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Student Mural Design Contest Winners Announced

Coos Bay students in grades K-12 were invited to help design a mural to beautify a 157-foot wall on 2nd Court in downtown Coos Bay. After extending the submission deadline a bit to encourage more participation, a panel of local judges met in late February to select the finalists. Ten mural designs were selected for installation onto the wall. From the Harding Learning Center; Ben Muth and Kevin Mast, Millicoma School; Ravyn Miranda, Payton Davidson, Julia Mapilisan, Kailan Bjornerud, Dreiahnna Wofford and Sage Nelson, Sunset Middle School; Allissa Holcomb and Jaydin Solano.

Mayor Shoji will recognize the winning contestants and their designs at the March 20th City Council meeting. The meeting will be held at the Coos Bay Public Library and begins at 7:00 p.m. All interested citizens are invited to attend.

Later this month, a 2nd Court sub-committee will develop a schedule for painting the murals, develop a budget and prepare a grant application for the some of the costs associated with the project. The first week of June is the projected date for the installation and public reveal of the artwork.

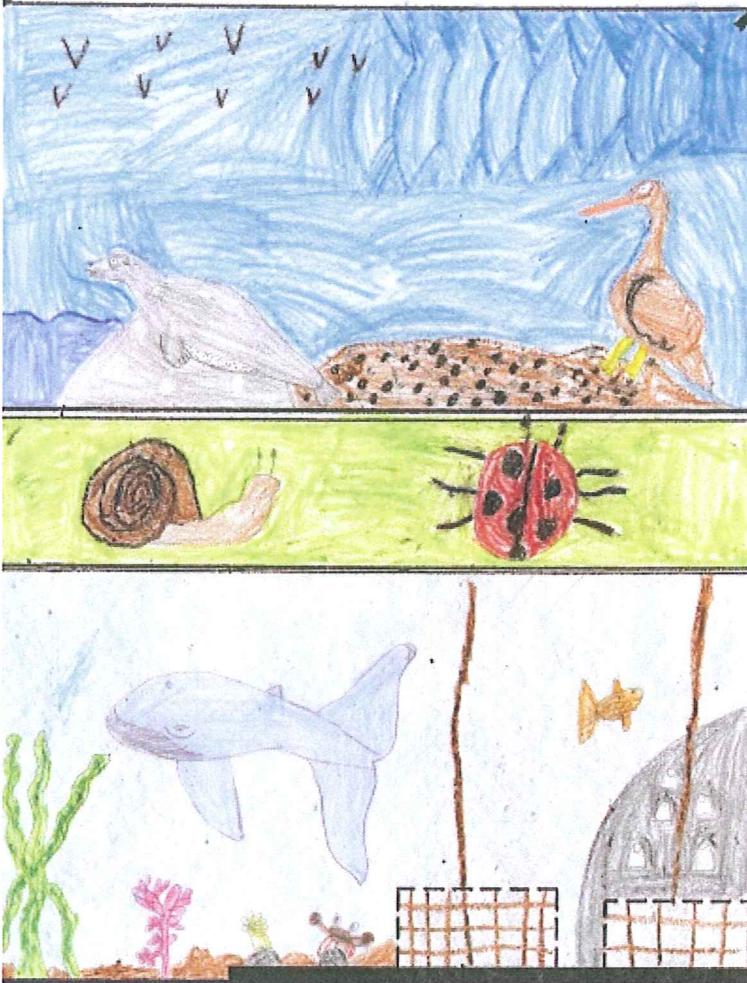
This project is being coordinated by a group of citizens who participated in the fall 2011 "Your Town" training session organized by the South Coast Development Council. Participants in this rural design training course were asked to consider a small project to improve the downtown area in each of their communities.

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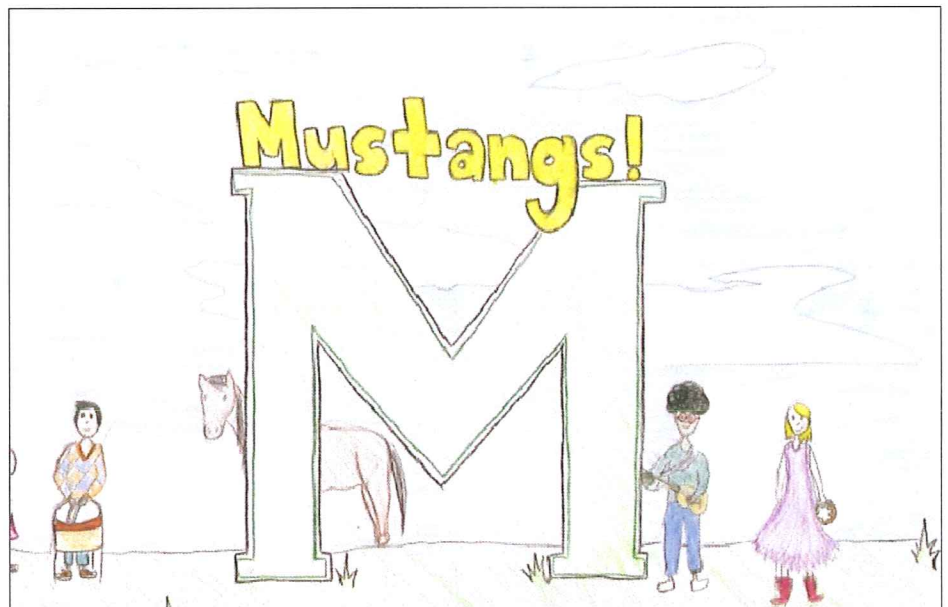
2nd Court Mural Design Finalists
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Kailan Bjornerud

