



NORTH PLATTE
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NRD Poster Contest Promotes Trees

The North Platte Natural Resources District (NRD) is once again conducting its annual Conservation Poster Contest. The 2016 theme is “We all need Trees” and the entry must be returned to the NRD office no later than close of business, Tuesday, Nov. 15.

Contest coordinator David Wolf explains just how important trees are. “I think we sometimes take trees for granted, but they do provide numerous benefits for us. They provide shade, food, building materials, and entertainment, and they also clean the air and water we need to survive.” Wolf said. “I am really excited to see all the different poster possibilities the kids will come up with.”

Last year, the NRD received the most entries it has in a long time, and Wolf hopes more students participate this year. Home schools, daycares, church groups, and other youth organizations are also welcome to get the kids interested in the poster contest and encourage them to submit entries. Wolf is available to present to your youth group.

The contest is open to all K-8 students in Banner, Garden, Morrill, Scotts Bluff, and southern Sioux Counties. First, second and third place winners in each of the four age divisions (Grades K-1; 2-3; 4-6, and 7-8) will receive a cash prize, media recognition and be featured on the NPNRD’s website. Entry deadline is November 15, 2016.

Poster size must be no smaller than 8.5” by 11” or no larger than 22” by 28” and originally designed and completed by the entrant. All submitted posters must include the entrant’s full name, age, grade, and school, address and phone number on the back.

Poster entries can be mailed to: North Platte NRD Poster Contest, P.O. Box 280, Scottsbluff, NE 69363-0280 or dropped off at the NPNRD office, 100547 Airport Road, Scottsbluff. For complete rules, and more information, visit the NPNRD website at <http://www.npnrd.org/poster-contest/> or contact Wolf at (308) 632-2749.

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