

Rules and Regulations 2023

Registration

Participants must register using the online registration form found on the Can Creations Event page at www.reachoutlakota.org/events/can-creations. Registration is per sculpture. Teams or sites creating more than one sculpture are to register each sculpture separately.

Participant Responsibilities

Sculpture to be built and displayed at participant's location.

Sculptures is participant's responsibility to build, supervise, and keep structurally safe.

Safety of builders or viewers is responsibility of participant.

Participant is responsible for obtaining the supply of goods used to create the sculpture.

Participant to provide Reach Out Lakota with the following prior to contest start date:

- 1. Group/Site Name
- 2. Sculpture Title
- 3. Description of Sculpture
- 4. Names of team members
- 5. Names of outside donors
- 6. Site address and viewing hours if part of the Can Creations Tour
- 7. Total number of goods used in sculpture
- 8. Total number of goods used that are on the Wish List
- 9. Picture of completed sculpture to be used for voting and award competition to be submitted to Reach Out Lakota by Feb 13

Can Creations Tour Sites

Participants have the option to choose to be a Can Creations Tour site. Tour sites must allow for public viewing of the sculpture. Reach Out Lakota will post Tour Site locations and viewing hours on social media.

Sculpture located at Can Creations Tour sites to be on public display from Feb 14 to 28.

Signage

Participants will be provided with printable pdf files to be used as signage designating that your site as part of the Can Creations Contest. Additional signage may be added by participants to identify donors, creation name, and group name. Can Creation Contest Tour Site locations to keep signage publicly visible through the duration of the contest.

Awards

Awards for groups with 10 or fewer team members:

- Most Creative
- Best Structural Integrity
- Most Donated Items Used (total count of food/packaged goods)
- People's Choice

Awards for groups with over 10 team members:

- Most Creative
- Best Structural Integrity
- Most Donated Items Used (total count of food/packaged goods)
- People's Choice

One award issued for each of the following:

- Best in Show
- Best Student Group Entry
- Most number of items from the Wish List

Awards issued at the discretion of Reach Out Lakota and decisions are final.

Construction Materials

No opened or empty food packages.

No expired food items.

All labels to remain intact and on food packages.

Food packages cannot be permanently attached to each other.

Participants may solicit donations of food items to be used in the creation. Reach Out Lakota will provide bins for collection of items if requested, as supplies last.

Participants may provide Reach Out Lakota's tax-exempt number to donors to use for tax deduction purposes.

De-Construction

All items used in the creation to be donated and delivered to Reach Out Lakota by March 30. Delivery date to be selected during the registration process.

Donated food items to be boxed or bagged in containers weighing less than 30 pounds.

If needed, contact Reach Out Lakota to arrange a pick-up of your food donation.

Wish Zist

Reach Out Lakota's wish list of most wanted items:

- Canned Fruit
- Canned Meats
- Pasta Sauce
- Boxed Pasta
- Jelly
- Dry Black or Pinto Beans
- Pancake Mix

- Syrup
- Shampoo
- Dish Detergent
- All-Purpose Cleaners
- Diapers Size 5+
- Deodorant

Tips for Participants

Draft a design and plan the build before starting construction of the sculpture.

Browse grocery aisles to search out food packaging in colors and sizes that meet the needs of your plan.

Watch for dented cans; they are unstable for stacking.

Make a list of items being used for the sculpture before you start building.

To aid in stability, consider using cardboard between layers of food items.

Temporary adhesives may be used provided they do not damage the product labels.

Adding removable supplemental decorations is allowed. For example, put a hat on a sculpture shaped like a snowman, paper flowers in a sculpture shaped like a planter, etc.

Take care to deconstruct the sculpture without damaging items.

Place a bin near the sculpture and encourage viewers to join in the support by donating items. Reach Out Lakota can provide a bin if requested by calling 513-779-7515.

Have fun!

Sample Sculpture Pics

Type 'can sculpture ideas' into your browser to see images of sculptures on the internet

Pictures of sample sculptures can be found on our website at https://reachoutlakota.org/events/can-creations.html

More amazing ideas (for the ambitious) can be found here: https://inhabitat.com/new-photos-canstruction-sculptures-made-entirely-from-cans/pb180542/



Social Media - #ROLCanCreations

More Information - www.reachoutlakota.org 513-779-7515