

October Tails — Poster Contest Winners

Four students from Livingston and Verona Elementary Schools were recently celebrated for their artistic talents at the SBHPCC's first annual October Tails, Halloween-Themed Dog Walk.

More than 170 students from area elementary schools participated in the poster contest which charged them with the challenge to create posters depicting real or imaginary dogs and puppies. Posters were judged in four categories: Most Original, Best in Show, Most Heartwarming, and Funniest. Judges included Jacklyn Kling, Owner of Jacklyn Kling Gallery of Montclair; Danci Mock, DMV, West Caldwell Animal Care Center; and Lynn Koggan, Graphic Artist.

The winners were awarded a \$100 US savings bond, event t-shirt, ribbon, certificate, and four free sessions in the Kids Club at New York Sports Club in Livingston. The winning posters were also matted and framed and made into note cards which were given to the winners.

The winners, pictured below, were announced atop the Verona Park bandstand against a backdrop of clear blue skies as approximately 60 costume-clad canines and their owners looked on.



Most Heartwarming

Gen Kosko

(pictured with Lorraine Sciara)



Funniest

Kelsey Oh

(pictured with Lorraine Sciara
and Verona Mayor Kenneth McKenna)



Most Original

Arinn Shulman

(pictured with Lorraine Sciara)



Best in Show

Andrew Matievski

(pictured with Lorraine Sciara and
Verona Mayor Kenneth McKenna)

