



Town of Clifton Park

OFFICE OF PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

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Town Supervisor Phil Barrett and the Office of Parks, Recreation and Community Affairs are pleased to announce the annual Arbor Day Poster Contest, for children in Kindergarten through 5th grade who reside in Clifton Park or the Shenendehowa Central School District. Completed posters must be dropped off or sent to the Office of Parks, Recreation and Community Affairs by 4pm on Wednesday, March 31, 2010.

Enclosed are the rules for the poster contest. We hope that your school or student will be able to participate with the contest. Below is a list of the winners from last year.

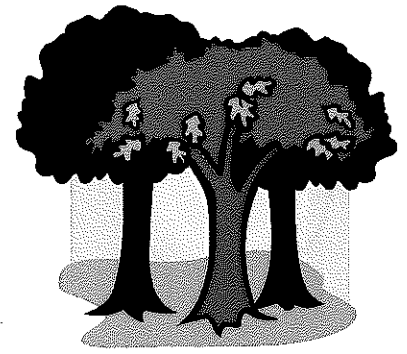
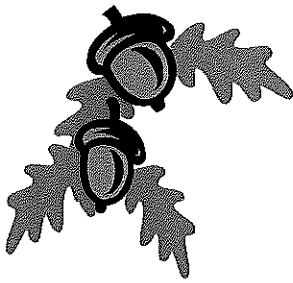
<i>Grades K-1</i>	<i>Grades 2-3</i>	<i>Grades 4-5</i>
<i>First Place</i> <i>Joseph Jackowski</i> <i>1st Grade Okte</i>	<i>First Place</i> <i>Sophia Theoktisto</i> <i>3rd Grade Okte</i>	<i>First Place</i> <i>Christina Kosky</i> <i>4th Grade Karigon</i>
<i>Second Place</i> <i>Alexa Barber</i> <i>1st Grade Okte</i>	<i>Second Place</i> <i>Cole Paquin</i> <i>3rd Grade Karigon</i>	<i>Second Place</i> <i>Alexa Knudsen</i> <i>4th Grade Okte</i>
<i>Third Place</i> <i>Kayla Hnis</i> <i>Kindergarten Karigon</i>	<i>Third Place</i> <i>Sarah Bohling</i> <i>2nd Grade Karigon</i>	<i>Third Place</i> <i>Megan Boutin</i> <i>4th Grade Okte</i>

Also, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation is giving out free seedlings to schools. If you would like to order free seedlings for your school you may contact Susan at Saratoga Tree Nursery 581-1439. Please order directly through them.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 371-6667

Thank You

Christine Pagnello
Senior Clerk
Office of Parks, Recreation and Community Affairs
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ARBOR DAY 2010 POSTER CONTEST

TOWN OF CLIFTON PARK IN COOPERATION
WITH SHENENDEHOWA CENTRAL SCHOOLS

PRIZES

Grades K & 1: \$20, \$10, \$5

Grades 2 & 3: \$20, \$10, \$5

Grades 4 & 5: \$20, \$10, \$5

Rules of Contest

1. Idea and artwork must be original* and express the spirit of Arbor Day and/or this year's theme: **TREES ARE TERRIFIC ... AND ENERGY WISE!**
2. The contest is open to all children K-5 who live in the Town of Clifton Park or attend Shenendehowa Schools.
3. Only one entry per child.
4. All entries must be on 12"x18" paper for children in Grades 1-5. Kindergarten children may submit entries on 9"x12" paper.
5. **VERY IMPORTANT:** On the back of the entry put name, home address, telephone number, age, grade in school, name of school and teacher. Any poster that does not have this information on the back will automatically be disqualified.
6. Deadline of contest: completed posters must be dropped off or sent to the Parks & Rec office at One Town Hall Plaza, Clifton Park, N.Y. 12065 by 4 p.m. on Wednesday, March 31, 2010.
7. Winners will be contacted and prizes will be awarded at the Clifton Park Town Hall during a Town Hall board meeting in May 2010.
8. Winning posters will be on display at the Town Hall in the Wood Memorial Room the week following Arbor Day (5/3-5/7). Children wishing to pick up their work may do so at the Parks & Rec office between May 10 and 14, 2010.

NOTE: A copy of these rules may be obtained at the
Parks & Rec office or from your teacher.

*No computer generated artwork will be accepted