

2024

Radon Calendar

**Florida Department of Health
Bureau of Environmental Public Health
Division of Disease Control & Health Protection**





First Place

Maired Polland | Hollywood Academy of Arts & Science | 8th grade

January 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



January is National Radon Action Month. Order a free radon test kit at Radon.FloridaHealth.gov today!



Second Place

Victoria Hernandez | Miami Arts Studio | 8th grade

February 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Groundhog Day	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17
18	19 President's Day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		



Radon is a radioactive gas. It is colorless, odorless and tasteless. The only way to know if you have high Radon is to test your home!



Third Place

Alice Zemskoff | Hollywood Academy of Arts & Science | 8th grade

March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 Daylight Saving Time starts	11	12	13	14	15	16
17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Easter Sunday					Good Friday	



Radon is the leading cause of lung cancer among non-smokers.



Honorable Mention

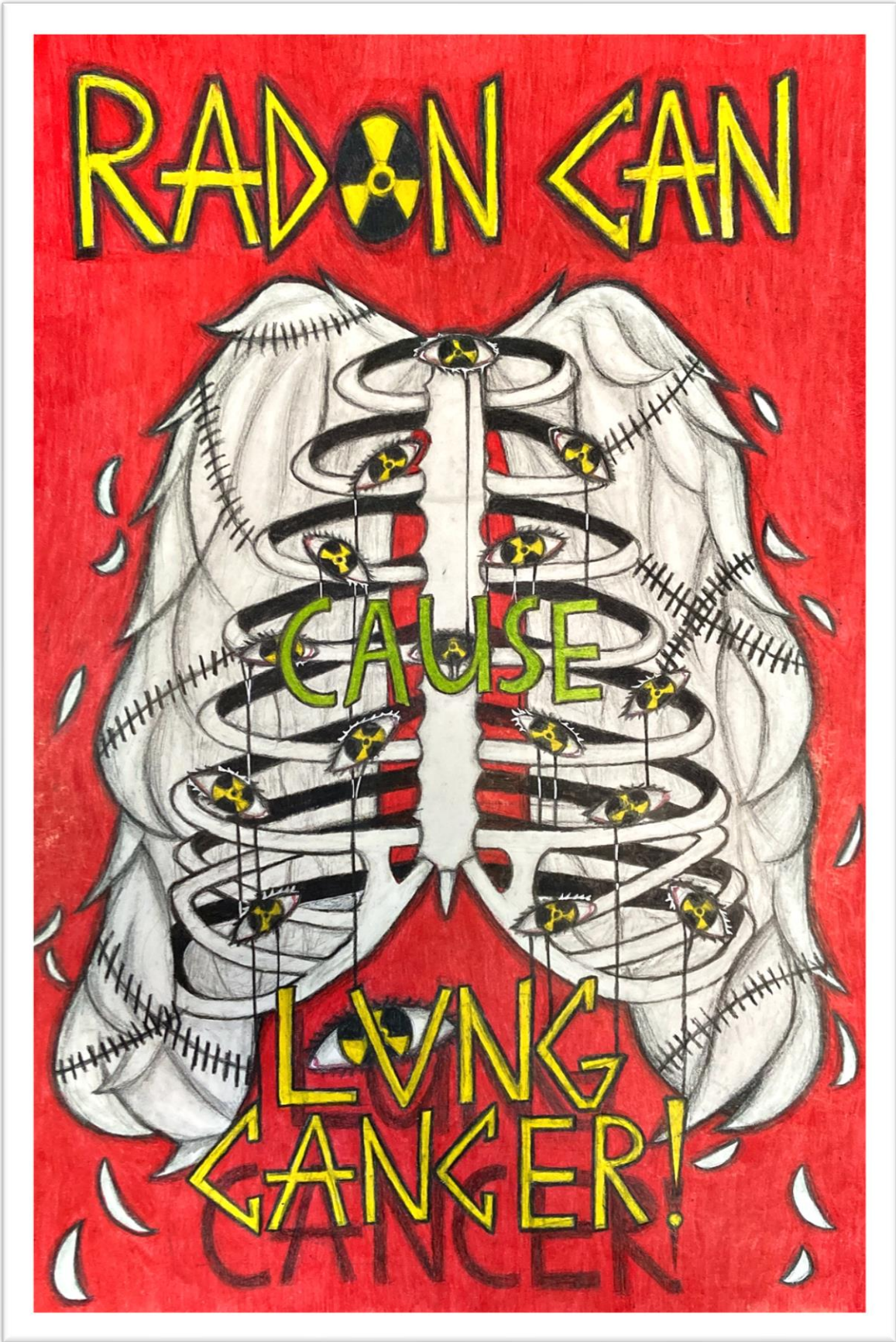
Michael Yin | Omni Middle School | 6th grade

April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	Tax Day					
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	Earth Day		Administrative Professionals Day			
28	29	30				



Elevated Radon levels can be found in our homes, schools and workplaces.



