


# Dumont Arbor Day ~ Saturday, April 25, 2009, 1-3 PM

At the NEW DUMONT SHADE TREE ARBORETUM on West Shore Avenue!

Funded by NJ Forestry - 2008 CSIP Grant and our Sponsors

## Art, Poetry and Photography Contest

*Open to all Dumont residents ... young and young at heart*

<b>Artwork</b> Drawings, Crayon, Marker, Oil Pastels Painting, i.e. Oil, Watercolor, Acrylic Pencil Sketches (charcoal or color)		Mixed Media (collage) Sculpture (Solid Base Please!) Video	<b>Poetry</b> Acrostic poems Blank or Free Verse Couplet, Quatrain, Sestet Cinquain, Diamante, Haiku	Ballad, Chorus, Epic Poem, Sonnet Limerick Any other funny verse	
<b>Photography</b> (black & white or color)					

All Dumont citizens are invited to enter their creative tributes to trees.

Trees are the subject! Arbor Day Celebrates Trees.

Tell us with your heart, words and images what you love about trees.



Winners in each age category will be announced on Saturday, 4/25/09 at 1:00 pm at the 2009 Dumont Arbor Day Planting Ceremony with refreshments and Contest Exhibit. All contestants will receive a Dumont Arbor Day Certificate. The winner in each category will receive a prize. After Arbor Day, the art, poetry and photography will be on exhibit at the Library for a month. All contestants will be able to view their work on [www.geocities.com/dumontshadetree](http://www.geocities.com/dumontshadetree)

**NEW: DHS SCHOLARSHIP!**  
 This year, there will be a \$250 Scholarship Award given to a Dumont HS Senior... ask your Guidance Counselor or see website for details!

### RULES:

- Deadline:** Saturday 4/4/2008 by 2:00 pm at the Dixon Homestead Memorial Library desk during Library hours. Students may also submit artwork through their teachers before Wednesday 4/1/2008.
- Artistic Works:** Size limit 8-1/2 inches x 11 inches.
- Poetry:** There are no limitations other than those that define the type of poem (i.e. iambic pentameter for an English-style sonnet). Please include a file on disk if composed on your computer.
- Photography:** Print Size Limit 8-1/2" x 11". If possible, also include a digital image.
- Video:** Entries MUST be uploaded to whatever web host you are familiar with (Google™Video, YouTube™, Bolt.com). Send the URL of your video to: [dumontshadetree@yahoo.com](mailto:dumontshadetree@yahoo.com).
- Labeling:** Please do not sign the front of your art. The entry form must be completed in its entirety and fastened to the back.
- All entries** remain the property of the contestant, however, by entering artwork, a poem or a photograph, the contestant agrees to allow the entry to be on exhibit at the library for the duration of the exhibit, and also to allow an image of the object to be included in the website and in any other publication, free or for sale, for the benefit of Dumont Shade Trees or the Dixon Homestead Library. Contestants must pick up their art no later than Memorial Day.



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### Dumont Shade Tree Commission

50 Washington Avenue, Dumont, NJ 07047

<http://www.geocities.com/dumontshadetree/> For additional information, call 917-579-0328

## Dumont Arbor Day Art, Poetry & Photography Contest 2009

*(all entries must have this form attached on the back side)*

Name:	E-mail:
Address:	Grade in School (or "Adult"):
Telephone Number:	Category: