

Bears Abound in Jackson Town

Big Bear Art Encouraged by Jackson School for the Arts

You've heard of the Chicago Cows, the Cleveland Guitars, and the Seattle Pigs. Now it's our turn.

Celebrate the arts in Jackson, not by decorating a cow, pig or guitar like big cities across the USA, but by decorating none other than your own Jackson Polar Bear. For only \$20, choose from 2 pre-cut, 4-foot plywood bear styles provided by the Jackson School for the Arts (JSA). Let's show our POLAR BEAR COMMUNITY PRIDE!

Here's how it works:

1. Reserve your bear **by Oct. 1** by emailing Susie Gardner at srg2jc@jackson.sparcc.org.
2. Pick up your bear **after Oct 25**. Bring the bottom of this form to Jackson High School with a check for \$20, payable to JSA.
3. Decorate and name your bear to reflect your business, organization, home or classroom.
4. Proudly display your decorated bear at your business or organization until Feb. 1.
5. Bring your bear to JHS by Feb. 1 for judging by the public at the JSA Arts Extravaganza which will be held at Jackson High School, Feb. 25 at 7 PM. You are encouraged to attend the Extravaganza and to vote. The winners will be revealed and prizes awarded at the Extravaganza. This annual event is attended by over 1500 people.



Second grader Marisa Umlauf holds ShakesBear, a literary bear decorated by JSA English teacher Robin Snow.

Bears will be auctioned at the Extravaganza, and proceeds from your bear will be split between JSA and your group.

Just wait until you see our bear!

Your Organization _____

Contact Person _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

We choose to decorate Bear # _____ from the shape styles pictured at right.

