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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 programs 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

Selected Artists 2014

Pre-K:

1. **Artist:** Joseph Portilla
School: Home School, Wantagh, NY
Medium: Tempera
Teacher: Cecilia Portilla

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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:** Noemí Alonso Sierra
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

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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

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- 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

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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

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- 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

9th Grade

- 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: