CHALK THE WALK CONTEST 2025

OPEN TO ALL AGES - YOUNG AND OLD!

Location of Contest: Main Street in front of Jeremy's Heating & Cooling and Meyer Motors When: Artists may work on their masterpiece any time during Chalk The Walk Hours: Thursday, September 4th from 4pm - 8pm, Friday, September 5th from 10am-3pm Artist must be finished by 3:00 Friday, September 5th - Judging will commence promptly thereafter.

Enter the Chalk the Walk contest by contacting: Laura Eckhoff 816-719-4865(cell) or email - laura.eckhoff@yahoo.com Or via contest link on website.

Pre-registration encouraged but not required. Artists may register upon arrival.

Number of spots are limited, first come first serve. One set of basic chalk will be supplied to each contest space. Feel free to bring additional chalk and supplies.

Rules:

1. Only washable CHALK may be used in your design. No paint, crayon, ink or other non-washable/permanent products will be allowed. Use of any non-chalk products will disqualify the artwork and artist will be responsible for cost of clean-up. Chalk MAY be crushed and diluted with water to assist the artist. No spray chalk or marking chalk may be used. The committee will spray artwork with temporary sealant upon completion to temporarily preserve the artwork. No other fixatives may be used.

All chalk supplies must be presented to committee for approval at time of registration /check in.

- 2. Designs must not exceed designated square. Squares will be assigned at registration and will be 6ftx6ft. Some spaces may have cracks or textured variations, please keep this in mind when dreaming up your design.
- 3. All artwork must be appropriate for public viewing by all ages. No lewd, graphic, violence, gore, nudity. Committee members have the right to disqualify and/or remove any inappropriate art or writing as they deem necessary.
- 4. Only registered artists are allowed to participate in creating the art during the time allotted. Adults may supervise younger artists but may not assist in actual artwork unless registered with artist. Any artist under the age of 11 MUST have an adult present.
- 5. Winners announced at Main Street stage prior to Baby Contest Saturday 9am and posted on the festival facebook page.

Sponsored by Meyer Motors, Jon's Body Shop, Beerman Heating & Cooling Prizes by Divisions

0-10years 1st: \$50 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 11-14years 1st: \$50 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20 15+years 1st: \$50 2nd: \$30 3rd: \$20

Photos of artwork will be added to festival facebook page and a "People's Choice" prize of \$50 will be given to the artwork with the most Likes.

Suggested supplies provided by artist: premeditated design/pattern, knee pads/garden pad to kneel on, water and cloth/sponge to erase unwanted parts of design, masking/painters tape to create sharp borders/lines, heavy fabric or cardboard to sit or stand on to avoid smearing your artwork. Tools for blending colors, gloves to protect hands, sunscreen/sunglasses/hat.