



Entry is FREE for the Chalk Art Contest at Winston Plaza, located at North and 9th Avenue in Melrose Park. Youth between ages 7 to 17, and adults, will have opportunity win \$3,000 in prizes by creating “It’s a Wild Life” themed chalk art drawings on 6’ x 6’ sidewalk spaces at the shopping center during the Fall Premier Chalk Art Festival on Saturday, September 21. Free sidewalk chalk, in a variety of colors, will be provided, however contestants may wish to bring their own sidewalk chalk.

Chalk Art Contest entry forms are available at ATI Physical Therapy at Winston Plaza, or via computer download at [winston-plaza.com](http://winston-plaza.com). Contestants who submit an entry form by September 18 will get a pre-assigned chalk art location. Contestants who register on-site at the Fall Preview Chalk Art Festival on Saturday, September 21 will be assigned a sidewalk location as they submit entry forms.

The sidewalk art will transform Winston Plaza into a colorful, outdoor art show on September 21. Contestant chalk artwork must be completed by 2 p.m. for the judge to select winners and final viewing by Festival attendees for “People’s Choice” award voting. Prizes will be awarded to the best chalk art creations in the following age categories: ages 7-11, ages 12-14, ages 15-17, and over age 18 (adults) at the 3 p.m. Award Ceremony.

The public is invited to the FREE Fall Preview Chalk Art Festival on Saturday, September 21 from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. A DJ will play music as people walk through Winston Plaza to view the sidewalk chalk art creations. Attendees can enter random drawings for the chance to win merchant prizes and kids will love face painting and Kids Corner craft activities.

For more information about the Chalk Art Contest and the Fall Premier Chalk Art Festival visit [www.winston-plaza.com](http://www.winston-plaza.com) or the Winston Plaza Facebook page.