

## Young Rembrandts Honors Heroes in Frederick with Community Event

## Young Rembrandts Shows Gratitude to Men and Women in Uniform with Special Art Class Event for 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

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**FREDERICK, Md.** – With 30 incredible years of art enrichment and childhood development in communities nationwide, Young Rembrandts is celebrating the future of art education with a commitment to the true heroes in Frederick service members who commit their lives to keeping our communities safe so kids can learn transformative art education.

"Our commitment to Frederick is embedded in our dedication to its institutions and values, and we wouldn't be able to provide the art classes we do without the security

offered by local heroes every day," said Marsha Garcia, owner of Young Rembrandts serving Frederick. "We want our students to know the true heroes in our community, and we're ready to show we love our hometown heroes with a special drawing class with a guest from the Montgomery County Maryland Police Station to show our gratitude for their service."

Young Rembrandts is showing its appreciation of Montgomery County's service members by inviting them to a drawing event where students are welcome to participate in an art class alongside their local heroes. Students are invited to participate at the event on March 6 at 4:15 p.m. at McNair Elementary School. Emily Zupancic, daughter of Marji Zetts, the Young Rembrandts teacher at McNair, is a Montgomery County Maryland Police Officer and will be attending the class and drawing with students.

The "We Love Our Hometown Heroes" event is part of a six-month celebration in which Young Rembrandts of Frederick will be giving back to the community through a collection of local partnerships and outreach programs.

"We want to show our gratitude not only to Frederick for their support of our classes in schools and community centers in the area, but also for the local

heroes who keep us safe and make Frederick such a wonderful place to run a business," said Garcia. "With 'We Love Our Hometown Heroes,' we want to show our community the level of dedication we feel for local residents, and our appreciation for the men and women who ensure a safe environment where our students are provided with the skills they need to succeed academically and in countless other areas of their life."

Young Rembrandts offers art and drawing classes based on the belief that when foundational art skills are taught to preschoolers and elementary students, there is a strong correlation between that involvement in the arts and academic performance.

All of Young Rembrandts' franchisees share a common desire to enrich the lives of children. Through franchising with Young Rembrandts, business-minded entrepreneurs are able to grow their own business while serving the community.

"Our ultimate goal at Young Rembrandts is to give kids the tools they need to succeed in school and in life, and to be a strong partner in the communities we serve," said Bette Fetter, CEO and founder of Young Rembrandts. "These events and outreach activities during our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration are just one way Marsha will be demonstrating her dedication to children and families in Frederick, and the individuals serving the community."

For more information on the "We Love Our Hometown Heroes" event, contact Marsha Garcia at (301) 620-2995 or marsha.garcia@youngrembrandts.com.

For more information about the 30 Year Anniversary celebration campaign and to register children for drawing lessons, please visit the Young Rembrandts website: <a href="https://www.youngrembrandts.com">www.youngrembrandts.com</a>.

## **About Young Rembrandt's**

Young Rembrandts is a recognized leader in art education, offering a curriculum focused on teaching children to draw, using demonstration and a structured step-by-step process. Through the process of weekly instruction, students are exposed to a wide variety of subject matter, artistic concepts, art history and mastery of their materials. Classes are taught to children ages 3 ½ to 12 years old. Young Rembrandts teaches more than 10,000 students each week in 31 states and four provinces. Through franchising, Young Rembrandts offers individuals the chance to grow their own business while creating a positive impact within the community.

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