September 5, 2014

Re: Young Voices, Horseshoe Crabs and the Arts 2014

This year we received 450 entries from four countries, Hong Kong, India, Mexico and the USA. Our judges selected 40 of the most compelling artwork from each grade level that entered. As always, the task was challenging, for all forms of personal expression are, by their very nature, an honest reflection of the heart within. Since the program's inception in 1998, the Young Voices that give this program life, has grown from a few hundred, to many thousands around the world. We celebrate these young environmental stewards, whose compassion for the conservation of this remarkable species, expressed through art, has elevated and transformed our perception of this often-misunderstood marine.

In addition to posting this years selected artists on our website http://horseshoecrab.org as in years past, we will also be featuring one artist per week on our Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/horseshoecrab.erdg beginning the first Friday in October and continuing every Friday thereafter.

It is our hope, that our viewing audience will “Like” and “Share” this artwork with their friends around the world in celebration of the Young Voices who created it. In addition, we intend to reach out to the print media in the artist’s hometown, so their community can be made aware of their achievement. Please join us in celebration of these remarkable and compassionate young artists.

To the artist and educator who have made this program possible, we give our heart-felt thanks.

Glenn Gauvry
President ERDG
Pre-K:
1. **Artist:** Joseph Portilla  
   **School:** Home School, Wantagh, NY  
   **Medium:** Tempera  
   Teacher: Cecilia Portilla

K:
2. **Artist:** Anthony Naples  
   **School:** Clementine Montessori School, Philadelphia, PA  
   **Medium:** Mixed Media  
   Teacher: Eileen Fell

3. **Artist:** Zeke Hammarhead  
   **School:** Clementine Montessori School, Philadelphia, PA  
   **Medium:** Mixed Media  
   Teacher: Eileen Fell

1st Grade
4. **Artist:** Jaydon Garrison  
   **School:** Downe Township Elementary School, Newport, NJ  
   **Medium:** Pastel  
   Teacher: Guyer

5. **Artist:** Noemi Alonso Sierra  
   **School:** Loyola Comunidad Educativa, Yucatán, México,  
   **Medium:** Crayon  
   Teacher: Alejandra Cortes Thierry

6. **Artist:** Kayley Breeden  
   **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
   **Medium:** Mixed Media  
   Teacher: Harriet Hubbard

7. **Artist:** Kaylee Dixon  
   **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
   **Medium:** Colored Marker  
   Teacher: Harriet Hubbard

8. **Artist:** Gabrielle Danks  
   **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
   **Medium:** Mixed Media  
   Teacher: Harriet Hubbard
2nd Grade

9. **Artist:** Annabella Piernikoski  
   **School:** Downe Township Elementary School, Newport, NJ  
   **Medium:** Pastels and Marker  
   Teacher: Jones

10. **Artist:** Nolan Herchelroth  
    **School:** Downe Township Elementary School, Newport, NJ  
    **Medium:** Colored Markers  
    Teacher: Jones

11. **Artist:** Sailynn Ortiz  
    **School:** Mark Newblie School, Collingswood, NJ  
    **Medium:** Watercolor/Crayon  
    Teacher: Marie Mayer

12. **Artist:** Julianna Wilson  
    **School:** Mark Newblie School, Collingswood, NJ  
    **Medium:** Watercolor and Crayon  
    Teacher: Marie Mayer

13. **Artist:** Emma Hastings  
    **School:** Mark Newblie, Collingswood, NJ  
    **Medium:** Pastel and Watercolor  
    Teacher: Marie Mayer

3rd Grade

14. **Artist:** Carlos Rojas Rodríguez  
    **School:** Loyola Comunidad Educativa, Yucatán, México,  
    **Medium:** Colored Pencil  
    Teacher: Verónica Thierry

15. **Artist:** Mirac Sahin  
    **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
    **Medium:** Colored Pencil  
    Teacher: Harriet Hubbard

16. **Artist:** Juan Garcia  
    **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
    **Medium:** Colored Pencil  
    Teacher: Harriet Hubbard

