

1st Annual Holiday Card Contest

Crossroads is inviting local and regional artists to submit artwork to our first annual Holiday Card Contest. The subject is open to artist interpretation of the holiday season. All media types will be accepted. The winning submission receives a \$100 prize and 12 printed cards. The original artwork will be returned to the artist. The winning artwork will be reproduced as a 5" x 7" card which will be the official 2016 Crossroads holiday card. Proceeds from the sale of the cards will go to support Crossroads programs.

DATES TO REMEMBER

August 29, 2016 by 5:00pm
Submissions due at Crossroads.

September 15, 2016
Artist notification by email.

October 3, 2016
Deadline for artists to pick up original artwork.

October 7-December 31, 2016
Display winning original at Crossroads.

October 2016-2017
Sale of cards at Crossroads.

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ENTRY CRITERIA

- The contest is open to professional and amateur artists aged 18 and older.
- The subject is open to artist interpretation of the holiday season.
- All artwork must be original. All media types will be accepted.
- Please submit original, unframed artwork: minimum 3" x 5", maximum 12" x 18."
- For 2-D artwork over 12" x 18" and all 3-D work, artists shall submit for judging a high-quality digital image along with the original work.
- The image must present well for reproduction.
- Artwork is to be submitted without a frame and in a protective sleeve or paper.
- More than one entry may be submitted. Each entry must be accompanied by a signed entry form.
- Crossroads will photograph the winning submission for reproduction. The image must photograph well for reproduction.
- The card will be printed 5" x 7". The final image will have a border to fit to size.
- Original artwork will remain the property of the artist.
- Artist agrees to allow their name to appear on the finished card and promotional material. The artist gives Crossroads permission to reproduce and sell cards in the gallery for up to a year.

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM – 2016 CROSSROADS HOLIDAY CARD CONTEST

Artist's Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Title of Artwork: _____

Medium: _____

I have read the entry criteria and am familiar with the conditions of this contest. I certify that the above-described art is my own work and currently hold all right of ownership.

Artist's Signature: _____

Please attach to back of artwork submission:

Artist: _____

Title of Artwork: _____

Medium: _____