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Teachers of Arenac County Students Grades K-12

2020 Arenac Conservation District Poster Contest

The Arenac Conservation District is excited to announce the dates for our 51st Annual Poster Contest. We appreciate all teachers and students who participate in our contest; it is because of your cooperation that our poster contest is such a great success!

The poster contest will end on April 23<sup>th</sup>. There are five divisions:

**Division I-** Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grades

**Division II-** Grades 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Division III-** Grades 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

**Division IV-** Grades 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>

**Division V-** Grades 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>

**The title for the 2020 poster contest is “Where would we BEE without Pollinators?”**

**The title must appear on the front of the poster.** We ask that the following information be included on the back of each poster: **student’s name, school, grade, and phone number and teacher’s name.**

If any posters are chosen to represent the Arenac Conservation District in the State contest, we will ask for the student’s home contact information at that time.

Poster size must be between **8.5”x11”** and **22”x28”**. I will pick all posters up **April 23 (when I deliver Arbor Day Trees) to your school office.**

We wish all your students the **“Best of Luck”** in the contest. The winners of each classroom will receive **1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>** place ribbon and certificate. Divisions winners will go on to the state level, 1st place state level winners go on to the national level. Thank you so much for your time and work you put forth to make this contest possible.

If you have any questions, please call me at (989) 846-4565 ext. 5

Conservationaley yours,

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## Poster Evaluations

Poster Contest entries are judged on the following criteria:

- Conservation message (50 percent) - poster uses correct theme
- Visual effectiveness (30 percent)
- Originality (10 percent) and
- Universal appeal (10 percent)
- Also taken into consideration artwork is completed on poster is that of participant (unless noted on entry form).

To make it easier, you can just use this for the students to fill out and attach to the back of their posters.

**“Where would we BEE without Pollinators?”**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**School** \_\_\_\_\_

**Teachers Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Division I II III IV V (circle one)**