17. **Artist:** Rosetta Silva  
    **School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
    **Medium:** Pastel and Marker  
    Teacher: Harriet Hubbard
18. **Artist:** Rosetta Silva  
**School:** Field Street Elementary School, Carney’s Point, NJ  
**Medium:** Watercolor  
Teacher: Harriet Hubbard

4th Grade

19. **Artist:** Jenna L. Grave  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Colored Pencil and Watercolor  
Teacher: Eric Jayne and Christopher Brown

20. **Artist:** Nicholas Taber  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Colored Pencil  
Teacher: Eric Jayne and Christopher Brown

21. **Artist:** Gerardo Montemayor  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Pen & Ink  
Teacher: Eric Jayne

22. **Artist:** Ava Morales  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Pencil  
Teacher: Eric Jayne

23. **Artist:** Alec Laraway  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Mixed Media  
Teacher: Eric Jayne

5th Grade

24. **Artist:** Teon Saunders  
**School:** LaSalle Academy, Philadelphia, PA  
**Medium:** Colored Pencil  
Teacher: Marlene Adler

25. **Artist:** Ian Stotts  
**School:** Sudlersville Middle School, Sudlersville, MD  
**Medium:** Colored Pencil  
Teacher: L. Calloway
6th Grade

26. **Artist:** Daniel Walch  
**School:** Madeira Beach Fundamental School, Madeira Beach, FL  
**Medium:** Poem  
Teacher: Stephen W. Ross

27. **Artist:** Abbie Busch  
**School:** Madeira Beach Fundamental School, Madeira Beach, FL  
**Medium:** Story  
Teacher: Stephen W. Ross

28. **Artist:** Ruby Tik Kei Ng  
**School:** Tsung Tsin Christian Academy, Cheung Sha Wan, Hong Kong  
**Medium:** Colored Pencil  
Teacher: Constantine Wing Heng Lau

29. **Artist:** Liza Goldberg and Layanne Khaskia  
**School:** Pointer’s Run Elementary School, Clarksville, MD  
**Medium:** Song  
Teacher: Eric Jayne and Christopher Brown

7th Grade

30. **Artist:** Sydney Celata  
**School:** Rodney Thompson Middle School, Stafford, VA  
**Medium:** Hand knitted & stuffed  
Teacher: Randy Craig Vann

31. **Artist:** Arti Aganxial  
**School:** Lycee Francais de Pondicherry, Puducherry, Tamil Nadu, India  
**Medium:** Pencil  
Teacher: Robin Rungassamy

32. **Artist:** Alyssa Mickens  
**School:** LaSalle Academy, Philadelphia, PA  
**Medium:** Tempera and Marker  
Teacher: Marlene Adler

8th Grade

33. **Artist:** Havan Nguyen  
**School:** Rodney Thompson Middle School, Stafford, VA  
**Medium:** Paper Quilling  
Teacher: Randy Craig Vann
34. **Artist:** Felicity deToll  
**School:** Rodney Thompson Middle School, Stafford, VA  
**Medium:** Woodburning  
Teacher: Randy Craig Vann

35. **Artist:** Ryan McGee  
**School:** Rodney Thompson Middle School, Stafford, VA  
**Medium:** Ceramic  
Teacher: Randy Craig Vann

36. **Artist:** Kristine Javar  
**School:** Rodney Thompson Middle School, Stafford, VA  
**Medium:** Charcoal  
Teacher: Randy Craig Vann

37. **Artist:** Paige Bobka  
**School:** Sanford School, Hockessin, DE  
**Medium:** Pencil  
Teacher: Jim Barnaby

38. **Artist:** Elizabeth Vander Laan  
**School:** Sanford School, Hockessin, DE  
**Medium:** Watercolor  
Teacher: Jim Barnaby

39. **Artist:** Dmitry Aktur  
**School:** Rachel Carson High School, Brooklyn, NY  
**Medium:** Etching  
Teacher: Virginia Sullivan

40. **Artist:** Anneliese Olbrich  
**School:** China Spring High School, China Spring, TX  
**Medium:** Pen & Ink  
Teacher: