

Village in Bloom

A FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
Honoring the Creative Lives of John & Isabel Bloom

Call for High School Artists

All high school artists are invited to enter the annual Village in Bloom Sculpture Contest in conjunction with the May 6, 2017 Village in Bloom Festival. This year's theme is "Four-Footed Friends."

The winning entry must have been entirely student-made. It will be molded, cast, finished and sold for at least one year by Isabel Bloom as a fundraiser for future festivals. The winning artist will receive the first finished sculpture and have her/his name included in Village in Bloom marketing materials. All entries will be displayed during the Village in Bloom Festival held Sat., May 6, 2017.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all currently enrolled High School students residing in Scott or Rock Island Counties. Work must be original and executed specifically for this contest.

TO ENTER

Workshop: To enter the contest, artists must attend one of three mandatory workshops led by Isabel Bloom sculptor, Donna Young, at the Isabel Bloom production studio, 736 Federal Street, Davenport. A \$10 materials fee is due the day of the workshop. To register, email Donna at donnay@ibloom.com by **October 1**, and indicate which of the three workshops you wish to attend:

Thurs. Oct. 27, 5 pm – 7 pm

Sat. Oct. 29, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Sat. Oct. 29, 1 pm – 3 pm

IMPORTANT DATES

Sculpture due date is Monday, Nov. 21, 2016.

Figge reception date for all participants will be announced at a later date.

Village in Bloom Festival: Winning sculpture will be on display and available for sale; all other sculptures will be displayed during the festival on Sat. May 6, 2017.

CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE & AGREEMENTS: visit www.villageinbloom.org

MORE INFORMATION: Email Donna Young at donnay@ibloom.com.