



PRIZES

1st place \$3,000
2nd place \$2,000
3rd place \$1,500
4th and 5th place \$1,000
Community Choice – Bring your friends! Every vote helps!
Prize value \$500.

THEMES

The 2016 Summer of Murals Themes will be **Artist Choice**.

ELIGIBILITY

This contest is open to all artists. artists under the age of 18 need an adult representative. Groups are eligible, but there must be one team leader to interact with the CCMS and accept any prizes. CCMS board members, judges, any respective affiliates, subsidiaries, parent and related companies, agencies, and those living in the household of the same are not eligible.

JUDGES

A panel of six judges will be appointed by CCMS to select winners for each prize from among the finalists. Judges will be a combination of local committee members involved in arts, business and a CCMS member.

JUDGING GUIDELINES

The CCMS judges will select winners based on originality, content, quality, appeal, and adherence to these contest

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rules, theme and guidelines. Decisions will be based on completed murals only.

QUALIFYING GUIDELINES AND APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Complete application entry form.
2. Submit a scale rendering of your artwork. all artwork must be original.
3. Your artwork will have to be approved by CCMS, judging committee, and building owners. You will be required to do the necessary research needed to create your artwork.
4. Submit a description of your artwork and how it fits the theme in 500 words or less.
5. If selected you will be required to fill out IRS W-9, sign contract, and other documents on/or before May 23rd, 2016.

You are allowed to submit more than one design. Paint will be provided by Sherwin Williams for the finalists to complete their murals. Specialty materials or materials not donated to the contest will be the responsibility of the finalists.

Finalists will be able to start murals the first week of June. All murals must be completed by July 24th, 2016 at 11:59PM to be eligible for judging.



All submissions must be submitted online or arrangements made for delivery by May 8th, 2016.

Late applications will not be considered. Entries will not be returned. The top finalists will be expected sign contracts by May 24th, 2016 and complete work by July 24th, 2016. Artists will be announced to the public on May 18th, 2016. Pick up supplies and begin painting June 1st, 2016.

GENERAL RULES

The sponsor of this contest is the Clark County Mural Society.

This contest is subject to all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. This contest is not open for entry where prohibited or restricted by law.

The contest shall be subject to these official Contest rules, and by consenting to a child's entry, all parents and legal guardians agree to be bound by the terms and conditions herein.

All artwork submitted must be original, and may not infringe upon the copyright or any other right or interest of any other person or organization, and that any rights to such materials. Clark County Mural Society Winners agree that CCMS, it's affiliated organizations, shall have the right and permission to use the name, entry, and/or entry information of the entrant in any manner or media now or hereafter known without further consideration expect where prohibited by law.

All winners agree that all right, title and interest in and to the art work shall be owned by CCMS, which shall have absolute and exclusive right and permission to edit, modify, publish, exploit and use the content of and elements embodied in the art work and the art work itself in perpetuity in any and all media (whether now existing or hereafter devised) and in any ay manner, fir trade, advertising, promotional or any other purposes without further approval or consideration.

Prizes to be awarded: 1st prize \$3,000. 2nd prize \$2,000. 3rd prize \$1,500. 4th and 5th prize \$1,000. Community Choice prize value \$500. Prizes are not transferable. All applicable federal, state, local or other taxes are the sole responsibility of the winners.

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All finalists will be contacted by phone and email. CCMS shall have the right to disqualify any entries it deems do not meet the criteria due to technical, legal or other problems, or which they deem to be inappropriate or otherwise not in good taste, as determined by CCMS in its sole discretion. Entries may not defame or invade the publicity or the privacy rights of any person or otherwise infringe upon any person's personal or proprietary rights. CCMS's decisions are final and binding with respect to all matters relating to the contest.

Incomplete murals will not qualify for judging. You will still be required to complete your mural within 30 days. If not complete within 30 days CCMS will make a case by case decision whether to allow the artist to complete the mural or take back the responsibility for completion. Agreement will be confirmed in writing.

CCMS shall not be liable to contest winners or any other person for failure to supply the prize or any part thereof, by reason of any acts of god, any action(s), regulations(s), order(s), or request(s) by any governmental or quasi-governmental entity (whether or not the action(s), regulations(s), order(s), or request(s) prove(s) to be invalid), equipment failure, terrorist acts, earthquakes, war, fire, flood, explosion, unusually sever weather, hurricane, labor dispute or strike (whether legal or illegal) labor or material shortage or any other cause beyond CCMS's sole control.

If for any reason this contest is not capable of running as planned or does not allow the proper playing of the contest and processing the entries per these rules, or if tampering, unauthorized intervention, actions by entrant fraud, technical failures, or any other causes, in CCMS's sole opinion, corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity, or proper conduct of this contest, CCMS reserves the right at its sole discretion, to disqualify any individual implicated in such action, and/or to terminate further entry in this contest. If termination of this contest does occur, notification will be posted on the web site at ccmurals.org

For a copy of these official Contest rules, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Clark County Mural Society, 1701 Broadway St., #257. Vancouver, WA 98663. Requests must be received no later than May 1st, 2016.



ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT

In consideration for participating in the Summer of Murals contest, I hereby waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights and claims for damages which I may have or accrue against the promoters and sponsors of this event, including, but not limited to, the City of Vancouver, Clark County Mural Society, officials, all municipalities, special districts and properties affiliated with the Summer of Murals contest, or their respective owners, Officers, agents, representatives, successors and/or assigns for any and all damages which may be sustained or suffered in connection with the said project with or entry which hereafter accrue during or after this contest.

Further, in consideration for participating in the Summer of Murals contest, I voluntarily agree to assume all the risks involved in participating in the Summer of Murals contest. I understand that by participating in this contest I expose myself to the risk of injuries including, but not limited to, temporary or permanent muscle soreness, sprains, strains, cuts, abrasions, bruises, head or neck injuries, loss of use of eyes or limbs, or death. I also recognize that there are foreseeable and unforeseeable risks of injury or death that may occur as a result of my participation in the contest. Therefore, I hereby release the promoters and sponsors of this event, including, but not limited to, the City of Vancouver, CCMS, all municipalities special districts, properties, or their respective officers, agents, representatives, employees, successors and/or assigns from any and all liability, claims, costs, expenses, injuries or losses including those resulting from any acts of negligence by any of the parties noted above that I may sustain as a result of my participation in the contest.

I have carefully read this agreement, including the assumption of risk and release of liability language set forth above and fully understand its contents. I sign this agreement of my own free will.

Signature

Date

Print Name

Email

Phone

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