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MONTANA SCIENCE FAIR  
TO OPEN AT UM FRIDAY

More than 150 grade and high school students are expected to enter exhibits in the Eleventh Montana Science Fair competition at the University of Montana Science Fair this weekend.

Dr. R. A. Diettert, chairman of the UM botany department and director of the fair, said the exhibits will represent a collection of the superior-rated projects shown in district fairs across Montana this past month.

The fair in the Field House is to be open to the public Friday from 6 p.m. to midnight and Saturday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Exhibitors will be competing for numerous awards, including expense-paid trips to the National Science Fair for the boy and girl with the best exhibits in the senior division. The National Science Fair will be held in Dallas, Texas, May 11-14.

Students will register and set up their exhibits in the UM Field House Friday morning and then they will attend a public program in the Music Recital Hall at 3 p.m.

The program will feature a talk by Dr. Darrell J. Inabnit, executive vice president, and musical entertainment by the Jubileers. John Ross, ASUM president will preside at the session.

Exhibits will be judged Friday afternoon, and formal presentation of awards will be made at a luncheon in the Lodge Yellowstone room at noon Saturday. The luncheon is open to anyone who makes a reservation by phoning 243-5222 by 4 p.m. Thursday.

Dr. Carl L. Larson, director of the Stella Duncan Memorial Institute and UM professor of microbiology, will speak at the luncheon.