

# Kindergarten Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Leopold Neils, Desert Box Turtle

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Wyatt Nordman

3<sup>rd</sup> Place: Cree Akato, untitled

HM: Zoe Lindem, Lizard

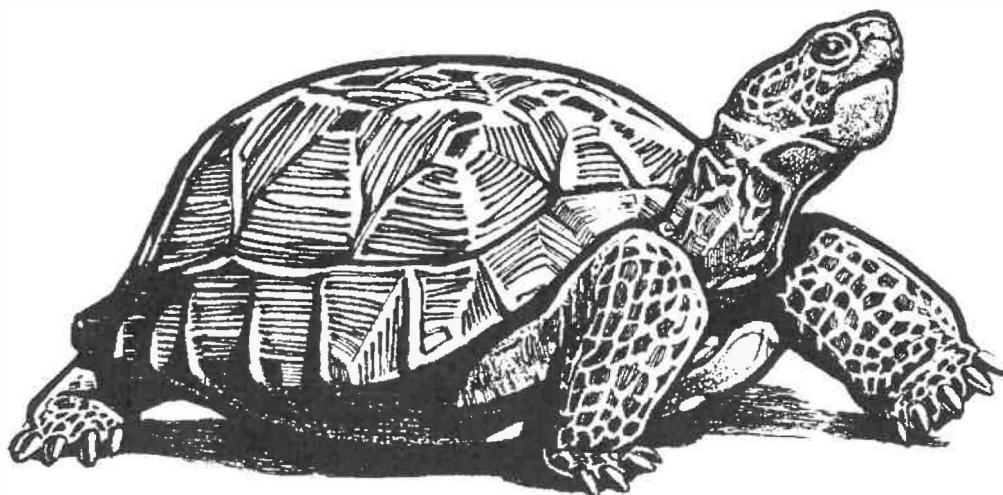
HM: Madina Dumwe, Coyote

HM: Ember Bonilla, untitled

HM: Itzel Arvizu, untitled

HM: Alice Bauserman, untitled

HM: Willow Mackley, Bobcats at Night



Leopold Neils  
Desert Box Turtle  
Kindergarten  
1st Place

### Desert Box Turtle - Haiku

Smooth shells make my world  
Beak, always smiling so sweet  
Catch me if you can!

I like the smell of the rain - the petrichor.  
I like the saguaros' beautiful flowers.  
I like the bats when they hang upside  
down in caves.  
I like the trees dropping nuts.  
I love our desert.

Wyatt Nordman  
Untitled  
Kindergarten  
2nd Place



A little girl goes into the desert.  
She's looking for a javelina.  
Look! It's laying with its javelina babies.  
She takes a picture and says,  
"Goodbye, I'll see you next time."  
The desert has more friends to  
adventure with.

Cree Akato  
Untitled  
Kindergarten  
3rd Place



### Bobcats At Night

Bobcats hunting at night  
It was a very dark, dark night.  
They are hunting for a mouse.  
They look furious and are curious.  
Their ear are fluffy and puffy.  
They catch the mouse....  
They are very, very happy!

Willow Mackley  
Bobcats at Night  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention

### Lizard

Blue tongue sticking it in and out.  
Green lizard jumping  
Brown ground where the lizard is hiding.  
Yellow sun where the lizard is laying.

Zoe Lindem  
Lizard  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention



Cactuses are green.  
The flowers on the cactus bloom.  
It makes homes for some birds.  
They have prickles like the prickly pear.

Alice Bauserman  
Untitled  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention



### Coyote

Coyote hides in the bushes at night.  
He wakes up when everybody is sleeping at night.  
He howls at night  
At night he hunts a mouse  
When the sun comes up, ....  
He goes back to his house.

Madina Dumwe  
Coyote  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention



Cactus in desert

prickles  
green saguaro  
blooming red  
for bats

Ember Bonilla  
Kindergarten

Ember Bonilla  
cactus in desert  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention

When I look in the desert I see the sun,  
very bright.  
I smell fresh air.  
I feel sand in my shoes.  
I hear birds and snakes.  
I taste prickly pears.  
I love everything around.

Itzel Arvizu  
Untitled  
Kindergarten  
Honorable Mention

