



Wild West Days Art Contest 2016

General Information

Eligibility: This competition is open to all Arizona residents (proof of residency may be required for award winners). One entry per artist. CCMEA Board members, chairman, employees, Town of Cave Creek Council members, sponsors, or their immediate family members may not be recipients of cash prizes from this competition.

Age Categories and Entry Fees per Entry:

Ages 12 – 18 \$10.00
Ages 19 and over \$25.00

Awards: Entrants are eligible to receive one of three cash awards for 1st, 2nd, or People's choice place in their respective age-group category.

<u>Adult</u>		<u>Youth</u>	
1 st Place . . .	\$250.00	1 st Place . . .	\$75.00
2 nd Place . . .	\$200.00	2 nd Place . . .	\$50.00
People's Choice . . .	\$100.00	People's Choice . . .	\$50.00

Submission Requirements

Theme: **Artwork should depict the Arizonan western lifestyle and Cave Creek culture.**

Deadline: **No Exceptions.** Entries must be delivered by June 1, 2016. Entries must be delivered to the Cave Creek Museum, 6140 Skyline Dr., Cave Creek, between 10:00am to 6:00pm.

Entries: Submissions are limited to one per entrant. Submissions cannot have been exhibited or published. Entries must be an **original** image created by the applicant. **All images must be matted** and the **mat must be 16" x 20" single dimension.** Any other mat size will be disqualified. Framed images will not be accepted. All mediums accepted, all submissions are to be matted.

Judging/Jurors:

The jury panel will include at least one professional artist, one member of the community, and one member of board of the CCMEA. Judging is based upon technical quality, aesthetic quality and presentation.

Size/Type: Submissions in any other form will not be accepted (e.g. no transparencies, CDs, etc.). All artwork submitted should be no larger than **11 x 17 inches** in size. Any image submitted larger than these size limitations will be disqualified.

Labels: Clearly label the back of your image with its title and your initials. (approximately 1" x 4" label size).

Mailing/Delivery:

All artwork must be delivered to the Cave Creek Museum, 6140 Skyline Dr., Cave Creek AZ. If entries are received bent or damaged they will not be accepted.

Return of Entries:

The Wild West Days Art Contest Committee and/or judges are not liable for lost or damaged images during transit, return, or while they have possession of the images. All artists will be notified of the time and the place to pick up the submissions. Submissions not picked up by October 1st, 2016 will become property of CCMEA.

Notification of Award Winners:

Notification will be sent no later than the week of July 1st 2016.

Liability: The applicant must sign and submit a liability release agreement (last page).

Copyright Licensing Agreement:

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Questions? E-mail (no phone calls) the chairman at: evelyn@cavecreekmuseum.com
or visit our website at www.wildwestdayscavecreek.com.

Liability Release Agreement

The applicant(s) understand(s) that the Wild West Days Art Contest Committee will handle and display all entries with care. Also, by submitting their entry to the Wild West Days Art Contest, the applicant agrees not to hold the Wild West Days Art Contest liable for any loss of or damage to their work. The Wild West Days Art Contest Committee and jurors will not be liable for any legal action brought by anyone with respect to authorship and/or copyright infringement. By submission, the artist guarantees this is original work and the Committee is not required to research this claim.

Applicant's Signature

Applicant's Parent or Guardian Signature
[must sign if Applicant is age 17 and under]

Date

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Copyright Licensing Agreement

The undersigned artist(s) grant(s) to the Wild West Days Art Contest Committee permission to photograph me (and use my picture, silhouette and other reproductions of my physical likeness) and my original entry submitted on behalf of the 2016 Wild West Days Art contest. Furthermore, this license extends to the Committee, permission to utilize me and my original artwork, in connection with the exhibition of said art, theatrically, on television, in the media and cyber media, or otherwise, for advertising and/or publicizing the 2016 Wild West Days Art Contest. Also, it is understood that a model/property release has been received by the image maker for any likeness of persons or personal property shown in submitted images. All copyrights cannot be assigned or transferred without the express written consent of the undersigned and all rights to ownership of the artwork remain the exclusive property to the artist(s).

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Date

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Yes, I would be willing to show my art at other events in the Town of Cave Creek and its neighboring communities. (If you do not agree to this statement, please do NOT sign below).

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_____ I have read the **Wild West Days Art Contest Application**, the **Liability Release Agreement** and the **Copyright Licensing Agreement** and agree to all of their terms.

