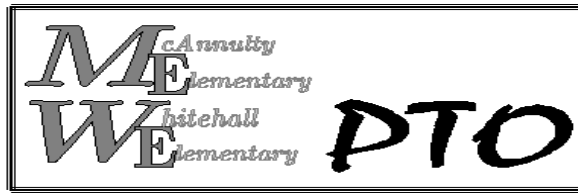


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Inspirations 2016-17

It is that time again; the ME & WE PTO is sponsoring its arts in education program "Inspirations." Through participation in the Inspirations program, children grades K-5 are encouraged to express themselves through the arts. We would like to introduce you and your child to this year's theme:

"Together We Can"

The purpose of "Together We Can" is to encourage children, using art as their medium, to show what we can achieve as a community, a family, a school or as individuals working towards a goal-that goal is for interpretation by the student and the possibilities are endless!!

Students may submit up to one (1) entry in each of the following categories:



Literature

Poems, Stories or Lyrics

Photography

Color or black & white

Visual Arts

Drawing, painting, sculpture, ceramics, computer-aided designs



The DEADLINE FOR Whitehall entries is January 9, 2017

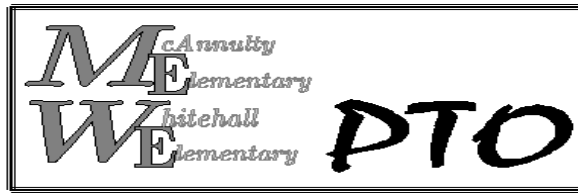
The DEADLINE for McAnnulty entries is March 17, 2017

All entries will be proudly displayed in the school (McAnnulty or Whitehall) and all entrants will be recognized at the "Inspirations" ceremony during the Arts & Science Fair on January 19th at Whitehall and March 29th at McAnnulty.

Winners will receive a \$25.00 gift card and their winning material will be displayed at the Whitehall Public Library.

Please read official rules on reverse of this page for more specific details

If you have any questions please contact Cristy Stipetic 412-901-6200



Please review these rules with your “Budding Artist”

- **Theme:** The theme for the 2016-17 Arts in Education program is Together We Can. Only original entries of work inspired by the theme are acceptable.
- **Eligibility:** All students of McAnnulty and Whitehall Elementary School are eligible to participate. A student may develop an entry in or outside of school. Each entry must be the original work of one student only. No group entries will be accepted. All entries must have student name, category, grade number, homeroom number, and phone number on the back.
- **Grade Divisions:** Each grade will be judged separately.
- **Categories :** Students may submit up to one entry in each of the following categories:
 - **Literature**
 - ✓ Entries must not exceed 2,000 words.
 - ✓ Entries may be handwritten or typed.
 - ✓ Write the student’s name on the back of each page in case pages become separated.
 - ✓ Attach an entry form to the back.
 - **Photography**
 - ✓ A single print or collage may not exceed 11 x 14 inches, including a mat.
 - ✓ Do not frame entries.
 - ✓ Attach an entry form to the back.
 - **Visual Arts**
 - ✓ No art may exceed 24 x 30 inches, including a mat.
 - ✓ No framed entries.
 - ✓ Attach an entry form to the back.
- **Deadlines:** Each student must submit his or her work by the deadlines. Due to the judging process the deadline is firm.
- **Judging:** Judges review entries based upon creativity, artistic merit, and interpretation of the theme. All judging is done without the judges knowing the student’s name. Do not write the student’s name on the front of entry.
- **Please make sure the student’s name is on the back of the project only, NOT on the front. Late entries will not be accepted.**

Attach to back of entry

Students Name: _____ Grade _____

Homeroom/Teacher _____ Home Phone # _____