

Thank you for Purchasing John Beargrease Sled Dog Marathon Trail Mail



Here are your easy steps:

1. Write letters to yourself, friends, family members, students, teachers etc. You can download our stationary or use your own.
2. Fold each letter and place one letter inside each Trail Mail envelope with the awesome artwork by Sarah Keefer.
3. Place a USPS stamp on the upper right corner of the envelope.
4. Place these letters in a larger envelope and mail them to the John Beargrease Sled Dog Marathon no later than January 16.

John Beargrease Education Committee
PO Box 16506
Duluth, MN 55816

4. Mushers will be sworn in as official USPS mail carriers on January 30. Your letters will be distributed among the mushers. Each musher will carry a letter in a John Beargrease Commemorative Mail Bag. Each musher will sign her/his signature on the lower left corner of the envelope where it's written, "carried by." Go to Beargrease.com to see which musher carried your letter.

Pay attention to the cancellation stamp that is stamped over the USPS stamp. This stamp was designed by seven year old, musher Hazel "Jojo" Morrow.

To learn more about cancellation stamps please visit:
<http://about.usps.com/publications/pub186.pdf>

