

# Exhibiting Artist Award Sponsors

The Springfield Old Capitol Art Fair presents more than \$10,000 in awards to exhibiting artists. Judging is conducted on Saturday, May 17 during Art Fair hours. Awards are presented at the Artist Party on the evening of Saturday, May 17. For a list of award winners visit the website: [www.socaf.org](http://www.socaf.org).

Award categories sponsored by the following businesses:

**1st Place-Best of Show Award:** \$1,300

**2nd Place Artist Award:** \$1,000

**3rd Place Artist Award:** \$700 - National City Bank

**Outstanding Newcomer Award:** \$500 - Tim Hutson, DDS

**1st Place Photography Award:** \$500 - Kimberly Smoot

**1st Place Ceramic Award:** \$500 - The Arizona Tile Company

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**1st Place Printmaking Award:** \$500

**1st Place Fiber Award:** \$500

**1st Place Other Media:** \$500

**Award Of Merit:** \$250 - DHOT, inc. – Donna’s House of Type & Interactive Data Technologies

**Award Of Merit:** \$250 - Steve and Renee Vilatte

**Children’s 1st Place Award:** \$400 - Dr. Margaret MacGregor

**Children’s 2nd Place Award:** \$300 - Dr. Margaret MacGregor

**Children’s 3rd Place Award:** \$250 - Missy Grussenmeyer - Grady Realtors, Inc.

**Children’s 4th Place Award:** \$200 - Mr. Jason Elvidge

**Children’s Tent Sponsor:** \$1,000 - St. John’s Children’s Hospital

**Poster Contest Winner:** \$200 - Illinois Retired Teachers Association

**Poster Contest 2nd Place:** \$150 Mr. Jason Elvidge

**Poster Contest 3rd Place:** \$100 Mr. Jason Elvidge

**Student Scholarships:** \$600 - INB

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*\* Sponsorships as of May 9, 2008*

*If you are interested in sponsoring an award next year please contact us.*



# Student Art Competition

Each year, the Springfield Old Capitol Art Fair sponsors an art competition for students in grades 5-12 attending Sangamon County schools. Judging was conducted in March. Here are this year’s winners!

1st Place - Claire Muehle  
2nd Place - Wesley Potter  
3rd Place - Josh Zack

Honorable Mentions go to:  
Shelby Pokora  
Safa Nawazish  
Clare Arentzen

*Student artwork exhibited during the Art Fair in the Old Capitol Rotunda - 9 to 5 Saturday and 9 to 5 Sunday.*



1st Place

**Claire Muehle**

Springfield High School

Teacher - Cindy Huffman

Title - “Bovine Freedom”

Medium- Oil/Varnish on canvas



2nd Place

**Wesley Potter**

Rochester Junior High

School

Teacher

Adrienne Frydenger

Title

“Night In The Woods”

Medium - Crayon

# Student Scholarships

Annually, the Springfield Old Capitol Art Fair Board of Directors awards six \$600 scholarships to high school students for outstanding art portfolios. Graduating seniors from Sangamon County high schools are eligible. For a list of winning students visit the website: [www.socaf.org](http://www.socaf.org)



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