

NGC NATIONAL HEROES PROJECT 2018 in collaboration with The P.A.L.M. Foundation "She Sells Sea Shells by the Seashore at Castle Killarney".

ART COMPETITION RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All entries must be submitted to: NGC National Heroes Children's Art Competition,
Castle Killarney,
Maraval Road,
Port of Spain.
2. All entries must be postmarked by Saturday, July 14th, 2018 This is the official close of the contest. Entries postmarked after this date will not be considered.
3. Students may submit up to three entries in the contest. The contest is open to boys and girls in three categories, ages under 10, 11-16 and 16-18. Winners and their parents/guardians will be invited to a presentation ceremony.
4. Three first-place winners will receive a prize and three second-place winners will receive a prize. The six winners' schools will be awarded a prize as well.
5. Entries must be a horizontal or vertical drawing or painting measuring approximately eight and a half (8 1/2") by eleven (11") inches. The size should not include a mat or border. Entries must not be framed, under glass, or have a protective covering that is attached to the art. The entry may be drawn in any medium. Colored pencils, crayons, water color, colored markers, pastels and cut-out colored paper are acceptable. Entries must not exceed 1/4" in thickness.
6. All artwork must be original and pertain to the theme "She Sells Sea Shells by the Seashore at Castle Killarney". The artwork must be the contestant's original hand-drawn creation. The entry design may not be a copy or duplicate of any previously published art, including photographs. No copying or tracing will be accepted. Any mechanically or electronically generated artwork is not eligible and will be disqualified. Air brush use is allowed. The participant's signature on the entry form is an acknowledgment of the originality of the art. The teacher's, parent's and or guardian's signatures on the entry form acknowledges that the artwork was done under his/her supervision and is original to the artist. The parent/guardian must sign where indicated on the entry form.
7. Children with special needs may have assistance from their teachers, parents or guardians to help with their entry. If assistance is given, please note this on the entry form.
8. A completed, legible entry form and consent form must be attached with a paper clip to the entry. If you are chosen as a winner, you will be required to send a recent photograph of yourself.
9. The student's name should be neatly printed on the back side (not front) of the artwork along with the home city in case the entry form and art become separated. Please do not write on the front of the artwork.
10. Entries that do not comply with the contest requirements will be disqualified.
Judging criteria:
Visual impact
Artistic merit
Original concept
Winning entries will be selected by a panel of NGC and PALM Foundation judges.
By signing the consent form, entrants agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the NGC and PALM Foundation and acknowledge that in the event of a disagreement, the judge's decisions are final.
11. The NGC and PALM Foundation retains ownership of all artwork entered in the 2018 Art Contest, and may use the artwork on promotional materials such as cover designs, public information materials and exhibits. It will also be featured on the NGC National Heroes Web Page and at NALIS.
12. The NGC and PALM Foundation
 - is not responsible for loss or damage to entries;
 - reserves the exclusive right to authorize the reproductions of all entries in any form, including: stamps, prints, calendars, greeting cards, fact sheets, brochures, fliers, posters, report covers, etc., and to photograph the winning designs without compensation to entrants;
 - has the right to use the winners' names for promotional purposes without compensation to entrants;
 - will not return entries.

**This would make a great school project/activity.
Send us photos of the class participating in this activity!!!**