

“Land of the Free”

Drawing Contest

In celebration of Memorial Day, and in conjunction with the “I am proud to be an American” Essay Contest, the Clarion Free Library invites the surrounding school age students to participate in the “Land of the Free” Drawing Contest. For this contest, all participants are asked to draw a scene, symbol, and/or act that demonstrates what they think of when given the phrase “Land of the Free” and the meaning they take from it. All medias of art are permitted including (but not limited to) charcoal, colored pencil, watercolor, acrylic (etc.) as well as style such as cartoonist, realistic (etc.).

Contest Details:

- Must be in high school (including those graduating at the end of the 22-23 school year) or younger to participate.
- Drawings should be no bigger than 18in by 24in in dimensions and should be hangable with little to no damage to the art piece.
- No words should be on or in drawing as the drawing should be able to “speak for itself”.
- Drawing should be submitted in person with the artist’s first and last name, their school, grade, and contact information written clearly on the back.
- All artwork will be displayed throughout the library until the end of July
- The winners will be selected through a public voting process.
- One winner will be selected from Grades 3-6, Grades 7-9, and Grades 10-12 equaling a total of 3 winners. Each age range will also have one runner-up.
- Prizes remain to be determined

Submissions are due: June 14th, 2023

Voting will take place June 19th to 23rd

Winners will be notified around Independence Day