



# LoL Pride Chibis 2026 Guidelines

Pride Chibis is returning once again this year to celebrate League of Legends characters and the LGBTQ+ community!

[Please read this handy guide so that we are all on the same page!](#)

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## About

LoL Pride Chibis is a collaborative, non-profit charity event bringing you a digital sticker pack!

- This project isn't affiliated nor sponsored by Riot Games.
- This is a SFW event.
- Our goal is to create a digital sticker pack containing every League of Legends champion carrying an LGBTQ+ flag.
- Donating during the posting month (June), will give the donors early access to the pack.
- The pack will be free for everyone after the end of the event on the 1st of JULY.
- Contributors will decide together on the charity we will be donating to.
  - All proceeds from 2023 went to The Trevor Project Charity
  - All proceeds from 2024 and 2025 went to Care for Gaza Charity
- Check out our Carrd for more information:
  - <https://lolpridechibis.carrd.co>

## Twitter / X & BlueSky

At the end of 2024, Twitter / X changed its policies and forced most of its user base to allow their content to be fed to Grok, their AI feature. However, this practice is illegal in Europe, where the admins of the project are situated, and thus this X feature is required to be optional.

**Our Social Media Account has opted out of this feature.**

Additionally, at the end of 2025 Twitter / X added the option to edit pictures posted to the platform with a Grok feature available to everyone, not just premium users. We will be closely monitoring our comment sections and blocking anyone who uses (or tries to use) this feature on one of our posts.

Therefore, all works will still be posted and showcased on Twitter / X this year, same as previous years.

Please consider this fact before deciding to apply! We totally understand if you don't feel comfortable with your works being posted there. :)

With a lot of creators migrating to different sites, we have decided to expand our event to [BlueSky](#) as well, so feel free to follow us there too!

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## Schedule

Date (2026)	What
February 13 - March 6	Contributor Applications
March 13	Contributor Applications Results
March 19 - April 30	Creation Period
May 1 - May 31	Final Preparations (Mods only)
June 1 - June 30	Event Posting
July 1	Free Release of the Pack!

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# Contributor Participation Guidelines

All contributor applicants should:

- have or create a Discord account upon acceptance.
- show a portfolio of their works.

Any involvement in illegal and/or discriminatory groups (i.e. homophobic and transphobic groups, racial hate groups, etc.) is not acceptable and you will NOT be allowed to participate.

Similarly, applicants with a history of plagiarism, theft or AI usage will also be rejected.

Anyone found to be part of either of the aforementioned groups, will be promptly removed from the project.

Additionally, this project is expected to have a large number of contributors and we are asking everyone to be respectful towards each other. Any harassment between participants will not be tolerated. Your personal preferences (i.e. ships and headcanons) are no grounds for harassment, and should such issues escalate, we won't hesitate to remove you from the project. Someone shipping X and Y is not a valid reason to exclude them from the event.

All accepted contributors are required to:

- join the event's Discord server.
- carefully read and follow the server rules and guidelines for the works.
- **follow the set deadlines!**
  - Extensions may be granted on a case-by-case basis.
- communicate with and respond to Mods within a short time.
  - If you don't respond within a certain amount of time, we will unfortunately have to remove you from the project.
  - We don't bite! Should any issue arise, please notify us as quickly as possible!

# General Work Guidelines

Below you can read a more detailed description of the role you are applying for. Additional to your main task, we are offering optional extra tasks.

We highly encourage collabs between participants (i.e. [TF/Graves holding the flag together](#) from 2023). So if your bestie also gets accepted and you would like to create something together, feel free to ask and we can arrange something! :) This includes artists and writers alike!

Anything extra you would like to create by yourself is also welcome!

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## Artist Participation Guidelines

As an Artist, you will be tasked with creating a chibi artwork of your assigned character(s).

The character should:

- carry a visible flag.
- feature their base design, NO skins.
  - For characters with different designs across the games (i.e. LoL and LoR Janna) it's up to you which version you will choose.

Each character artwork will have 10 versions of said work, each only having a different flag. Examples below were done by Admin Death Warden in 2024!



Current used flags are Asexual, Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian, Nonbinary, Pansexual, Progressive Pride, Rainbow Pride, Transgender and a 'Blank'.

