



Calling painters of all skill levels!

Paint your Oakville pride onto a Muskoka chair as part of the *At Home in Bronte, Perspectives & Reflections* public art initiative coming to Bronte Village this summer! The Bronte Village BIA is delighted to have received an Ontario150 grant to produce *At Home in Bronte* – a creative interactive public art and place-making enhancement to Oakville’s Canada Day July 1st celebration.

This project will harness community creativity to tell the story of both Canada and Ontario’s history in Oakville through the design and installation of 60 individually painted Muskoka chairs in Bronte Village, Oakville for the summer of 2017.

At Home in Bronte wants YOU to paint a chair!

Local organizations, artists, businesses and families are invited to submit an application for the opportunity to paint a Muskoka chair that celebrates Canada’s 150th anniversary and welcome new and existing Canadians home to Bronte Village in Oakville.

How it works.....

1. Brainstorm with a group of co-workers, family members, friends or local community group and decide to apply to paint a chair.
2. Complete and submit this application (due: Thursday, April 27 @ 4 p.m.)
3. Selected chair designers will be notified by email the week of May 1.
4. Paint your chair!*
- (Attend a scheduled Paint Day or arrange to Paint-at-Home, more details below.)
5. Attend Oakville’s Canada Day celebration in Bronte on July 1 to see your chair on display!

Painting Pointers.....

- Maximum # of painters per chair = 4
- Muskoka chair and painting supplies to be provided at designated Paint Days*.
- Chairs remain the property of the Bronte Village BIA.
- Religious or controversial designs will not be approved.
- The Bronte Village BIA reserves the right to determine and select all chair painters, and determine after completion whether any chair is appropriate for display as part of the project.



Application to Paint a Bronte Chair

Lead Painter Contact

Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

(Primary address must reside in Oakville.)

Please select the box that best describes your group/chair:

Family Business Non-profit Artist

painters: _____ (4 painters maximum)

Name of Chair: _____
(Please provide a creative name for your chair!)

Family/Group/Business/Organization Name: _____
(If applicable)

Chair Painting Options (Choose one option)

I/we would like to **Attend a Paint Day***

Painters will attend a designated Paint Day at Oakville's Queen Elizabeth Park Community and Cultural Centre, 2302 Bridge Road, Oakville. Painters will be provided with a pre-built Muskoka chair, necessary painting supplies, and maximum of 7 hours (9a.m.-4p.m. one day only) on their designated paint day to completely paint the chair. Please indicate your available Paint Days:

Saturday: May 27 June 3 June 10 June 17 June 24

If selected to paint a chair, the project team will attempt to accommodate your preferred Paint Date. You may be assigned to a Paint Day not selected, as required.

