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Summary: In its 39th year, the annual Ice Cream and Lollipops Children's Art Exhibit will be held Thursday and Friday, May 22 and 23, in the UMM Humanities Fine Arts Gallery. The event showcases artwork by local children from preschool to second grade.

(May 9, 2008)-In its 39th year, the annual Ice Cream and Lollipops Children's Art Exhibit is just around the corner. The exhibit, sponsored by Community Service and Volunteerism at the University of Minnesota, Morris and completely funded by donations from Coborn's, Willie's Super Valu and Henry's Candy Company, showcases artwork by local children from preschool to second grade while they enjoy storytelling, music, ice cream and lollipops.

This year's exhibition will be held Thursday and Friday, May 22 and 23, in the UMM Humanities Fine Arts Gallery. Area elementary school children will attend to view the art, hear stories and enjoy ice cream and lollipops served by volunteers from the UMM Retirees Association.

The art show's theme will focus on the favorite book each class has chosen and from which each class creates a mural. The show is open for public viewing from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday and Friday and from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday. Ice cream and lollipops will be served to elementary school children at 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Thursday and Friday.

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