

2008-2009 PTA Reflections

Program

WOW!

The Reflections Program is an annual program through the National PTA. It offers students the opportunity to create works of art for fun and recognition. Students in preschool through grade 12 are encouraged to create and submit works of art in six areas:

Dance/Choreography
Literature
Film/Video Production
Musical Composition
Photography
Visual Arts

Congratulations to all who participated in the 2008-2009 PTA Reflections Program. This year we had 14 entries of which 7 were submitted to the state. The quality of work was extremely impressive and the Judges had a very difficult time selecting between the entries.

First of all, Congratulations to **Amanda Sloan** who placed **FIRST** in the **Connecticut PTA - Middle Division - Photography**. Competition at the state level for Photography is extremely competitive. We are and should be very proud of Amanda for placing first in her division. Amanda will be honored at the annual Reflections Award Ceremony on Thursday, May 7, at Middletown High School. Her photograph will also be sent to Washington D.C. to be judged at the National PTA level.

Congratulations to all who participated. Below are this year's Somers PTA Reflections winners. Winners will be recognized formally at an upcoming assembly.

Somers PTA 2008-2009 Reflections Program Winners

All first place winners were submitted to the CT PTA Reflections competition.

Primary Division – Literature

First Place – Lauren Sloan, The Dancers

Primary Division - Visual Arts

First Place – Egan Faye, Wow! What a Beautiful Farm

Second Place – Rachel Cranna, Animals in a Line

Intermediate Division – Music

First Place – Ethan Belisle, Sledding

Intermediate Division – Photography

First Place – Allison Tarbox,

Second Place – Ava Roche, Wow! Look at all that Snow

Third Place – Connor Roberts, Nature's Wonder

Intermediate Division – Visual Arts

First Place – Grace Keeney, Wonders of Water

Second Place – Brady Rivard, Fairy Tale

Third Place – Annushka Sewrathan, Dolphins

Third Place – Avery Foye, Fireworks

Intermediate Division – Film/Video Production

First Place – Cody Arnone, Snow is Amazing

Middle – Junior Division – Photography

First Place – Amanda Sloan, The Ice Cliff (also placed First in CT Reflections)

Second Place – Kelsey Sloan, Mirage

Thank you everyone for participating in the 2008-2009 Reflections Program. You all did a wonderful job. I hope you decide to participate next year.

Regards,

Robert Trusch – Somers PTA Reflections