



Bovell Cancer Diabetes Foundation

Poster Competition on Diabetes Education & Prevention

COMPETITION DESCRIPTION

The Bovell Cancer Diabetes Foundation announces the fifth island-wide poster competition among primary school children to help raise awareness about the seriousness of diabetes and its complications, and the importance of diabetes prevention. All the submissions – whether humorous, serious, figurative or abstract, drawing or otherwise should transmit **an important message** that reflects some aspect of diabetes education & prevention and/or the 2014 focus— *"Healthy Eating and Diabetes"*

ELIGIBILITY

Any child who lives and attends school in Tobago, and is between the ages of 6 and 15 years is eligible to participate.

Two age groups : 6-9 years; 10-15 years

HOW TO ENTER

1. Each poster must have an official entry form signed by class/art teacher or principal or parent/guardian attached to the back
2. There may be no more than one poster entry from each student
3. Posters must have the category you are competing under (drawing, painting, colourful)
4. Each poster must have a **title** and must address *'Diabetes Education & Prevention'* or the 2014 focus.
5. Each entry may have only one author printed on the poster; individual entries only!

JUDGING PROCESS

1. Posters must have a *diabetes prevention* focus
2. Appearance: attractively displayed in colour
3. Demonstrate effective use of art materials
4. Original design or innovative concept
5. Should make an impact from a distance
6. Adhere to the rules of the competition, for example, poster size
7. Be suitable for reproduction
8. Winners will be announced 7th November, 2014 and will be **PAID** in cash on that day at the sixth "Diabetes in the Limelight Jamboree", Cyd Gray Sporting Complex, Roxborough, Tobago

POSTER SIZE AND CATEGORIES

1. Minimum poster size must be 30 cm x 40 cm (11.8" x 15.7") and no larger than 51cm x 81cm (20.0" x 32.0")
2. Entries will be judged under the following categories: **1) Drawings; 2) Paintings; and 3) Colourfuls**

PRIZES

Individual Prizes in Each Category and Age Group

- **First Prize** value \$600
- **Second Prize** value \$400
- **Third Prize** value \$300

Merit prizes will be awarded (\$200 each)

School Prizes

Challenge trophy for 1st prize in each category, each age group

Entries close 31st October, 2014