



POSTER CONTEST RULES
July 4, 2011

1. One entrant per poster and only one poster per student will be eligible.
2. POSTER BOARD/CONSTRUCTION PAPER/TAG BOARD MUST BE FURNISHED BY THE ENTRANT OR SCHOOL. Entries may be on white or colored background, and no larger than 14" by 22" will be accepted by the Milwaukee 4th of July Commission. Any art media may be used.
3. The contest includes pupils in grades 1 through 5 residing in the City of Milwaukee or attending public and private schools in the City of Milwaukee. Residents of the City of Milwaukee attending MPS charter schools and Chapter 220 schools are eligible. After-school centers for grades 1 through 5 will be included. The contest will be held thru **April 30, 2011**.
4. The poster must reflect the theme "100 Years of Family – Fun - Freedom", which must be printed on the face of the poster.
5. The name of the entrant, home address, school, grade, and date – July 4th, 2011 – shall appear on the reverse side of the poster.
6. Entries will be judged on theme effectiveness, accuracy, originality, effort, and neatness, and must be the sole work of the entrant. Decision of the judges is final.
7. A \$25 gift card/certificate will be presented for each division as a grand prize for the best entry citywide among the first-place winners. All entries become property of the Milwaukee 4th of July Commission. Winning entries will be posted on the City's website, and will be displayed in the rotunda of City Hall and later at the Milwaukee Public Schools Art Department.

Poster entries in each participating park district will be picked up by park association volunteers after the contest has ended. If posters are not picked up within a week of the closing date, please contact poster contest chairperson Judy Wagner - see below.

If your school or after-school center is in a park district that is NOT participating in the poster contest, please deliver posters to the Milwaukee Public Schools Art Department, c/o Ms. Kim Ablor, Curriculum Specialist, Room 2, 5225 W. Vliet St., Milwaukee, 53208, within a week of the closing date.

For further information, call Judy Wagner at 414.321.8946