

Winners of the Twelfth Annual Eco-Heroes Art Contest

April 17th, 2024

The City of Bloomington Environmental Commission is pleased to announce the winners of the eleventh annual Eco-Heroes Contest. The contest seeks to transform the natural curiosity of local youth into a passion for the world around them through their creativity as artists, writers, and craftspeople.

The theme of the 2024 Eco-Heroes Contest was "**Drops to Drains: Eco-Heroes Working with the City on Stormwater Strains**." This year's contest was a great success with over 60 outstanding entries, which represented the work of artists ranging from 3rd grade to adults. These diverse entries include drawings, fashion, dioramas, and more!

The winners of each category are as follows:

Category 1: 3rd Grade

1st place	Grant Bidelman, Childs Elementary	
2nd place	Ariana Bradley, Childs Elementary	
3rd place	Nora Raymond, Childs Elementary	
Category 2: 4th- 5th Grade		
1st place	Amelie Foreman, Bloomington Montessori	
2nd place	Summit Elementary 4 th Graders	

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3rd place	Hannah Chong,	, University Elementary

Category 3: 6th-8th Grade

1st place	Callen Rayles, University Elementary
2nd place	Ena Francisco-Sabanovic & Allison Pepper, Bloomington Montessori

Category 4: 9th-12th Grade 1st place Seongwon Park, Bloomington South

Category 5: Adults 1st place Garrett Baker 2nd place Jodie Friend

Congratulations to our 2024 Eco-Heroes!

If you have any questions about the Eco-Heroes contest, feel free to contact Alauna Keeley at <u>alauna.keeley@bloomington.in.gov</u> or Linda Thompson at <u>thompsol@bloomington.in.gov</u>



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