Aroostook Right to Read

Book Cover Contest for Grades 6-8

Once again, the Aroostook Right to Read Organization is sponsoring the book cover contest. This contest is for the artwork that will become the cover of the annually published Young Author anthology.

Contests Rules:

- Entrants must be from grades 6-8
- Original artwork only (NO tracing or copying of any existing, copyrighted
- work)
- Students are required to sign an originality statement
- Any medium may be used for art piece (watercolor, acrylic, colored pencil, charcoal, chalk, marker, crayons, etc.)
- Art piece should be designed around one of our Young Author book's writing category themes:
    - ➔ Friends & Family
    - ➔ Animal Tales
    - ➔ Seasonal Lore
    - ➔ Adventure
    - ➔ Feelings, Dreams, and Reflections
    - ➔ Fantasy and Other Fiction
    - ➔ Aroostook County

- Art piece can be any size (can be resized w/printer), but the orientation should be PORTRAIT, not landscape
- DO NOT include ANY writing (not even the YA book name) on the front of the art piece, EXCEPT: Located somewhere ON THE FRONT of the art piece, student should have his/her signature
- ON THE BACK of the art piece should be:
    - ➔ Student's name
    - ➔ Teacher's name
    - ➔ School name
    - ➔ Grade level

One art piece will be selected from all of the county's submissions to be the book cover for the 2027 Young Authors' anthology. The winner will be invited to attend the annual Young Authors Institute in the spring as an honorary guest and get a copy of the anthology as well. These will be collected by your AR2R director. Feel free to reach out should you have any questions.