



In 2008, Southwest Airlines supported 230 local art contests around the country. We provided the winners and their parents/legal guardians the opportunity to travel to Washington D.C. to attend the national reception and to view their artwork in the Capitol. Southwest is proud to have the opportunity to recognize these talented young artists and support the arts in the communities we serve.

We are already working toward the 2009 Congressional Art Competition, and will again be giving ***up to three roundtrip tickets on Southwest Airlines to the winner whose art work will hang in the Capitol. The tickets will be good for June 15, 2009 thru July 15, 2009 to Baltimore Washington International Airport (BWI) (NO EXTENTIONS OR EXCEPTIONS).*** Southwest would like to send an Employee from your area or district to attend your office's local reception, present a certificate to the winner, and recognize the winner's achievement on behalf of Southwest Airlines.

If you are interested in Southwest's support of your contest for 2009 and your district is within 200 miles of an airport Southwest serves (**attached is a map of SWA cities**), please contact our office by **February 15, 2009** via email at SWACAC@wnco.com. This will allow us the time to arrange for a local contact accordingly.

Included in this packet is a form that will need to be completed and returned by a **member of your staff. Please note the deadline dates on the form.** In order to process the ticket request we must have all of the information on the form. Once you have submitted this form via fax or email we will then mail the tickets directly to the parent or legal guardian of your contest winner. However, we will still send a Southwest Airlines Employee to the local competition for the presentation of the certificate.

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Dorothy Carpenter

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Monica".

Monica Whalin