Bureau Chief's Favorite

Nicole Chernaya | Hollywood Academy of Arts & Science | 8th grade

May 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			May Day			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Cinco de Mayo						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Mother's Day						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	
	Memorial Day					



The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency recommends homes be fixed if the radon level is 4 picoCuries per liter (pCi/L) or more. 1 in 5 Florida homes have elevated radon levels, compared to the national average of 1 in 15 homes.



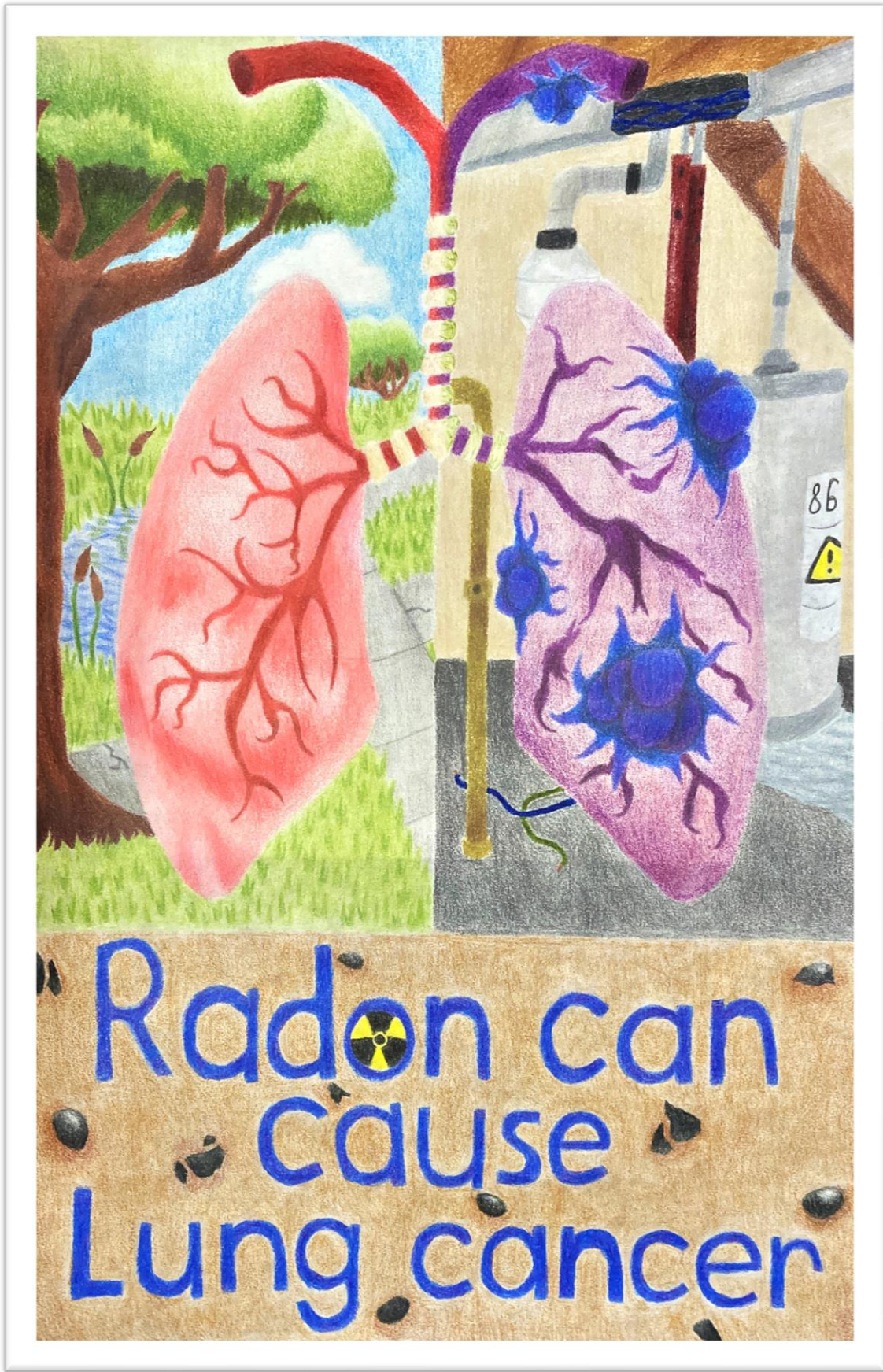
Environmental Consultant's Favorite
Elijah Zyon St Jean | Lockhart Middle School | 7th grade

June 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
					Flag Day	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Father's Day			Juneteenth			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						



June is National Healthy Homes Month. Get your home tested by ordering a free radon test kit at Radon.FloridaHealth.gov. today!



