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PAHMA Members

Announcing the 2017 Art Contest

2017 Calendar National Winner
McCormack Baron Management Services

Will the Next Winner be ... FROM YOUR COMMUNITY ?

2017 ART and POSTER CONTEST for the 2018 NAHMA Calendar

LEARNING WILL GET ME WHERE I'M GOING: *"Reaching for Knowledge"*

The Board of Directors of PAHMA is pleased to support the 2017 Art and Poster Contest sponsored by the National Affordable Housing Management Association (NAHMA). This is the 31st year that NAHMA has held a **drug-free themed** art and poster contest.

The theme this year is, **Learning Will Get Me Where I'm Going: "Reaching for Knowledge"**. The contest is open to children, adults age 55 and older, and disabled or special needs residents of our affordable housing communities. PAHMA and other affordable housing management associations across the country submit entries for the national contest. From these entries, 13 will be chosen to appear in the 2018 NAHMA calendar. National prizes range from \$100 for Honorable Mention to the Grand Prize of \$2,500 and a trip to Washington, DC. (only children are eligible for the Grand Prize). In addition, each local winner is awarded \$100 from PAHMA.

All contestants submitting artwork must reside in a community that is a current member of PAHMA. Will YOU bring home the next winner? We encourage property owners and managers to promote the contest in their communities and submit their entries to PAHMA. Complete contest rules, including the size of the artwork or poster, are attached.

Entries must be received by PAHMA no later than Friday, April 28, 2017. The final round of local judging will occur on Friday, May 19th and the winning entries will be submitted to NAHMA for the national judging in June. PAHMA will award a \$100 gift certificate to each resident artist whose entry is selected to advance to the national level, AND a free Conference Registration to the Property Manager for one staff person to attend our 2017 Fall Conference. Consider having a Community Art Contest to celebrate your artists!

All entries must follow the national contest rules, attached. Only mailed entries will be accepted. The deadline for receipt of your entry is Friday, April 28th, mail to:

PAHMA 2017 Art and Poster Contest
PO Box 199
Glenshaw, PA 15116-0199

Good luck to all participants. We look forward to our membership being well represented in the National Contest again this year. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact PAHMA at info@pahma.org or leave a message at 412-445-8357.