

SPUNKY SQUIRREL POSTER CONTEST

(STATE ONLY CONTEST)

2023 - 2025 "CARING FOR OUR WORLD"

DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2024

PURPOSE: TO CREATE AN INTEREST IN "URBAN FOREST" BY PLANTING AND PROTECTING OUR TREES FOR GARDENERS, PARTICULARLY CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE.



DIVISIONS:

**DIVISION I - KINDERGARTEN,
GRADES 1 & 2**

DIVISION II - GRADES 3, 4 & 5

DIVISION III - GRADES 6, 7 & 8

DIVISION IV - GRADES 9, 10, 11 & 12

DIVISION V - SPECIAL NEEDS

DIVISION VI - SENIOR CITIZENS

CONTEST RULES

1. Poster must be 8 ½ x 11 inches on paper or cardstock
2. The poster may be made using paint, watercolor, crayons, colored pencils, markers, cut-out pictures glued on construction paper, or drawings.
3. Label the poster with 'Spunky squirrel says "LOVE AND CARE FOR OUR WORLD AS MUCH AS WE LOVE OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY"
4. Poster must be the work of the contestant.
5. On the back of your entry (lower right corner) tape a separate tag with the following information:
Name, street, town, grade, division number school, parents' name, sponsoring garden club & District.
6. The POSTER Title changes yearly.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING

Originality	20
Design	20
Artwork	30
Proper Labeling	10
Overall effectiveness of message	<u>20</u>
TOTAL POINTS	100

Division I, II, III & IV: 1st place \$10. 2nd place \$7. 3rd place - \$5.
Divisions V & VI: Certificates only

**Deadline: March 1, 2024. District Winner's Posters are to be mailed IMMEDIATELY AFTER District Judging to State Spunky Squirrel Chairman: Katherine Kamper, 33505 Hardesty Road, Bethel, OK 74734-9999
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