

Dia de los Muertos Festival Extravagancia de Piñatas - ¡Viva la Lucha!

ATTENTION TEACHERS:

Win money for classroom Art Supplies!

K Space Contemporary will host the **7th Annual Extravagancia de Piñatas** exhibition and competition for youth in conjunction with our annual Dia de los Muertos Festival. Local K-12 teachers are invited to create piñatas with their youth groups, classes, and/or after-school clubs.

The first 15 teachers to turn in entry forms receive a supply allowance of \$30 to use towards making their piñata. Cash awards are given for piñatas receiving the highest number of votes, ranking first and second place, in these categories: Elementary (K-5), Middle School (6-8) and High School (9-12). Awards must be used for classroom supplies.

CALENDAR:

September 23: Deadline to notify K Space of your participation

Oct. 11-14, (Wed-Sat) 11 am to 5 pm: Deliver Piñatas

Oct. 17-20: Piñatas Installed at K Space Contemporary

Oct. 21-Nov. 11: Exhibition Dates in main gallery of K Space Contemporary

Oct. 28, 3 pm to midnight: Dia de los Muertos Festival.

Nov. 4: Voting ends (Voting allowed Oct. 26 – Nov. 4)

Nov. 10: Winners announced on website, Facebook and emailed to group leaders

Nov. 16-18, 11 am-5 pm: Pick Up Piñatas

PIÑATA CONTEST INFORMATION

Eligibility: Open to K-12 school groups (classes/clubs) in Corpus Christi and cities within a 50-mile radius. Each group/club may enter one hand-constructed Piñata, as we expect them to be group projects. Piñatas must be delivered to K Space Contemporary by **Oct.15**. To register to participate, complete the attached form and fax to 361-882-8665 or email to info@kspacecontemporary.org. (Info also available at www.dielosmuertoscc.com/pinata-contest/.)

AWARDS: \$200 Award for First Place, and \$100 for Second Place in each category - Elementary (K-5), Middle School (6-8), High School (9-12). Checks presented to the winning groups' leader are to be used for classroom art supplies. Voting is by public ballot October 21-November 4.

2017 Theme: ¡Viva la Lucha! Celebrating Mexican freestyle wrestling, Lucha Libre. Lucha Libre and Los Luchadores (the energetic, high-flying, men and women wrestlers who practice this daring art form) have been popular in Mexico since the early 20th century. Many "enmascarados" (masked wrestlers) have achieved iconic status as superheroes of the ring and of the movie screen. Use your creative license - Go big, Go bright, Go loco!

Size: Piñatas must be a minimum of 2 feet in height and no taller than 5 feet, and must fit through a 30" wide doorway. Piñatas must weigh 10 pounds or less.

Hanger: must be ready-to-hang with **a built-in secure, sturdy hanger**. K Space is not responsible for broken piñatas that have fallen because of faulty construction or faulty suspension method.

Label: Attach a label to the hanger that includes: School/Group, Teacher/Leader's name, Leader's email address & phone number, title, and price. Label form is provided at the bottom of the entry form.

Sales: Piñatas can be priced for sale. 100% of the proceeds from sales are paid to the participating group's leader by check. Enter "NFS" (not for sale) as "retail price" if you do not want to sell your piñata.



Dia de los Muertos Festival

October 28, 2017 ☀ 3 pm to midnight

www.diadelosmuertoscc.com

Extravagancia de Piñatas

ENTRY FORM:

To register, simply complete the online form by September 23 at: <http://diadelosmuertoscc.com/pinata-contest/>

When you turn in your piñata, submit this form. Fill out printed form and attach to piñata or scan and email to info@kspacecontemporary.org

Contact Name (Teacher or Group Leader): _____

School: _____ Grade Level(s): _____

Class/Club/Group Name: _____ Number of Students in Group: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Agreement/Waiver: I, as representative of above named group, do hereby agree to waive any right or claim against K Space Contemporary, their successors or assigns, and release and/or hold harmless said parties from any claims, actions, causes of actions, damages and/or cost (active, constructive or implied) that may now arise, or shall arise in the future out of an art showing of the work submitted for this exhibition, which we do own, and which is to be exhibited and/or sold for a price listed on the entry form. Such waiver and/or release includes but is not necessarily limited to fire, theft, negligence on the part of said parties, individually or collectively, and that of others and the moving, transporting and storage of said property. We also grant to K Space Contemporary permission to reproduce the artwork(s) with regard to the Dia de los Muertos Festival and exhibition webpage/online gallery and related publicity and press releases. We understand that if we do not submit a piñata to the contest, we are required to return the supply allowance (\$30) to K Space Contemporary. We also understand that if the piñata has not been picked up from K Space Contemporary within 30 days of the final pick up date, the piñata will be considered "abandoned" and become the property of K Space Contemporary.

Group Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Cut here and attach label to the hanger of the piñata:

PINATA LABEL:

School/Club Name: _____

Contact Person/Group Leader: _____ Email: _____

Title or Description: _____

Medium: _____ Dimensions: _____ Retail Price: _____