

KANANESGI ART MARKET CONTEST

THEME 2022: THE FIRST FIRE

CATEGORIES:

- +TRADITIONAL POTTERY (at least 6" tall)
- +CONTEMPORARY POTTERY (at least 6" tall)
- +CARVINGS (at least 6" tall) – includes stone, wood, and shell
- +RIVER CANE BASKETS
- +WHITEOAK BASKETS
- +HONEYSUCKLE BASKETS
- +WOVEN MATS (must enter 2 mats at least 6" tall)
- +TEXTILES – includes finger weaving 60" long, clothing, bags – leather, woven, bandolier
- +BEADWORK (must enter 2 pieces, must be mounted)
- +PAINTINGS (must be at least 18" and ready to hang)
- +DRAWINGS (must be at least 18" and ready to hang)
- +PHOTOGRAPHY (must be ready to hang)
- +MISCELLANEOUS – items not in a category above: jewelry, weaponry, instruments, miniatures – less than 2")

PRIZES

- First Place - \$900
- Second Place - \$700
- Third Place - \$500

First Place Best of Show - \$3000

- Second Place Best of Show - \$2000
- Third Place Best of Show - \$1000

Other prizes:

- Creativity Award - \$1000
- Celebrity's Choice Award - \$1000
- People's Choice Award - \$1000
- Emerging Young Artist - \$1000 (only for 16-21 years old)
- Best Use of Theme - \$1000

RULES

- Must be EBCI enrolled (must present enrollment card)
- Must be 16 years old and up at the time of art entry (ID required)
- Must fill out a W9 form
- Only one entry per category, per person allowed
- All entries must incorporate the theme “The First Fire” and have a completed entry theme form filled out. Artists can incorporate the story of the first fire, have any reference to fire in their work, or even use fire to make their work.
- All entries must stay in the show (can be sold but the artist is responsible for shipping it after the show)
- Must drop off and pick up items at designated times. If you do not pick up before the last designated time your items will be donated to the Kananesgi Art Market event for fundraising.
- Entries must have been made after January 1, 2022.
- Do not copy or use someone else’s work or intellectual property. If you do, you will be disqualified.
- You must bring your items yourself. Someone else is not allowed to bring your items.
- All entries must be safe to handle. Fill out any special handling instructions on the entry theme form.
- Entries will be taken on Friday 11/4/2022 8am-1pm – set up and judge before Fashion Rehearsal 5pm. Pick up Sunday, November 6. There will be an artists reception at 12pm and art can be taken after.
- Participation in the event is at your own risk. Event organizers and Harrah’s Cherokee Casino Resort are not responsible for lost, stolen, broken, or damaged products.
- Winners will be announced at 10am on 11/5/2022 at the Kananesgi Art Market at Harrah’s Cherokee Casino Resort River Walk.
- Event organizers reserve the right to deny any entry with no appeal process.