Submissions open until: Sunday, 13 December 2020, 11:59pm AEST

RULES AND SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

By viewing this competition description, we're assuming that you are interested in submitting an artwork to our SMASH! Online Art Competition 2020. In order to successfully submit your entry, you will be required to:

- 1) Read our SMASH! Online Art Competition Details, Judging Criteria, and Submission Guidelines for this competition in this document
- 2) When submitting your artwork through our website, ensure that you follow our Submission Guidelines outlined below.
- 3) Note that when submitting your artwork online with your details, you are agreeing to our General Terms and Conditions outlined below.

We look forward to receiving and seeing your wonderful submissions! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us, and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Kindest regards, SMASH! Art Department

COMPETITION DETAILS

Cyrus and Skadi have gone **camping**! Where did they go?

Have they been isekai'd into a monster-filled forest, levelling up newly-found powers and making their way back to civilisation? Are they undergoing harsh training over the school break, building their strength and teamwork to get ready for the next match? Or are they just under a tent made from sheets in their living room, dreaming of a starlit sky?

Wherever they are, this year, our SMASH! Mascots Skadi and Cyrus have gone camping, and we want to see it! Draw your interpretation of Skadi and Cyrus camping and submit it to us to enter the competition.

Who are Skadi and Cyrus? Find their profiles and plenty of reference pictures here.

Illustrated entries of all mediums are accepted, so sharpen those pencils and remember to hit save regularly!

Entries will be accepted from Friday, 2 October 2020 until Sunday, 13 December 2020, 11:59 AEST. Only 1 (one) artwork may be accepted per person.

CONDITION: By entering this competition, you are giving your consent for SMASH! to use your submitted artwork for future SMASH! events which include, but are not limited to, Art programming events, public social media posts and promotions, and/or use in other SMASH! related events. Any artworks featured will be fully credited to the artist.



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SMASH! ONLINE ART COMPETITION GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- A) SMASH! Is a PG event and all entries to the SMASH! Online Art Competition 2020 must adhere to this rating. Your submitted artwork **may not** feature pornographic, sexually explicit or suggestive material, nudity, violence or gore.
- B) Only **1 (one)** artwork per entrant is allowed. Should there be two or more submissions from one entrant, we will only accept the first submission.
- C) Once your entry has been submitted, no further changes can be made to said entry.
- D) All mediums will be accepted. Sequential artworks (comics) are allowed. No animations or video works will be accepted.
- E) Your entry must be artwork created entirely by you from scratch. Do not plagiarise, copy or trace existing artworks. If your entry is found to be plagiarised, copied, or traced, it will not be eligible to win. Collaborations will not be eligible to win prizes.
- F) Unfortunately, only entries with Australian postal addresses are eligible to win prizes. If you wish to be eligible to receive SMASH! Online Art Competition 2020 prizes, you MUST have a postal address within Australia. If an Australian mailing address cannot be provided, unfortunately you will not be eligible to receive prizes from this competition.
- G) SMASH! Staff and Crew are allowed to enter their works in the SMASH! Online Art Competition 2020. However, under no circumstances will special consideration be given to any entrant during the judging and selection process.
- H) You will be asked to provide personal details (such as name and contact details) when submitting your entry. Any personal information collected during the submission process is kept strictly confidential and will not be disclosed or used outside of SMASH! Art Competition 2020 procedures. For more information, please refer to our <u>Privacy Policy</u> on the SMASH! website.
- I) Your SMASH! Online Art Competition 2020 entry must be submitted online via <u>this link</u>. Other forms of submission will not be accepted.
- J) There will be no extensions or special considerations made to the competition deadlines.



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- K) The judges for the SMASH! competitions can consist of a specifically outlined list of guest artists and/or our own art event executive team. All entries submitted will be judged by the judging criteria outlined below. The judges' decisions are final and cannot be disputed.
- L) By entering this competition, you are giving your consent for SMASH! to use your submitted artwork for any future SMASH! events which include, but are not limited to, Art events, public social media posts and promotions, and/or use in other SMASH! related events. Any artworks featured will be fully credited to the artist. If you have any concerns about this, please contact us at <u>art@smash.org.au</u>

JUDGING CRITERIA

General

- **Execution:** Technical expertise and mastery of the medium you are using.
- **Concept:** Originality of your concept in adherence to the given theme.
- Aesthetics: How well your skill is applied to illustrate your concept and the overall visual appeal of your work.

Specific Judging Criteria

- Includes SMASH! mascots Skadi and Cyrus within the artwork.
- Has visual reference to the art theme, **Camping**.
- Involves artist's creativity and imagination based around the theme.
- Adheres to General Terms and Conditions with specifics to PG rating policy.

Special Guest Judging

One submission will be chosen for the 'Guest's Favourite' prize. The special guest judge will also provide feedback for their selected artwork, in accordance with the judging criteria.

HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR ARTWORK

Before submitting your entry,

- Please ensure that your artworks have been saved, photographed or scanned clearly.
- Please name the file with your 'ArtistName_ArtworkTitle'.
- Files sizes should be no more than 5MB.
- Preferred file formats are .JPG, .PNG or .PDF.



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When you have your artwork ready for submission, please upload your artwork to our Dropbox <u>here</u> and enter your details via Google Form <u>here</u>. You will need to complete both correctly to enter the competition. Please see detailed steps below:

- 1) Complete all details such as your real name, email address and postal address on the <u>Google Form</u> where required. Prizes will be posted after confirming these details, so please ensure your details are correct and up-to-date.
- 2) On the second page of the form there will be a link to our 'SMASH! Online Art Competition Submissions' <u>Dropbox</u>, where you may upload your artwork. Please fill in the same name and email address as you have in the Google Form when submitting your artwork to our Dropbox.
- 3) When uploading your image of submission please only submit ONE image file for this SMASH! Online Art Competition. We will not accept two or more submissions from the same entrant. Should there be two or more submissions from one entrant, we will only accept the first submission.
- 4) The moment you have submitted your artwork to our Dropbox you will receive an automated notification from Dropbox of your successful submission. Please read and tick the checkboxes on the Google Form when you have successfully submitted your artwork.
- 5) Once you have finished filling in your details and uploading your submissions, please submit the <u>Google Form</u>.

Submissions will be accepted until Sunday, 29 November 2020, 11:59pm AEST.

If you have any inquiries regarding submissions, please send an email to our Art Coordinator: amy.ge@smash.org.au

SMASH! Art Competition Submission Form Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeQyQJ4vAjZccgnHyVx_ Guap6rWeYzfKly3M1ZUI6Mvegh9Rw/viewform

PRIZES

Winners will be announced via our social media channels on Sunday, 6 December 2020. Winners will be contacted privately afterwards via the contact details provided when submitting your artwork. Prizes will be sent once the winners reply.



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Best Overall (Grand Prize)	XP-Pen Artist 12 Model Set of 12 Sakura Gelly Roll Pens Set of 6 Sakura Micron Pens A4 Sketch Book
Guest's Favourite	XP-Pen Deco 03 Model Guest's Feedback
Senior Division Winner	XP-Pen Artist 12 Model
Junior Division Winner	XP-Pen Deco 03 Model

If you have any questions about the competitions, contact us at art@smash.org.au

If you have any concerns about mismanagement, unfairness, corruption, cheating or other issues that involve the staff, judges or participants of any of the SMASH! Art competitions, our Art Head Coordinator can be contacted at <u>amy.ge@smash.org.au</u>

We will try to answer your queries as promptly as possible. Please title your query appropriately and allow us at least a week to reply.

We look forward to seeing all your amazing artwork!

