



ART APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS: SUNDAY JUNE 5, 2016 11:00 AM TO 6:00 PM

Greater Chicago Jewish Festival www.jewishfestival.org

- FESTIVAL** This Chicagoland festival celebrates Jewish culture with seven hours of music, dance, drama, arts, crafts and culinary delights. First produced in 1980, the event has become the largest in our Jewish Community and one of the largest Jewish Festivals in the United States. We expect well over 30,000 people to attend!
- ELIGIBILITY** The Festival is a showcase for Jewish artists and/or Jewish art. Art entries must be original works and can be produced in any media. The festival prefers not to accept mass produced items. You must indicate on your application if you are an artist, representative or distributor. The content of all artwork must be consistent with the purpose and objectives of the Festival as set forth in the Rules for Participation.
- Our jury will choose artists based on images which depict a quality representation of the work to be exhibited. Artists will be selected on concept, originality, Jewish content, and quality of workmanship.**
- ENTRY**
- To Submit Online:**
1. Go to www.jewishfestival.org
 2. Complete Artist Application Form to be considered by our jury
 3. Under separate cover, e-mail 5 digital images (jpeg, bmp) Each image should be labeled with the artist's name, medium type, short description and price for each image to: chijewish2016@gmail.com
 4. File name of each piece should be labeled as the artist name and piece number (e.g. Goldsmith, Chia-painting1).
 5. We will acknowledge receipt of your completed submission via e-mail.
 6. Application and slides are **due by March 15, 2016**.
- To Submit via Mail:**
1. Submit five (5) digital (jpeg, bmp) images, CD's or DVD's clearly labeled with the artist's/company, piece name or a number, artist's name, medium type, short description and price for each image to Greater Chicago Jewish Festival, c/o Art Committee, 77 Crestview Drive, Deerfield, IL 60015.
 2. File name of each piece should be labeled as the artist name and piece number (e.g. Goldsmith, Chia-painting1).
 3. If you would like your images returned, please enclose a self addressed stamped envelope with your submission.
 4. Send completed application to: **Greater Chicago Jewish Festival, c/o Art Committee, 77 Crestview Drive, Deerfield, IL 60015**
 5. Application and images are **due by March 15, 2016**.
- DEADLINES** The contract and all fees for exhibitors must be returned no later than May 1, 2016.
- LOGISTICS** Exhibitors will be assigned a 10'x10' space under a covered tent (one quarter of a 20'x 20' tent) with a height of approximately 8 feet and two sides facing aisles. Individual spaces can be purchased for \$85.00. Additional spaces can also be purchased for \$85.00 each. Tables (8 foot) can be rented at the cost of \$20.00 and 6'x2' display grids at a cost of \$10.00 a piece. **Artists are responsible for display boards, chairs and any preparations needed for inclement weather. There are NO refunds due to weather related conditions.** Artists will be advised on the morning of the Festival if an indoor location will be used.
- FEES** Once accepted, a contract will be sent. This contract must be returned with the \$85.00 exhibition fee along with any additional fees. **All artists agree that sales will be collected by the Festival directly, with the Festival retaining 15% of total sales under \$500.00 and 20% of total sales over \$500.00 or more.** Payment will be made to the artist within 3 weeks after the conclusion of the Festival.
- INFORMATION** The festival art committee looks forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions please email the art committee directly at chijewish2016@gmail.com or call: Karen Schur @ 847-940-0011 or Lynne Goldman @ 847-821-0644.