



Call for First Friday Chalk Artists

We invite you to bring your creative concepts to life through chalk at First Friday in Salina Downtown!



Artist: Chelsea Ritter-Soronen, Chalk Riot

PROJECT GOAL

Propose a project that will engage the First Friday audience with interactive or 3D chalk designs! Play with optical illusion, create an interactive setting for the public to enter, or make imaginative characters burst from the ground during July, August, September, and October First Fridays! **Proposals are due by 5 p.m. June 21!**

ELIGIBILITY

Proposals may be submitted by an individual artist or artist team. **Applicants must be 18 years of age or older** or apply with a supervising adult.

CRITERIA/SELECTION/COMMISSION

Applicants must submit their proposals by June 21, 2019 to be considered as a First Friday chalk artist. Complete proposals will be reviewed by the Friday Night Live committee. Each accepted proposal will be notified by Salina Arts and Humanities staff, offered an available date and space, and given one 24-count box of Craiova chalk. Completed projects will receive \$200.

SPECIFICATIONS

Each artist or group will have approximately 4'x4' space to work within in a downtown plaza space. Chalk will be provided, however, if you are using a predominant color in your design you may want to purchase that color before the event. Only water soluble chalk mediums are allowed. Acrylic paints, liquid pastels, oil-based pastels, hard pastels, etc. are not acceptable. Artists must be available on the offered First Friday to complete their work within a 3 hour time frame; the public will be invited to interact with the pieces after 7pm.

PROPOSALS

The following information is required for your proposal to be considered:

- Introduce yourself by writing a bio in 5 sentences or less
- Tell us about your concept in 10 sentences or less
- Attach a picture of a drawing that helps us understand what it might look like and how big it will be. Artists will be expected to create something very similar to the drawing they submit.
- Include up to 3 jpg images of something you have made before. All photos should be titled and include the artist's last name (for example: photo 1 Smith).
- Email complete proposal to anna.pauscher@salina.org

TO APPLY CONTACT:

Anna V. Pauscher

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Credit: Burgh Baby

IMPORTANT DATES & TIMES

PROPOSALS DUE (e-mailed) by 5pm on 06/21/2019
Notification of Acceptance.....7/2/2019
Project Site Check.....as necessary, by appointment
Event Date TBA
 *Work on piece 4pm – 7pm
 *Open for public interaction 7pm – 9pm



Artist: Douglas Rouse



Artist: Katie Bush



Artist: Juniper Tangpuz



Artist: Damon Belanger



Artist: David Zinn



Artist: Grease