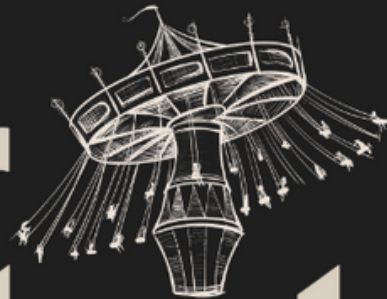


# VENTURA COUNTY FAIR

Commemorative

# poster contest



## CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

We're bringing back the Commemorative Poster Contest for the Ventura County Fair's 150th Anniversary! Showcase your talents using this year's theme!

ENTER YOUR POSTER APRIL 1 -30!

## theme:

## FAIR-EVER YOUNG

Be sure to read all guidelines & rules before creating your poster!

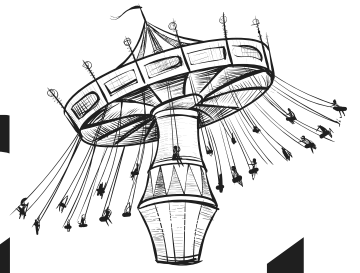
**prizes** 1st \$1,000 2nd \$750 3rd \$500  
**entry fee** \$20





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## guidelines and rules

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### TO ENTER

Entry opens April 1, 2024. Entry deadline is Tuesday, April 30, 2024. Late entries will not be accepted. Only one entry per person will be accepted. Entrants must be 18 or older as of April 1, 2024. All entries must be accompanied by:

- (1) A signed official entry form
- (2) \$20 entry fee. Entry fee can be cash, check, or credit card. Credit card transactions will require an additional process fee in addition to the \$20 entry fee.
- (3) Entrant's name, address, email address, and phone number must be legibly written on the back of the poster or photograph. (The writing should not bleed through to the front of the poster.)

### ARTWORK GUIDELINES

**NO LETTERING.** Do not include the Fair name, logo, or theme name in the original artwork as it will be inserted in production.

All art entries must be submitted on 11" w x 17" h paper. (No newsprint.) Entries received on a different size paper or in the wrong orientation (PLEASE NOTE: must be 11" wide x 17" high) will be disqualified. Artwork can be mounted on 16" x 20" black backing board (only). Mounting is not required. 11" x 17" artwork may be submitted with a USB drive of the digital image, however the Fairgrounds is not responsible for the print quality when being printed for judging. Entry form and payment must still be received at the Fairgrounds or post-marked by April 30, 2024.

The theme for the 2024 Ventura County Fair Commemorative Poster Contest is "Fair-Ever Young." Winning posters will artistically and colorfully communicate this theme and promote the Ventura County Fair. Judging will be based on the creators ability to best depict the theme.

Entries must be original two-dimensional works of art created by the entrant. Entries may not include clipart, copyrighted material, or any registered trademark or logo.

### DELIVERY

Mailed/shipped entries must be sent to: Poster Contest, Ventura County Fair, 10 West Harbor Blvd., Ventura, CA 93001. Mailed/shipped entries must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2024. Entries may be hand-delivered to the Ventura County Fairgrounds Administration Office: 10 West Harbor Blvd., Ventura on weekdays between the hours of 10AM and 5PM.

### WINNERS

Retention of ownership and rights: Ventura County Fairgrounds will retain ownership of and all rights to submitted artwork. Ventura County Fairgrounds may or may not use these posters in conjunction with the 2024 or subsequent Ventura County Fairgrounds promotional campaign(s). Artwork may or may not be altered, edited, or formatted from its original form in order to fit the Fairgrounds use.

Winners will be announce prior to June 2024.

1st Place Overall \$1,000

2nd Place Overall \$750

3rd Place Overall \$500

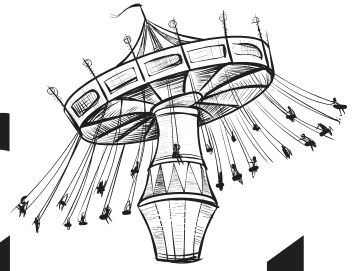
Questions? Email [Info@VenturaCountyFair.org](mailto:Info@VenturaCountyFair.org)  
Subject: Poster Contest





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## entry form

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### ENTRANT'S INFORMATION

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

*By signing below, I affirm that the entered poster is my original work and that I own full rights to the content. I affirm that I have read and understand the contest rules and agree to the terms. I agree that, all rights and ownership of the submitted artwork will transfer to Ventura County Fairgrounds. If my artwork is selected as one of the three winners, I agree to provide my Social Security number to Ventura County Fairgrounds. I agree to hold Ventura County Fairgrounds harmless in case of any dispute.*

*I am 18 years or older as of April 1, 2024.*

ENTRANT'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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**\*\*YOU MUST SUBMIT THIS FORM WITH ENTRY\*\*  
\$20 ENTRY FEE DUE AT THE TIME OF SUBMISSION**

