

# 1st Annual Artist Trading Card Contest!

You and your friends are invited to enter the FIRST annual Artist Trading Card Contest sponsored by *EARMARK Purrductions Creative Studios*. <http://www.earmark-decorative-painting-studio.com/artist-trading-card-contest.html>

Artist trading cards are miniature works of art, always measuring 2½ x 3½" (6 x 9 cm), and are traded by all ages and by anyone. So if you're a teacher, or a parent what a great way to get the kids involved!! Get a group together and have some fun!

The cards can be about anything and made with any media, materials, or techniques, but should remain 2½ x 3½" (6 x 9 cm). It's all up to the individual participant how they art up their cards.

## Help us raise funds for Parents' Lifeline of Eastern Ontario

Parents' Lifeline of Eastern Ontario (PLEO) <http://www.pleo.on.ca/> is a voluntary, nonprofit self-help group to assist parents and families of children, youth and young adults being treated for mental illness. To raise funds for this organization, it is requested that you consider submitting your artist cards with a donation of any amount of your choosing. However, it is not necessary that you do so to enter this contest.

All of the funds raised will be used for a program known as **THE SOURCE**. Through this program, PLEO provides recreation and socialization for 16 to 25 year olds living with mental illness.

## Contest Winners

Best in show winner will be chosen based on originality. All entries will be displayed on a special Gallery page on the website along with the artists' names. In a sense, that makes everyone a winner!

### FIRST PLACE

The Winning ATC and the artist will get his or her very own web page! The winner will also receive ALL of the Artist Trading Cards submitted, including a booklet entitled: *20 to Make, by Leonie Pujol*. It's a great booklet filled with techniques and ideas for making more Artist Trading Cards.

### SECOND PLACE

The runner up will get his or her very own web page too! The winner will also receive the booklet entitled: *20 to Make, by Leonie Pujol*.

### RULES:

- ❖ Artist Trading Cards must be 2½ x 3½" (6 x 9 cm).
- ❖ All entries must be original.
- ❖ Each entry must have an Entry Form and received by June 30, 2010
- ❖ *Please consider making a donation in any amount with a cheque payable to: **Parents' Lifeline of Eastern Ontario**. Tax receipts are issued for donations of \$10 or more. Charitable # 89563 5019 RR0001*
- ❖ Entries should be sent to: **Earmark Studio, ATC Contest, 3152 Stonecrest Road, RR#2, Dunrobin, Ontario, Canada, K0A 1T0**
- ❖ ATC's cannot be returned.
- ❖ PLEO reserves the right to use the *images* of the ATCs for possible future fund raising activities.

## ATC Contest for PLEO Entry Form

**Earmark Studio,  
ATC Contest for PLEO  
3152 Stonecrest Road, RR#2, Dunrobin, Ontario, Canada, K0A 1T0**

Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

City / Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Age, if under 16: \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian's name, if child is under 16: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's signature, for child under 16: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Artist Trading Card: \_\_\_\_\_

What was your inspiration? (Optional)

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to give reproduction permission to Earmark Purrductions Creative Studios and to Parents' Lifelines of Eastern Ontario and understand that all entries will become the property of Parents' Lifeline of Eastern Ontario. The cards will be released to *the 1<sup>st</sup> place winning entry of this contest. Therefore the cards cannot be returned to the individual artist.*

I am enclosing a cheques in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ made out to:  
Parents' Lifeline of Eastern Ontario. Tax receipts issued for donations of \$10 or more.

I am not enclosing a donation at this time but would still like to enter the ATC contest just the same.

Contest closes 12:00am July 1, 2010. Please have your entries post marked no later than June 30, 2010