

PRESS RELEASE

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What: 24th Annual Marvin S. Cone High School Juried Art Show Awards Announced

When: May 17 – June 9, 2010

Where: Court House Cultural Center Gallery

STUART, FL – The Arts Council is proud to announce the award recipients for the Marvin S. Cone 24th Annual High School Juried Art Show. These awards recognize the artistic talents of our high school students and were presented on Friday, May 14 at the Court House Cultural Center. Represented were approximately 200 area high school students, their teachers, parents, school officials and sponsors of the event.

Awards were presented for the Best of Show as well as 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places in each of five mediums: sculpture, drawing, photography, painting, and mixed media (see attached list). Student artists had their works purchased for the collections at Martin County High School, South Fork High School, Jensen Beach High School, The Pine School, Clark Advanced Learning Center, the Martin County Superintendent's office, Elliott Museum, and in the Martin County Supervisor of Elections office. Local artists Stephen Stone and Kevin Boldenow were the jurors for the High School Juried Art Show.

The generous sponsors include: Palm City Art & Frame, Publix Super Market Charities, The Palm Beach Post, At&t The Real Yellow Pages, Mulligan's Beach House, Seabranh Art League, and Vianne Nichols. Court House Cultural Center Gallery hours are Monday-Friday, 10 am – 4 pm to view the exhibition. The show continues through Friday, June 9.

The Arts Council is sponsored in part by the Florida Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs, the Florida Arts Council, City of Stuart, Martin County Board of County Commissioners, and private contributions.

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Honorable Mention Awards (across category:)

Heartbreak, Dana Cariello drawing, MCHS

Taylor, Milana Goings, painting, MCHS

Strength, Catherine Hammond, photography, SFHS

Cid Highwind, Alyson Hopper, drawing Clark Advanced Learning

Illuminations, Emily Jones, photography, MCHS

Life Savings, Gisella Karner-Brown, mixed media, MCHS

The Last Bite, Allison Newbold, photography, SFHS

Love Me, Love Me Not, Maddi Reynolds, ceramics, The Pine School

Do You Hear Me..., Alexandra Salmieri, drawing, SFHS

Surfacing, Sarah Tranter, photography, JBHS

For Drawing:

3rd Place: Exultation, Michelle Panzera, SFHS

2nd Place: What I Saw I'd Rather Not Describe, Chase Starr, SFHS

1st Place: The Caged Bird Sings, Kelly Williams, MCHS

For Mixed Media:

3rd Place: Racism, Sharise Boney, SFHS

2nd Place: Tri to be Pretty, Christina McMahan, MCHS

1st Place: Refuge, Colleen Falco, SFHS

For Painting:

3rd Place: Sete, Emilie Barland, JBHS

2nd Place: Splinters, Elizabeth Upton, The Pine School

1st Place: Untitled, Rachel Genao, SFHS

For Sculpture:

3rd Place: Tree of Light, Ryan Payne, JBHS

2nd Place: Wear Your Culture, Melanie Huggins, SFHS

1st Place: Letters to Me, Maxwell Poirier, SFHS

For Photography:

3rd Place: Mac Arthur, Haisley Blankenship, JBHS

2nd Place: Color of Passion, Megan Ostl, MCHS

1st Place: Forbidden from Entry, Samantha Kalousek, MCHS

For Best of Show: Composition, Angelina Girone, SFHS

PURCHASE AWARDS

Elliott Museum: “Composition” by Angelina Girone

Supervisor of Elections, “Illuminations” Emily Jones by “Mac Arthur” by Haisley Blankenship

Superintendent’s Purchase Award, “Follow the Leader” by Sara Loomis

Martin County High School: “The Caged Bird Sings” by Kelly Williams

South Fork High School: “Refuge” by Colleen Falco and “What I Saw I’d Rather Not Describe” by Chase Starr

Jensen Beach High School, “Sete” by Emilie Barland

Clark Advanced Learning Center, “Douglaston Beach” by Tim Webster

The **Pine School**: “AJ” by Kate Violajw