

# 2009 Art Competition

## The State Botanical Garden of Georgia

*funded by The J.A. and H.G. Woodruff, Jr. Charitable Trust*

- Purpose** This competition is sponsored for the purpose of selecting original artwork that may be used to create signature items for sale at The State Botanical Garden of Georgia gift shop such as note cards, T-shirts, scarves, mugs and mouse pads. Winning artwork may also be used on Garden brochures and promotional materials. Creative concepts for how the artwork might be used will be considered by the judges as well as the reproducibility of the design and how well the design represents The State Botanical Garden of Georgia.
- Entrants** All entrants submitting artwork must be students 10<sup>th</sup> grade and above (this includes college students) who attend school full or part time in Athens-Clarke County or any adjoining county (Barrow, Jackson, Madison, Oconee, Oglethorpe). A maximum of two entries per artist may be submitted. A team of students may submit one design.
- Entry Fee** None.
- Media** Media of your choice, including hand produced and computer generated art, is acceptable. All works must be two-dimensional and original in concept, black-and-white or color. Both the original artwork and a digital image must be submitted. Digital images must be submitted as a .tif file with a minimum 1200 dpi. The artist's name must be written on the computer disc and the disc protected by a sleeve or case. If the original artwork is delicate in nature, the artwork should be suitably protected. Works may be framed. Artists are strongly encouraged to sign their artwork.
- Size** 24" X 36" maximum design size. Square, horizontal, round, oval or vertical format. Please indicate hanging direction if necessary.
- Deadline** **Tuesday, November 10, 2009 at 4:00 p.m.**
- Deliver** Please deliver in person to the lower level of the Callaway Building, The State Botanical Garden of Georgia, 2450 South Milledge Avenue, Athens, Georgia 30605 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. November 9 or 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. November 10, 2009. Call Connie Cottingham at 706-542-6014 if other arrangements need to be made. All submissions must be accompanied by a signed entry form (available on site and at [www.uga.edu/botgarden](http://www.uga.edu/botgarden)) and a form of student identification.
- Exhibit** Winning artwork will be on display at The State Botanical Garden of Georgia Visitor Center from December 1, 2009 through January 6, 2010.
- Pick up** Non-winning submissions and submissions awarded Certificates of Merit may be picked up in the Callaway Building at The State Botanical Garden of Georgia between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., Thursday, November 26, 2009. Call Connie at 542-6014 to arrange for a different time if necessary. Artwork not picked up by 5:00 p.m. on November 26, 2009 becomes the property of The State Botanical Garden of Georgia. Artwork must be picked up by the artist; photo ID may be required. Call Connie Cottingham at 706-542-6014 if other arrangements need to be made.
- Release** The State Botanical Garden of Georgia will take reasonable measures to care for the artwork but cannot be liable for damage, breakage or theft while in transit, in storage, during judging or on display. Signed entry forms serve as a release for The State Botanical Garden of Georgia, Friends of the Garden, and judges from any liability.
- First, second and third prize winning submissions, copyright and reproduction rights become the property of The State Botanical Garden of Georgia and may be used by the Garden and/or Friends of the Garden to create promotional materials and products for sale without restrictions by the artist. The State Botanical Garden of Georgia or Friends of the Garden may offer to purchase works awarded Certificates of Merit.
- Prizes** \$1,000 for 1<sup>st</sup> place, \$500 for 2<sup>nd</sup> and \$250 for 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Judges may award Certificates of Merit.
- Information** For additional information, Contact Connie Cottingham, Publicity & Special Events, at [connicot@uga.edu](mailto:connicot@uga.edu) or 706-542-6014.

**Entry Form**  
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*The deadline is Tuesday, November 10, 2009 at 4:00 PM.*

Artist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Media: \_\_\_\_\_

Release (all must be initialed by Artist):

\_\_\_\_\_ I am currently a full-time or part-time student at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (school) in \_\_\_\_\_ county.  
*The State Botanical Garden staff may call this school to confirm my enrollment or may ask to see a current student ID.*

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that the winning entries and copyright become the property of The State Botanical Garden of Georgia.

\_\_\_\_\_ I attest that this is an original work by the artist(s) listed above.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will provide a photo or agree to have a photo taken by SBG staff if my work is a contest winner.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read and agree to abide by the rules of the contest.

All Entries must include:

\_\_\_\_\_ Statement by the artist. Please attach a short description of yourself (background, field of study, interests) and describe your work (inspiration, interpretation, etc.). What ideas do you have for using this design on a marketable product?

\_\_\_\_\_ Labeled disc with .tif file of the image.

\_\_\_\_\_ Original artwork (signed)

Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Use Only

Accepted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Released by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Student status confirmed: \_\_\_\_\_

The State Botanical Garden of Georgia is pleased to announce the

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***with a \$1,000 first prize!***

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