

MHEA Photo Contest

Age Categories:

Category I Ages 9-11

Category II Ages 12-15

Category III Ages 16-18

*Eligible participants must have been home-educated in the past year and received a majority of his or her education in the past year through home education.

Media/ Format:

Minimum 5 x 7 color or black & white print on photo paper.

Prints must be framed or matted.

Name, age, and phone number must be clearly and securely displayed on back

Only. Pieces will not be accepted without name, age, & phone number.

Recognizable people or places are **OK**, judges will be unbiased.

Creative interpretation of the subject is encouraged.

Fee:

\$10.00 per entry (Maximum of 2 unrelated entries per person)

Entry:

Participants &/or their immediate family must be an MHEA conference attendee and must have their MHEA conference name tag with them to be eligible for entry.

Artwork, Entry Forms, and Payment will be taken on Friday only at the Art Contest Registration Table in the Old Main Lounge of the Colvard Student Union Building. Do not mail in your entry form or entry fee.

Maximum of 2 entries per person (\$10.00 per entry) ***-BUT each participant will only be eligible for one ribbon placement and therefore only one cash prize.***

Entry fees must be paid by cash or check (made payable to MHEA)

Entries must be received on Friday, from 12:00pm – 1:30pm. in the designated area.

Entries should be left for display until 5:00 pm on Saturday. MHEA is not responsible for stolen items. If you wish to take your artwork with you after the sessions are finished on Friday and return it for display Saturday morning, you may do so.

You **MUST** have a parent sign the entry form **PRIOR** to dropping off your pieces.

Pieces without completed and signed entry forms and correct artist information will be accepted and displayed but are not eligible for judging.

Judging:

Judging will take place on Friday afternoon. Participating Artist's names will be concealed until after winners are announced. All judgments are final.

Prizes: (For each category)

1st place winners: \$50.00

2nd place winners: \$25.00

3rd place winners: Ribbon

Other Information:

Proceeds from the contest will go to further MHEA's mission.

MHEA has the right to use reproduction of entered artwork at its discretion. (For example- on MHEA's website and publications)

All judgments are final and interpretations of the guidelines are at MHEA's sole discretion.

Send any questions to: Rachel Stoll -rjoyful4Him@yahoo.com . Please put "PHOTO CONTEST" in the subject line.