JUDGING SHEET

Contest G: Cutline Writing

STEP 1: please fill in student code here (for instance, "432G005")

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PLACE		
FIRST	SECOND	THIRD
HONORABLE MENTION		NO AWARD

STEP 2: please score the entry with these criteria

STEP 3: please provide feedback in the comment boxes (**not optional**)

AREAS OF STRENGTH

+ Area of Strength	**✓** Adequate	**−** Area of Weakness
1 + ✓ −	Are the cutlines complete and thorough?	
2 + ✓ −	Do cutlines serve to supplement the action of the photos?	
3 + ✓ −	Is the opening sentence of the cutline written in present tense?	
4 + ✓ −	Do cutlines sufficiently answer all reader questions about the photo?	
5 + ✓ −	Do cutlines avoid stating the obvious?	
6 + ✓ −	Do cutlines identify all who are pictured?	
7 + ✓ −	Do cutlines avoid being "cutesy"?	
8 + ✓ −	Do cutlines avoid jargon such as "pictured here" or "left to right"?	
9 + ✓ −	Do cutlines utilize correct grammar, A.P. style, punctuations and spelling?	
10 + ✓ −	Does cutline introduction show grammatical variety?	
11 + ✓ −	Are cutlines a minimum of two sentences?	
12 + ✓ −	Are quotes used effectively in cutlines?	

AREAS OF WEAKNESS

STEP 4: please staple to **BACK** of student materials