

# Texas Marine Mammal Stranding Network Dolphin Awareness Month Kids Art Contest Event Details

Help spread the word about stranded dolphins by creating a masterpiece (and slogan if feeling creative) to showcase an important dolphin awareness topic:

### Dolphins strand for a reason and should never be pushed back into the water! Report strandings in Texas to 1-800-9MAMMAL!

Dolphins strand for a reason (e.g., sick, injured, weak, or entangled). Pushing a stranded dolphin back into the water delays needed help for the dolphin, puts it at risk for further harm, and may result in the dolphin stranding again. If you see a stranded dolphin in Texas, immediately call 1-800-9MAMMAL (1-800-962-6625) so our trained rescue team can give the animal its best chance at survival!

#### Prize

One winner will receive the opportunity to participate in a mock dolphin rescue program with TMMSN either in person at our Rehabilitation and Research Center in Galveston, TX, or online! The selected winner will be eligible to invite up to 20 friends (for inperson) to experience the program with!

#### Rules

- Artist must be within the ages of 0-14 upon submission
- Only one original art piece per child may be submitted
- To enter contest, email a <u>PDF of the artwork</u>, <u>completed submission form</u>, and a picture of the artist with their artwork (optional) to evinten@tmmsn.org by March 24, 2023 at 11:59pm for a chance to win
- One winner will be chosen based on originality, use of awareness topic, and slogan creativity (if applicable)
- If selected as the winner, travel to and from the TMMSN Rehabilitation and Research Center is at the expense of said winner and accompanying parties
- You do not have to live in Texas to enter the contest
- Winner will be contacted directly and announced via our social media channels



## Texas Marine Mammal Stranding Network Dolphin Awareness Month Kids Art Contest Submission Form

Name of artist:	Age:
Name and contact info for parent or guardian:	
Slogan inspired by the awareness topic:	
What was the inspiration behind your artwork/ why d	lid you choose this design?
I, the pare	nt or legal guardian of
	, grant the Texas Marine Mammal y child's artwork publically. I am
<ol> <li>I grant exclusive right to TMMSN and partners/spo writing for reproduction, promotional purposes, funda</li> <li>I agree that my artwork and/or writing may be used without compensation to me.</li> <li>I understand that TMMSN will not share my contact permission.</li> </ol>	raising, and display. d, altered, or published as they see fit
<ul><li>4. I agree to receive future communications from TM</li><li>5. TMMSN reserves the right to request physical copies</li></ul>	

(Signature of parent or guardian) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)