



A Call for Student Artists!

2022 Lodi Sandhill Crane Association Student Art Exhibition

Dear Teachers – The 24th Lodi Sandhill Crane Festival is back in-person at Lodi’s Hutchin Street Square, November 5 and 6th, 2022. The festival is a great place for your student families to visit and learn more about the Lodi region’s rich natural heritage. Tour registration opens September 6, 2022. <https://lodisandhillcrane.org/about-the-festival/>

Celebrate the Sandhill Cranes through Student Art Exhibition at the Lodi Public Library and Lodi Art Center- We are pleased to invite you to participate in the fourth annual Lodi Sandhill Crane Association Student Art Exhibition to be held in November 2022, at the Lodi Library and the Lodi Art Center.

Teach the Season of the Sandhill Cranes- Check out our new website! <https://lodisandhillcrane.org/> Look for the **Educator** and **Lesson Plans** tabs.

Study trips to the Isenberg Sandhill Crane Reserve- <https://wildlife.ca.gov/Regions/3/Crane-Tour>

September Only! Need a Sandhill Art in the Classroom Teacher? The Lodi Community Art Center has graciously agreed to partner with the Lodi Sandhill Crane Association Student Art Exhibition efforts. If you need an in-class, or virtual, Sandhill Crane Art lesson during the month of **September only**, please contact kgrant@lodi.gov, to schedule an art lesson classroom visit. Please review the Art Lessons available and chose the teacher you would like to work with your class. Funding for these teachers’ support has been provided by the Lodi Sandhill Crane Association. Classes are limited.

Exhibition at a glance

Please review the guidelines below to ensure a smooth art submission and art return process.

- 1. Deliver or Mail Art** – Art accepted **7:30am- 5:00pm each day, Tuesday- October 18- Thursday, October 20, 2022-** City of Lodi Surface Water Treatment Plant, 2001 W. Turner Road, Lodi, 95242.
- 2. Art Exhibition** –Tuesday, November 1, 2022 through Wednesday, November 30, 2022 at the **Lodi Public Library**, Bud Sullivan Community Room, 201 W. Locust Street, Lodi, CA and **Lodi Community Art Center**, 110 West Pine Street, Lodi.
- 3. Post Art Show-** Pick-up art between **7:30am-5:00pm, Monday-Friday, December 2-9, 2022**, City of Lodi Surface Water Treatment Plant, 2001 W. Turner Road, Lodi, 95242, just west of Lodi Lake.
- 4. Information included in this packet** - 2022 Guidelines; Checklist; Labels and Inventory Sheet.

*** For more information, see <https://lodisandhillcrane.org/>, or call/text Kathy Grant- 209-327-2063, or email kgrant@lodi.gov.

2022 Guidelines
4th Annual Sandhill Crane Festival Student Art Exhibition

ELIGIBILITY

- Students ages 5-18 and grades K-12.
- Students currently enrolled in a public, private, charter, homeschool, or parochial multi-subject academic school in San Joaquin County.
- Limit of one artwork per student.
- Limit of five works per class. This limit also applies to mixed classes combining more than one grade level (e.g. 3rd/4th). Multi-period class teachers are restricted to five works per class period.
- All artwork must be submitted by the student's academic classroom teacher or with the written authorization from the student's academic classroom teacher.
- Artwork must have been completed during the current school year.

DELIVERY OF ART

- Entries will only be accepted from authorized school personnel (e.g. teachers, principals, aides) on the dates listed above. School personnel may provide written authorization for another individual to submit works by listing that individual's name on the inventory sheet.

INVENTORY SHEETS

- Completed inventory sheets must accompany artwork. List each student's name and grade.
- If the class includes more than one grade, separate them by grade level **on the same sheet**.
- Multi-period class teachers must submit a separate inventory list for each class period.

AWARDS

- A certificate of appreciation for each participant will accompany returned artwork.

ENTRIES

- Each student artwork must be labeled with the attached labels. Only the student's name and grade appear on the front of the artwork. Place the label in the **lower right corner** of the artwork as shown in the example on the label page. This ensures that we mount the artwork correctly. Do not change the size of the label.
- **No work requiring special handling will be accepted.**

ART

- The purpose of this art exhibition is to inspire students to consider the beauty of Sandhill Cranes, while also recognizing the need for conservation of their overwintering CA delta habitat.
- **On any sized art paper, NO CANVASES**, generally 11" x 14", or smaller, using any art medium, images must depict a greater or lesser Sandhill Crane, or any other plant or animal found naturally in the CA delta regions, where Sandhill Cranes overwinter.
- Art must be delivered, or mailed, to the City of Lodi Surface Water Treatment Plant, 2001 W. Turner Rd., Lodi, CA, 95242, Tuesday-Thursday, October 18-20, 2022, 7:30am- 5:00pm.

- Email kgrant@lodi.gov to schedule delivery time.
- Art pick up December 5-9, 2022, 7:30am-5:00pm. Email kgrant@lodi.gov to schedule pickup time.
- **Work not picked up on the designated times/dates will be disposed of at the Lodi Sandhill Crane Association's discretion.** Teachers unable to pick up the artwork on the designated dates should contact Kathy Grant, 209-327-2063.

LIABILITY

- While the Lodi Sandhill Crane Association (LSCA) takes reasonable care and precaution in handling the entries, it is unable and will not assume responsibility for any loss, including but not limited to theft, damage, or vandalism, etc. Further, in the event of an overwhelming number of entries, the LSCA reserves the right to reduce the number of works hung due to limited space. Every effort will be made, however, to hang all the eligible entries received. Any entry that does not comply with the above rules will not be included in the exhibition, even if delivered with other eligible entries.

2022 Checklist - Third Lodi Sandhill Crane Association Student Art Exhibition

Follow this checklist before delivering student art work; **keep it for your records.**

	Review the attached guidelines.
	Note that only 1 (one) work per student allowed.
	Only 5 (five) works per class will be accepted.
	Legibly complete the attached inventory sheet for each class. Please do this <u>before</u> you drop student artwork off at the City of Lodi Water Plant.
	Check that each work meets size requirements. Art on paper only- no canvases! We recommend inexpensive mats or construction paper; which teachers will provide. The Lodi Sandhill Crane Association will not mat any student work. Work must be ready to hang.
	Fill out and attach one of the enclosed labels to the lower right corner of each piece of artwork. Check to be sure the name of the student is the same on the front and back of the work and that the front and top of the work are obvious.
	Note return dates for artwork. No work will be released prior to these dates. Art not picked up on these dates may be discarded at the LSCA Steering Committee's discretion.
	Contact Kathy Grant, Lodi Sandhill Crane Association Publicity Committee, with any questions. kgrant@lodi.gov or 209-327-2063.