



Mexican Independence Day Fiesta



Park Plaza on Maine in Baldwin Park invites area schools and youth organizations to enter the 2019 *Piñata Design Contest* for the opportunity to win monetary prizes. The piñata entries will be displayed and judged at the Mexican Independence Day Fiesta on Saturday, September 14, 2019 from 2pm-5pm at Park Plaza on Maine, located at the intersection of Ramona Boulevard and Maine Avenue in Baldwin Park. Visit parkplazaonmaine.com or Park Plaza’s Facebook page for more info!

Youth Piñata Design Contest Eligibility

- Elementary, middle and high school classes, sports teams and clubs
- Not for profit organizations such as Scout Troops, Boys & Girls Club, YMCA
- No individual entries; each piñata entry must be decorated by a school class, group, or non-profit organization

Steps to Enter

1. Teacher or other adult representative of school class, club, sports team, Scout Troop, or other youth organization group selects a pre-shaped piñata shape such as a donkey or guitar, while the supply lasts, and completes entry form at one of the following locations: Park Plaza booth at the Baldwin Park Street Fair or download from our website and return by email.
2. Please contact Tim at 626.419.2193 **to arrange a pick up or drop off time** for your piñata. The piñatas can be picked up starting on Thursday, August 8th through Thursday, September 5th between 11am – 3pm at the Park Plaza on Maine office next to the Subway **upon calling a head of time.**
3. Have your group decorate your piñata. Be creative. Have fun.
4. On Saturday, September 14th:
 - Deliver your decorated piñata to the Fiesta Headquarters next to Subway at Park Plaza on Maine between 10AM – 1PM on Saturday, September 15th. You will receive a receipt which you will use to pick up your piñata.
 - All piñata contest entries will be displayed throughout the Park Plaza on Maine’s Mexican Independence Day Fiesta from 2 – 5 p.m. Judges will view the displayed piñatas to select contest winners and everyone who attends the event can text vote for their favorites to win the People’s Choice Award.
 - At 4:45 p.m. the MC will announce the winners. We invite ALL youth who worked on each winning piñata to come on stage with their teacher, school club or other organization leader during the Awards Ceremony.
 - Bring your receipt to pick-up your piñata & a camera to take pictures!

School Entry; a class, club, cheer squad, sports team or other school group:

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	Elementary School	Middle School	High School
1 st Place	\$100	\$100	\$100
2 nd Place	\$50	\$50	\$50
3 rd Place	\$25	\$25	\$25

Non-Profit Youth Organization; such as Boys & Girls Club, Scout Troop, non-school sports team, etc.):

1 st Place	\$100		2 nd Place	\$75		3 rd Place	\$50
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Artistic Design Awards; All entries will also be eligible to win one of the following awards:

Most Colorful	\$50		Most Creative	\$50
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People’s Choice Award: Park Plaza will place photos of all the Piñatas on Facebook. Log on and “like” the piñata you would like to win the People’s Choice award of \$100.

Tenant’s Choice Award: Tenant Judges will select one Piñata to receive the Tenant’s Choice \$100 award



2019 Youth Piñata Design Contest
Entry Form

Group Name* _____

Group Affiliation* _____

*Examples: Mrs. Jenna Contreras 2nd Grade Class at Foster Elementary School, Sierra Vista Junior High School 2nd Period Spanish Class, North Park High School 4th Period Art Class, Baldwin Park High School Varsity Cheerleaders, Girl Scout Troop 100, Boys and Girls Club, Creative Planet School of the Arts 5th grade class, etc.

Entry Division (circle one):

Elementary School * Middle School * High School * Non-School organizations

Adult Contact Information:

Name _____ Title (such as art teacher, Scout leader) _____

Email _____ Phone (_____) _____

Submit entry form and select a pre-shaped piñata at the Park Plaza on Maine Event Headquarters, next to Subway. **Deadline to submit entry form and pick up piñata is September 5.** Earlier pick-up is recommended to allow more time for your group to decorate your piñata!

Please contact Tim Murphy with any questions at 626.419.2193 or tmurphy@newmarkmerrill.com.