

Announcing the NATIONAL LIBERTY MUSEUM'S

# 2010 CARETOON<sup>TM</sup> CONTEST

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To celebrate its new "Heroes of Character" Exhibition & Program, the National Liberty Museum invites people of all ages to transform the satirical art form of cartooning into a medium for peace by creating original artwork expressing the core values that unite us all... *friendship, tolerance, justice, faith and courage.*



This 2009 entry by Josef Calvento is a perfect example of a "Heroes of Character" Caretoon.

- What values do YOU stand for?
- Who is YOUR favorite "Hero of Character" — either historical or present-day?
- What would make the world a better place?

Draw a "Caretoon" expressing one or more of these ideas, and send it to us today.

## PRIZES AWARDED IN FOUR CATEGORIES:

\$500 ADULT International Prize • \$500 ADULT National Prize  
\$500 STUDENT International Prize • \$500 STUDENT National Prize

Mail your Caretoon and entry form by April 15, 2010. Send to:  
NATIONAL LIBERTY MUSEUM 321 Chestnut St. Philadelphia, PA 19106  
Or Email: [caretoons@libertymuseum.org](mailto:caretoons@libertymuseum.org)

See last year's winners at [libertymuseum.org](http://libertymuseum.org)

Learn more about our "Heroes of Character" program at [heroesofcharacter.org](http://heroesofcharacter.org)

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**Entry Deadline: April 15, 2010**

(please print)

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Category you are entering:  Adult (age 18 or older)  Student (under age 18)

If "student," what grade? \_\_\_\_\_ Number of submissions (limit 3): \_\_\_\_\_

Brief description of each Caretoon you are submitting:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

**How are you submitting your entry(ies)**

in person (attach an 8.5 x 11 sheet for each Caretoon. Mark envelope: Caretoon Contest)

by mail (attach an 8.5 x 11 sheet for each Caretoon. Mark envelope: Caretoon Contest)

*Bring or mail to:* National Liberty Museum, 321 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106

by email (attach a jpeg for each Caretoon; 300 dpi; 8.5 x 11 max. and a scanned completed copy of this entry form.) *Email to:* caretoons@libertymuseum.org

**I have read and agree to the entry details.**

**I verify by my signature that my entry(ies) is(are) my original design.**

**I understand that I must submit an entry form to be considered.**

Your signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Entrants under age 18

Parent's or Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Entrant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Entry Details for the National Liberty Museum's 2010 CARETOON™ CONTEST

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## **What is a “Caretoon”?:**

It is an original cartoon that reflects a positive theme. The theme for 2010 is “Heroes of Character.”

## **Who should enter?:**

The Caretoon Contest is open to anyone interested in participating.  
All ages and levels of artistic ability are invited to submit an entry (ies).

**Deadline for entries:** April 15, 2010. Winners only will be notified by May 15, 2010.

## **Judging:**

Entries will be judged in four categories: 1) International Adults, 2) National Adults (age 18 or older), 3) International Students, 4) National Students (under age 18). Caretoons will be judged by a panel of professional cartoonists, educators, Museum staff and others. Entries will be judged on creativity, originality and message. All judges' decisions are final.

## **Prizes:**

A \$500 prize will be awarded in each of the four categories.

## **How to create a Caretoon:**

A Caretoon must be your original creation.

Caretoons featuring copyrighted or pre-designed clip art or other images are not acceptable.

You can create your Caretoon freehand or electronically.

Caretoons may be created in black & white or in color.

Caretoons must include a graphic; text is optional.

Each Caretoon must be presented on a separate 8.5 x 11 sheet of paper.

Caretoons may be any size provided they fit on an 8.5 x 11 sheet.

## **How to enter the contest:**

There are no entry fees; no purchases of any kind are required.

Complete a Caretoon entry form available online at [www.libertymuseum.org](http://www.libertymuseum.org).

Please submit no more than three Caretoons per person.

Print your name on each Caretoon exactly how it appears on your entry form.

If you are submitting your Caretoon(s) via email, attach your entry form

and each Caretoon in jpeg format: must be 300 dpi; no larger than 8.5 x 11.

## **How to submit your entry:**

Caretoons may be submitted by mail, in-person, or by email.

*Mail to:* Caretoon Contest, National Liberty Museum, 321 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106

*In Person:* Bring your Caretoon & Entry Form to the Museum. Hours are 10am-5pm, Tuesday –Sunday.

You will receive FREE admission if you bring an original Caretoon.

Note: Free admission does not apply to guided group tours.

*Email:* [Caretoons@libertymuseum.org](mailto:Caretoons@libertymuseum.org)

## **Usage rights:**

Caretoons will not be returned to their creator. The Museum reserves the right to display and/or publish your Caretoon entry and adjust its dimensions as needed. You will be credited for your work wherever your Caretoon appears. All entrants receive free membership to the National Liberty Museum and copies of any publication in which their Caretoon appears.

NATIONAL LIBERTY MUSEUM is located in the heart of America's historic shrines of liberty at  
321 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106 • Ph: 215-925-2800 • Fax: 215-925-3800 • [www.libertymuseum.org](http://www.libertymuseum.org)