

Reach Higher Montana Announces Top 20 Design-A-Sticker, Win-A-Scholarship Entries Communities Can Support Local Designers by Voting on the RHM Website

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**Wednesday, March 8, 2023 - Helena –** The Design-A-Sticker, Win-A-Scholarship competition is in the top 20 voting stage. More than 400 designs were submitted this year and the competition to reach the top 6 for scholarship payouts is as good as ever. Communities can rally behind their local designers by voting on the Reach Higher Montana website from March 8th to 15th.

- The Top 20 Designers (In no particular order):
- #1 Faith Olson, Westby HS
- #2 Alyssa Emineth, Red Lodge HS
- #3 Hannah Davidson, Flathead HS
- #4 Avery Gates, Absarokee HS
- #5 Allana Holderman, Reed Point HS
- #6 Isabella Montalvo, Terry HS
- #7 Alisa Wissenbach, Corvallis HS
- #8 Ellese Tondre, Gallatin HS
- #9 Jherzen Wilson, Corvallis HS
- #10 Sparta Evans, Bozeman HS
- #11 Katherine Yager, Manhattan HS
- #12 Briar Palmer, Thompson Falls HS
- #13 Ellie Brown, Custer County HS
- #14 Fiona Fuller, Glacier HS
- #15 Kylie Swanton, Skyview HS
- #16 Jolene Niglio, Beaverhead Co HS
- #17 Lex Towell, Corvallis HS
- #18 Kaiya Graves, Laurel HS
- #19 Julianne Landgren, Roundup HS
- #20 Rosy Nick, Rapelje HS

The top two designers will each receive a \$1,500 scholarship. The third and fourth place designers will each receive a \$1,000 scholarship. The fifth and sixth place designers will each receive a \$500 scholarship. This year we have added a *Judges Choice Award*, the winner will receive a \$500

scholarship. The high school art programs of the respective winning students will also receive \$250 to purchase art supplies or equipment.

The Design-A-Sticker, Win-A-Scholarship Competition is part of Reach Higher Montana's efforts to help students use their creativity to access resources to continue their education. The Reach Higher Montana website provides access to a list of hundreds of scholarships for Montana students, and the organization posts new scholarship opportunities on its Facebook and Instagram pages every Thursday.

For more information and to vote, please visit Reach Higher Montana's website, <u>www.ReachHigherMontana.org</u>.





