

# Collingwood Art on the Street 2020

*10 years of celebrating art and artists in Collingwood*

## Street Art Chairs - Call to Artists

The Collingwood Downtown Business Improvement Area (BIA) invites visual artists to submit designs and images to Collingwood Art on the Street 2020, an outdoor gallery of hand-painted chairs. Now in its 10<sup>th</sup> year, AOTS showcases the diversity and talent of our creative community while enlivening the streets of Collingwood from Victoria Day to Thanksgiving weekend.

**Theme:** This year's theme is **"Artist's Choice"** as we invite artists to bring their own unique style and vision to the project.

**Submissions:** Application and Design submission are due by March 20. All submissions will be juried by a panel and chosen artists will be notified by April 2 and may pick up their chairs any time after this date

**Chair Completion:** Chairs will need to be completed and returned by April 30



### **Entry Guidelines/Deadlines**

**Application and Design Submission Deadline: March 20, 2020**

- Artists will be notified by April 2, 2020
- Please indicate whether you would like your chair assembled or unassembled for painting
- Any surface of the chair may be used.
- Artwork must be weatherproof (acrylic or outdoor water base paint is best).
- Words, letters and numbers may be included if they relate to the theme of the artwork.
- Attachments or additions to the chair are not permitted.
- Artists selected to participate receive \$300 per chair.
- Completed chairs are the property of the Collingwood Downtown BIA.
- Artists retain sole copyright to his/her artwork. The Collingwood BIA may use the images for the purposes of promoting Collingwood Art on the Street.

**How to Enter:**

- Complete an application and Submit up to two original design ideas for a muskoka-style chair by March 20, 2020. For your convenience a chair diagram is attached to this package.
- **Email** submissions to [info@collingwooddowntown.com](mailto:info@collingwooddowntown.com)
- **Deliver** submissions to Collingwood Downtown BIA, 105 Hurontario Street, Collingwood.

According to the Town of Collingwood Public Art Policy, artists across Collingwood's full diversity are encouraged to apply including First Nations, Inuit, Métis, Francophone and new Canadian artists. The Town seeks to respect the rights of Indigenous peoples to own and control their heritage, including Indigenous images, design, stories and other cultural expression.

**Timing:**

Selected artists will be notified by April 2, 2020. Chairs will be available April 3, 2020, after which artists will have until April 30, 2020 to complete. Chairs are displayed from May to October and auctioned at the Thanksgiving Weekend Farmers' Market to support Collingwood Art on the Street 2021.

**Brochure:**

A Collingwood Art on the Street brochure is distributed locally and across the region. Every chair and each artist's name appears in the brochure.

**Questions:**

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# **Collingwood Art on the Street 2020**

## **Submission Form for Art Chairs**

**Deadline: Friday, March 20, 2020**

NAME:

(As it should appear on the chair if selected)

ADDRESS:

TOWN:

POSTAL CODE:

EMAIL:

PHONE (daytime):

CONTACT INFO FOR WEB PAGE (email or website):  
If under 18 years of age, this will not be provided

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Under 18

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***Chair may be supplied to selected artists:***

- Totally Assembled  
 Not Assembled – Assembly to be completed after completion of painting of design

***Please indicate your preference above***

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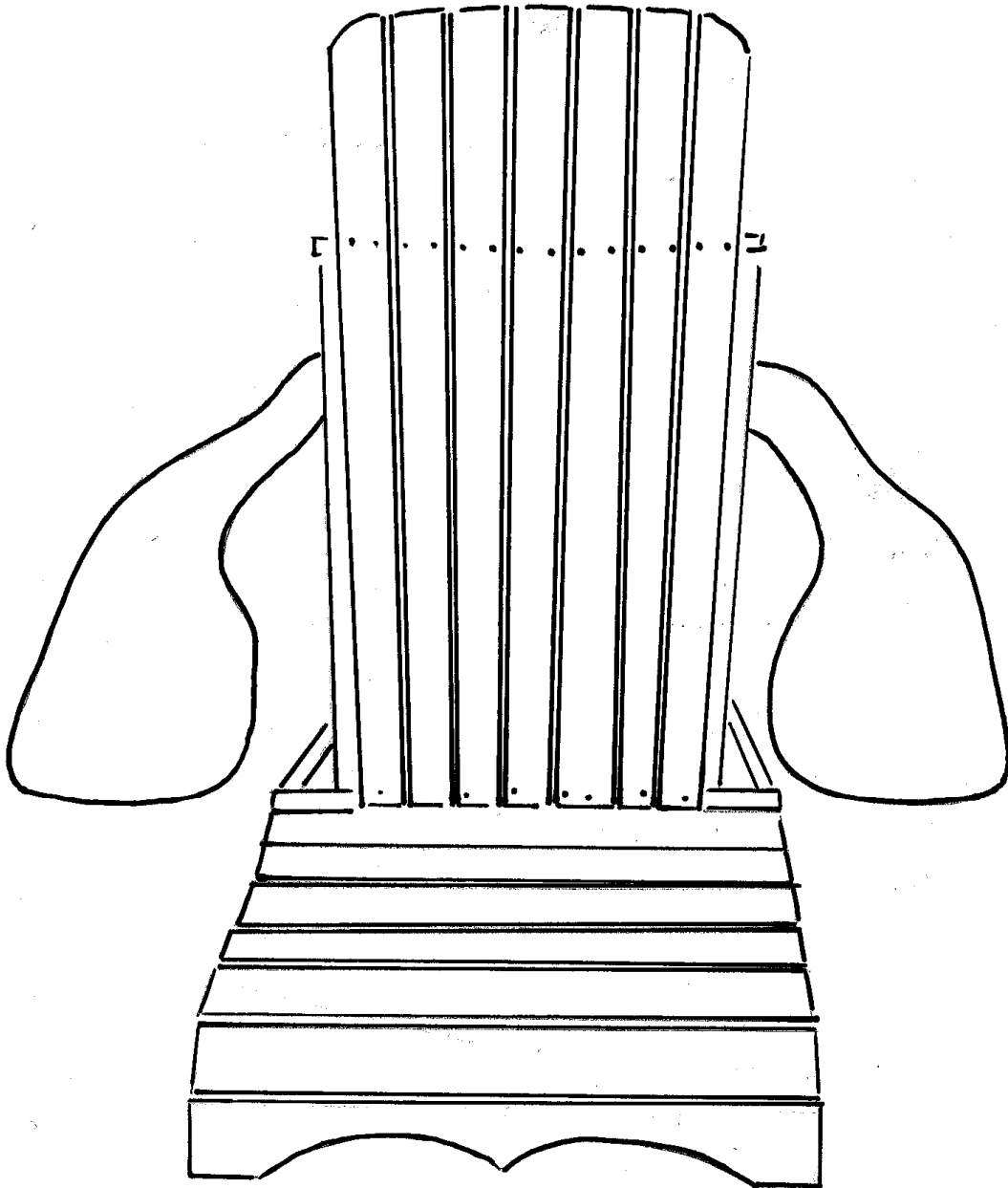
Brief Bio (20 words for the Collingwood Art on the Street webpage):

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## ***Collingwood Art on the Street 2020***

Up to two (2) original and unique designs suitable for a muskoka style chair. (submitting your design on the diagram provided is preferable but if you have a better way to show us, we want to see it!)

Chair Design(s) Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_



Artist's Name