

8th Honeybee Illustration Contest Instructions

Organized by Yamada Bee Company

Co-organized by Asahi Gakusei Shimbun Company

The contest is under the sponsorship of the Honeybee Science Research Center (Tamagawa University), International Board on Books for Young People (IBBY), Japanese Board on Books for Young People (JBBY) and Japan team of young Human Power (JHP)

Purpose

At Yamada Bee Company, we appreciate all things related to bees – they are very social, they have deep connections. We think that everyone can learn from honeybees especially how it is important to interact with the world. Our mission is to let the next generation think about the importance of “Nature”, “Supporting each other” and “Life”. Let’s learn about how your actions can affect others and try to begin to understand your place in society.

Illustration theme

Any theme will be welcome, as long as it is related to Honeybees. Use your imagination, study hard about bees and how wonderfully complex they are. Let your ideas flow onto the paper. Some past examples are “Flowers and honeybees”, “Honeybees in nature” and “Humans and honeybees”.

Here’s how to submit your work

1. Fill out the Application Form
2. Paste the Application Form on the reverse side of your illustration
3. Send the illustration to the address below

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e-mail: ichimaiga@yamada-bee.com

Illustration size

Please use A3 size paper (approx. 30cm x 40cm or 11.7in x 16.5in).

*Thickness of the works is within 10 mm. Framed works cannot be accepted.

Categories and awards

***As of 1st July, 2020**

Award	Category/age	Number of award winner (s)	
Award for Excellence	18 years old and over	1	Certificate and honeybee products
	Up to 17 years old	2	
Special commendation	18 years old and over	3	
	Up to 17 years old	6	

Each participant will receive a participation award as an expression of our appreciation for their efforts.

Jurors

Chair : Professor Masami Sasaki, Tamagawa University
Mr. Mitsuhiro Imamori, Photographer
Ms. Masako Yuki, Art Director
Chief editor Kaoru Beppu, Asahi Gakusei Shimbun Company
President Hideo Yamada, Yamada Bee Company

Entry period

We will accept submittals only from 16th March– 1st July, 2020.

Results

Results will be announced on our web-site (<https://www.3838.com/ichimaiga>) towards the end of October, 2020.

Any questions?

Please contact Ms. Yoko Fujiki or Ms. Hitomi Kakiya at ichimaiga@yamada-bee.com

Terms and Conditions

- All work must be drawn by the applicant and must be previously unpublished
- Illustrations are not returnable
- Once an illustration has been submitted, no alterations will be accepted.
- Award selection will be done on a confidential basis and subject to the judges' discretion
- Unfortunately, applying to other contests using the same illustration or very similar illustration is not allowed.
- Publishing illustrations on other websites is forbidden except with the express written permission of Yamada Bee Company and Asahi Gakusei Shimbun Company (the organizers).
- Unfortunately, the organizers cannot take responsibility for loss or damage due to shipment.
- All copyrights and rights to use the illustrations belong to the organizers.
- Illustrations may be used, free-of-charge, by the organizers for the purposes of publicity, packaging and publication.
- Any illustrations that infringe on any valid third party rights will not be considered in the contest.
- All entry regulations, performance and consideration will be based on Japanese law.

↑ Upside

(This is to make sure up and down side of your illustration)

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Application Form

Fill out (ALL CAPITALS) and then paste this Application Form to the reverse side of your illustration

Illustration Title:	
First Name:	
Last Name:	
I am a (please check)	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Birth date : _____ / _____ / _____ (Date, month, year)	
Age: (As of July 1 st , 2020)	School Grade :
Address:	
Postal code : _____ Country : _____.	
Phone: (Please include country code)	Email : @
How did you hear about this competition: <input type="checkbox"/> Yamada Bee Company web-site <input type="checkbox"/> School (Name of school : _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Museum (Name of museum : _____) <input type="checkbox"/> Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media <input type="checkbox"/> Direct mail/email <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Signature : *By signing this you agree to Terms and Conditions as outlined in the instructions herein.	Ship to: Yamada Bee Company 194 Ichiba, Kagamino-cho, Tomata-gun, Okayama 708-0393 JAPAN Phone: +81 868 54 3999 Fax: +81 868 54 3346 e-mail: ichimaiga@yamada-bee.com

The application deadline is 1st July, 2020