



ALBANY MUSEUM OF ART

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WINNING STUDENTS IN AMA ESSAY CONTEST TO BE ANNOUNCED FRIDAY, DEC 21

Annual Writing Contest Gives \$1,000 in Awards to College, High School Winners

[For Release Dec 20, 2018 – Albany, GA] — The winning essay writers in the Albany Museum of Art's annual A Picture Is Worth a Thousand Words competition will be announced at 11:30 am on Friday, Dec 21, 2018 at the AMA auditorium.

First-place winners in the college and high school divisions will each be awarded \$250. Second-place essayists in each division will receive \$150, with a \$100 award going to third-place essayists.

For the first time, this year's competition includes middle schoolers. Winning essays in that division earn the winning student's class a free field trip to the Albany Museum of Art.

Newk's Eatery in Albany is awarding gift cards to middle school winners, and to honorable mention winners in the high school and college divisions.

ABOUT THE ALBANY MUSEUM OF ART

The Albany Museum of Art, located in Albany, Georgia, adjacent to Albany State University West Campus just off Gillionville Road is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. The Albany Museum of Art is open 10 am through 5 pm Tuesdays through Fridays and noon until 5 pm on Saturdays. Admission is free.

For more information about the AMA please visit our website, www.albanymuseum.com or call 229.439.8400.

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