CAN-STRUCTION RULES

The purpose of this event is to have fun with design and give back to our community. A theme will be posted on the RMRC ’08 website and mailed approximately three weeks before the day of competition, after which you will design an object pertaining to that theme. Your goal is to collect a wide variety of non-perishable canned food items. The more you collect the better you will do in the competition. After the competition all cans will be donated to the Food Bank of the Rockies and/or the Community Food Share organization.

Following is the breakdown for the scoring of the competition:

- **Relevance to Theme** - 20pts
  - Does the object relate to the theme?

- **Artistic representation** – 30pts
  - How much do the cans represent the original object?

- **Structural Integrity** – 10 pts
  - How well does the object stand by itself?

- **Color** - 50pts
  - How close does the color match the original objects color?

- **Ingenuity** - 10pts
  - How creative and original is the object?

- For every 25 cans used in competition 1 pt. will be added to your score.
- For every 50 cans brought, but not used in competition 1 pt. will be added to your score.
- All cans must fit inside a 10’x10’x10’ cube.
- You will be given 10 feet of clear packing tape. For every foot not used 1 pt. will be added to your score.
- For every 6” of height after the structure reaches 5 feet, 5 pts. will be added to your score.
- Maximum height of 10 feet.
- NO ladders/ step stools will be allowed.
- NOTHING other than tape and gravity is allowed to hold cans together.
- For every missing label 1pt. will be subtracted from your score, because without a label the charities will not accept the can.