

# “All Things Barbed Wire”

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## 2011 Rush County Fair Museum Arts Contest

Sponsored by the Kansas Barbed Wire Museum (KBWM)  
and Rush County Historical Society (RCHS)

Superintendents: Brad Penka, Linda McCarter

- \* Open to all 4-H and Open Class participants.
- \* The main subject of the artwork or display art must be Barbed Wire
- \* Art must be an original creation by the exhibitor.
- \* All entries must be submitted with a completed Rush County Museums Contest entry form.
- \* Ribbons and Cash Premiums will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> class placing for each age category AND Grand and Reserve Champion overall in Youth and Adult/Professional.
- \* Categories: Art (Painting & Drawing), Mixed Media (art incorporating real barbed wire), Display Art (handicrafts, sculptures, ect)

Official Entry forms and complete contest rules are available at any of the following locations:

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| Walnut Creek Extension Office | 702 Main, LaCrosse          |
| Bison Library                 | 202 Main, Bison             |
| Barnard Library               | 521 Elm, La Crosse          |
| McCracken Library             | 303 Main, McCracken         |
| Otis Community Library        | 112 S. Main, Otis           |
| Rush Center Library           | 220 Washington, Rush Center |

Official Entry forms can also be downloaded from the Kansas Barbed Wire Museum webpage at [www.rushcounty.org/BarbedWire](http://www.rushcounty.org/BarbedWire) or Rush County Historical Society webpage at [www.rushcounty.org/RCHS](http://www.rushcounty.org/RCHS).

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If you have any barbed wire or related items you would like to donate to the Kansas Barbed Wire Museum, please contact us or bring your donations to the Museums Contest entry table during the fair.