



Festival of the Cranes Art Contest Guidelines

Eligible Artwork

- Original artwork only
- Any medium welcome, including painting, digital art, printmaking, mixed media, sculpture, and photography
- Edited photography is permitted
- AI-generated artwork is not permitted

Submission Requirements

- Submit JPEG files
- File size: 1–5 MB
- Up to 15 entries per artist
- Contest entry is free

Artwork Format

Because Festival of the Cranes materials are designed in a vertical (5.5" × 8.5") format, artwork should ideally accommodate a portrait layout. However, artists are encouraged to submit work of any shape or orientation. Our design team has experience adapting artwork for publication, and a brochure mockup is not required.

Winning Artwork

- Winning artist must provide a high-resolution file (minimum 300 dpi).
- Artwork may be featured on festival marketing materials and merchandise.
- Winning artist receives a \$500 cash prize and a complimentary Expo booth.

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By entering the contest, artists grant Friends of Bosque del Apache a non-exclusive right to use submitted artwork, including edited versions, for festival promotion and related commercial activities. Winning artwork may appear on merchandise sold during the festival and until inventory is exhausted.

Artwork that is not selected may still be featured on festival websites, publications, or promotional materials. All published artwork will be credited to the artist.