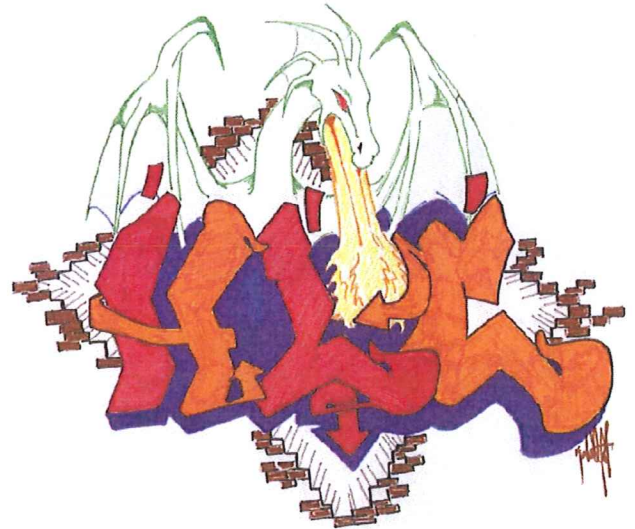
Julia Mapilisan





Ben Muth

HARDING LEARNING CENTER

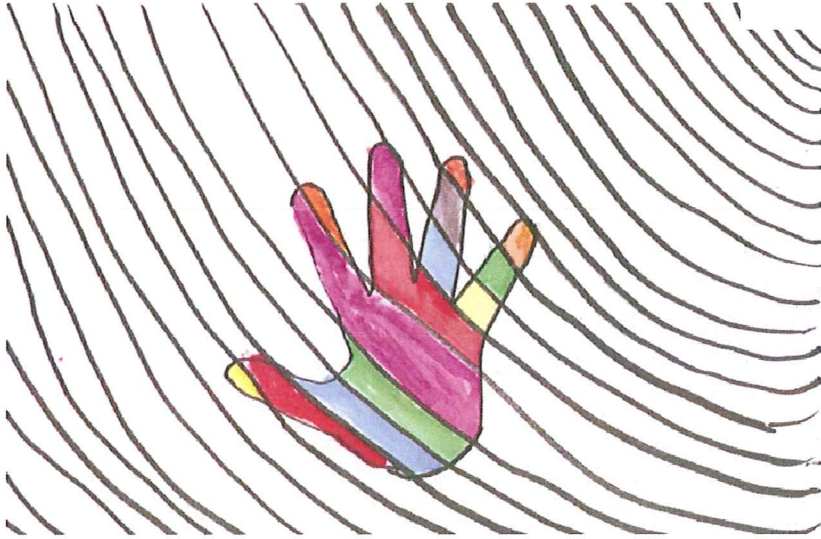


Kevin Mast



Dreiahnna Wofford

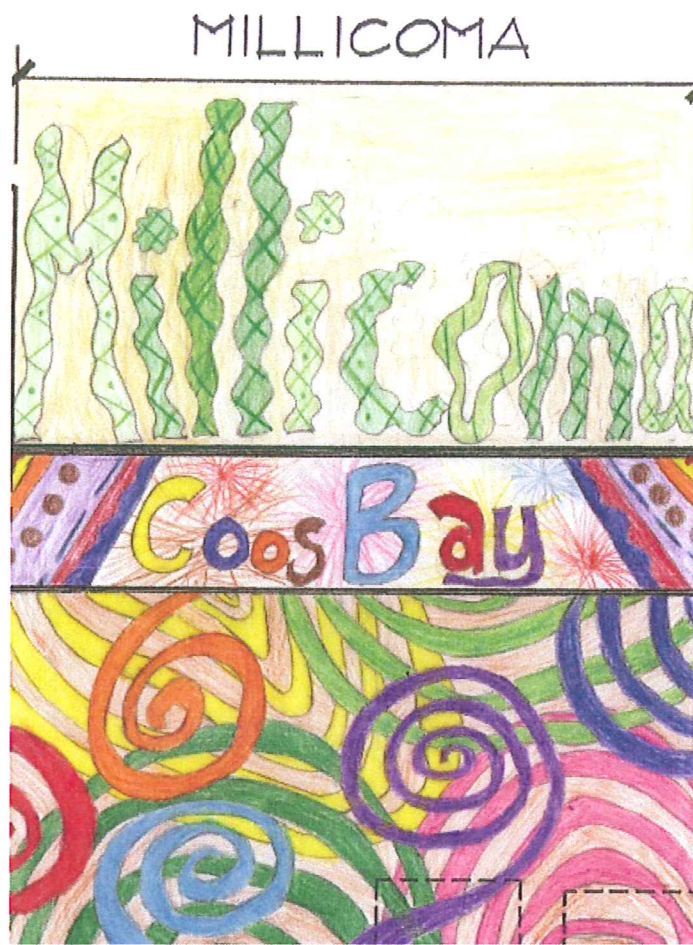
Alissa Holcomb



Jaydin Solano



Ravyn Miranda



Payton Davidson



Sage Nelson