

2013 IFAW ART CONTEST

Students of Jiao Ying School have received prestigious awards for their artwork from the International Fund for Animal Welfare, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, and Oregon Humane Society this year. In May of this year, three students won top awards from the IFAW 2012-2013 Animal Action Art Contest. Jasmine Wang received one of 15 winning artworks from submitted entries from across the United States, Stephen Lu and Andrew Yang received two of 31 honorable mentions. The IFAW's Animal Action program has been educating youth about taking positive actions on behalf animal and the environment for more than 20 years and in 15 countries around the world. They received more than 1,000 artworks from students of all ages in all 50 years in this year's contest.

Many students from Jiao Ying School also received many top awards from the **2013 Federal Junior Duck Stamp Contest**. Jordan Lei, Jimin Park, and Jennifer Zhu received first place for their age group. Stuti Garg received second place for her age group and Melissa Liu, Stanley Wang, Vivian Lu, Katherine Yang, Selina Teng, Matthew Li, Ina Wang, Emily Zon, Alyssa Shi, and Samuel Zhou all received honorable mention for their age groups. For 21 years, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has celebrated the legacy of Conservation Through the Arts The Junior Duck Stamp is a pictorial stamp produced by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to recognize the conservation efforts of young people and support environmental and conservation education programs in the United States. The art competition is the culmination of students' study of waterfowl and wetlands conservation in the classroom, homeschool, or non-formal education setting.

In addition, students from the school have also received numerous awards from the Oregon Humane Society's 64th Annual Be Kind to Animals Poster & Story Contest. Emily Song, Amy Kang, Smily Wang, Malini Ganguly, and Joy Zhou all received first place for their grade. Medha Prakash and Karina Wang received second place for their grade. Stella Wang, Luke Li, and Angela Xie received third place for their grade. Justin Xie, Richard Wen, Rida Kauser, and Vivian Wang won honorable mentions for their grade. Each year students in Oregon are invited to either create a poster or write a short story portraying a part of the Oregon Humane Society's mission. Winning posters and stories are displayed in the OHS Education Hall, on the OHS website and are featured in the OHS quarterly magazine. Posters and stories may also be used to promote events and shelter programs.

Jiao Ying School encourages students to participate in various competitions to improve in their artistic abilities, raise their interest in the arts, and gain awareness in protection their environment as well as participating in community events.

2013年焦瑩文化藝術學校再獲 國際動物福利基金會繪畫比賽大獎！

(本報訊)2013年國際動物福利基金會學生保護動物繪畫比賽，經過激烈的選拔和評比已經決出勝負。本市焦瑩學校共有四名學生參賽，三名學生獲得大獎！

本次比賽在全美五十個州的一萬多名參賽作品中，共選拔出15名獲勝者，平均將近三個月才有一位獲獎者。焦瑩學校學生 Jasmine Wang (王萌萌11歲) 榮獲此項殊榮。比賽再評出三十個榮譽獎，平均將近兩個月才會得到一位，焦瑩學校憑著學生穩固扎實的繪畫基本功和對藝術的追求及熱愛，榮幸的奪得兩個獎項！他們是：Andrew Yang (楊天

行 14歲)和Stephen Lu (盧擇恩13歲)。讓我們熱烈地祝賀這三位獲獎學生，他們在家長對藝術教育的重視下，通他們的自我努力和焦瑩老師的悉心教育，不僅為自己奪得了榮譽為焦瑩學校錦上添花，更為俄勒岡州和波特蘭市及華人僑胞增添了榮譽。

國際動物福利基金會成立於1969年。此項比賽已經在15個國家舉辦了20多年，意在宣傳和推廣保護各種動物和生態環境的意識。獲獎作品將被印刷成掛曆和海報發放給十萬多個學校教室和少年兒童組織。廣為宣傳。

焦瑩學校建校近二十年，美術

班的學生每一年都會在各項繪畫和設計比賽中獲得各級獎項。對此焦瑩校長多次表示，獲獎是次要的進步和提高才是主要的。有熱情有競爭才有奮鬥和創造，繪畫創作的過程使學生們豐富和增長了知識，鞏固和提高了技巧，更培養了他們堅強有毅力的品格。焦瑩學校的孩子們以自己的繪畫特長為自豪，他們的繪畫成績得到周圍朋友和老師的稱贊羨慕，在自己的班級裏更被同學們譽為小畫家。學畫畫的孩子不僅僅是得到更多的內心平衡和生活快樂，更重要的是有助於培養他們的觀察力，記憶力，想像力和審美能力及創造力。從而更有自信心和

上進心，這些都是繪畫的神奇所在。

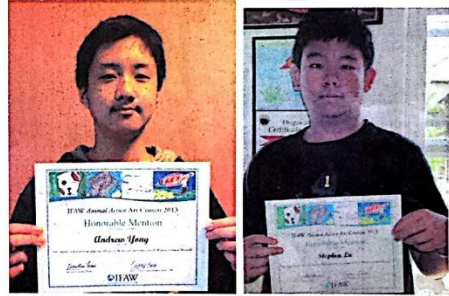
焦瑩學校於2012年在波特蘭東南區 Division 68 街的 Warner Pacific 大學又開辦了分校，夏令營 6 月 23 開學現在正在火熱報名中，焦瑩畫室 (波特蘭西北區) 夏季班也在招生。歡迎大家踴躍參加！詳細信息可查詢 www.jiaoyingschool.com 或者致電 503-590-5518 詢問。



→Jasmine Wang 和焦瑩老師



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Andrew Yang 楊天行

Stephen Lu 盧擇恩



