The Town of Huntington Youth Bureau
And
Project Excel
presents
The 14th Annual
HUNTINGTON YOUTH WRITES:
A WRITING CONTEST

For students who attend school in the Town of Huntington
GRADES 4 THROUGH 12

OVER $2,000
IN CASH PRIZES!

Winning Entries will be Published

Cash Prizes in each grade level (Grade levels 4-5, 6-8, 9-12)

~POETRY ~ SHORT FICTION ~ ESSAY ~

Entries must be received by

5PM Friday, February 22, 2013

Submissions made after this time will not be accepted

Entry forms available at the Town of Huntington Youth Bureau
Room 200, Village Green Center, 423 Park Avenue, Huntington, NY 11743  631-271-5499
~Entry forms also available at other local sites (schools, libraries, etc.)~
14th Annual HUNTINGTON YOUTH WRITES Contest

For Youth in Grades 4-12 Who Attend School in the Town of Huntington

Over $2000 Cash Awards  * Winners’ Workshop in April  * Awards Ceremony in May

1st Place: $100  * 2nd Place: $75  * 3rd Place: $50  * Honorable Mention: $25

The entry form must be completely filled out and received by Friday, February 22nd, 2013 at 5pm to be eligible for an award

NO EXCEPTIONS FOR THE DEADLINE

Attach one form to each submitted work (students may submit more than one entry)

Please print:

Student’s Name: ______________________________________ Home Phone Number: ____________________________

Alternate Phone Number: _______________________________ Email: ________________________________

Address_____________________________________Apt#_____Town____________________Zip___________

School/ Facility:________________________________ Teacher/ Group Leader_________________

Grade Level (check one):  4-5____  6-8____  9-12____

Category (check one):  Poetry____  Short Story____  Essay____

The attached work, titled__________________________________________________, is original work written by me. I agree that if it is selected as a winning entry the Huntington Youth Bureau can publish it.

Sign here: ____________________________________________

*Any plagiarized work will result in the notification of both the student and his/her school

Guidelines for Submissions: (Please read carefully & follow all directions):

It is encouraged that all entries be typed or printed legibly in English with blue or black ink.

Include your name only on the entry form, not on the work itself.

One student per entry please. All submissions must be in English. Students may submit multiple entries.

**If submitting more than one entry please attach an entry form with each submission.

Collaborative projects will not be accepted

Please include 2 copies of your work *Winners will be contacted to submit a copy of the entry by email

Poems must not exceed 60 lines. Essays and short stories must not exceed 3,000 words.

Mail or hand deliver entries to the

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Tel: 631-271-5499

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-ALL ENTRIES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE HUNTINGTON YOUTH BUREAU-

Please note that winning entries will be published in a journal. All rights will then revert back to the author. Winners will be required to submit the winning entry by email.

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