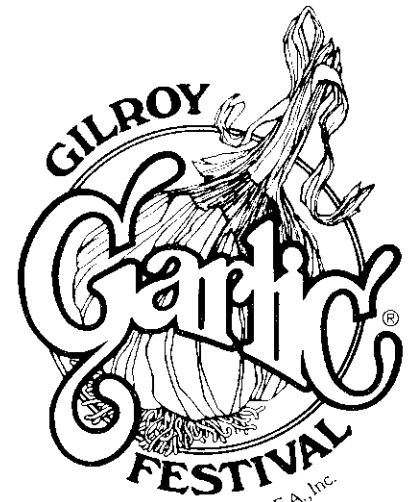


2012 Art Poster Contest Rules



1. All entries must be completed and suitable for reproduction. Only original art will be considered; reproductions are not eligible.
2. Overall poster size (image plus border) must be at least 16" x 20" but no larger than 18" x 24". ©1979 G.G.F.A., Inc.
3. No logos of any kind, including the Gilroy Garlic Festival logo, may appear in the design.
4. The words Gilroy Garlic Festival and festival dates July 27, 28, & 29, 2012 must appear as part of the poster. No overlays allowed.
5. Artist may sign his or her work.
6. Artwork should be mounted (foam board or poster board) or framed. It needs to stand up on its own for judging. Artist is responsible for protecting image surface, if that is a concern.
7. The winning entry will be the one that is judged to best capture the spirit and essence of this premier food festival. Keep in mind that the art poster is most often displayed in kitchens or dining rooms.
8. Artist is allowed more than one entry, but, of those, only one can win 1st, 2nd or 3rd Place. However, the non-winning entries may be eligible for the People's Choice contest.
9. **The deadline is March 16, 2012.** No entries will be accepted after this date. The winner will be notified by April 10, 2012.
10. The judge's decision is final.
11. The First Place original artwork and all image reproduction rights become property of the Gilroy Garlic Festival Association, Inc.
12. All entries must have the Entry Form below attached. Failure to comply will result in disqualification.
13. Any active member of the Gilroy Garlic Festival Association, Board of Directors, Chairpersons, Assistant Chairpersons or festival employees are excluded from this contest.
14. Prizes will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. First Place will be awarded \$750; Second Place \$400; and Third Place \$200. In addition, the First Place winner shall receive ten posters and one of each souvenir item produced with their artwork.
15. Up to 10 non-winning entries, excluding the 1st place winner, will be entered into the "People's Choice" Contest. The entry with the most votes in this contest will win \$200.
16. All artwork, other than the First Place winner, may be picked up at the Gilroy Garlic Festival office after July 31, 2012. Unclaimed posters become property of the Gilroy Garlic Festival after one year.



Entry Form

2012 GILROY GARLIC FESTIVAL ART POSTER CONTEST

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____ Email: _____

I agree to all contest rules and that should I win First Place, my original artwork and all image reproduction rights will become the property of the Gilroy Garlic Festival Association, Inc. I certify that all work submitted is my original work.

Signature _____ Date _____

Send entries to the Gilroy Garlic Festival Association, Inc., 7473 Monterey St, Gilroy CA 95020 // (408) 842-1625