

# 44TH Annual Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio 2026 Poster Contest



Last year's winning design:

this year:



Students, visual artists and graphic designers are invited to create an entry for the **44<sup>th</sup> Annual Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio poster contest**. The Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio takes place from **May 14-17, 2026**.

The winning entry will be used as the primary marketing image for the festival and will appear on promotional materials including event listings, website, social media, poster, t-shirts, and other related merchandise.

# **CATEGORIES**

# Open/Professional | Middle School | High School | College

## PRIZE:



# Overall winner: \$2,000



### CONTEST GUIDELINES

Only one entry per person may be submitted. There is no entry fee. The contest is open to participants worldwide.

#### REQUIRED THEME

Conjunto Music – Traditional music born in South Texas whose main instruments include the **button accordion**, bajo sexto, bass and drums. All the instruments do not need to be represented in the artwork, but keep in mind that we are looking for a colorful, creative interpretation of Conjunto music. The contest is open to everyone worldwide.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

For initial submission: Required file formats include JPEG at 72dpi (All mediums are acceptable, but the submitted format must be in JPEG emailed with the filled your filled out entry form to **conjunto@guadalupeculturalarts.org**Physical artwork may be dropped off at the Guadalupe Latino Bookstore, 1300 Guadalupe St, San Antonio, TX 78207
The Overall winner must be able to produce a vector file (eps) at 300dpi.
The final printed poster will be 22 inches x 28 inches.

The poster must include the words "Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio 2026" or it will be <u>DISQUALIFIED</u>;

The poster must be original, creative, innovative, and unique.

The poster must be the submitting Entrant's original, previously unpublished work and not contain any third party copyrighted material (including images and wording) unless the Entrant has written permission to use such copyrighted material. Do not sign the artwork, as this is not conducive to impartial judging.

#### **DEADLINE and SUBMISSION**

All artwork must be submitted by in person to the Guadalupe Latino Bookstore 1300 Guadalupe St, San Antonio, TX 78207 and/or emailed to <a href="mailto:conjunto@guadalupeculturalarts.org">conjunto@guadalupeculturalarts.org</a> by 5:00 pm Monday, January 26, 2026

All designs must have an official entry form filled out to accompany their entry, otherwise it will not be accepted and entered.

#### **JUDGING**

Artwork will be judged by a panel of artists, curators, and arts administrators. **Winners will be announced by Thursday, February 19, 2026.** 

**AWARDS PRESENTATION** The poster contest awards will be presented to the winning artists at the 42nd Annual Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio Opening Night Ceremonies on Friday, May 15, 2026, at Rosedale Park.

#### **AGREEMENT**



Submitting a poster to this contest serves as an agreement with the rules and guidelines stated herein. The Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center will retain ownership of the overall winning poster and image and assumes the right to reproduce the winning poster for any purpose it deems fit including any and all publicity and commercial products relating to the Tejano Conjunto Festival en San Antonio.