

Winery looking for artists to turn barrels into art

Truckee River Winery is calling artists to turn retired barrels into works of art.

We painted barrels will be auctioned off at the end of the summer, with the proceeds going to local charities. Artists interested in the Cask as Canvas project have until July 4 to fill out an application.

Registration is free and each contestant will be provided with a 55 gallon oak barrel. Artists are encouraged to paint the barrel on site. Barrels must not be modified from their original shape. Each artist will have an unveiling reception at the tasting room; the barrel and additional works by the artist will be on display for one week. Barrels will remain at the tasting room.

All contestants will receive a \$400 gift certificate good for any item on sale at Truckee River Winery.