

BASQUE MUSEUM

ART CONTEST
MAY - JUNE

www.basquemuseum.eus/art

BASQUE MUSEUM THEME

WHAT IS CULTURE

Show us what culture means to you through art.

AGE CATEGORIES

TXIKI

3- 5- years old

DANTZA

6 - 10 years old

PILOTA

11 - 14 years old

TXINGA

14 - 18 years old

PRIZES

All participants receive
free family
Museum Admission

Txikis & Dantzas receive
ribbons and goodies.
Original Artwork or
provided coloring pages
accepted.

Pilotas & Txingas
Original Artwork Only
Cash Prizes 1st - 3rd
+ Honorable Mention
+ Best in Show

BASQUE MUSEUM DETAILS

TO SUBMIT

Drop Off OR Mail

611 W Grove St
Boise , Idaho 83702

Email

Scanned Submissions
kylieb@basquemuseum.eus

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

Between May 1 and May 28

GALLERY

Artwork will be displayed in the museum gallery

June 8 - 25

Participants and families get free admission during this time. Winners will be announced June 8.

PICKUP

June 26 - July 2

Any art not retrieved by owner will not be saved

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SUBMISSION FORM

NAME _____ AGE _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

ARTIST STATEMENT

Required for Pilota and Txingas only. Explain how your piece relates to the theme.

PARENTS & GUARDIANS

I give permission for the Basque Museum & Cultural Center to display and share my artwork in the gallery space and online. Sign below.

Every entry needs to include a submission form to be accepted

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FAQ

WHAT TYPES OF ART CAN I SUBMIT?

Drawing, Painting, Ceramic, Pastels, Mixed Media, Photography (Smartphone OK). All art must be original, plagiarized art will not be accepted.

DOES MY ART NEED TO BE FRAMED?

Artwork must be able to be displayed appropriately in our gallery. We will be using adhesives such as command strips and putty so if you don't want that on your art, please provide it with a frame or hanging apparatus.

HOW DO I GET MY ART BACK IF I MAILED IT?

It is the responsibility of the artist to include return shipping instructions and return postage at time of submission. Shipping questions can be directed to tfranzoia@basquemuseum.eus

CAN I SUBMIT ART ON BEHALF OF A FRIEND?

Nope. Sorry! Artwork has to be your own! Txikis and Juniors can also submit coloring pages provided by the Museum.

I'M NOT SURE MY ART FOLLOWS THE THEME

The theme is very broad, and we are open minded. Use the Artist Statement to make your connection between your artwork and the theme. Use your creativity and use the statement to explain your vision!

HOW WILL MY ART BE JUDGED?

Pilotas and Txingas will be judged on the following criteria. All art types will be judged together in their age categories.

Aesthetic choices

Representation of Theme

Technique & Execution for the Medium

Originality

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SPONSORSHIPS

DEAR FRIEND OF THE BASQUE MUSEUM,

The last year has certainly been a challenge for the Education Department at the Basque Museum & Cultural Center with a complete overhaul of programs, events, and the techniques we use to engage our audience.

Although it has had its challenges, the ultimate result has been absolutely positive. Our virtual events have been incredibly successful and widely attended, and we have been experimenting with great success new and creative ways to engage our audience near and far, young and old alike.

This May, we will be holding an Art Contest. This contest aims to engage aspiring creatives from 3 - 18 years old to explore "What culture means to them" through art. We have kept this objective broad on purpose, to hopefully also encourage those of non-basque connections to engage with our community and ask this important question, regardless of their background or identity.

We are looking for sponsorships so that we can offer a cash prize for 1st - 3rd place for our two oldest categories, Pilotas (11- 14 years old) and Txingas (15 - 18 years old). While we are not offering a life changing amount in prize money, we hope it is enough to encourage youth to participate and put their prize money to good use.

As a supporter of the Basque Museum and patron of the arts, we hope you consider donating so we can continue offering high quality education and outreach programs to our community.

Sponsors will be recognized via social media, in the gallery exhibition of youth artwork, and in the Basque Museum newsletter and website. Thank you for your generosity and support!

NAME: _____

DONATIONS

\$50

\$100

\$200

OTHER _____

How can I donate?

- ✓ Call **208-343-2671** for over the phone
- ✓ Visit the Basque Museum to donate in person
- ✓ Send a check to "BMCC" at 611 W Grove St, Boise Id, 83702
- ✓ Donate online www.basquemuseum.us/support/donations and give us a call so we know the purpose of the donation

Goal = \$600

Questions?

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