

# Reach for the Stars 2023 Art Contest for 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders



**“Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, you have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars, to change the world.”**

**Harriet Tubman**

## **Theme- Reach for the Stars**

The Harriet Tubman “Journey to Freedom” monument by world-renowned sculptor Wesley Wofford will be on display in Joseph Hayne Rainey Park in Georgetown from August 1 – October 23, 2023. In anticipation of the event, The Bring Harriet Home: Journey to Freedom Collaborative invites 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students from Georgetown County to enter original artwork based on the theme and quote.

Cash prizes will be awarded at each level: 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>. Winning artwork will be displayed in the Georgetown County Public Libraries. Entry deadline is 4 p.m. on June 1, 2023.

### **Entry Rules**

- Open to public, private, and home school 3<sup>rd</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> graders
- Must be a resident of or attend a school in Georgetown County, South Carolina
- One original artwork entry per student - no group projects
- 2-D or 3-D artwork must not exceed 24” on any side, and must include a title
- No digital entries

## Entry Submissions

Submit entries to one of the following locations by 4 p.m. on June 1, 2023.

- Andrews Library, 105 N Morgan Street, Andrews
- Carvers Bay Library, 13048 Choppee Road, Hemingway
- Georgetown Library, 405 Cleland Street, Georgetown
- Southern Georgetown Library, 4187 Powell Road, Georgetown
- Waccamaw Neck Library, 41 Saint Paul Place, Pawleys Island
- J.B. Beck Administration & Education Building, 2018 Church Street, Georgetown

## Judging

Art judges are artists, art educators, and others interested in youth art. Art will be judged on theme expression, originality, technical ability, creativity.

## Awards Ceremony

An awards ceremony is scheduled for **August 5, 2023**, at the sculpture unveiling in the Joseph Haynes Rainey Park.

## Release Statement

Please type or print the following information.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Art \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher Name (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's/Student's Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

## Harriet Tubman 3rd -12th Grade Art Contest Release Statement

I declare and affirm that I am the person who created the work submitted and that I consent to my art being entered in the Art Contest and for it to be displayed/published, should it win an award.

Student signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I affirm and declare as set forth above that I am the student's parent or legal guardian and that I consent to their art being entered in the Art Contest and for it to be displayed, should it win an award. I further consent to my student's name, picture, and artwork being included in media releases related to the Harriet Tubman "Journey to Freedom" sculpture.

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_