

ReclaimOurWater

Reclaim Our Water (ROW) 2022 Poster Contest Guidelines, Rules & Instructions

This contest is open to Suffolk County Students currently in Grade 5.

Special Note: Suffolk County employees, contractors, or grantees and their immediate family members may enter but are not eligible to win.

GUIDELINES

- ***Entrants are to create original artwork depicting their favorite water-related activities in Suffolk County with family and friends, e.g., “I like swimming, kayaking, fishing, gardening, etc.”***
- The poster must be your own original creation. No copyrighted images or materials may be used in the poster, and the work must not infringe on any third-party rights.
- The poster should contain text that directs the viewers to our Website <https://reclaimourwater.info/>.
- Posters can be funny or serious, as long as they focus on the contest theme.
- Suffolk County will disqualify any entries it deems to contain offensive material.
- Entries will be judged by an impartial panel on the basis of creativity, originality, message, and relevance.
- Your poster must be created and submitted in electronic format or hard copy paper/poster board. Preferred sizes are 8.5” x 11” or 11” x 17”.

RULES

- Entrants must complete the Reclaim Our Water 2022 Poster Contest Entry Form and provide valid contact information and signatures. The entrant’s parent or legal guardian must also sign the Entry Form.
- ***Entry forms and posters must be received by 5:00 p.m., Friday, May 20, 2022 via mail, physical drop off, OR email to EcoDev@SuffolkCountyNY.gov with Subject Line “ROW 2022 Poster Contest”.***
- If mailing the entry, the package must be post marked no later than May 20, 2022.
- Posters previously produced for compensation are not eligible.
- By submitting a poster to this contest, you grant to Suffolk County a royalty-free license to copy, distribute, modify, display and perform publicly and otherwise use, and authorize others to use, your poster for any educational purpose throughout the world and in any media.
- Suffolk County reserves the right to make your poster available to the general public from its Website and to distribute it to any organizations interested in showing it for educational purposes, including but not limited to, Internet sites, at conferences and events, on television, and other media outlets.
- Suffolk County reserves the right to not select a winner if none of the entries received are judged to be of acceptable quality.
- Winners must provide their original poster/file to Suffolk County to receive prizes. Materials will not be returned.
- Prizes will be awarded for First Place and up to four (4) Finalists. ***First Place will be a Family Sail Event aboard the historic Oyster Sloop Priscilla of the Long Island Maritime Museum.*** See our website for more details on prizes.
- Winners will be notified via e-mail prior to the awards ceremony and winners will be announced on the contest website.
- Awards ceremony will be held at the **Long Island Maritime Museum** on Thursday, June 9, 2022, at 6 p.m. (tentative), located at 88 West Ave., West Sayville, NY 11796.

INSTRUCTIONS

Your entry is not complete and will not be included in judging unless you submit the completed Contest Entry Form.

Please either:

- Download/save the fillable pdf form, complete, electronically sign and email the form along with your electronic entry/poster to EcoDev@SuffolkCountyNY.gov, with Subject Line "Row 2022 Poster Contest", *OR*
- Attach the completed hard-copy form to your mailed or hand-delivered poster to:
Attn: ROW 2022 Poster Contest
Suffolk County Department of Economic Development and Planning
11th Floor
100 Veterans Memorial Hwy.
Hauppauge, NY 11788
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PRIVACY POLICY

Personal information collected from poster submitters to the Suffolk County Reclaim Our Water 2022 Poster Contest will never be sold. The information collected for this contest will only be used to contact poster submitters in direct relation to the contest.

The contest winners' names (and the names of any honorable mentions Suffolk County may select) will be announced publicly, after consultation with the winners and any honorable mentions, as a part of the Suffolk County Reclaim Our Water 2022 Poster Contest award recognition process.

For complete details visit the Reclaim Our Water website at <https://reclaimourwater.info/> and click on ROW 2022 Poster Contest.