Blank is a completely white flag (no transparency!) where people can draw in a pride flag of their choice. Any extra versions with different flags are welcome but not required! :)

## Extra Content

### Icons and Borders

In 2024 and 2025 we have introduced Icons as a mandatory extra content. After some consideration, we have decided to remove this and instead we will provide everyone with a collection of pride borders that you can use to adorn your profile pictures with, made by our graphics Mod!

### Emotes (optional)

We are adding Discord/Twitch emotes as an extra option you can create for your champion. These are fully optional and don't have to be finished, as chibis are always taking priority.

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## Writer Participation Guidelines

As a Writer, you will be tasked with creating a short story for your assigned character(s).

The story should:

- Be 500 - 1000 words long
- Follow one of the three set themes
  - 1. Modern universe character preparing for or attending a Pride Parade.
  - 2. Canon Runeterra universe character discovering or celebrating their queerness.
  - 3. Celebrating Pride in Runeterra.
    - Here you can really think of and show regional traditions.
- All works should feature the base design of the champion, which means no skins and skinline universes.

- Modern AU also excludes all modern skinlines like Musicverse (i.e. your Ezreal can be a musician but should not be Heartsteel).
- Focus more on character's queerness rather than a ship. (\*)

(\*) Similarly to how each character has different levels of popularity, so do the ships they are a part of. However, as fun as shipping is, we feel that including it may lead to exclusions of groups of interest / interpretations and the main point of this event is not showcasing pairings. That being said, you can still hint at the ship in your story, but it should not be its front and center.

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## Contributor Application Guidelines

You can apply for and participate in both roles!

### Picking Process and Champion Selection

We would like to briefly explain the process of assigning characters to Artists and Writers to clear up any misunderstandings!

Popularity of LoL Universe characters varies a lot, where characters like Kayn or Nami will have multiple people requesting them, while someone like Trundle will have none. To ensure fairness for characters with multiple applicants, we use a randomizer site to pick the artist.

If you are really hoping to participate, the general rule of thumb is that if you choose less popular characters, the chance of getting picked is high! :) (But don't tell anyone I told you that)

Currently there is one artist and one writer slot per champion. If the number of applicants is high enough, we will open up more slots! :]

# Artist Application

## Portfolio:

- Please include 4-6 artworks where at least one of them is League of Legends themed.
  - Chibi arts aren't required but very welcomed! :)
- Preferred sharing method is a Google Drive link or a portfolio site link. (i.e. Artstation, your own site, etc.)
- In case you don't use any of these, **direct links** to your works on Twitter/X are also okay.
  - Please do not send a link to your Twitter media tab or your personal social media account. Only direct links to works will be considered valid examples
- NSFW examples are ok but please be aware, that this project is strictly SFW.
- **Please ensure all links are accessible to us, otherwise we can't count your application!**

## Champion selection:

- Choose from 3 up to 10 characters.
- Sky's the limit but also please pick carefully, and only choose champions you are willing to draw.
  - In a follow-up question, you will specify which characters do you want the most in an order from Most Wanted to Least Wanted.

We are also adding a few additional characters to the potential lineup, based on character popularity / being canonically LGBTQ+ in LoL lore. However, if these characters don't get an artist request we will not be including them, as LoL and LoR champions take priority.

The character options added are Tyari, Loto and Tama (together), Tauulo (Buhru Leader), Tope, Chip, Poro, Baron Nashor, Void Grubs, Atakhan and Lest (Arcane).

# Writer Application

## Portfolio:

- Please include 3-4 works where at least one of them is League of Legends themed.
  - Can be only part of the work (i.e. the part you are the most proud of)
- Preferred sharing method is a Google Drive link with your works.
- In case you don't use Drive, **direct links** to your works on different sites (i.e. AO3) are also okay.
  - Please do not send a link to your profiles or your personal social media account. Only direct links to works will be considered valid examples.
- Together all the shown works should not exceed 10k words.
- NSFW examples are ok but please be aware, that this project is strictly SFW.
- Please ensure all links are accessible to us, otherwise we can't count your application!

## Champion selection:

- Pick 2 - 5 characters you would like to write about the most.
- Write them in order from **Most Wanted** to **Least Wanted**.