



Miss Winkles Art Competition & Exhibition • Summer 2019

May 7, 2019

Calling Local High School Artists:

You are invited to apply to be an exhibited artist in Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center's first Art Competition & Exhibition! High school students from throughout Fresno County are encouraged to submit two-dimensional works that embody the theme "The Joy Pets Bring" for competitive consideration. From the applications received, finalists will be chosen for judging and public exhibition!

Competition judges will award over \$800 in cash prizes. The top three artists will receive cash prizes of up to \$500.

To be eligible for this competition you must:

- Read and abide by the guidelines presented in this application
- Follow the instructions provided in this application regarding the submission of your completed application and final artwork

For more information please email: [taylorm@cityofclovis.com](mailto:taylorm@cityofclovis.com)

Timeline:

- Submission Deadline: 5:00 PM Sunday, June 30
- Applicants Contacted Regarding Finalist Selection: 5:00 PM Friday, July 5
- Finalist Reception and Award Ceremony: 6:00 PM Saturday, July 13
- Exhibition Dates: Sunday, July 14 – Sunday, July 28
- Art Pickup Dates: Tuesday, July 30 – Sunday, August 4

Attachments:

- Rules, Regulations, and Competition Information
- Competition Application Including
  - Contact Form
  - Parent Permission and Hold Harmless Agreement



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Rules, Regulations, and Competition Information

**\*PLEASE READ THOROUGHLY BEFORE SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION**

1. Entrants must have been enrolled at a high school, public or private, within Fresno County during the 2018-2019 academic year.
2. Only individual entries will be considered.
3. To be considered for this competition you must submit the following components:
  - An original two-dimensional art piece that embodies the theme “The Joy Pets Bring”
    - Submitted works must be in one of the following two-dimensional mediums: painting, illustration, or digital art. Entries must be based on the approved theme and meet all design rules and restrictions.
  - A description of the design (included in the Application Form)
  - Contact and Description Form (included in the Application Form)
  - Parent Permission/Participation and Hold Harmless Agreement Form (included in the Application Form)
    - Students under the age of 18 need parental consent to participate.
4. Submit your completed Competition Application and your final, framed artwork to Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center no later than 5:00 PM on Sunday, June 30, 2019.
  - Entries must be delivered to Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center, located at 85 Temperance Ave, Clovis, CA 93611.
5. Selection of Finalists
  - A panel of judges will select the final entries to be included in the exhibition and considered for awards. From the finalists, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be selected. All finalist entries will remain on display at Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center for the duration of the exhibition with top awards or honorable mention awards.
  - If you are selected as a finalist, you will be notified by 5:00 PM Friday, July 5, 2019. All selected finalists are considered for the top awards. If selected as a finalist, it is highly encouraged that you be present on Saturday, July 13 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM for the Finalist Reception and Award Ceremony.
6. Theme and Design
  - Entries should be family-friendly and focused upon the theme “The Joy Pets Bring.” Animals included in submitted works should be cats and/or dogs only.
  - Though not required, entries are encouraged to creatively incorporate the name or logo of Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center in their piece. Please refrain from referencing other organizations or businesses in your work.



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- Your submitted work must include a well-secured wire along the back for the purpose of hanging with a maximum canvas size of 18" x 24". Framed submissions will be accepted so long as the canvas size limit and wire requirements are met.
  - Entries deemed inappropriate, offensive, or political will not be considered. The decisions of the judges and event team will be final.
7. Submissions will be judged on:
- Concept
  - Creativity
  - Originality
  - Interpretation and Execution of Theme
  - Overall Design
8. Prizes
- All finalists who do not place among the top three will receive an honorable mention award certificate.
  - A \$100 cash prize will be awarded to the 3rd place winner.
  - A \$250 cash prize will be awarded to the 2nd place winner.
  - A \$500 cash prize will be awarded to the 1st place winner.

The Fine Print –

Images, digital scans, and other records of competition artwork taken by or submitted to Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center as part of this competition become the property of Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center and may be used by Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center in any and all media now known or hereafter developed for non-commercial and commercial purposes. Final works will be returned to the entrant. Image rights will remain with Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center in perpetuity. One entry per person; must be your original work (not a copy of published art/illustrations). These rules are subject to change or modification at any time.

If you have questions or concerns about your submission or application, please contact Taylor Mosher with Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center at [taylor@mcityofclovis.com](mailto:taylor@mcityofclovis.com) or (559) 324-2573.



Competition Application: Contact and Description Form

Name		Home Address	
Mobile Phone		Other Phone	
Age		Birth Date	
Grade Level		High School	
Email Address			
Title of Design			
In 100 words or less, please provide a brief description of your piece and what it represents:			
Please provide a brief description of your experience as an artist that may be used during the award ceremony, if selected:			

Print Name of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



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Competition Application: Parent Permission and Hold Harmless Agreement Form

\*IF THE ENTRANT IS A MINOR, THEIR PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST COMPLETE THIS PAGE. IF THE ENTRANT IS 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER, THE ENTRANT MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING PAGE. Please read, complete, sign, and submit with your application.

Terms of Participation

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby give my permission for my minor child, \_\_\_\_\_, to participate in the Miss Winkles Art Competition & Exhibition, held by Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center in Clovis, CA and confirm that I have read and understand all rules and regulations provided in the application packet and agree to the terms outlined.
2. I agree to hold Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center, its agents, servants, and employees harmless against any death or injury to myself, my child, or damage to property belonging to my family resulting from the participation of my child in the Miss Winkles Art Competition & Exhibition.
3. I understand my child is encouraged to be present at Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center from 6:00 to 8:00 PM on Saturday, July 13, 2019, for the Finalist Reception and Award Ceremony, should he/she be selected as a finalist.
4. Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center and its event staff have my permission to use photographs of my child for publicity purposes, in addition to photos or scans of my child's submitted artwork for commercial or non-commercial purposes in perpetuity.
5. I understand that Miss Winkles Pet Adoption Center reserves the right to cancel any program.

(Please print clearly)

Entrant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Names \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of Signing Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Relation \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_



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Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of Signing Entrant \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Entrant \_\_\_\_\_