3rd Grade Coloring Contest

The City of Evanston is hosting an art contest as part of National Drinking Water Week 2017 (#NDWW) (May 7 – 13). The purpose of NDWW is to celebrate water by recognizing the essential role it plays in our daily lives. The City will host the art contest for 3rd grade students in Evanston schools/community organizations with the goal of education and promotion around drinking water.

This year’s theme is “Your Water – to know it is to love it” (See contest website for details)

Art Contest Details:

- Submissions should fit onto a 9x12 piece of paper or smaller and can include any medium (paint, crayons, colored pencils, collage, etc).
- Students’ artwork should help celebrate the theme, “Your Water – to know it is to love it.”
- **Winners will be selected via online voting March 24 to April 7** and their entries will be featured on the City’s website.
- Winners will be announced at the Administration & Public Works Committee meeting of the Evanston City Council on May 8. Those selected will be invited to attend the presentation of the awards.
- Top entries will be displayed at the Evanston Main Library during National Drinking Water Week.
- The overall winners will be presented with a plaque and will have their artwork featured on the homepage of the City of Evanston website. Each of the three winners will receive a four-pack of Evanston Beach Tokens for the 2017 summer.
- City of Evanston staff from the Water Production Bureau will be available to make presentations on drinking water and the contest to schools/classes who are interested.

**Deadline for submission: Monday, March 6th, 2017 at 4pm**
Submit artwork to the Evanston Water Production Bureau, 555 Lincoln Street, Evanston, IL 60201. Artwork can be mailed or dropped off Monday – Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Artists must be in 3rd grade. Please include students’ full name, school, class room number and teacher’s name on the back of artwork. More information can be found at cityofevanston.org/Drinkingwaterweek.

Concerns and questions can be directed to Darrell A. King, Water Production Bureau Chief, at (847) 448-8212, dking@cityofevanston.org.