



# A Day on the Trails is a Day Well Spent



## Marquette Art Week Competition Guidelines

Noquemanon Trail Network is looking for your artistic interpretation of what a “a day well spent” on the NTN trails looks like. Six works of art will be selected to be reproduced in large format vinyl and displayed on the NTN Trails during Marquette’s Art Week celebration on June 21-27th. That week happens to also be Marquette Trails Festival June 25-27th and a great time to show your love of the trails. All six large format works will be auctioned off in support of the trails at the end of Art Week.

### **SPECIFICATIONS:**

- Only original artwork submitted by the artist or artist representative will be accepted.
- Limit of two entries per artist.
- Two-dimensional artwork only.
- All media is eligible.
- Size must be at least 9” wide x 12” high at 300 dpi or higher resolution with a ration of 3 (width): 4 (height). Higher resolution of 600 dpi recommended for best image results.
- Selected artwork not submitted at required size ratio may be subject to cropping.
- Art must be submitted in digital format.
- Artist must complete separate submission forms for each submission.
- Artwork should not have been previously reproduced or submitted for competition.
- Limit text on artwork to interpretive elements (no advertising) and artist signature.
- Under 18 artists need parental consent.

### **DEADLINE:**

Entries must be received at the Noquemanon Trail Network office via Google Drive, Dropbox, thumb drive or other digital submission by **5pm on June 1, 2021**. Submit to [getoutside@noquetrails.org](mailto:getoutside@noquetrails.org). Please call office to confirm receipt. 906-235-6861

### **JUDGING:**

Six works of art will be selected for reproduction on large format vinyl by a panel of judges comprised of local artists, business owners, and NTN members. Prints and artist statements will be on display trailside throughout art week. With permission of selected artist, NTN may ask to print additional copies for display or sale to raise funds for the trails.

### **NOTIFICATION:**

Selected artist will be notified no later than Monday, June 7th if they have been selected for Art Week display.

### **PRIZES:**

- Recognition as a selected artist.
- Winning images to be reproduced for display, auction as fundraiser, and possible sale of smaller prints.
- Each of 6 selected artists will receive voucher for \$50 in NTN merchandise **or** free entry to a Trails Festival event.

### **CONTACT FOR QUESTIONS:**

Tara Laase-McKinney, NTN Art Week Competition Volunteer  
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# 2021 NTN Art Week Art Submission Form



Deadline: June 1, 2021 by 5 p.m.

Entrant Statement: I certify that I have read and understand the **2021 NTN Art Week COMPETITION SPECIFICATIONS**. The attached artwork is my original work. It has not been published previously nor have any rights been assigned to any other person or entity. I hereby grant permission for my submitted artwork to be utilized by Noquemanon Trail Network for reproduction.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Artist's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

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*Parent/Guardian Signature (if artist is under 18 years old)*

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*Date*

## ARTIST INFORMATION (Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address

## ARTWORK INFORMATION (please submit separate forms for each submission)

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Title (Required)

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Original Medium

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Artist statement about submitted work

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How will you submit your digital artwork to NTN? (All emails should be submitted to [getoutside@noquetrails.org](mailto:getoutside@noquetrails.org))

## FOR NOQUEMENON TRAIL NETWORK USE

TOTAL NUMBER OF PIECES  
RECEIVED FROM THIS ARTIST \_\_\_\_\_

DATE RECEIVED \_\_\_\_\_

ART SUBMISSION RECEIVED \_\_\_\_\_



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