



The Frederick Law Olmsted  
Society of Riverside

# Reflections On Riverside

## 2018 Imagery Contest

The Frederick Law Olmsted Society invites Riverside-Area High School students to enter poetry into the 2018 **Reflections on Riverside Imagery Contest**.

**DEADLINE APRIL 30, 2018**

### THEME

To reflect, or encourage reflection, upon any aspect of Riverside landmark landscape or architecture. Time should be spent outside in Riverside's landscape for inspiration.

### RULES

1. Students in grades 9-12 residing within District 208 may enter.
2. Only one entry per student will be accepted.
3. Entries must be the student's original work, created for this contest. Works previously published are ineligible.
4. The face of all entries must be free of names and other information which could identify the student.
5. E-mail entries to:  
[imagerycontest@olmstedsociety.org](mailto:imagerycontest@olmstedsociety.org)  
The e-mail must contain: 1) poem title, 2) student's name, 3) school, 4) grade, 5) home address, 6) phone, 7) e-mail and 8) name of parent or guardian.

The poem must be separately attached to the e-mail.

6. Entering by e-mail constitutes both student and parental agreement to the 2016 Imagery Contest Certification.

### JUDGING CRITERIA

Strength of Theme (10), Appropriateness of Title (5), Imagery (20), Originality (25), Clarity and Tone (20), Suitability of Verse Style, Meter and Rhythm (15) and Appropriate Spelling and Grammar (5).

### PRIZES

**\$ 100** to the 1<sup>st</sup> place winner

**\$ 25** to the 2<sup>nd</sup> place winner

Select entries will be featured in the Olmsted Society Newsletter and on its Website:

[www.olmstedsociety.org](http://www.olmstedsociety.org)

and shall also be published in professionally-bound volumes to be maintained in the Olmsted Collection and in the Local Authors Section of the Riverside Public Library.

The Riverside Public Library will award honors for the most nature-oriented poem(s) at a special ceremony to be held at the Brookfield Zoo this summer. (Date TBA)

Please Note: Family members of Reflections on Riverside Imagery Contest judges are not eligible to receive cash awards.



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**ENTRY SHOULD BE A SEPARATE  
ATTACHMENT TO THE E-MAIL**

### BODY OF E-MAIL MUST INCLUDE:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title of Entry

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student name

\_\_\_\_\_  
School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Grade

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

I certify that my 2018 entry to the "Reflections on Riverside" contest is my own original writing or artwork.

I hereby grant and assign to the Frederick Law Olmsted Society of Riverside, Illinois the non-exclusive right and permission with respect to the original writing osubmitted herewith to use, re-use, publish, republish and otherwise reproduce the same in any media and to use my name to identify it. I hereby release and discharge the Frederick Law Olmsted Society of Riverside, Illinois from any and all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of said original writing.

I further release the Frederick Law Olmsted Society of Riverside, Illinois from responsibility for any injury which may be incurred during the research, production or submission of the original writing to this contest.

The Frederick Law Olmsted Society of Riverside, Illinois may sell, assign, license or otherwise transfer all rights granted to it hereunder. This authorization and release shall also inure to the benefit of the successors, legal representatives, licensees and assigns of the Frederick Law Olmsted Society of Riverside, Illinois.

I have read the foregoing and understand the contents hereof.

\_\_\_\_\_  
STUDENT SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

### PARENTAL CERTIFICATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being the parent or guardian of the above-named minor, hereby consent to and join in the foregoing release on behalf of said minor.