

Fair Housing Month 2022

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Fair Housing Month and Portland's Fair Housing Proclamation

A proclamation and a call to action

Government, industry, and society took deliberate action to exclude entire communities from neighborhoods and housing

First, prohibits explicit actions by government, industry, and society to discriminate

Second, requires explicit actions by government, industry, and society to advance fair housing

Action is needed because it was intentional actions of society that created segregation and disparity, and as a result, only intentional actions to undo it have the breadth and power to succeed

Trauma Trigger Warning

A call to action requires an honest look at the most significant income and housing disparities in Portland, those between Black and White Portlanders

White Portlanders earn nearly 220% more than Black Portlanders

White homeownership rates are 26 percentage points higher than for Black Portlanders

To pay the same portion of income on housing, Black Portlanders would need housing with rents and home prices 53% lower than current rates

The Fair Housing Act and Fair Housing Month are for celebration and proclamation, and a reminder we have more work to do and must take action to address a debt owed and promises made

Fair Housing Council of Oregon

Allan Lazo
Executive Director



Maren Bickerstaff

3rd Place Grades 1-3 Category



Lou Ennis

2nd Place Grades 1-3 Category



Quinn Avery English

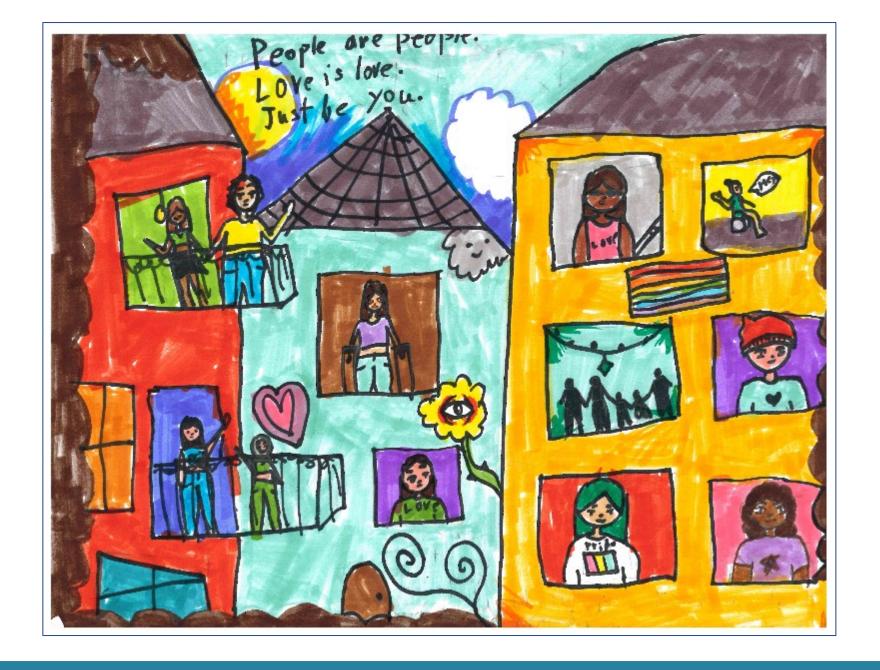
1st Place Grades 1-3 Category



Vivian Clark

3rd Place Grades 4-5 Category

Creative Science School



Vivian Carlton

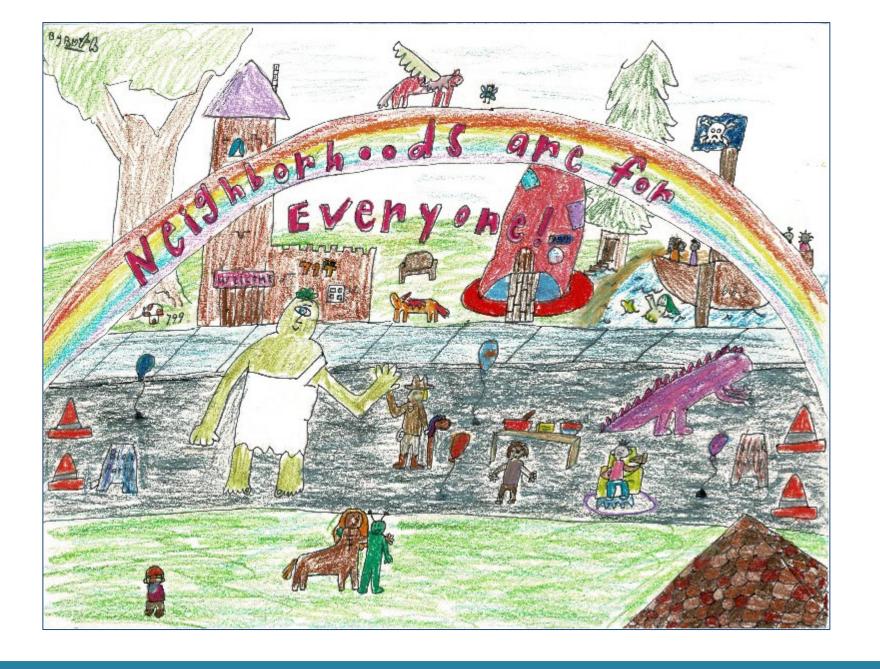
2nd Place Grades 4-5 Category



Ruth Baldwin

1st Place Grades 4-5 Category

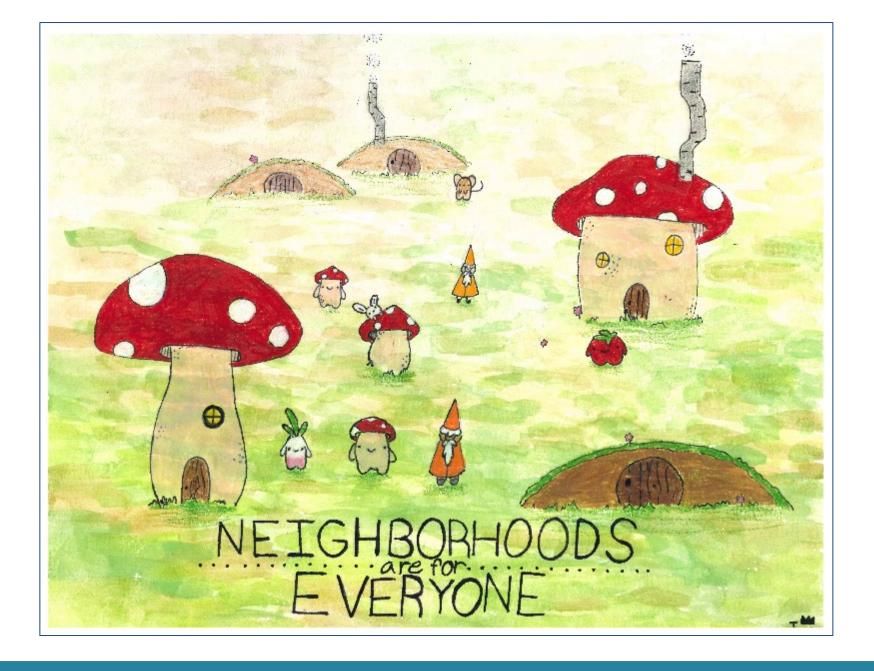
West Hills Montessori School



June Kirts

3rd Place Grades 6-8 Category

West Hills Montessori School



Bayalyn Stack

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