



Elks Drug Awareness Poster Contest

Rules

The contest is open to all 3rd, 4th, & 5th grade students.

The theme for the 2023-2024 contest is: "Be Kind to Your Mind - Live Drug Free"

Contest Begins: August 1, 2023 and Deadline is: December 15, 2023.

Poster paper: Ideally, posters should be submitted on 8 1/2 x 11 inch paper. However, posters submitted on paper up to 11x24 inches in size will be accepted. Please contact your local Elks Lodge for additional information, as some areas might have additional criteria.

Judging will be based on the following:

- Closeness to the theme
- Neatness
- Originality
- Correct grammatical structure
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Each entry must have the following information on the back of the poster:

- Student's full name
- School, location, grade
- Elks lodge name
- Must also be accompanied by Hold Harmless agreement

Copyrighted characters are prohibited. Entries containing copyrighted material will be disqualified. Due date: Please contact your local Elks Lodge or Elks State Association for more details

Winners: Each lodge will select a winner, using the criteria listed above. The lodge will notify winners. Winning posters will be forwarded to District Competition. District winners will be forwarded to State Level Competition. All winning entries become the sole property of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and may not be returned.

National recognition: Each State Drug Awareness Chairman will choose one overall winner. This winning poster will be submitted for entry into the annual National Elks contest and for inclusion in the Elks DAP Coloring Book. Winning Posters may also be featured on the www.elkskidszone.org website - online coloring book and/or in ENF or DAP publications.

Send your submissions to:

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Jonesboro, AR 72401
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ESSAY, POSTER AND VIDEO CONTEST
Parental Consent Form
-WAIVER-

My child _____ is the recipient of an Elks award through the Elks Drug Awareness Program's Poster, Essay, and/or Video Contest. I hereby give consent to the use of his/her name, photo, Video, Poster, and/or Essay in the Elks Drug Awareness Coloring Book, *The Elks Magazine*, or other Elks' publications, or websites (including all forms of media) in furthering the programs and works of charity for the Order of Elks. I further consent that the Essay/Poster/Video shall become the property of the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks of the United States of America.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Witness

Witness



(This document should be signed by the parent/guardian of any person under the age of 18)