

4TH ANNUAL ERIE CANAL POSTER CONTEST

Presented by the



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GUIDELINES FOR ENTRY

- Contest for artists in 9-12 grades for the 2009-2010 school year who reside in Niagara County.
- Artists are required to portray any aspect of canal life during the 184 years of Erie Canal history.
- Work may be done on the artist's choice of paper and in any medium. The poster should be 11 x 17 in size (No photographs please).
- A completed Entry Form should be attached to the back of the work, signed by a parent or guardian, as well as the artist.
- **All entries must be submitted in person to the Discovery Center by 4:00 PM on Saturday, October 17th, 2009.**
- All submissions will be previewed by a panel of judges.
- Jury selection of the art work will take place on Monday, October 19, 2009 and we will contact the parents and artists of the winning submissions.
- Three posters will be selected for cash awards: two Honorable Mentions (\$25), and one Grand Prize (\$50). Individual trophies will also be awarded for these top 3 students and their schools.
- Awards will be presented during the Erie Canal 184th Anniversary Celebration on October 24th, 2009.
- All submissions will become the property of Erie Canal Discovery Center.
- All works will be on display at the Erie Canal Discovery Center through October 31, 2009. Winning submissions will go on permanent display at the museum.

2009 Poster Contest Entry Form

(Attach to back of poster)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____ Age: _____

Teacher: _____

The Work:

Title: _____

Medium: _____

Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____