

## **2nd Annual Owen Sound Art Banner Sponsor Information Form**

### *A Volunteer, Community Driven Project to Beautify Owen Sound*

In 2009, the Owen Sound Art Banner Committee was formed by a team of local volunteers. In a matter of weeks, forty banners featuring dynamic art by regional artists were featured at the Owen Sound Harbour. The banners also graced the Roxy Theatre for the Owen Sound Cultural Awards, and were hung in the Tom Thomson Art Gallery, The Owen Sound Library and the Bayshore Arena throughout the winter for maximum exposure in the off-season.

We invite you to participate in this exciting project, which will feature forty-eight artist banners installed throughout Owen Sound's downtown core on Second Avenue East in 2010-2011. Don't delay - the deadline for sponsorships is fast approaching!

The banner committee will endeavour to find a sponsor for each of the forty-eight banners produced for this cultural, downtown beautification project. Sponsorships cost \$100. Sponsors may request specific banners or they may allow the Banner Committee to match available sponsors with available banners. In 2010-2011, three banners will be reserved for the work of regional youth.

#### **Sponsorship benefits include -**

- \* an invitation to the artist/sponsor meet and greet at the banner launch on Sun., May 16, 2010 at 1 pm at the Farmer's Market
- \* your name or your company's name listed beside your sponsored banner on the [artbanner.ca](http://artbanner.ca) website permanently, with a link to your website, if applicable
- \* your name or your company's name listed in the Sun Times as a sponsor shortly after the banner installations
- \* your very own sponsored banner presented to you to keep after its one-year installation period throughout Owen Sound
- \* the pride that comes from civic engagement with the arts community and the beautification of Owen Sound

*Please note that we are unable to list sponsors' names or businesses directly on the banners themselves due to restrictions by the City of Owen Sound.*

Sponsor name: \_\_\_\_\_ (exactly as you'd like it on website and in newspaper)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (w) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

How many banners would you like to purchase? \_\_\_\_\_ Banners are \$100 each (plus \$13 HST if after July 1, 2010)

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to request a specific artist to sponsor? Yes  No

If yes, who? \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please note: to sponsor a specific artist, your cheque must be received by the committee by May 16, 2010. Requests are on a first come, first served basis. For this reason, we regret that we cannot guarantee sponsor requests.**

Or, I do not wish to sponsor a banner, however I would like to make a donation to this project in the amount of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Important Dates:**

Artist meet and greet spring banner launch is Sunday, May 16, 2010

Deadline for sponsorships is May 16, 2010

Expected banner installation is May 24, 2010

Expected banner removal for 2010-2011 sponsored banners is May 24, 2011.

Sponsors will receive their banners at the end of the one year term, at the spring launch of each new season's banner unveiling.

#### **Please make a copy of this form for your records.**

Info: Kate McLaren, Banner Committee Representative (519) 470-4200

Cheques are payable to *Owen Sound Art Banner Committee*

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