

# Olde Yakima Letterpress Museum

## 2019 SAMUEL CLEMENS ESSAY CONTEST

### CHECK OFF SHEET

Please include this sheet with your essay and Entry Form

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

School or Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher or Adult Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

My essay:

- Is single spaced.
- Computer generated or typed
- Begins with the phrase: "Samuel Clemens is a role model because...."
- Includes at least 2 examples from Samuel Clemens' life to support my claim.
- Uses indented paragraphs to indicate new main ideas.
- Uses clear and concise details to support my opinions.
- concludes with an insightful personal reflection about why or how Sam Clemens' life inspires me.
- Includes \_\_\_\_\_ words (Eligible essays are 250 to 400 words long.)
- Is initialed by my teacher, parent or the adult leader of my organization.
- My parent or guardian has signed the entrance form.
- My essay, contest entry form and check off sheet is postmarked not later than  
February 18, 2019 and mailed to:  
Olde Yakima Letterpress Museum  
P. O. Box 10477  
Yakima, WA 98909-1477  
Or Contact Fred Hutchinson, Museum President, at 206-719-4979 or  
[pialley@jps.net](mailto:pialley@jps.net) and he will call for bulk essays at school.
- We suggest you or your teacher/leader keep a copy of your essay and other information
- T Shirt Size (circle one) - First 400 students to send in an eligible essay receive a T Shirt.  
Youth Small Youth Medium Youth Large Youth Extra Large  
Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large Adult Extra Large