

# Arbor Day 2010

## POSTER CONTEST

### "Trees are Terrific, and Energy Wise"

The Bowling Green Tree Advisory Board invites children in grades **K through 2, and 3 through 5** to participate in the 4th annual Arbor Day Art Show. It is "free" to enter the Art Show.

The theme is "**Trees are Terrific, and Energy Wise.**" Use your poster to show how trees save energy.

- In the winter, trees can block cold winds and help keep your home warm.
- In the summer, trees can shade your house from the hot sun.
- Trees can help keep our city cool in the summer by reducing the heat island effect.

**The art will be shown at Bowling Green's Spero Keriakis Park on Saturday, April 17, coinciding with the city's Arbor Day Celebration.** The Arbor Day Celebration begins at 9 A.M. and lasts until noon. The entire event is free and open to the public.

The Art Show will be limited to two dimensional works only, due to space limitations and display constraints. Winners will be announced at the Arbor Day Celebration on April 17, 2010.

**Children, grades K - 2: Sizes of art is 8 ½” x 11”**

Gift value awards of \$15.00 value for 1<sup>st</sup> place,  
\$10.00 for 2<sup>nd</sup> place, and  
\$5.00 for 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be given.

**All entries will be displayed at the Arbor Day Celebration.**

All entries may be picked up by the child after the art show. Participants are limited to 1 entry.

**All entries:**

- Should be created on 8 ½” x 11” white or manila drawing paper, mounted on 10”x 12” mat board or cardboard backing for stability. Crayon drawings, collage art, markers, finger paints, watercolors, cray- pas, etc., or mixed media are all acceptable.
- Must be original art relating to the participant’s idea of the theme. **No kits are allowed.**
- Should be covered with plastic or shrink wrapped for protection. Put the **ENTRY FORM** on the back of the art, under the plastic.
- Bring or mail to Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Main Office, 225 East Third Avenue, Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101, between 7:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M., Monday, April 5<sup>th</sup> through Friday, April 9<sup>th</sup>

Works may be picked up after winners are announced at the Arbor Day Celebration, or at the place where the art was turned in, but no works will be mailed back to participants.

**Youth, grades 3-5: Sizes of art is 8 ½” x 11”**

Gift value awards of \$20.00 value for 1<sup>st</sup> place,  
\$15.00 for 2<sup>nd</sup> place, and  
\$10.00 for 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be given.

**All entries will be displayed at the Arbor Day Celebration.**

All entries may be picked up by the child after the art show. Participants are limited to 1 entry.

**All entries:**

- Should be created on 8 ½” x 11” medium thickness poster board for stability. Crayon, collage art, pastel, markers, finger paints, pencil, watercolors, cray-pas, etc., or mixed media are all acceptable.
- Must be original art relating to the participant’s idea of the theme. **No kits are allowed.**
- Should be covered with plastic or shrink wrapped for protection. Put the **ENTRY FORM** on the back of the art, under the plastic.
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**In all categories, the entry must:**

- **Have the entry form taped to the back of each entry.**
- **Be Original Art. No kits will be displayed or judged.**

The Bowling Green Tree Advisory Board and the Bowling Green Parks and Recreation Department will take the greatest care in handling works but cannot be responsible in any way for loss or damage to any work submitted. The owners shall agree to hold us blameless for any loss by signing below. We reserve the right to refuse to accept and/or display any entry.

**ENTRY FORM**

Student's Name

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Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name

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School Name/After School Program

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Signature of Parent, Guardian, or Teacher

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