



2018 Guidelines: 10th Annual Art Competition for All K – 12 Students *Who Live in Troy or Attend School in Troy*

- Sponsor:** Troy Garden Club (TGC) – founded 1971 (website: www.TroyGardenClubMI.com)
- Artistic Goal:** Create an image that portrays **some aspect of gardening or gardens**. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** *Do not include any words on the art itself.*
- Purpose:** The TGC may use the grand prize-winning image in advertising and in other materials to promote their **44th annual garden walk on July 11, 2018.**
- Eligibility:** Any high school, middle school, or elementary student who is enrolled in the Troy School District or who lives in Troy may **submit up to three (3) entries each.**
- Deadline:** Entries must be **postmarked no later than Tuesday, March 13, 2018**, and, whether mailed or dropped off, must be **received by Friday, March 16, 2018.**
- Judging:** **March 19 – April 4, 2018.** All decisions by the judges will be final.
- Awards:** **\$100 Grand Prize, sponsored by Stephen M. Kremer, Centaurus Financial**
Nine Prizes – Three 1st Place, Three 2nd Place & Three 3rd Place: one of each at the high school, middle school, & elementary levels PLUS Honorable Mentions
Art Awards Ceremony on May 3, 2018
EIGHTH YEAR !!! - \$75.00 for the art department of the school which submits the largest number of entries
- Notification:** Student artist winners will be **notified by April 17, 2018.**

14-day exhibit: **Beginning July 11, 2018, at the Troy Historic Village Poppleton School**

- Requirements:** Each entry: (1) **must be original: NO copies of others' photos or works of art**
(2) should NOT be matted (3) will remain the property of the student artist
(4) will be returned to the student artists at their schools by 9/28/18
(5) must portray some aspect of gardening or gardens
(6) must be on white paper no larger than 11" x 14" and **MUST NOT BE FOLDED**
(7) Excluded media: photographs, textiles, sculpture (or other three-dimensional media)
PLEASE NOTE: All **WINNING** entries will be returned to the student artists' homes by 9/28/18.
SUBMISSION: Entries must be securely packaged and mailed to:
Troy Garden Club, c/o Marilyn Frey, 3336 Newgate, Troy, MI 48084-1229
SUBMISSION OPTION: Deliver entries to the Troy Historic Village during their regular business hours.

Notice: The Troy Garden Club will not be responsible for any entries which are damaged by the United States Postal Service or which may not be delivered by the USPS.

Information: If you have any questions about the TGC Art Competition, or if you wish to find out if your entry has been received, **please email: Infoandideas@aol.com**

Print NEATLY. Provide ALL INFORMATION. Detach at the dotted line above. Attach this form to the BACK OF EACH ENTRY. Do NOT write your name on the FRONT of your art.
INCOMPLETE, INCORRECT OR UNREADABLE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE JUDGED.

Student Artist's Name _____ Age _____ School _____
Home Address: Number & Street _____ Full Birth Date _____
City & Zip Code _____ Grade in School _____
Phone including area code _____ Email _____
Art teacher's title & name _____ Classroom teacher's title & name _____