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## SCHOOL BRIEFS

### **Holocaust Memorial Center announces winners of competition**

ROCHESTER — The Holocaust Memorial Center Zekelman

Family Campus has announced the winners of the first Kappy Family Anne Frank Art and Writing Competition. Open to Oakland County students in grades eight through 12, the competition included three art categories — drawing, painting and photography — as well as three writing categories — poetry, essay and short story.

As part of the competition's theme, "The Power of One," local youths were invited to create a written or artistic response to Anne Frank's quote, "How wonderful it is that no one need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world."

In the Rochester Community Schools district, a number of students from Stoney Creek High School were honored. Senior Tabitha Masters took home first place in the drawing category, while Lauren Faulkner received an honorable mention. In the photography category, Amanda Peebles took first, while senior Erin Hicks took third. Dana Shin, Melissa Schamanek, Sydney Smith and Valerie Tancredo all received

honorable mentions in the photography category. Junior Annabel Philp took home second place in the painting category, while Esther Kim and Kelley McCardell received honorable mentions.

First-place winners receive \$250, second-place winners get \$125, and \$75 is awarded to those who placed third. Teachers of first-place students in each category receive a \$200 gift card to Amazon, and their schools are being awarded cards valued at \$300.