

# Calling all Artists!

## Valley TeleCom Group Cover Art Contest

Valley TeleCom Group is looking for student artist submissions for the cover of the Valley Telephone Cooperative Annual Meeting Notice Book. Gather your crayons, colored pencils and/or markers and submit a drawing that depicts your use of the Internet and/or how to use the Internet safely. The contest is open to all school aged students.

Your artwork could be featured like this (design of the cover is subject to change based on the winning artwork selected):



### Eligibility

The contest is open to all school aged children living within the Valley Telephone Cooperative Service or Cooper Valley service territories. To add some guidance to the areas we serve these are the schools that are within our Cooperative service territory are: Animas Schools, Apache Elementary, Columbus Elementary, San Simon, Bowie, Bonita Elementary, Pearce Elementary, Ash Creek Elementary, Elfrida Elementary, Valley Union, Duncan and Morenci. Homeschool students residing in the Valley Telephone Cooperative or Copper Valley service areas are also eligible to enter the contest. There is no requirement to be a Valley TeleCom Group customer.

## **Age Groups to be Judged**

There will be 4 age groups to be judged: Kindergarten -2<sup>nd</sup> grade, 3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grade, 6<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade, and 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade.

## **Rules & Regulations**

1. Limit one (1) entry per person.
2. Children may use crayons, colored pencils or markers to compose their entries. Please no 3D objects such as puff paint, tissue paper, glitter, stickers or foams, ect. Drawing size should not exceed 8 1/2" x 11" (the drawing can be orientated either horizontally or vertically.)
3. All entries must be original and entirely created by the entrant.
4. Please include entrants full name, age, school's name (if applicable), parents/legal guardian's full name, telephone number and email address. Please do not include any identifying information on the artwork, use the provided application form.
5. Entries must be received by March 2, 2022. Entries may be submitted by email: to [heather.floyd@teamvtg.net](mailto:heather.floyd@teamvtg.net), mail: Valley TeleCom Group Attn: Heather Floyd PO Box 970, Willcox, AZ 85644 or dropped off in person at our Willcox Headquarters at 752 E Maley, Willcox, AZ 85644.
6. Entries will be judged by the staff of Valley TeleCom group. Entries will be judged on the basis of originality, theme, artistic ability and overall design.
7. All entries become the property of Valley TeleCom Group and may be used or reproduced in any manner without additional consent or compensation.
8. Valley TeleCom employees' children and their immediate family members are not eligible to enter.
9. The winners must agree to allow Valley TeleCom Group to publish his/her name (first name, last initial only) and artwork on the Valley TeleCom website, social media platforms and in the Annual Meeting Notice booklet. Winner addresses and email addresses will be kept confidential and will NOT be published.

## **Prizes**

We will be giving away one (1) grand prize of \$100 and one (4 in total) Amazon Fire Tablet for each age group. The grand prize-winning drawing will be featured on the 2021 Valley TeleCom Annual Meeting Notice booklet cover. The winners for each age group will also be featured with the Annual Meeting Notice booklet. The grand prize winner will be asked to attend a Webex Meeting to record a video to be played at the annual meeting. Webex Meeting to be scheduled at the convience of the winner.

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## Entry Form

Entrants full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

School's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade in school: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/legal guardian's name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Signature of parent/legal guardian**