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Hello,

The Jo-Ann Danzis Foundation is a new nonprofit, based in Morristown, with a primary focus on Pancreatic Cancer, Education, and the Arts. We would like to invite your students to participate in our first Art Contest, with a theme of "A Message of Hope". The purpose of this contest is to create an awareness of pancreatic cancer with students, and then to allow them to share powerful messages in art form, with the patients and families affected by this disease. Students should first research pancreatic cancer to gain a background before developing their artwork. Selected art submissions will be displayed in the Morris Museum and in the Simon Cancer Center at Morristown Medical Center during the month of November. We will share more information on that through social media. Please follow us.



We ask if you can share information about the contest with your students. Prizes are also available. It is an opportunity for your student to achieve an award for their art work, while they also ultimately perform a community outreach activity. Please copy and share our contest flyer, post a link to our website, or encourage individuals to find us on social media to learn more and receive contest updates. See all addresses below. We also ask that you share the flyer about pancreatic cancer with your students.

After reading the contest flyer, please contact me with any additional questions. If you have students who decide to participate, please let us know so we can pick up their entries **by October 10th**. If any of your students participate, we will recognize your support by inviting you to be a guest at our 2nd annual Cork and Fork Event on November 1, 2018 from 5:30-8:30pm at the Morris Museum. The event includes a wine pull, a silent auction, and food and winetasting. Your name will be placed on a guest list at the door. We hope you will help us create more awareness about pancreatic cancer by getting your students involved in this contest! Here are the important links mentioned in this letter:

Website: <https://danzis.org/art-contest/> (for the contest flyer/updates)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/joanndanzisfoundation/> (for updates on the contest)

Sincerely,

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