



**Colorado Dragon Boat Festival (CDBF)
Commemorative Poster Competition**

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: Monday, March 31, 2008

WINNERS ANNOUNCED: Thursday, May 1, 2008

The Colorado Dragon Boat Festival (CDBF) is pleased to announce a design competition for the 2008 Commemorative Festival poster. The winning design will be used primarily for collectible merchandise applications in many forms (home décor framed prints, t-shirts, miscellaneous marketing, etc.)

The winner of the poster design competition will be honored as the first-ever commemorative poster artist and all honors, public relations, and rights assigned thereto. Three winners will be selected with cash awards. First place winner: \$500, second place: \$300, third place: \$200.

A separate festival promotional poster design may be used to promote the festival with an advertising intent.

Competition Rules

- Any and all are invited to participate in this competition, regardless of age, experience, technical skill, or other indicators.
- Include your name, address, email, phone number, \$10.00 entry fee (payable by check or money order to CDBF), personal artist statement, and competition submission statement with each submission. One entry per person. Send to: **CDBF, 605 Parfet Street #200, Lakewood CO, 80215, USA.**
- Entries must be submitted in DIGITAL format in either JPG, TIF, or PDF format.
- All designs must include the following text copy, not necessarily in this order or format: Colorado Dragon Boat Festival, July 26-27, 2008, Denver, Colorado (you may be asked to insert addl. info.)
- Digitally reproduced images of the artists' original artworks supplemented digitally with required text copy additions are encouraged, acceptable, and standard.
- Artist's signature, logo, company stamp, or similar identifying mark may or may not be allowed on work depending on submitted signature, logo, stamp, etc.
- Entries will be evaluated based on appeal, content, and marketability. The decision of the judges is final.
- CDBF reserves the right to use the winning image on miscellaneous advertisement mediums, publicity posters, press releases, T-shirts, and many other CDBF related items. The winning entry will become full property of CDBF, with all rights and privileges inherent thereto.
- CDBF reserves the right to resize or otherwise alter the winning entry before using it in promotional and merchandising materials, or to not use any submitted competition materials.