

State of Nevada
Department of Business and Industry
HOUSING DIVISION



ANNUAL SCHOOL ART CONTEST

The Housing Division invites children in grades K-5 from all schools in Clark County to take part in a juried art competition.

GUIDELINES:

- ◆ Any two-dimensional format is acceptable -- paint, watercolor, marker, crayon, pencil, chalk, etc.
- ◆ Art must be on minimum size 8 ½" x 11" or maximum size 9" x 12" size paper;
- ◆ ALL artwork must be labeled with the student's name, grade level, school, and teacher's name. **This information must be printed clearly or typed on the back of the drawing.**

(Any of the above guidelines not met will **AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFY** the student from the competition.)

THEME:

"**Where I Live**". Picture your home or a make-believe place that you would like to call your home. Think of all the different kinds of houses and the community you see as you travel along the city streets.

SUBMITTING ENTRIES:

- ◆ Please send entries through school mail to: Bridget Phillips, CCSD School-Community Partnership Program, 5450 W. Sahara, Suite #250, Las Vegas, or
- ◆ Mail or deliver entries directly to the Nevada Housing Division, 1771 East Flamingo Road, Ste. 103-B, Las Vegas, NV 89119.
- ◆ Entries will be accepted through **October 26, 2007**.

JUDGING:

- ◆ A panel of local artists, community leaders, and representatives of the Real Estate Section of the Las Vegas Review-Journal will judge entries. Winning entries will be professionally exhibited at The Venetian Resort Hotel & Casino's artists' reception and program.

PRIZES:

- ◆ Winning entries sponsored by Pardee Homes: 1st place (\$300 Savings Bond), 2nd place (\$150 Savings Bond), 3rd place (\$100 Savings Bond), judge's choice (\$50 Savings Bond), honorable mentions, and runners-up (each, \$25 Savings Bonds).
- ◆ All participants will receive certificates.

Exhibition and Publicity:

- ◆ The Venetian Foundation will sponsor the art exhibit, program and reception to be held on January 24, 2008, at The Venetian Resort Hotel & Casino, recognizing the artists whose work was juried into the competition.
- ◆ The Real Estate Section of the Las Vegas Review-Journal will sponsor a feature story on the contest winners, December 23, 2007.
- ◆ Winners', judges' choice, honorable mentions', and runners'-up artwork will be featured in the NHD 2008 wall calendar.

Community Partnership:

Clark County School District School-Community Partnership Program, State of Nevada Housing Division, Pardee Homes, Real Estate Section of the Las Vegas Review-Journal, and The Venetian Foundation.

If you have any questions, or would like more information, please call Jean Norton, Chief Assistant, Nevada Housing Division, at 486-7220, ext. 224. All of the students' artwork will be returned.