

Law Day 2019

Student Art, 3D, Photography and Video Contest

RULES, GUIDELINES AND PRIZE AMOUNTS

STUDENTS PARTICIPATING MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES:

THEME: All artwork, 3D sculptures, photographs or video should focus on the cornerstones of representative government, Free Speech, Free Press and Free Society and how these rights ensure “the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity.”

Artwork needs to be on colored construction paper or white/colored poster board, no larger than 22 x 28 inches. Only original artwork from individual students will be considered. **Cutouts from news or media publications are not permitted and will disqualify the entry!** Please clearly print your full name, school grade, name of teacher (for contact purposes) and name of school on the back of your artwork.

3D sculptures may be submitted in any medium, but should not be larger than 12 inches wide by 12 inches deep by 18 inches high, and should not weigh more than 20 pounds.

Photographs must be taken by the student. Photographs may not be larger than 11 x 14 inches. Photographs may be enhanced, edited or photoshopped. Please attach all photos to colored construction paper or white/colored poster board, no larger than 22 x 28 inches along with a type written summary in a large print font attached to the front of the poster board. Please also attach an unedited 4 inch by 6 inch reference copy of the original unedited photograph to the front or back. Also, the student is free to decorate the poster board, but it should not be the primary focus of the submission.

Videos submitted must be either a 30 second public service announcement, or an informational piece not exceeding 2 minutes in length with focus on the Law Day theme. Students will provide a copy of the video on either a CD/DVD or thumb drive.

All submissions are the property of the Friends of the Rupert J. Smith Law Library. Submissions will be judged on originality, creativity, technical use of the materials chosen and how well the theme is incorporated into the work. Please be sure to include the student's name and contact information with their submission or it may be disqualified.

PRIZE AMOUNTS:

Poster Board Category:

Elementary school (3rd – 5th grade):

1st place: \$100.00
2nd place: \$75.00
3rd place: \$50.00

Elementary school (K – 2nd grade):

1st place: \$100.00
2nd place: \$75.00
3rd place: \$50.00

3 Dimensional Category:

High school (9th – 12th grade):

1st place: \$200.00
2nd place: \$150.00

Middle school (6th – 8th grade):

1st place: \$150.00
2nd place: \$100.00

Photography Category:

High school (9th – 12th grade):

1st place: \$200.00
2nd place: \$150.00

Middle school (6th – 8th grade):

1st place: \$150.00
2nd place: \$100.00

Video Category:

High school (9th – 12th grade):

1st place: \$200.00
2nd place: \$150.00

Middle school (6th – 8th grade):

1st place: \$150.00
2nd place: \$100.00

*Submissions must be delivered to the Rupert J. Smith Law Library located at: 221 South Indian River Drive, Fort Pierce, Florida, 34950 between Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (772) 462-2370. Entries must be turned in no later than March 22, 2019. **Award winners will receive their prize and certificate during an award ceremony held on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 beginning at 5:00pm at the Paula A. Lewis Branch Library, 2950 SW Rosser Blvd., Port St. Lucie. Please join us in celebration of Law Day. Light refreshments will be provided.***

If you have any questions about Law Day 2019 rules & guidelines? Please call Kim A. Cunzo, Esq.: (772) 409-4353.