



Presented by

Mayor Antonio R. Villaraigosa

The City of Los Angeles

and the African American Heritage Month Planning Committee

AFRICAN AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH 2011

POSTER COMPETITION

Contest Theme:

“Lest We Forget: From the Civil War to Civil Rights”

Participation requires the creation of an original work of art inspired by the contest theme and is open to all youth in **grades K-12** within Los Angeles County.

Participant Must Follow Guidelines for Entry:

- Only two-dimensional posters will be accepted, *and must be original work; three-dimensional work will NOT be accepted.*
- Submission may be on paper, canvas, wood, or poster board. *NOT TO EXCEED 11" X 17" (matting not necessary)*
- Medium can be watercolor, acrylic, oil, pen, pencil, chalk, or marker
- Participant's signature at the bottom right corner on the side of the art
- Only one entry per participant. *Previous Heritage Month Poster Competition's 1st Place winners are ineligible for 1st Place*

The following six divisions have three winning categories with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places, prizes include premium art supplies

- Division I K-1st Grades
- Division II 2nd – 3rd Grades
- Division III 4th - 5th Grades
- Division IV 6th – 8th Grades
- Division V 9th – 10th Grades
- Division VI 11th – 12th Grades

Best in show will receive a grand prize

Entry Must Include the Following:

On a 5" X 7" typed sheet taped to the back:

- Grade
- Participant's full name
- Participant's home mailing address
- Participant's home or mobile phone number, & email
- School's or Organization's name & address
- Teacher's full name, telephone number, and email
- Title of work, medium, & one sentence about the inspiration or description of the depicted work

Deliver, mail, or inquiries to:

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Attn: Rebeca Guerrero
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Phone:
213-202-5545
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DEADLINE:
Monday, January 31, 2011

To be received in office by 6pm on DATE



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Only winners will be notified via telephone after February 4, 2011, further details of the awards ceremony will be provided at this time. Tentatively, the awards ceremony is scheduled for the week of February 18, 2011, at a location to be determined. All entries, including winners' work, become the property of the City of Los Angeles. The City of Los Angeles and Wells Fargo who have the right to reproduce or publish the artwork in any medium for current or future use in educational materials, programs, and advertisements. Judging is based on quality, originality, and creativity interpreting the contest theme. Selection of winners by the judging panel is final.