

January 7, 2015

Dear Art Instructor,

Mark your calendars!

Labette Community College is proud to announce the 28th annual High School Art Competition and Exhibition. **The competition will be Friday, April 10th, 9 AM to 12:30 PM** in the LCC multi-purpose building, 1129 Broadway. This event is sponsored cooperatively by the Fine Art and Graphic Design Departments. Our mission for this competition is to provide junior and senior students with an opportunity to exhibit their work, compete with and view other students' work, and receive feedback from professional artists and college instructors.

Judges are chosen from art instructors at the college level and art professionals. The judges will be present at the awards ceremony to give a critique of the winning entries from 12:00 to 12:30 PM. **Originality, creativity and technical proficiency** are some of the things the judges will be considering as they view the students' work. Art demonstrations will take place from 9:30–11 with lunch from 11:00 to 12:00.

All of us involved with the competition here at LCC are very pleased with the participation of the high schools at last year's exhibition! The competition is a high point of the year for us and we hope it is for you too.

**BE SURE WORK IS READY TO HANG AND THAT HANGERS ARE STURDY AND FASTENED SECURELY.** Last year some projects fell on the floor because of weak hangers...Greg suggested string sandwiched between mat board with hot glue.

Entries should be delivered (grouped by school) to the LCC gym. Please email beforehand to let us know exactly when you are coming. **Entries will be accepted on or before 7:00 PM, Wednesday, April 8th.** Work must be labeled and ready to hang. Students may enter two artworks per category.

- **Categories this year are Painting, Drawing, Graphic Design/Printmaking, Mixed Media, Sculpture/Ceramics, Photography, and Crafts.**
- If you have any further questions or to set up a drop-off, please contact Greg Brewer at (620) 820-1023, email [gregb@labette.edu](mailto:gregb@labette.edu)
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Sincerely and we look forward to seeing you soon!  
John Ford, Melissa Kipp and Greg Brewer.

Enclosure: Labels.