and vendor selections.

All proceeds raised by the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Festival of the Arts benefit the cultural and educational missions of MKAF. Your participation and cooperation are appreciated.

I, the undersigned, confirm that I have read, understand and will adhere to the above requirements for all submissions to the Festival poster competition.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (parent or guardian if poster application is under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Poster Contest Deadline – June 30, 2023

4323 Commons Drive West  
Destin, FL 32541

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arts foundation



## POSTER APPLICATION

28<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Festival of the Arts

October 28 & 29, 2023

Art ~ Music ~ Food ~ Fun

Mattie Kelly Cultural Arts Village  
4323 Commons Drive West  
Destin, FL 32541

APPLICATION &  
ARTWORK DELIVERY DEADLINE  
BY JUNE 30, 2023

# 28th Annual Festival of the Arts Poster Competition

Creative artists of all ages are encouraged to submit their designs!

The official poster should be colorful and portray the spirit of the festival including the essence and culture of fine art. Artwork does not have any theme obligations or subject restrictions.

Artwork should be bold and colorful using any medium and appealing to a broad audience. Posters entries must be two-dimensional, in a vertical format, original and previously unpublished.

Poster entries will be judged by the Festival of the Arts Artist Market Committee.

The winning poster artist agrees to relinquish ownership of the artwork and it becomes to sole property of MKAF. to use on festival posters, t-shirts, other merchandise, marketing materials and advertising.

Entries must be dropped off or postmarked by the deadline date.

Artist will be given a \$500 cash prize and an artist reveal article in local publications.

Fees & print costs will be the responsibility of the Festival of the Arts. All reproduction rights and use rights will belong to MKAF.

By participating, the entrant agrees to abide by and be bound by these rules.

## Entering the Poster Competition

All entries must be a minimum of 16x24 and no larger than 24x36 in a vertical format and contain no text. MKAF will incorporate all festival graphics in the design process. Judging criteria will include the viability of sales potential of t-shirts, posters and other souvenirs appealing to a broad audience.

Please deliver original artwork, by appointment, before Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup> 12:00PM along with this signed application.

Office hours – Monday through Thursday  
8:00am-4:00pm

The winner will be notified by July 13<sup>th</sup>. Non-winning entries may be picked up after July 17<sup>th</sup>. Call or email to arrange a pick-up date and time. Posters submitted by mail must include return postage and appropriate mailing material and packaging. Entries that do not sufficient postage will not be returned.

**For more information, contact  
Mattie Kelly Arts Foundation**  
850-650-2226  
[info@mkaf.org](mailto:info@mkaf.org) [www.mkaf.org](http://www.mkaf.org)

### POSTER CALENDAR

**June 30** – Poster Entry Deadline  
**July 13** – Winner Notification  
**October 28 & 29** – Festival of the Arts  
**Hours** – Saturday 9am-5pm  
Sunday 10am-4pm

## Official Poster Application

Please Print

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Media \_\_\_\_\_

**There is no fee to enter, so submit as many pieces of art as you wish!**

**Poster Competition Deadline  
June 30, 2023**

### Art Mediums

Watercolor ~ Acrylic ~ Mosaic  
Oil ~ Photography ~ Pastel  
Collage ~ Pen & Ink ~ Glass  
Mixed Media ~ Resin  
Pencil/Graphite  
Printing Making and more!