

Pueblo Home of Heroes Association Essay Contest



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The Pueblo Home of Heroes Association invites students in grades 4-12 to enter the 13th annual essay contest answering the following question:

“When was our nation’s highest military honor for valor, the Medal of Honor created? How has it changed over the years and what is its significance to Pueblo and Colorado?”

Deadline: Feb. 26, 2021

How to Submit Entries: Drop off at any library location, submit online at mail to:

Pueblo City-County Library District,
Attn: Community Relations, 100 E. Abriendo Ave., Pueblo, CO 81004.

Guidelines

Length:

- 300-500 words for grades 4-5
- 400-700 words for grades 6-8
- 500-1,000 words for grades 9-12

Format: One copy of entry with entry form stapled in top, left-hand corner. **All entries must be typed.**



Judging

Pueblo Home of the Heroes Association Judging Committee will award first, second, and third place in each category, 4-5 grade, 6-8 grade and 9-12 grade. All participants will receive a certificate of participation.

Prizes

Winners will receive a booklet of the winning entries, a certificate of achievement and a cash prize!

1st Place - \$100

2nd Place - \$75 3rd Place - \$50

Awards ceremony

Wednesday, April 14 at 7 p.m.
Rawlings Library, Ryals Room - 4th floor. *Tentative date dependant on current public health orders.

Auxiliary aides and interpreter services are available, with a one-week notice, to individuals with disabilities by calling 719-553-0227.



For more information, contact Paulette Stuart at (719) 544-2435 or jhmpstuart@comcast.net

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This completed form must accompany the entry.
All information is required so winners can be notified.

GRADE: 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

STUDENT NAME: _____ AGE: _____ HOME PHONE: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

SCHOOL NAME: _____ TEACHER NAME: _____

Entry contains _____ words. Number of pages: _____