



The Annual Convention Art Exhibit and Contest

During the Annual Convention, The Arc of Illinois hosts an Art Exhibit and Contest. This year, the Annual Convention will be hybrid with both virtual and in-person attendees.

The Art Exhibit will be displayed:

- **Virtually** on the Annual Convention microsite, Wednesday, April 12th through Thursday, April 20th; and
- **In-person** at the DoubleTree in Lisle, IL Wednesday, April 19th & Thursday, April 20th.

All Artists must submit a picture of their artwork for the virtual exhibit. Artists are welcome to have their work displayed at the Convention, if able, but is not a requirement to participate in the contest. Below is some information on the Art Exhibit and Contest. Complete contest rules will be emailed to the artists upon receiving the submission below.

- Artwork must be a 2D original piece completed by an individual or groups of individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities.
- If displaying in-person, the piece must be mounted on a firm rigid surface for easy placement on an easel.
- Limit one piece per artist or group.
- Artists have the option of donating their original piece to The Arc of Illinois Silent Auction.
- All artists will receive a certificate and honorable mention ribbon. Judging for first, second, and third place will be open April 12th – 20th, with the winners receiving first, second, or third place ribbons.
- Please complete the form below and submit it to The Arc of Illinois, 9980 190th Street, Suite C, Mokena, IL 60448, fax to 815-464-5292, or email to Kim@thearcofil.org.
- Email a picture of the artwork to Kim@thearcofil.org by March 24, 2023.

Artist Name: _____ Agency: _____

Contact Name (if different): _____

Contact Email: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Address (to send certificate): _____

Dimensions of artwork: Width _____ Length _____

I wish to donate my work to The Arc of Illinois for the Silent Auction

I will also display my artwork in person. Artwork can be mailed to The Arc of Illinois or brought to the Annual Convention. Please give to The Arc of Illinois by 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 19th. All artwork must be picked up at the end of the convention on Thursday, April 20th by 3:30 p.m. If you cannot pick up your artwork, please make alternate arrangements or consider donating your artwork.