

5th Avenue Evergreen Art Contest

Bergen Village Shopping Center, Evergreen's premier shopping center, is calling for amazing student art work to be displayed in the shop windows throughout the holiday season.

When: November 18, 2011 is the grand unveiling of the window art and lighting of Bergen Village Shopping Center. Work will be displayed throughout the holiday season through December 29th, 2011

Where: Bergen Village Shopping Center store windows

What: LET OUR STUDENT'S SHINE! Art created by students to be displayed in store windows to give Evergreen a "5th Avenue" holiday aura. Not only will we create some fun in the community, but this will allow students and art departments and schools the ability to earn recognition AND the chance to earn some money

Theme: Winter wonderland and Holiday themed art.

Medium: Students choice. Artwork must be able to hang inside the Window. Please have art work ready to be hung November 17th, 2011.

Who: Students, individuals and teams from all Evergreen area schools – elementary up to high school. One registration per school. Please contact us to register so we know how many windows to prepare. Prizes will be awarded, per school, for the following age groups:

- Elementary
- Middle
- High

Size: With participation, your school will be assigned a store front. Depending on the store, you may be working with 2 or 3 windows. Dimensions for each window should be 44" x 31". We ask that all artwork be this size. The windows are vertical, so please have picture oriented portrait size.

Judging: Judging will be done by Center for Art's Evergreen AND by the visitors to Bergen Village Shopping Center (People's Choice Award). Ballot boxes at all stores, to be collected and awarded November 26th, 2011.

Prizes: Individual Participants – Menchie's Gift Certificate

Art Departments per Age Group:

1st Place Winners - \$100

2nd Place Winners - \$50

3rd Place Winners - \$25

Each Participating School will be eligible to receive a percentage of the sales from participating Bergen Village Merchants from November 18th – November 26th, 2011.

Bergen Village Merchant Association (BVMA) will provide placards to highlight the School name, Grade, and the fine artists that created the winter wonderland and holiday themed artwork. BVMA will identify store window locations for each registered piece and reserves the right to deselect art as it solely chooses.