



Submitted Art

RULES & GUIDELINES 2024



1. The use of copyright elements is strictly prohibited. Including but not limited to: Disney, Warner Bros, Movie characters, Coca-Cola etc. Using any copyright elements will result in an instant disqualification.
2. Entries for the NZ Nail Competition must be exclusive and must not have been submitted to any other competition worldwide.
3. All entries must be completed prior to the competition.
4. Competitors must submit their original work only. Please ensure all aspects of your piece are completed by you. The head Judge reserves the right to ask a competitor for a verbal explanation or to recreate a portion of their submitted art.
5. Any nail tip/tips used may be purchased or custom made. If the tips are created by hand, they must have the similar proportions and c-curve as commercial tips.
6. It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure all artwork is submitted by the cutoff date. Any entries not submitted by the cutoff date run the risk of not arriving in time and losing the ability to be judged. **Cutoff date is Friday 31 May, 2024.**
 - All entries must be submitted via post. The forwarding address will be given at the time of registration. Submitted art will be returned to sender within a month of the event ending.
 - For competitors within New Zealand, return postage will be covered by the New Zealand Nail Competition.
 - For competitors outside of New Zealand, New Zealand Nail Competition will organise postage for the return of your work and any prizes/medals, at your own expense.
7. Hand in Submissions may be accompanied by a short typed or handwritten description of the work involved. An example of this would be if there is something specific you wish to mention. Such as a special technique, or something used in a new or unusual way. Please no Brand names. The descriptions must be short and easy to read and will not be judged.
8. Please ensure you display your work on boards or card no larger than the measurements given for the category. Any displays that exceed the requirements will result in a 5 point deduction and run the risk of not being displayed.
Please DONT name your work.