

DETAILS

ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL

Elementary and middle school students are invited to explore the culture and rich history of our neighborhood through discussing traditions of the early 1900s and/or by celebrating the works of native Aminah Brenda Lynn Robinson who gives a descriptive look into the history and life of our community.

Exploration Topics (grades K–8):

- Life in the Village
- The Games we Played
- Memories From my Mentors
- Stories of the Blackberry Patch—Blackberry Patch Characters
- Book References: *Aminah’s Challenge World*, *A Street Called Home*, *A Ragmud Collection and Symphonic Poem*, *Elijah’s Angel*, *There is Magic in the Blackberry Patch*

POINDEXTER VILLAGE *Windows of Stories* YOUTH ART CHALLENGE

2021–2022

HIGH SCHOOL

High school students are encouraged to discover historic black businesses of Long Street and Mt. Vernon Avenue or traditional celebrations of the Near Eastside. Through art, have them honor the past by learning about village heroes and moments that paved the way toward this neighborhood’s rich history and culture.

Exploration Topics (grades 9–12):

- Around the Corner From Home—Community Street Scene
- Renaissance Now and Then
- Village Businesses and Churches
- Historic Moments

Drop Off Day: Mon., March 7 • 11 a.m.–6 p.m.

Winning and select honorable mention artwork will cover windows on the Poindexter Village Museum buildings. Please complete an entry form with each submission. Top three winning entries will receive cash prize award.

GUIDELINES

- Final artwork dimensions should be no larger than 10”h x 14”w.
- Drawings, paintings, collages and mixed media art preferred. Both 2D or 3D artwork is welcomed.
- Groups of two students welcomed. A teacher can enter if it includes a collaboration with an entire class.
- Artwork must be original and completed after August 2021. At drop off you will need to bring original artwork with brief artist statement about theme and completed entry form.
- Decide on a theme topic and remember your artwork must be titled/named.

Winning artwork will cover windows on the Ohio Avenue, Poindexter Village Museum building during it’s renovation. Please complete an entry form with each submission. Top three winning entries will receive a cash prize award.

Original artwork will be scanned by the Ohio History Connection and returned to students at the reception. Windows of Stories installation at Poindexter Village will include a digital reproduction of student work for final mesh banner image.

Project Deadline: March 7, 2022

Artist Reception: May 9, 2022



Scan and let us know you plan to participate!