2017 Radon Poster Contest Open to Youth ages 9-14

Radon is a radioactive, colorless, odorless and tasteless gas that comes from the decay of uranium. It accumulates in homes and can cause lung cancer. This lung cancer risk can be reduced if the home with a radon problem is fixed. The only way to know if a home has a radon problem is to test.

Each year, the Nevada Radon Education Program (NREP) hosts a statewide Radon Poster Contest to help raise awareness of the health risk.

The Nevada Radon Poster Contest is open to children aged 9-14 and offers cash prizes of $75 for the first place winner, $60 for second and $45 for third. The teachers or sponsoring organization’s representative of the children who win first, second and third place will also receive a cash award to be used toward classroom supplies. The first place winner’s teacher receives $50, second place winner’s teacher wins $35 and third place winner’s teacher receives $20.


2016 Nevada Winning Posters

“Uncle Radon”
I WANT YOU
FOR RADON

1st place NV winner and
1st place National Contest winner – Chris
Carson Valley Middle School
Minden
Teacher – Lin Faulkner

“Don’t Let Radon Beat Up Your Lungs”

2nd place NV winner and
Placed in Top 10 national
contest – Logan
Coral Academy of Science
Reno
Teacher – Suellen Johnson

“Radon Can Cause Lung Cancer”

3rd place NV winner and
placed in Top 10 national
contest – Marcellus
Leavitt Middle School
Las Vegas
Teacher – Ms. Dodsworth

Best Regards,

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