

**Mardi Gras! Galveston 2020**  
**7<sup>th</sup> Annual Official Umbrella Decorating Contest**  
*Guidelines & Entry Form*

**In honor of the 109<sup>th</sup> celebration of Mardi Gras! Galveston and the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Funky Uptown Umbrella Brigade, Yaga's Entertainment, Inc. would like to invite you to participate in the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Official Umbrella Decorating Contest of Mardi Gras! Galveston. Artists from Galveston and the surrounding areas, past Galveston residents and lovers of the island are all invited to submit their work. The winning umbrella will lead the Funky Uptown Umbrella Brigade Processional Friday, February 14, 2020.**

**Artist Eligibility:** Any United States Citizen over the age of 18 years old

**Eligible Artwork:** Yaga's Entertainment, Inc. will consider any original three-dimensional hand held umbrella of any size. All imagery must be placed on the exposed area of the umbrella, as they will be displayed open and at waist level. Artists may use paint, glues, and additional materials/media.

**All submitted artwork must include:**

1. Completed entry form
2. A decorated umbrella
3. Umbrellas must reflect the true spirit and revelry of Mardi Gras! Galveston.
4. All entries should include clear contact information, including name/phone/email

**Submission Guidelines**

Each participant will need to provide a picture of their hand-held umbrella of any size. All imagery must be placed on the exposed area of the umbrella, as they will be displayed open and at waist level. Artists may use paint, glues, and additional materials/media. Artists are welcome to utilize three-dimensional objects on the umbrella if they are safely secured to it. Imagery displayed on the umbrella may not conflict with official Mardi Gras! Galveston sponsors. Yaga's Entertainment is not responsible for any material that falls off the umbrella. Artists may enter a limit of two umbrellas. All participants must submit with their entry, a signed entry form and a temporary release of their work. The winner of the umbrella decorating contest must be willing to lead the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Funky Uptown Umbrella Brigade Friday, February 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:30pm.

Photo submissions will be accepted Jan. 1 - Jan. 29 emailed to [info@yagaspresents.com](mailto:info@yagaspresents.com)

**\*\*NO photos will be accepted after 3pm on January 29<sup>th</sup>\*\***

**Voting Process**

The Winner of the 2020 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Umbrella Decorating Contest will be chosen by the public via the Mardi Gras Galveston Funky Uptown Umbrella Brigade Facebook

Page. [www.facebook.com/MardiGrasGalvestonFunkyUptownUmbrellaBrigade](https://www.facebook.com/MardiGrasGalvestonFunkyUptownUmbrellaBrigade)

The umbrella with the most Facebook reactions will be the winner of the Mardi Gras! Galveston 2020 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Umbrella Decorating Contest. Voting will begin January 31<sup>st</sup> and will close Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm.

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## Umbrella Decorating Contest Entry Release Form

### Artist Entry Submission Form

**Participating artists agree by entering the Official Umbrella Decorating Contest of Mardi Gras! Galveston 2020 and signing this submission form:**

-Winning artists will lead the 10th Annual Funky Uptown Umbrella Brigade Friday, February 14th, 2020 at 8:30pm.

**Participating artists agree to by entering the 2020 Official Mardi Gras! Galveston Umbrella Decorating Contest by signing the Entry Release Form I hereby agree to the conditions and all guidelines mentioned in the 2020 Official Mardi Gras! Galveston Umbrella Decorating Contest entry form.**

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Name

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Phone Number

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E-mail Address

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Mailing Address

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Artist Signature

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Date