

**Launch of a**

# **SCULPTURE COMPETITION 2023 – 2024**



# SCULPTURE COMPETITION & GENERAL CONDITIONS

The Commune of Steinfort, in conjunction with Aktikulti a.s.b.l. has the pleasure to announce the launch of the sixth sculpture competition.

## **Place:**

The sculpture will be placed in the activity zone of the western region at Grass which is located in the commune of Steinfort near the Belgian border.

For more information about the site: <https://zaro.lu>

 Zone d'Activités  
de la Région Ouest

## **Subject, material:**

The piece of art will have to combine the historical, cultural and natural aspects of the village of Grass, the commune and the region.

The concept of the piece of art will have to be compatible with being exhibited in the open air and therefore entirely weather resistant.

## **Budget:**

A budget of € 30.000 will be made available to the winner of the competition, by the Commune of Steinfort, in order to cover the costs of the material, time and transport, including pedestal and fixation.

This sum will be paid in two parts:

50% at the beginning of the work

50% upon completion of the work

The Commune of Steinfort will support the artist for the emplacement of the sculpture by providing all the necessary labour and technical expertise from its own resources.

The artist must agree to respect the contract and a mutually agreed time frame between him and the Commune.

## Registration:

The interested artist will have to apply in writing by the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2023 to the following address:

Aktikulti a.s.b.l. – ELSEN A.  
4, rue des Prunelliers  
L-8447 Steinfort  
e-mail: [inscription@aktikulti.lu](mailto:inscription@aktikulti.lu)

The registration form and the general conditions of the competition, some of which are laid out here, are also available at [www.aktikulti.lu](http://www.aktikulti.lu).

## Form of the project:

All participating artists will be required to present a detailed dossier with the following:

- Detailed plans of the sculpture and how it will be positioned on the designated site
- Precise information as to how it will be fixed to the ground
- Dimensions of the sculpture
- Project Plan of the sculpture (format DIN A1)
- The necessary utilities required i.e. electricity, water etc.
- A model of the proposed work of art

The dossier and the model must be handed in at the cultural centre «Al Schmelz» in Steinfort by the 20<sup>th</sup> of April 2023  
Please contact Mister Olivier Frédéric by mail  
[olivier.frederic@steinfort.lu](mailto:olivier.frederic@steinfort.lu)

The artists must pick up their models at the end of the exhibition of the projects.

If the artist wishes his model to be returned by post, the costs need to be paid in advance and the organiser will not accept responsibility, should any damage occur during transit.

## The Jury and présentation of the project :

All the projects will be exhibited in the cultural centre «Al Schmelz» in Steinfort on the 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2023.

On Saturday morning, 22<sup>nd</sup> of April 2023, the artists will be invited to present their works to the jury if they so wish. This however is not obligatory. On Saturday afternoon, the 22<sup>nd</sup> of April 2023, the jury will decide which project has won and which artist is being taken under contract.

The Jury will be composed of eight members made up of the following:

- A representative of the Commune of Steinfort
- A member of the Cultural Commission of Steinfort
- A member of the «Syndicat d’Initiative» of Steinfort
- A member or delegate of Aktikulti asbl
- Three professional artists

If the artist who has been chosen to carry out the work does not respect the General Conditions and adhere to the fixed schedule, he will be made liable for damages and interest, and the Commune will then have the right to terminate the contract. In such a case the artist will be required to repay in full any monies that have been paid to him by the Commune.

In the event of the sculpture being delivered after the due date, a penalty of € 200 per day will be charged by the Commune to the artist by reducing the final amount of the award.

### **Installation:**

The works involved in installing the sculpture at the site must be completed by the end of April 2024

Should you need any additional information regarding the project, please contact the following two people:

-For the Commune of Steinfort:  
Technical questions concerning place and installation

M. Alain Kieffer [alain.kieffer@steinfort.lu](mailto:alain.kieffer@steinfort.lu)

-For Aktikulti a.s.b.l.:  
Administrative questions concerning organisation and inscription

Annemie Elsen [annemie@vo.lu](mailto:annemie@vo.lu)

### **Planning:**

End of January 2023	Announcement in the Press
1 <sup>st</sup> of April 2023	Last day of registration for the artists
20 <sup>th</sup> of April	Handing in of all projects
22 <sup>nd</sup> of April in the morning	Optional presentation of projects by the artists in front of the Jury for their deliberation
22 <sup>nd</sup> of April 2023 & 23 <sup>rd</sup> of April 2023	Exhibition of all projects at the Cultural Centre «Al Schmelz» in Steinfort
22 <sup>nd</sup> of April 2023 in the afternoon	Announcement of the winner
End of April 2024	Final installation of the work
?	Inauguration of the sculpture



## **2008 - HÉICHUEWEN**

**Artists : Lukas Arons & Peder**



## **2010 - DECALAGE**

**Artiste : Philippe Gourier**



## **2013 - LOFTBALLON**

**Artiste : Hélène Dom**



## **2016 - DE MËNSCH, L'ÊTRE HUMAIN**

**Artiste : Yvette Gastauer-Claire**



## **2018 - EPI**

**Artiste : Paul Mathey**

# REGISTRATION FORM

I, the undersigned, would like to register my participation in the sculpture competition organised by the Commune of Steinfort.

## Personal Details

First name:
Family name:
Street and number:
Postcode and Town:
Country:
Tel:
email:

**The piece of art will be created in line with the General Conditions of the competition 2023-2024 as laid out by the Commune of Steinfort.**

**I hereby declare that I have read and accepted the conditions.**

Date

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The Artist (name and signature):

Please send the registration form by the **1<sup>st</sup> of April 2023** to:

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