I/we would like to paint our chair offsite – **Paint-at-Home***

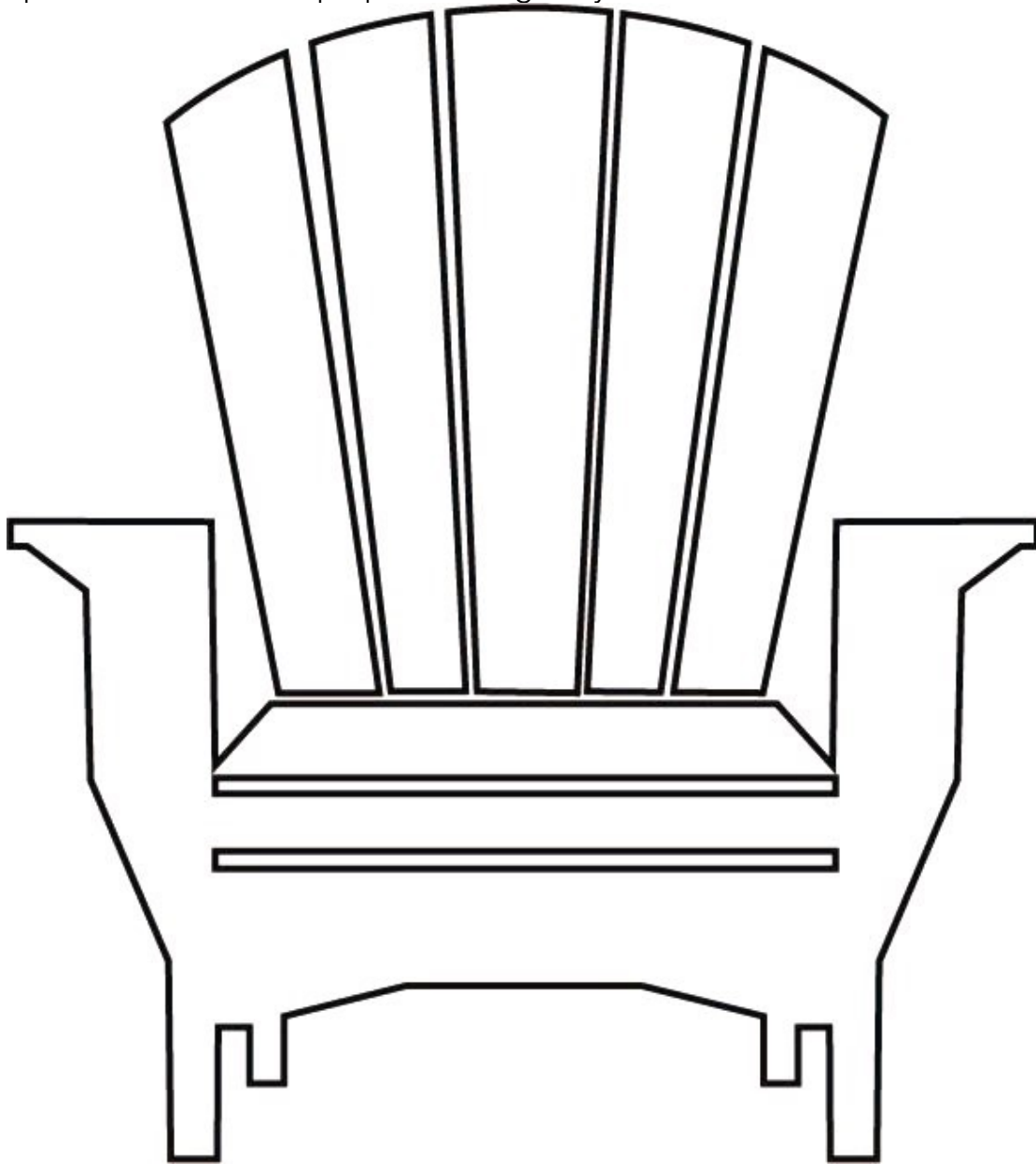
This option is reserved for a small number of businesses, artists and non-profit groups only. In selecting this Painting Option you agree to assemble and paint your chair at a suitable offsite location (i.e. artist studio, business warehouse).

A Paint-at-Home Kit containing one unbuilt Muskoka chair, and assembly and painting instructions will be available for pick-up in late May. Groups approved for this Painting Option must obtain their own necessary paint and painting materials, and must return their painted chair to Bronte Heritage Park for installation on June 30.



Draft Your Chair

Please provide a draft of the proposed design of your *At Home in Bronte* chair.



Important design considerations:

- Chair designs may not contain offensive, obscene, profane, indecent or otherwise controversial content.
- Chair designs may not promote, encourage, or incite violence.
- Company logos to appear on the chair may not exceed a maximum design size of 4 inches by 4 inches. A maximum of two corporate logos may appear on the chair.
- Designs containing religious or political references, symbols, etc., will not be approved.
- The Bronte Village BIA reserves the right to determine and select all chair painters, and determine after completion whether any chair is appropriate for display as part of the project.
- Changes/additions to the structural design of the chair are not permitted. Materials other than paint cannot be applied/affixed to the chair.