

17th Annual Sacred Heart Knights
Keeping Christ in Christmas Card Design

Contest Entry Form

Contest Purpose:

- To help remind all who encounter this contest the reason we celebrate this holy and blessed season.
- The Sacred Heart Knights of Columbus use card designs from prior years to send Christmas cards to senior and shut-in members of our parish community and raise funds for charity.

Rules & Details:

- Contestants will design a picture to be used as the cover of a Christmas card and provide a verse or text for the inside of the card.
- All cover designs will be submitted on a separate sheet of 8.5 by 11-inch sheet of bright white paper leaving a ½ inch border around the edge of the design, printing the contestant's name in the border.
- Designs to be considered for a diocese wide billboard must be designed horizontally.
- Verse or text for the inside of the card should be printed on the bottom of this entry form.
- Designs need to be securely attached to and submitted with signed copy of this entry form by Friday, November 10th
- This form must be filled out with the contestant's name, age, and grade **and be signed by a parent or guardian.**
- All entries must be submitted to the Sacred Heart Knights (via academy or rectory office) **by November 10th.**
- Contestants should submit only one entry.
- The contest is open to all school aged members of Sacred Heart parish and academy.
- One winner will be selected from each of the four following age groups.
 - Preschool – 2nd Grade
 - 3rd – 5th Grade
 - 6th – 8th Grade
 - 9th – 12th Grade
- A committee of Knights will judge the entries based on artistic creativity, originality, how well they expressed the theme (Keeping Christ in Christmas) and how the selected verse/text complements the design.
- Winners will receive Christmas cards and envelopes printed with their design and verse which are ready to mail to relatives and friends.
- The Knights of Columbus will have the right to display all contest designs on their website (sacredheartkofc.org) and use designs to create/sell posters, billboards and Christmas cards.
- The Sacred Heart Knights will have the right to digitally copy and reproduce all designs submitted for this contest.

Printed Contestant Name: _____ **Age:** _____ **Grade:** _____

I have read and understand the rules written above. My child has my permission to participate in the Knights of Columbus contest.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____

Card Verse: _____
