

# City of Rocklin Public Safety ART COMPETITION *“Then and Now”*



**March 9<sup>th</sup> – March 30<sup>th</sup>**

## ART COMPETITION GUIDELINES

### Eligibility

Any Rocklin student (charter, home or traditional school) or resident in Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade may submit *only one entry*

### Age Categories

Winners will be chosen from each of the following age categories

- K – 3<sup>rd</sup>
- 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>
- 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>
- 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>

### Judging and Winners

- A panel of judges will review entries by grade level
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place winners will be chosen from each age category. Winners will be notified by phone the week of April 1<sup>st</sup>

*There will be a reception for the winners  
Wednesday, April 11<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 – 7:30 at the Rocklin Police Department*

- Winners will receive
  - Artwork will be displayed locally, possibly on street banners or on city-owned utility boxes
  - 1 free pass to Rocklin Adventures at Quarry Park
- The first 500 entries will have their artwork featured on the City of Rocklin website

### Artwork Theme

The theme for the art contest is: *Then and Now*. Student entries to depict scenes representing Rocklin's past, present and future. Some ideas include but are not limited to: St. Mary's Chapel, Central Pacific Rocklin Roundhouse, Finnish Temperance Society, the Racetrack, the fire in 1893, etc. Artwork can be realistic or abstract.

## Media and Technique Requirements

- Entries are limited to 2 dimensional artwork only. No sculptures, ceramics, etc.
- Artwork should be no larger than 16" x 20"
- Any of the following techniques may be used:
  - Paint (watercolor, acrylic, etc.)
  - Drawing materials (pencil, charcoal, colored chalk, pastels, oil pastels, colored pencils, markers, etc.)
  - Collage materials (cut and glued papers, such as construction paper, tissue paper, decoupage, etc.)
  - Original digital illustration
  - Photography
  - Artwork should be backed to minimize rips, tears, creases or any other damage
  - **Please include your name, grade level and contact phone number on the back of your finished artwork**

## Judging Criteria

A selection committee will review artwork submissions based on the following criteria:

- Interpretation of the theme
- Originality
- Overall design and use of medium

## Copyright Law

Any artwork that depicts copyrighted images will be rejected. For example, no artworks depicting characters from television shows, movies, video games, or books will be accepted. All artworks must be original ideas and created entirely by the student. The City of Rocklin has the sole discretion to accept or reject any design. Once submitted, artwork is the sole property of the City of Rocklin, artwork will not be returned to the artist. The artist acknowledges if the displayed artwork is vandalized, damaged or otherwise modified, it is the City of Rocklin's discretion to make, or have made, repairs, or possibly to remove or take down the piece.

## Multiple Entries

One entry per student will be accepted.

## Deadline for Entries

**Deadline for entries will be Friday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at 6 o'clock pm.** Entries submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.

Entries will be accepted at the following locations:

- Rocklin Police – 4080 Rocklin Rd.
- Rocklin Fire Station 23 – 4060 Rocklin Rd.
- Rocklin Fire Station 24 – 3401 Crest Dr
- Rocklin Fire Station 25 – 2501 Wildcat

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