

# Keep Montgomery County Beautiful

Press Release

## Keep Montgomery County Beautiful Announces

### Winners of Third Annual Growing Green Plant Sale Poster Art Contest

Montgomery County, Texas - March 25, 2012 - KMCB's third Growing Green Poster Art contest drew submissions - and winners - from several schools in Montgomery County. Ariane Edmundson, Vickie Butler-Rindos, and Stanley Harris judged the art work and in addition to the first place winner also picked three artists for honorable mention.



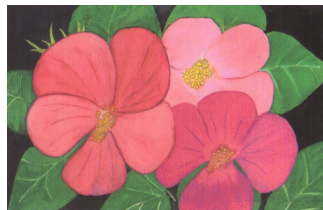
### MISD Alpha Academy Student Wins First Place and Scholarship

The First Place artist, Angelica Zavala, will receive a \$500 scholarship to assist with the expense of her higher education. She will be presented with a framed copy of the poster bearing her artwork and her scholarship at the Alpha Academy awards ceremony. Angelica is a senior at Alpha Academy in Magnolia ISD and plans to study law enforcement. Her beautiful painting of the Texas Rock Rose plant is featured on the 2012 Growing Green Plant sale poster.



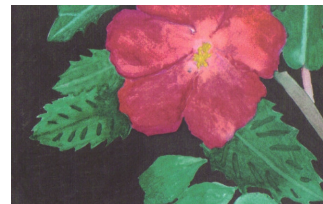
**1st Place by Angelica Zavala**

Honorable Mention artist, Geraldine Velasco, a student at Conroe High School in Conroe ISD, is a Senior and is interested in studying medicine.



**Honorable Mention by Geraldine Velasco**

Honorable Mention artist, Marcus Campbell, is a Junior at Magnolia West High School in Magnolia ISD.



**Honorable Mention by Marcus Campbell**

Honorable Mention artist, Michael Hasha, is a Sophomore at Magnolia High School in Magnolia ISD and is considering art as a career.



### Honorable Mention by Michael Hasha

The Board of Directors of KMCB expresses its appreciation to the teachers and students who participated in this art contest. The competition was heavy and the judging was difficult.

Thanks go to the judges, Ariane Edmundson, Vickie Butler-Rindos, and Stanley Harris, and to Regina Michael for coordinating the art contest application process.

For more information about KMCB's Growing Green Plant Sale and the associated Poster Art Contest visit [www.kmcbtexas.org](http://www.kmcbtexas.org).

Plants will be sold at the Montgomery County Precinct 2 Recycling Center at 31354 Friendship Drive, Magnolia Texas from 10 am until 2 pm on April 14, 2012. To preorder plants click here for the [2012 Plant Order Form](#)

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# KMCB Announces 4th Annual Growing Green Plant Sale

*Montgomery County Precinct 2 Recycling Center  
April 14, 2012 10 am to 2 pm*

Magnolia, Texas - March 25, 2012 - Keep Montgomery County Beautiful will hold its 4th Annual Growing Green Plant Sale on April 14th at the Montgomery County Precinct 2 Recycling Center located at 31354 Friendship Drive, Magnolia Texas from 10 am until 2 pm.

The plant sale is designed to raise money to provide grants to groups doing beautification projects and to increase awareness of recycling and the value of native plants. Each 1-gallon plant costs \$10 and \$6.75 of each plant sold goes to KMCB's grant program (and is tax deductible). Combine trips by picking up your plants when you bring your recycling to the center.

Each year KMCB has a local nursery grow a native plant for this sale. This year New Leaf Nursery in Cypress assisted with choosing and growing the plant. The Pavonia lasiopetala (Texas Rock Rose) was chosen this year because of its unique beauty and the fact that it is drought and deer resistant (no promises about the deer!). It will grow in full or partial sun and blooms throughout the summer until fall.

Supplies are limited and pre-orders are being accepted now. The order form is available on the KMCB website. [2012 Plant Order Form](#)



**Keep Montgomery County Beautiful (KMCB)**

is a grassroots, non-profit organization dedicated to providing a network for and resources to organizations in Montgomery County who are committed to the beautification and improvement of our county's natural resources.

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