



FRANKLIN COUNTY AUDITOR

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CONSUMER SERVICES DIVISION



*CONGRATULATIONS
ALBURUJ !!!*

*YOU ARE A WINNER IN THE
"ME AND MY PAL"
DRAWING CONTEST .*

Dear Alburuj:

We would like to congratulate you for being a winner in our "Me and My Pal" drawing contest. Your drawing was chosen by three Franklin County Art teachers from the non-dog owner category for the Second grade entries received.

One of the Auditor's responsibilities is to register all dogs in his/her county. In Franklin County, we think everyone needs to be aware of how important it is to care for your pet, so seven years ago, the Franklin County Auditor's office created this drawing contest to help promote responsible pet care and ownership in children.

There is a lot more to caring for your pet once it has been purchased. The dogs must be registered with the local County Auditor and taken to a veterinary to have check ups and given booster shots to maintain good health.

Animals, just like people, like to feel wanted and loved. Some of the ways we show our pets these things are to: take them for a walk, make sure they have plenty of food and water, play games with them, take a nap with them, brush their coats out with a soft brush, and so much more. If you do not own your own pet, doing these items also show responsible pet care.

Enclosed is an invitation for you and your family to the "Me and My Pal" Awards Ceremony. You will receive some nice prizes that have been donated by our sponsors. If you need directions, call the Capital Area Humane Society at 777-7387 ext. 1.

Again, CONGRATULATIONS and we look forward to seeing you Saturday. If you or your parents have any questions, please call Agatha at 462-7380.



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The Franklin County Auditor's Office, Capital Area Humane Society and the Franklin County Department of Animal Control would like to thank-you for entering into the "Me and My Pal" drawing contest.

Our goal is to promote responsible pet care and ownership. Whether you are a dog owner or not, everyone can help care for an animal. Petting, feeding, walking, talking, grooming, immunization, registration, helping to find a home for a lost animal, pet sitting and so much more is all a part of responsible pet care. The list could go on forever.

The "Me and My Pal" drawing contest was open to all students in grades kindergarten through sixth in Franklin County schools. As you know, there were two categories, dog owners and non-dog owners. Three Franklin County art teachers chose a winner from each grade level in each category and then an overall was chosen from the seven dog owner winners. An award ceremony will be held at the Capital Area Humane Society, December 9, 2000 to give the children prizes that had been donated by our sponsors.

The winners this year were: **Non-dog owners:** Kindergarten-Kayla Murray, Granby Elem., First grade-Abbie Watson – Westgate Alternative Elem., Second grade-Alburuj Razzaq Rahman-Hamilton Alternative Elem., Third grade –Sarah Moehrman-SMM Elem., Fourth grade-Brenna Jenny-St. Mary Magdalene, Fifth grade-Bryan Myers-Avalon Elem., Sixth grade-Alyssa Brown –Gahanna Middle School West.

Dog owners: Kindergarten-Macey Parker-Hilliard Horizon Elem., First grade-David Amata- St. Matthew, Second grade-Madelyn Tiberi- Barrington Elem., Third grade- Alysha Fligner- Windermere Elem., Fourth grade-Alannah Linkhorn- Emerson Magnet, Fifth grade, Raymond Forrest Clark- Royal Manor Elem., Sixth grade- Andrea Marchi- Gahanna Middle School East.

Alannah Linkhorn from Emerson Magnet School drawing was chosen as the overall-winning picture. It will be displayed wherever dog tags are sold throughout Franklin County.

Enclosed is a coupon from Petland for a free Hamster, tropical fish, chameleon or a hermit crab. Just present the coupon at either location listed on the card and choose which pet you would like.

We would also like to invite you to attend the Awards Ceremony to be held at the Capital Area Humane Society and meet the children that drew the winning pictures.

Thanks again for entering our contest. Look for the application in your schools again next fall.



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You and Your Family Are Invited to the "Me And My Pal" Awards Ceremony

I-270 Roberts Rd → East (right turn) →

At the

Capital Area Humane Society

3015 Scioto - Darby Executive Ct.

Hilliard, OH 43026

777-7387

Old Dublin Road

Left Turn, Left on at light.

Scioto Darby creek Rd

Saturday, December 09, 2000

10:00am

On the left large stone bldg with red roof. Next Right turn to Scioto-Darby Execut +