**2020 AYAA On-Site Competition**

**On-Site Pre-Registration Deadline: March 5, 2020**

The AYAA’s On-Site Competition allows students to win recognition for artworks created in a **75 minute** session during the morning of the Annual AYAA Competition. Students are given a prompt *(ask your teacher about prompts)* and asked to create a work of art. There are six different categories in which students may create a work of art.

**Categories and Category Numbers:**

***OS1. All Dry Color Media OS4. Mixed Media***

***OS2. Charcoal/Conte’ OS5. Pencil/Graphite***

***OS3. Marker/Pen/Gel Pen OS6. Sculpture***

Here’s a ***brief*** description for each of the six categories: (1) ***All Dry Color Media*** - an artwork created using **ONE** of the following - colored pencil, soft pastel, oil pastel, or any other dry color medium; (2) ***Charcoal/Conte’*** - an artwork created using charcoal and/or conte’; (3) ***Marker/Pen/Gel Pen -*** an artwork created using markers, ink pens, and/or gel pens; (4) ***Mixed Media*** - an artwork created using any dry media, including but not limited to all of the media listed in the other categories as well as cut/torn paper, fabric, found objects and glue/glue stick; (5) ***Pencil/Graphite*** - an artwork created using any form of graphite, including Ebony Pencil, Graphite Stick, etc.; and, (6) ***Sculpture*** – a 3-D artwork created using materials supplied mostly by the artists with one item supplied by the On-Site Coordinator.

*Students:* If you want to know more about the AYAA On-site Competition, please talk to an AYAA member from your school who participated in the 2019 On-Site Competition... they can give you first-hand experience information.

*Sponsors*: Please remind students that they should be standing outside the On-Site Competition Room at least 10 minutes prior to the start time for the competition. IF the student’s bus/transportation arrives late, the student may enter the competition late, but the end time will remain the same. When the students enter the on-site competition room, they will go to the table where their assigned Category is posted and they will pick up a “prompt” in the category for which they pre-register. They will also need to pick up their large assigned number to keep near them while they are “making” their artwork. Students will learn their assigned student competition number from the lists posted on the walls outside the on-site competition room.

**Supplies for the On-Site Competition:**

**2-D competition**: AYAA will supply the support (paper) for the on-site competition and the students will supply their own art media and drawing board. NOTE: We will not be using any art supplies which require bringing water into the competition area

**3-D competition:** Students must bring a “Shoe Box” (actual shoe box or plastic shoebox) of art materials suitable for mixed-media sculpture… please do NOT bring boxes larger than a shoe box… this makes it equitable for ALL competitors. Glue sticks ***(not hot glue guns)***, tape or other adhesives **and** scissors are recommended for construction of the sculpture. ONE “art material” will be supplied by the on-site coordinator and MUST be included in the student’s sculpture.

**\*\* Sculpture participants need to bring a piece of cardboard at least 8.5”x11” but no bigger than 18”x24”**

Sponsors: Email the student names and categories (1st choice and 2nd choice),

the high school name and the sponsor’s name on Excel Spreadsheet to:

Ms. Stacey Mitchell at lorenzmitchell@hotmail.com

**FIRM DEADLINE: Email COMPLETE On-Site Entry List Spreadsheet**

**No later than 11:59 pm on March 5, 2020**

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| 2020 AYAA On-Site Competition: ***Type School Name Here*** |
| ***Type Sponsor's Name Here*** |
| **Use ONLY these Category Numbers** for typing below: |
| OS1. All Dry Color Media; OS2. Charcoal/Conte'; OS3. Marker/Pen/Gel Pen |
| OS4. Mixed Media; OS5. Pencil/Graphite; OS6. Sculpture |
| Email Stacey Mitchell IF you have any questions! |
| **Last Name, First Name** | **GRADE** | **1st Choice #** | **2nd Choice #** |
| Example: Smith, Lynn | 12 | 1 | 6 |
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Sponsors, please be sure to use the four column format above for submitting your On-Site Pre-Registration. All submissions NOT in the above format will be returned to the sponsors for correction and re-submission *(if time permits!)*. *Please check and double check your excel spreadsheet and verify the spelling of names before you submit your list via email. Ms. Mitchell will only accept the FIRST email received from the lead sponsor at each school… please do not submit a second spreadsheet because it will not be accepted.*

***POLICY CHANGE IN SPONSOR NOTIFICATION of Student Category Assignments:***

*Sponsors please note that students are placed in the categories in the order in which the spreadsheets are received… first come spreadsheets are entered first… and the rest in order of receipt. All students will be entered in their FIRST CHOICE unless that category exceeds a reasonable size. Sponsors will receive an email message from Ms. Mitchell at least a week before the competition to notify students who are NOT in their first choice. Please note that some students may be entered in a category other than their first or second choice when both of those categories have filled. Students who register for an on-site competition but are unable to attend may NOT transfer their registration to another student.*