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SHS senior Grace Potter with her winning logo design. Photo courtesy of MotoPhoto

SHS Student Wins Art Department Logo Contest

SIMSBURY, CT— The Simsbury Public Schools Department of Art Education K-12 recently offered students in all of the grades an opportunity to design a logo for the department. The winning logo was designed by Simsbury High School senior Grace Potter.

Said Department Supervisor Shannon Gagne, “For art education here in Simsbury, we strive to develop technical skills that translate ideas in a clear, effective, and meaningful manner. This starts in kindergarten and continues all the way through.”

Added Gagne, “Any real-world experiences we can offer students, like designing a logo, can contribute to their growth as artists, communicators, and problem solvers. With this contest, we really weren’t sure what we were going to get, but we are just thrilled with the professional results!”

The logo will be featured on the department’s website and many printed materials. Potter plans to attend Suffolk University New England School of Art and Design and major in Graphic Design.

Said Potter, “I’m so excited to have this opportunity to work with the art department. All of my art teachers throughout my entire school career have been extremely supportive and have helped me grow as an artist. I couldn’t have created this logo without everything they have done for me throughout the years.”

For more about the art curriculum and upcoming events in the Simsbury Public Schools Department of Art Education K-12, visit the website at www.simsbury.k12.ct.us/art.

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