

## **Friends of the Bay City Library Logo Contest**

Can you design a creative and lasting logo for The Friends of the Library of Bay City, Texas? We are inviting anyone to submit an original logo for The Friends of the Library of Bay City, Texas to serve the group in the future.

The Friends of the Bay City Library provides service and financial support for the many programs of the city library. Our logo needs to be updated. The new logo should include such themes as books, reading, learning, libraries, Bay City, and community service. Official contest rules may be found on the Library website, Library Facebook page, and at the library.

To submit a logo, please email your entry with your name, email address, address, and phone number to [library@baycitytxlib.org](mailto:library@baycitytxlib.org) with the subject: FOL Logo Contest. Entries are due on September 20, 2018.

The winner will be chosen without knowledge of artist. The new logo will be announced during the National Friends of the Library Week, October 21-27, 2018.

## **Friends of the Bay City Library Logo Contest Rules**

### **Eligibility:**

The Contest is open to individuals residing in Matagorda County and surrounding counties only.

The contest is not open to companies, educational institutions, organizations, etc. or to groups associated with such institutions

### **How to enter:**

1. Entries should be emailed to [library@baycitytxlib.org](mailto:library@baycitytxlib.org).
2. Please use the subject line: FOL Logo Contest.
3. Entries may also be turned in at the library in electronic format (Flash drive, CD, DVD, etc.). No electronic entries will be returned.
4. Entries must be submitted prior to 5:00 p.m. on September 20, 2018.

### **Submission Guidelines:**

1. The logo should work in black and white as well as in color.
2. The only text included should be "Friends of the Bay City Library."
3. All entries must not be similar to existing logos or other copyrighted images.
4. Entries must be submitted in JPG format. Additionally, EPS format is encouraged.
5. Color numbers for print should be identified. The Friends of the Bay City Library may make necessary adjustments to the color, size, file format, or any alterations, as necessary.
6. Submission of an entry constitutes the Entrant's full and unconditional agreement to the terms and rules of this contest.

### **Judging and Selection of the winner:**

1. Submissions will be presented to the judges without identifying entrant information to ensure a fair contest.
2. The winning design will be selected by the Friends of the Library Board. Their decision will be final.
3. The Friends of the Library reserve the right to not select a winner if no submission meets the desired needs of the organization.
4. The winner will be required to sign a contract assigning all ownership of the logo to the Friends of the Bay City Library. In the event that a minor should be selected as a winner, the contract shall be signed by both the minor and the custodial parent or guardian.
5. The winner gives the Friends of the Library permission to make public his or her name.

**Intellectual Property:**

1. All submitted work must be original and not based on any pre-existing design.
2. All entries will become the sole property of the Friends of the Bay City Library and may be displayed publicly, online, in print, for various uses. The winner agrees to transfer all rights and title to the entry to the Friends of the Bay City Library.
3. In the event that the winning entry is found to infringe on existing logos or other copyrighted images, the entrant may be held responsible for expenses accrued by the Friends of the Bay City Library for the use of the entry.

**Acceptance:**

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I have read and agree with the terms and conditions of the Official Rules. I understand that if my entry is selected as the winner, I relinquish all claims to any and all copyrights, royalties and other benefits derived from the sale of reproduction of the logo other than the prize awarded the winning entry.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Entrant: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent/legal guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_