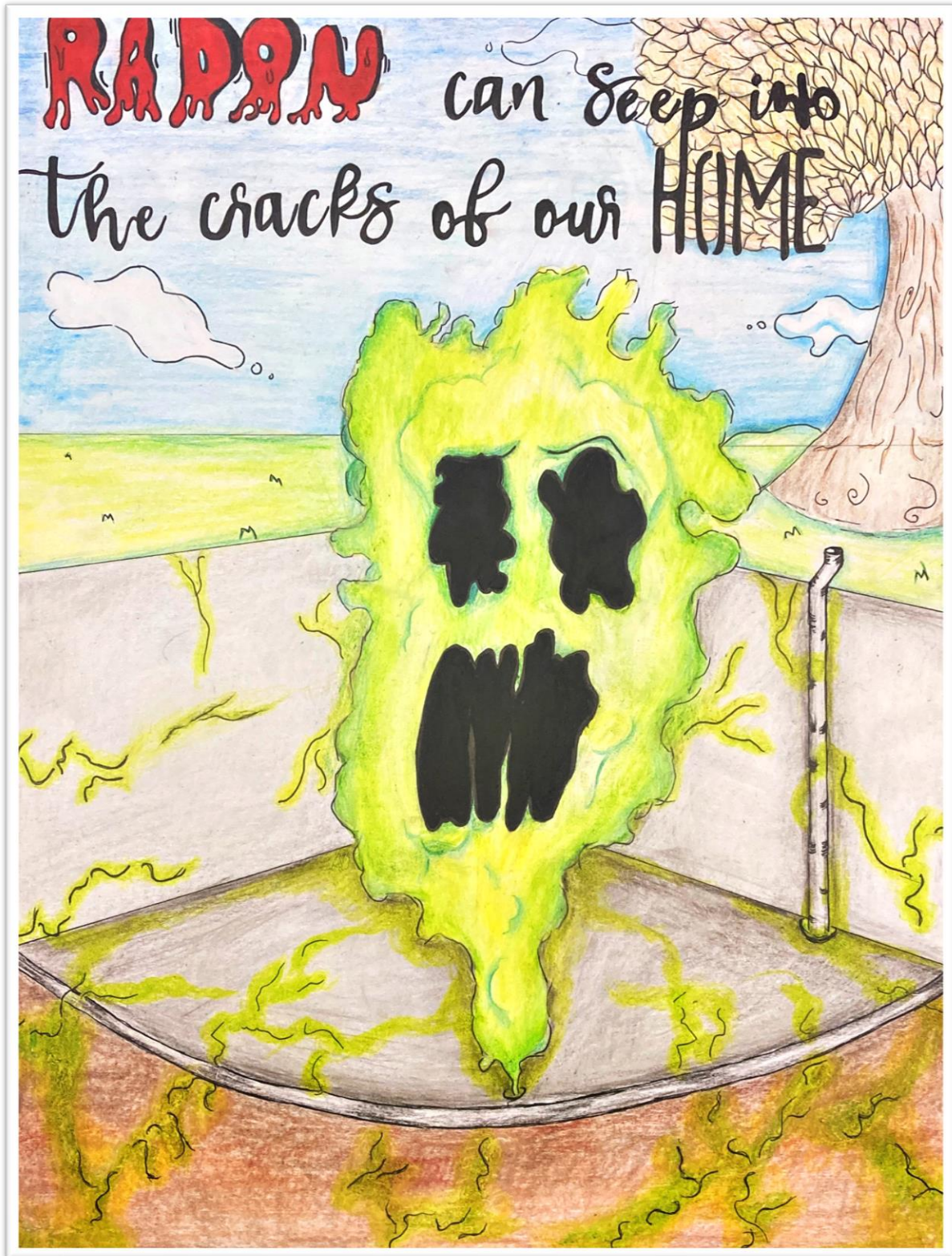
Staff Assistant's Favorite
Channing Li | Southwest Middle School | 8th grade

July 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				Independence Day		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



Radon is the largest source of radiation exposure in the United States.



Environmental Administrator's Favorite
Priscilla Puskas | Lockhart Middle School | 7th grade

August 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



High radon levels are found in every state in the nation. Radon comes from the soil and groundwater. Some building materials also release radon.



Environmental Health Consultant's Favorite
Alina Novgorodova | Seven Springs Middle School | 7th grade

September 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Labor Day					
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					



The only way to know if you have elevated levels of radon is to test your home. Order your test kit by visiting our website: Radon.FloridaHealth.gov



Administrative Assistant's Favorite
Noah Beltran | Sarasota School of Arts & Science | 8th grade

October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Columbus Day					
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		
				Halloween		



Radon is in the air, inside and outside. The U.S. Congress has set a long-term goal that indoor radon levels be no more than outdoor levels.



Radon Staff's Favorite

London Anderson | Hollywood Academy of Arts & Science | 8th grade

November 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Daylight Saving Ends		Election Day				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Veterans Day					
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
				Thanksgiving		



November is Lung Cancer Awareness Month. According to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, radon accounts for 21,000 lung cancer deaths per year. Order a free radon test kit at Radon.FloridaHealth.gov today!



Environmental Specialist's Favorite
Lana Laurencean | Lockhart Middle School | 7th grade

December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Human Rights Day	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas	26	27	28
29	30	31 New Year's Eve				



Since 2008, Florida's past poster contest winners won 1st, 2nd or 3rd place nationally nine times. The Department of Health thanks all students who participated as well as parents, sponsors and teachers for their support.

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