

Art Students Honored for Outstanding Work

The 2008-09 school year has seen many of our art students honored in the local and surrounding communities. Two sculpture students, Sydney Jacobs and Carly Cree were honored to have their wire figures accepted in the prestigious High School Juried Exhibit at the Lake Placid Center of the Arts.

In May, six of our students won a number of prizes at the Robideau/Lamitie-King Juried Exhibit in Malone.

First Place in Middle School Painting: Taylor Bero for "Peace", 7th grade
First Place in Middle School Mixed Media, Michah Walk for "Clowning Around", 7th grade
Honorable Mention in High School Drawing, Faith Francis for "Time is Elusive", 10th grade
Honorable Mention in Painting, Kelly Oakes, "We See and Forget", 11th grade
First Place in Sculpture, Sydney Jacobs, "Just Out of Reach", 10th grade
Honorable Mention in Sculpture, Bobbi Jo Lauzon, "My Aztec Cat", 12th grade

Salmon River's own Elyse Lauzon was selected by the Foothills Art Society as the winner of the Arnold Sauther Scholarship Award.

Elyse is also our Senior Artist of 2009. Her painting, "Help", was chosen for the Salmon River Library Purchase Award.

Salmon River had its own art show and invited a faculty member who is knowledgeable in art and education to judge. Prizes were presented to the following students:

High School Best of Show, 2-D: Elyse Lauzon's painting, "Four Times Four".

High School Best of Show, 3-D: Bobbi Jo Lauzon's ceramic sculpture, "My Aztec Cat".

High School Most Imaginative: Shania Oakes' sheetrock carving, "Tiki Totem".

Jr. High Best of Show: Miranda David.

Jr. High Most Imaginative: Alexander Paulino.

Ms. Backus' and Mrs. Ida's students were given an assignment in which they had to describe the piece of art that they found most interesting. The winner: Kelly Oakes' painting: "We See and Forget".

Congratulations to all students who participated in these art shows! Everyone commented on their amazing creativity and skill.

