



keepwilliamson beautiful®

Mission: Partnering with volunteers to keep our community clean, green and environmentally aware

Theme: “Cleaner, Greener Community”

Eligibility:

- Age – three categories
 - a. K-2nd grade
 - b. 3rd – 5th grade
 - c. 6th – 8th grade

The art contest is open to all Williamson County students in public and non public schools, home school or youth organizations in Williamson County.

Materials:

- Poster, not greater than 18” x 24”, not smaller than 8-1/2” x 11”
- White drawing paper, construction paper, art board, plain white wrapping paper,
- Crayons, felt pens, water colors, or poster paints.

Keep in mind that should the art drawn by one of your students be selected, it will be reproduced for distribution. For this reason, students should avoid cluttering their art with multi-scenes, small lettering, or designs that would be difficult to see.

- Entries must be original, hand-produced, flat works of art. No electronic reproductions, tracings, or Computer-generated material.
- Entries must be submitted flat or rolled, not folded.
- Entries must have the following information securely affixed to the back: student’s name, teacher’s name, grade, title, and school information: name, telephone, fax, and e-mail. (Schools with winners will be notified by e-mail, so please be sure these accounts are checked on a daily basis. Individual student or parent e-mail addresses may be included so that a copy of the notification can be sent directly to the winners as well.)
- Entries must be postmarked by December 5, or hand delivered by December 8, 2008.

Optional Essay: Contestants may choose to attach a brief statement (50 words max.) about their medium, subject, interpretation, or any other information they feel is relevant to judging. The essay is in addition to any writing that appears on the art itself and must be written on a separate sheet of paper. Essays must be handwritten or typed, and must be exclusively the work of the student. Care should be given to the accuracy of information presented in the essay.

Deadline: December 5, 2008 is the deadline for submitting mailed entries to Keep Williamson Beautiful or hand delivered by December 8, 2008.

Judging:

The entries will be judged by Keep Williamson Beautiful Education Committee in December.

Each art design will be judged on its originality, appropriateness and creativity as it relates to the "**Clean, Green Community**" theme.

- The committee will select three winners (first, second, and third place) from each grade level category.
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- Entries must be submitted flat or rolled, not folded.
- Entries must have the registration form with the following information securely taped to the back: student's name, teacher's name, grade, title, and school information: name, telephone, fax, and e-mail. (Schools with winners will be notified by e-mail, so please be sure these addresses are checked on a daily basis. Individual student or parent e-mail addresses may be included so that a copy of the notification can be sent directly to the winners as well.)
- Art and essay without a fully completed registration form, signed by both student and parent/guardian, will be ineligible for competition.
- Winners will be notified in January, 2009.

Liability

By participating in the contest, you agree to release and hold harmless Keep Williamson Beautiful and its employees, officers, affiliates, agents, and advertising and promotional agencies from any and all damages, injuries, claims, causes of actions, or losses of any kind resulting from your participation in this contest, including infringement of intellectual property rights. Keep Williamson Beautiful and its employees, officers, affiliates, agents, and advertising and promotional agencies assume no responsibility or liability for any damages, injuries, claims, causes of actions, or losses of any kind arising in whole or in part from this contest.

Awards:

- All participating artists will receive a Certificate of Recognition from Keep Williamson Beautiful (KWB).
- The top three winners in each grade level will receive U. S. Savings Bonds:
 - \$100 1st place
 - \$50 2nd place
 - \$25 3rd place
- Winners will be notified through their school and if provided personal email address ahead of time, and encouraged to attend, however they are not required to be present to win.
- News releases with names of the winners, and their teachers and schools will be provided for submission to the local media.
- Winning art may be reproduced and distributed as bookmarker, t-shirts, etc. Winning entries will be highlighted on web-site (and any other media avenues we can secure).

Mailing:

Keep Williamson Beautiful,
420 Century Court, Franklin TN 37064

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For additional copies of the rules and registration form call **615 790 5848** or visit our website <http://www.keepwilliamsonbeautiful.org> or Email: kwb@williamson-tn.org

Student Registration *(please print)*

Student's Name _____ Student Grade _____

Home Address _____

City Zip Code _____

Home Telephone _____ Parent/Guardian _____

Parent/Guardian

Email Address _____

School/ _____ School/ Organization _____

Organization _____ Address _____

School/Organization

City Zip Code _____ Telephone _____

Teacher/ _____ Teacher/ Adult Advisor _____

Adult Advisor _____ Email Address _____

We hereby certify that this bookmark is solely the work of the student named above. It is also understood that this bookmark becomes the property of the Keep Williamson Beautiful and will not be returned.

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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