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FRESH WOOD STUDENT COMPETITION 2011

Finalist Illustration Board Instruction Sheet

Finalist Illustration Board: You are required to create an illustration board that explains your piece. (If you have multiple entries, create one for each entry.) The illustration board will be put on display along with your entry. We have a great display design planned so please follow instructions carefully on your board layout. **The illustration board must accompany your actual project – it cannot be shipped separately! After the Fair, the illustration board will be repacked in your crate and returned to you with your project.**

Here is a sample of an illustration board incorporating the key components. Please feel free to use creativity with format, font, and design while keeping in mind the requirements highlighted below.

Specifications:

1. Medium

- Use a 22" x 28" white *foamcore* or *matte* board, vertical orientation
- Neatly affix project information on the board
- Use 16 pt. or larger type, any font style, for legibility of display

2. Required Components on Board

a. Written Information:

- Your **entry number, your entry category, and your school level** (school level = "high school" or "post secondary") in the upper left hand corner
- Project name at top in larger font than other text
- Please include any or all of the following (if appropriate, you can use the project description written for the entry or a variation of it) highlighting special or unseen features such as assembly or joinery:
 - Materials used
 - Special techniques used in creating the piece
 - Inspiration
 - Function
 - Interesting aspects of the design, challenges overcome
 - Other information that is essential to understand the unique quality of the furniture piece
- **Do NOT print your name, your school name, city and state anywhere on the front of the illustration board!** This will compromise the blind judging process! Your identifying information will be posted with your project and display board after the judging is completed.

b. Visuals:

- Some portion of a working drawing or detail
- A 3" x 3" photograph of your piece in the upper right-hand corner.
- Do NOT affix 3-D objects such as buttons, rocks, etc. to the illustration board. They create excessive weight and may fall off during shipping or display.



Please feel free to contact Adria Torrez if you have any questions or concerns: adria@awfs.org or (323) 215-0311