



Safer Hastings Partnership

Local students win prizes for anti-social artwork

THE SAFER Hastings Partnership (SHP) last week rewarded the creativity of local school students at its fourth schools competition.

Pupils from secondary schools, colleges and 6th forms in Hastings & St Leonards came up with artwork depicting anti-social behaviour for a leaflet about consequences of decisions we make.

Chief Inspector Andy Gooch, Chair of the SHP, said, "Congratulations to all the students who took part, but especially to the winners.

"We were delighted to receive more than 360 entries this year - almost twice as many as last year's art competition - particularly as it means so many local young people took the time to think about how small actions of anti-social behaviour can snowball.

"The new leaflet will show how important small decisions can be, and now we have fantastic artwork to illustrate it."

CI Gooch and Sussex Police Authority's Carole Shaves MBE presented the prizes. Hastings Mayor Maureen Charlesworth presented each of the 30 short-listed students with goody bags and certificates.

First prize winners received PlayStation 3s, plus a digital camera for their schools. Second prize was an iPod Nano and 3rd prize was £50 in high street vouchers.

The standard was so high that an extra prize of an MP4 Player was presented to a highly commended student.

Artwork by the winners and runners-up can be viewed on the Partnership's website: www.saferhastings.co.uk.

The winners were:

SECONDARY SCHOOL CATEGORY

WINNING SECONDARY SCHOOL:
Helenswood Lower School

1st

Issra Alazaibi

2nd

Alice Fletcher-Quinnell

3rd

Chelsea McGuigan

6th FORM/COLLEGE CATEGORY

WINNING 6th FORM/COLLEGE: William Parker Sports College Federal 6th Form

1st

Danielle Rounds

2nd

Jamie Dunmill

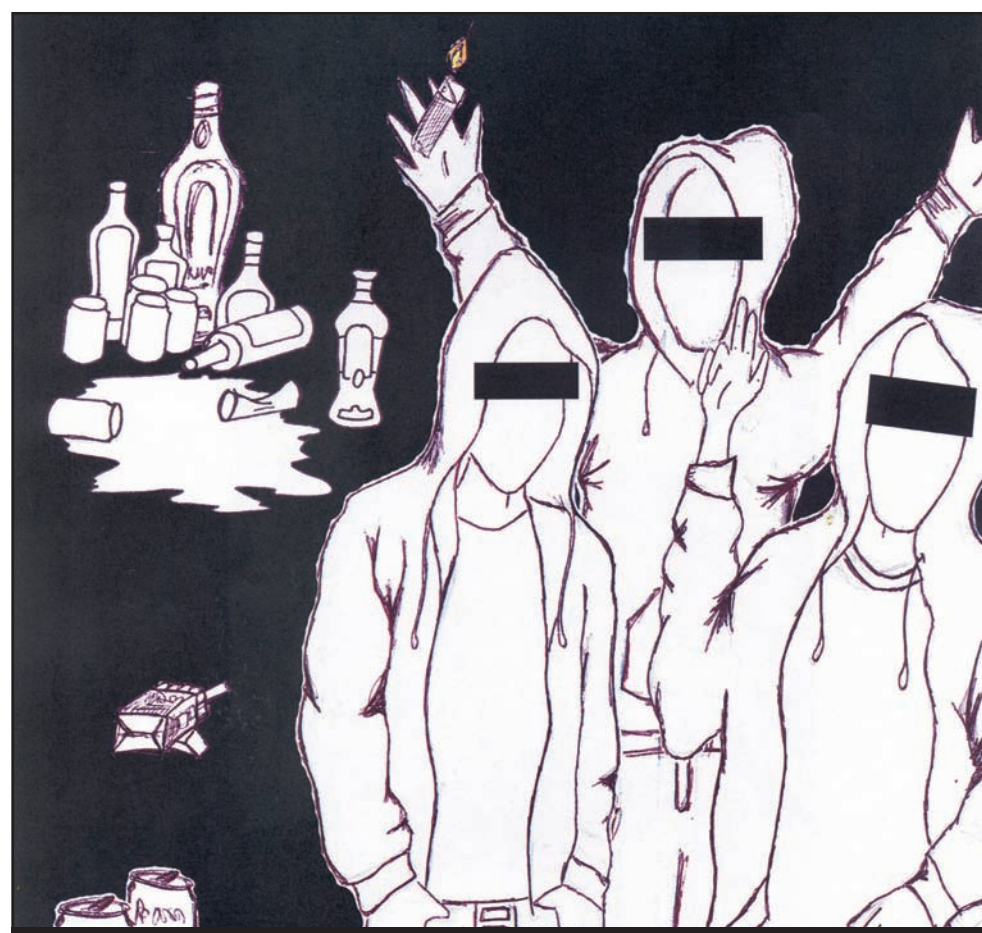
3rd

Sasha Giles

Highly Commended

Becky Mann

Congratulations to all of the winners, runners-up and short-listed students in the SHP ASB Art Competition 2008.



Part of the artwork by winning 6th form/college student Danielle Rounds (William Parker)



Winning secondary student Issra Alazaibi (Helenswood) with Sussex Police Authority's Carole Shaves MBE



Winning 6th form student Danielle Rounds with her William Parker Sports College tutor & Mayor Maureen Charlesworth



Highly Commended 6th form student Becky Mann (William Parker) with Chief Inspector Andy Gooch