

WEBSITE DESIGN CONTEST

The Columbia County Libraries are
creating a new Library website.
Enter the website design contest
for a chance to win \$2000!

For rules and more information, visit
www.columbiacountyga.gov/libraries



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Announcement:

Beginning September 1st, the Columbia County Libraries will be accepting entries to a web design contest it is hosting to find a new design for its website.

The contest will consist of three stages of competition.

First:

Entrants will create a “wire framework” laying out the basic blocks for the format of main page and any subsequent pages. The *top 20 entries* will be selected and their designers will be asked to compete in the second level of competition. **Deadline December 2nd.**

Second:

Entrants will fill their wire frameworks with graphic images. Colors, fonts, etc should be in place and entries should reflect the entrant’s design scheme for the site. The *top 10 entries* will be selected and their designers will be asked to compete in the third level of competition. **Deadline January 20th.**

Third:

Entrants will create a working website proto-type complete with functioning widgets, tabs, and links in addition to the fonts and color schemes created for the previous level. Entrants will give a presentation of their website to a panel of judges for consideration. The *top 3 entries* will be selected for the following prizes: **Deadline March 30th.**

1st place: \$2000 and use as the Columbia County Library’s new website to be unveiled in 2012, as well as special recognition of the designer(s) on the final website.

2nd place: \$750

3rd place: \$250

The contest is open to all students aged 16-21 years. Individuals or teams may apply, but *all* participants must be within the age restrictions. All entrants must have a valid and active PINES library card with no fines.

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Any third party add-ons or fee-based items must be noted with your submission.

Please see the attached information for submission information, requirements, and guidelines.

Send questions to webcontest@columbia.gov

Completed entry forms (attached) must be submitted with all entries. If you are working in a group, each group member must submit a completed entry form.

Admissions will not be accepted after these deadlines.

Stages of competition:

1. Wire Framework—elements of page represented as labeled blocks
 - main page blocked out
 - 1 subpage blocked out (designer's choice of subpage)
 - see attached example: page 5***Deadline December 2nd at 5:00pm***

2. Graphic Layout—a picture (jpeg, html, etc) of what the page will look like; no working elements like links or buttons
 - color/font schemes defined
 - page layouts defined
 - see attached example: page 6***Deadline January 20th at 5:00pm***

3. Functional Site
 - Functional site with links, buttons, widgets, etc.***Deadline March 30th at 5:00pm***

Requirements:

- Please use ASP, ASP.net, HTML
- Please avoid using PHP, Java, Flash
- As this is a government site, please conform to Section 508 standards
- Think outside the box and get creative!

LEGAL:

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Submit entries via mail or in-person to:

**ATTN: Mary Lin Maner
Columbia County Library
7022 Evans Town Center Blvd
Evans, GA 30809**

OR, submit via email to:

webcontest@columbia.gov

Entry Form

****Required Information***

*Name _____

*Date of Birth _____

*PINES Library Card Number _____

*Phone (____) _____ Alternate Phone (____) _____

*Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

*School Name/School Advisor _____

*If under 18:

Name of Consenting Parent _____

Phone number of consenting parent _____

Parent Signature:

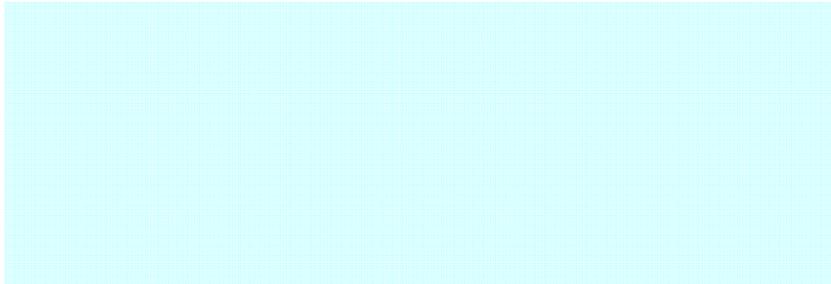
**EXAMPLE:
Wire Framework**

Columbia County Georgia

- A Community of Pride
- A County of Vision
- Endless Opportunities

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Interactive Search of PINES
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Text size selector
<http://www.slcolibrary.org/>

Hover over drop-down options in bar menu on homepage
<http://www.slcolibrary.org/>

Homepage

One Page layout for homepage (no scrolling)
<http://www.slcolibrary.org/>

Large, descriptive menu options in the form of boxes; options duplicated in tabs in banner
<http://www.slcolibrary.org/>

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<http://www.lexpublib.org/>

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