

## **“Off the Wall” Student Festival - December 23-January 29, 2010**

**Prince William Co. and regional High School Students –**

### **6th Annual Visual Arts and Poetry contest**

Sponsored by Lockheed Martin and the Center for the Arts

Open House - January 9th snow date January 16th

3-5 pm, in the Caton Merchant Family Gallery- visual art and poetry winners announced

Artwork will be on display through January 29.

#### **How to Enter -**

#### **Visual Art Contest – Mail/hand deliver CD entries by November 23rd**

- \_ Three entries per student are allowed in any two-dimensional medium.
- \_ Mail jpeg images (no larger than 3”x5”) on a CD: Mac and PC readable.
- \_ Include a separate hard copy sheet of paper with required information listed below:
  - Image number: 1, 2 or 3 & title - match it with labels on your CD.
  - Medium/date created.
  - Your name.
  - School you attend.
  - Your phone number & your e-mail address.
- \_ Mail or hand deliver to Center for the Arts, 9419 Battle St., Manassas, VA 20110.
- \_ Notification of accepted works will be by e-mail/telephone, by December 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- \_ E-mailed images will not be accepted.

#### **After acceptance notifications, prepare for exhibition:**

\_ Simple framing: use plexi, large eye screws and hanging hardware (strap hangers) with wire across the back required.

**NO POSTER FRAMES/NO SAWTOOTH HANGERS ALLOWED.**

\_ Artwork is to be labeled on back with title, medium, your name and school.

\_ Art needed for college/Governor’s School adjudication **SHOULD NOT** be entered.

\_ Deliver accepted work: Center for the Arts, 9419 Battle Street, Manassas, VA 20110.

Delivery dates:

Thursday, December 17<sup>th</sup> from 10-5pm.

Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup> from 10-5pm.

Saturday, December 19<sup>th</sup> from 1-5pm.

**NO WORK ACCEPTED FOR DISPLAY AFTER DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup> – FIRM!**

#### **Poetry Contest – Mail in Entries!**

Enter a one-page poem and within the structure of the poem include the words **“Christina’s World.”** The words should not be used separately but as a phrase, as they appear in this entry announcement. Poems will be judged for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place prizes as well as Honorable mentions.

\_ Individual Entries should be mailed with your name, school and your contact information, no hand deliveries or e-mails accepted. Entries without contact information will not be considered.

\_ Mail to: **ATTN: “Poetry,” Center for the Arts, 9419 Battle Street, Manassas, VA 20110.**

\_ **MAIL IDIVIDUAL ENTRIES ONLY**, the first fifty entries received, per individual student, on or before December 3<sup>rd</sup> will be accepted.