## TMC HELIX PARK



# Helix Park Adirondack Chair Art Contest

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# Calling HTX Painters of All Skill Levels!

The Texas Medical Center (TMC) is pleased to announce that applications for the annual Adirondack Chair Art Contest are now open! We invite artists of all skill levels from Houston to transform Adirondack chairs into stunning works of art. Your time and talent will turn these chairs into a public art installation that enriches TMC Helix Park with creativity and community spirit, symbolizing a place where everyone is welcome.



### **How it Works**

#### Have an idea? Great! Here's what you need to do:

- 1. Complete and submit this application to tmcevent@tmc.edu by 5 PM on Friday, August 23, 2024.
- 2. You'll be notified via email in September 2024 if you've been selected to paint a chair.
- 3. Selected artists will receive nominations and certificates recognizing their participation and contributions. Painting tips and instructions will also be provided via email.
- 4. TMC will provide the chair and all necessary supplies for the painting.

The top 3 winners will have their chairs displayed and voted on by public guests during the October Odyssey event on **October 25, 2024**. The 1<sup>st</sup> place winner will be announced the same day and will receive a **\$1,000 check**.

Visit TMC Helix Park often to see local residents and visitors enjoy your work of art!

#### **THEME OF 2024**

To kick off the 2024 Helix Park Adirondack Chair Art Contest, we are seeking artists who can capture the essence of Texas by highlighting the diverse elements that illuminate and inspire our state. We invite you to explore how Texas embodies culture, friendship, environment, education, health, and innovation, and to express these through your unique artistic style.

#### **PAINTING RULES**

- TMC reserves the right to determine and select all chair painters, and determine after completion whether any chair is appropriate for display as part of the project.
- · Chair designs may not contain offensive, obscene, profane, indecent or otherwise controversial content.
- · Chair designs may not promote, encourage, or incite violence.
- · Designs containing religious or political references, symbols, etc., will not be approved.
- Changes/additions to the structural design of the chair are not permitted. Materials other than paint cannot be applied/affixed to the chair.





## **Application**

Individual or Team Name (4 team members maximum)	Primary Contact Person	
Team Member 1 ( <i>If applicable</i> )	Date of Birth	
Team Member 2 (If applicable)	Date of Birth	
Team Member 3 ( <i>If applicable</i> )	Date of Birth	
Team Member 4 ( <i>If applicable</i> )	Date of Birth	
Phone Number	Email Address	
Address (Primary address must reside in Greater Houston)		

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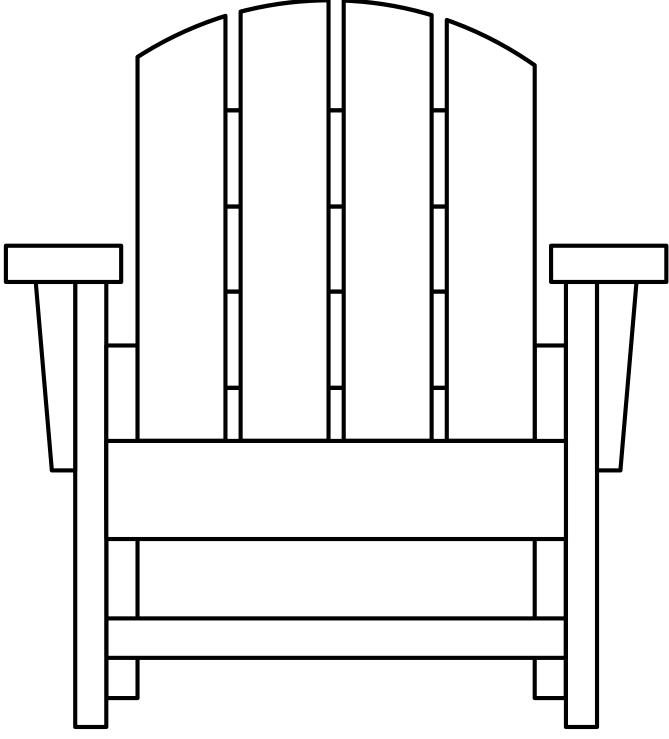
#### **CREATE YOUR CHAIR**

Name of Chair (*Please provide a creative name for your chair*)

Art Material Used

Please provide a brief statement explaining the idea or concept behind your artwork (250 words max):

Please submit your concept statement along with a draft of the proposed design of your chair in the following page to <a href="mailto:tmcevent@tmc.edu">tmcevent@tmc.edu</a> by 5 PM Friday, August 23, 2024.



#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ORIGINALITY**

I hereby certify that the artwork submitted for the Adirondack Chair Art Contest is my own original creation and has not been copied or derived from any other source.

By signing this application, I confirm that:

- 1. The artwork is my own original work.
- 2. The design has not been previously submitted to any other contest or used in any other form of publication.
- 3. I hold all necessary rights to the artwork and have not infringed upon any existing copyrights, trademarks, or intellectual property rights of others and will release, defend, and indemnify TMC from any such claims.

I understand that any false claims may result in disqualification from the contest.

Signature:	Date:	