

CAPTAIN PAXTON'S WATER SAFETY POSTER CONTEST

Captain Paxton needs your help to spread the word about being safe in the water 365 days a year by participating in the first annual Captain Paxton's Water Safety Poster Contest!

- **Who can join?** All North Richland Hills residents aged **Kindergarten-6th Grade** can participate!
- **What do they have to do?** Participants must submit a poster about how to be safe when they are splashing, swimming, fishing, boating, or enjoying the water in their favorite way!
 - An entry form must be completed for each submission (see back page).
 - Find ideas on how to be safe around the water by downloading *Captain Paxton's Water Safety Adventure* for free at <http://nrhws365.com>
- **What do they win?** The winning submission will receive **free tickets to NRH2O Waterpark**, and runner-up winners will receive **free swim passes to NRH Centre**. All posters and artists will be featured on the <http://nrhws365.com> website. Posters will be judged by NRH City Council.
- **When are the posters due?** All poster submissions are due by **June 1, 2017**.



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Circle your grade level: K-2nd 3rd-4th 5th-6th

Name of Entrant: _____

Age of Entrant: _____

Title of Poster: _____

What ways do you stay safe around the water? _____

Home Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Contact: _____

Parent Name: _____

"I certify that this artwork was the original design of the entrant named above, and that I understand that the poster becomes the property of the City of North Richland Hills. The City may display, use, and reproduce the poster and post the name and age of the entrant as the amazing artist."

Parent's Signature Verifying Above Statement: _____

Contest Rules:

- 1) All entries must be submitted or postmarked by June 1, 2017
- 2) Poster entry size must be between 8 ½"X11" to 22"X28".
- 3) One poster is allowed per entrant.
- 4) Entrants may use any medium, including construction paper, crayons, markers, watercolor, or any other materials their imagination desires. Computer designed artwork is acceptable, but no clip art.
- 5) Tape the completed entry form to the back of the poster.
- 6) Bring or mail the completed poster to:

Neighborhood Services (First Floor of City Hall)
4301 City Point Dr
PO Box 820609
North Richland Hills, TX 76180

- 7) Posters will be judged by the following criteria:
 - a. Water Safety Message (The ABCDEs of Water Safety, Always Swim with an Adult, Reach/Throw/Don't Go, Swim with a Buddy, Practice Prevention through Attention, Be Safe in the Water 365 Days a Year, etc.)
 - b. Creativity
 - c. Visual Effectiveness
 - d. Overall Appeal
- 8) Call Meagan Fendley at 817-427-6652 with any questions.