



STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST

AT VICTORY FIELD | ANNUAL CIVIL RIGHTS GAME
AUG. 14 @ 7:15 P.M. VS. DURHAM

Indiana elementary school students are asked to submit an essay on: **"Why is it important for ALL children to get a quality education?"** A panel of judges from the Indiana Civil Rights Commission, Indianapolis Indians, Indiana Black Expo and Indianapolis Recorder will select the top three entries.



Essay Contest Winners Receive:

First Place: The first place winner will have their essay published in the Indianapolis Recorder and receive an Indianapolis Clowns throwback jersey as worn by the Indians during the Fourth Annual Civil Rights Game on August 14, 2015. They will also receive eight tickets to the game on Friday, August 14, 2015 and have the opportunity to throw out the ceremonial first pitch with Indiana Civil Rights Commission's Executive Director, Jamal Smith.

Second Place: The second place winner will receive an Indianapolis Indians T-shirt and four tickets to the Fourth Annual Civil Rights Game on Friday, August 14, 2015 at Victory Field.

Third Place: The third place winner will receive a signed Rowdie baseball or an Indianapolis Indians souvenir bat and four tickets to the Fourth Annual Civil Rights Game on Friday, August 14, 2015 at Victory Field.

Essays must be no more than 500 words. Essays must be submitted by Friday, July 3, 2015.

Submit your essay to: Indiana Civil Rights Commission
Attn: Darren Thomas
100 North Senate Avenue IGCN, Room N103
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Or email your essay to: Darthomas@icrc.IN.gov

LOCATION: Victory Field | 501 West Maryland Street | Indianapolis, IN 46225

