

## 2015 SANDHILL JOURNEY SCENIC BYWAY BALE ART CONTEST



**Purpose:** To increase art awareness and appreciation for youth on the Sandhills Journey Scenic Byway using hay bales.

Any youth organization that resides along NE Highway 2 from Grand Island to Alliance may enter (i.e. 4-H clubs, FFA, School organizations or classes, etc.) Must be a group of at least 3 students with 1 adult sponsor noted.

Categories: Single bale – Use of 1 bale      Multi bales – Use of 2 or more bales

Bales can be the small square, the ‘bread loaf’ or the large round bales, made of hay or straw.

### Rules:

#### NO ENTRY FEES -

1. Placement of bales needs to have permission from property owner
2. Use of non-toxic materials (Livestock friendly), may use other items as needed but hay bales are the foundation base
3. Placement of entries needs to be by turnouts or side roads off Hwy 2, must not block driving routes. This will allow drivers to pull off safely for pictures if they so desire.
4. Display must be up by Sept. 7 (Labor Day) and remain up until Oct. 19.
5. Displays must be in good taste, able to be enjoyed by all seeing it

Judging will be done by photo submission of completed display to [www.followtherailsarttrail.com](http://www.followtherailsarttrail.com) by the public on website and at sites included on the Follow the Rails Art Trail from Friday, Oct. 16 to Sunday, Oct. 18, 2015

When submitting photos must include entry form

Judging will conclude at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, October 18, 2015. Winners will be announced within 2 weeks.

### Prizes:

Single Bale – 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$100

Multi Bale – 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$200

2<sup>nd</sup> Place- \$50

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$100



(The pictures used on this form were taken from the web and used as examples)

### **SJSB BALE ART Entry Form**

Display name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization : \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of students (at least 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Display:

Closest community: \_\_\_\_\_ West of: \_\_ East of: \_\_

Closest mile marker: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit photo of completed bale art to [info@sandhillsjourney.com](mailto:info@sandhillsjourney.com) by Sept. 7th