

# KIDS FOR KIDS ZINE

## SUBMISSIONS DUE BY DEC 15, 2020

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ALONG WITH NAME, AGE/GRADE, SCHOOL & LOCATION. SPREAD THE WORD!

HERE'S AN OPTION FOR SOMETHING CREATIVE TO DO DURING YOUR FREE TIME, THAT'S NOT FOR SCHOOL OR ON THE SCREEN! Pleasure Boat Studio: A Nonprofit Literary Press, located here in West Seattle, will be putting out a Kids magazine or 'zine,' to allow a space for free-form creativity for kids... a collection of kids' arts in this historical year of 2020, a place for kids to share with their peers. COME UP WITH YOUR OWN THEMES OR IDEAS FOR STORIES, POEMS, COMICS, HAIKU, JOKES, ART, PHOTOGRAPHY OR PHOTOS OF LEGO CREATIONS, etc. Or feel free to send in something you did for school or over summer, or in the past, if you want to contribute but don't feel like doing anything new. THIS ISN'T MEANT TO BE FRETTEd OVER, ANYTHING GOES, MESSY OR NEAT, SILLY OR SERIOUS—IT'S ALL ACCEPTED AND ACCEPTABLE. Originally, we were going to make two separate zines for elementary and middle school ages. However, they will be now combined, either into two sections or interwoven. This will be made into a vertical 8.5 x 11 downloadable PDF, with a link on Pleasureboatstudio.com, an ebook through itunes, B&N, and more, as well as a potential for a paperback version if there are enough pre-orders to pay for production.

### YOU CAN ALSO CHOOSE FROM THESE THESE THEMES:

- **IMAGINE, INNOVATE, INVENT:** IDEA 1: Something to help save the earth by reducing carbon emissions. Make a drawing, collage, painting, clay or legos; write a description about how it would work, or anything else you would like to add, like what inspired you to think of the idea, for example. IDEA 2: If you could make a magic potion to make Covid 19 disappear, what would you put in it, and what spell might you come up with? IDEA 3: A dream robot, what would it look like, what functions would it have? What would you ask it to do first or most?
- **WHAT LAWS WOULD YOU MAKE:** IDEA 1: to help reverse climate change? IDEA 2: to make a more peaceful society or earth. Write some actions you and your family can commit to reduce your impact, or draw this as a comic strip.
- **WRITE A STORY, HAIKU, POEM OR COMIC:** IDEA 1: If certain wildlife, glaciers or plantlife became extinct, which would you miss most? IDEA 2: About the pandemic's effects on society and your life, and what you hope will be different personally &/or nationally / globally once this is over?
- **MAKE A DRAWING, PAINTING OR COLLAGE:** IDEA 1: Something from nature. IDEA 2: Something silly. IDEA 3: Abstract (you can try this with photography too). IDEA 4: An eco dream house, building, instrument or sculpture.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUBMISSIONS—WE'RE EXCITED TO SEE WHAT YOU SEND IN!