September 3, 2020

Mrs. Kelly Apruzzi, Principal Kenneth N. Butz, Jr. Elementary School Nazareth Area School District Email: kapruzzi@nazarethasd.org

Dear Mrs. Apruzzi,

My name is Macie Bazella. I am a 12 year old student from Emmaus who is the current International Junior Miss Pennsylvania Preteen, focusing on making a difference in our local community. With that being said... I need your help!



On October 3rd, from 10am - 3pm we will be holding an "Art in the Park" art contest and vendor fair at the Nazareth Borough Park! There will be shopping, food, art, fun and prizes outside all safely done by CDC guidelines. This is where YOU come in!!!! We are inviting your school to take part in the art exhibition! There will be a prize for each grade level K-5. And one overall grand prize winner picked by me.

All proceeds from the art contest will go to *NO KID HUNGRY*, an organization I love to support because all kids need food to survive and function properly! I know how I feel if I miss a snack or a meal. I couldn't imagine not having any food to eat all day! Plus all funds distributed to *NO KID HUNGRY* go back to the communities it was raised in so it is nice to know we will be helping out our local families who need help.

I started doing pageants when I was 6 years old. I loved being on stage but it has also showed me a way to love making a difference and getting others involved in our community by doing so! I hope to one day be the next Miss Pennsylvania Miss/Teen USA. It takes a lot of hard work and dedication. But with your help I am hoping to make a difference and accomplish my dream job in life!

Thank you for your time and I hope to hear from you soon! Please see attached the rules for the art contest. I will stop by your school or someone from my team will stop by on September 30<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon to pick up submissions.

As individuals we may seem small in a big world, but working together we can make a gigantic difference!

**Serving My PA Communities,** 

Macie Bazella