

## Poster Contest Guidelines

Announcing Poster Contest: To Celebrate Black History Month and Martin Luther King, Jr. Sponsored by Unity and Diversity Committee of Waynesboro Area Fellowship of Churches.

Deadline: January 29th, 2024

Purpose: to recognize that Black history is part of America's history, and to celebrate men and women who did the right thing and made our country stronger.

Theme: "The time is always right to do what is right."

Use the above quote from Martin Luther King, Jr. and feature a prominent person from Black History, for example Rosa Parks, Samuel Coleridge-Taylor, Phyllis Wheatley, Sojourner Truth, George Washington Carver, Jackie Robinson, Andrew Young, MLK, Jr., or Thurgood Marshall and Franklin County's own: Martin Delany, Joseph Winters and Zelda Barbour Wynn Valdes.

For children and youth in Waynesboro Area. Three categories: 2nd grade and younger;,grades 3 - 6, and grades 7 - 12. Poster can be made by an individual or as a group project.

Criteria: size 11 x 17 paper; photos, collage, painting, crayons/markers, mixed media, computer-generated images may be part of the poster, but must be combined with other materials.

Submit by turning poster, along with an entry form. in to Waynesboro Area YMCA,; a local church, a YMCA After-School Care site, Or entries can be mailed to PO Box 503, Waynesboro, PA, postmarked by January 29. Please make sure your name, address, phone number and school are on the back of the poster. Prizes range \$25 to \$50.

Entry forms are available by emailing: rileydude607@hotmail.com, or pastor@wapres.org; going to the Fellowship of Churches website; stopping by Morning Star a Perfect Gift store at 28 W. Main Street; an after school care site run by the YMCA, or stopping by the Presbyterian Church of Waynesboro, 105 E. Main Street Waynesboro, PA (call before coming to make sure church office is open: 717-762-1841).

Prizes will be awarded for First, Second, and Third Place, and Honorable Mentions in each age group. Top prize is \$50. Winning posters will be displayed at the Library and the YMCA; all other entrants will be exhibited around the community.