

2012 All Dakota High School Fine Arts Exhibition

Rules

Thursday-Friday April 26 & 27

Student Eligibility

To Participate in this event students must:

- Attend public, private, home school in North or South Dakota
- Be in grades 7 – 12
- Provide art and **be present** to be considered for awards

Entry Fee

- \$75.00 per school team (six entrants)
- \$12.50 for each additional student
- \$12.50 per home school student

Payment

- Due on or before March 1, 2012
- Make check payable to Dacotah Prairie Museum

Preparation of Artwork for Display

2-D artwork must

- Be mounted on a firm backing
- Be framed adequately
- Be ready to hang with wire or other hangers attached
- Be protected by glass, Plexiglass or shrinkwrap

ALL artwork must

- Have event ID label mounted on back

Exhibition Guidelines

- School teams may enter one (1) piece per student with a maximum team entry of six (6) pieces
- Work must be original and created during the 2011-2012 school year
- Work must represent one of the ten media categories listed below
- Media category used must be determined by artist and included on ID label (for judging purposes)

Media Categories

- Painting (Oil, Acrylic or Watercolor)
- Pastel, Oil Pastel or Colored Pencil
- Drawing (Pencil, Marker, Charcoal, or Scratchboard)
- Printmaking
- Mixed Media (Collage, Assembly)
- Fiber/Batik
- Ceramics/Pottery
- Photography/Digital Photography
- Graphic Design/Digital Imagery
- 3-D Sculpture

Awards

- Each student will receive a participation certificate
- Students will choose a "Student's Choice" in each category
- Judges will determine:
 - Individual Best of Show – \$500
 - Best Team Effort from each state – School Trophy
 - Best piece in each media category-Individual Trophy
- Prizes will be awarded at the end of each day
- **STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR PRIZES**

Sale of Student Artwork

- Students may sell their entered artwork
- Students will determine price of artwork which will include 20% commission fee to be retained by the Dacotah Prairie Museum

Delivery/Pickup of Artwork

- Artwork must be received by the Dacotah Prairie Museum no later than April 1, 2012
- All artwork (even if hand delivered) must be securely wrapped for transport to/from the Granary by Museum staff
- Ship artwork UPS and include a return, prepaid shipping label
- Pack artwork for shipping very carefully—we do not want your pieces to arrive broken or otherwise damaged
- Artwork will be returned to the Museum for return to teachers/schools. Ready for pickup Friday, May 4.

Liability

- The Dacotah Prairie Museum does not carry insurance on entered artwork so will not assume responsibility for loss, damage or deterioration of any piece of student art

2012 Deadlines/Calendar

- March 1 - Application and Entry Fees Due
- April 1 – Artwork Due at Dacotah Prairie Museum
- April 26 & 27 – Granary High School Event