

CRAFTS AND NEEDLEWORK

Rules and Regulations

- 1. Entries must be filed with the fair office by 3:00 pm on July 14, 2024, or by midnight online. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THAT YOU REGISTER ONLINE!
- 2. All exhibitors are required to purchase a week long exhibitor pass.
- 3. Home Arts General Rules apply.
- 4. Bring entries to Building F on Monday, July 29, 2024, between 12:00 pm and 6:00 pm.
- 5. Home and Creative Arts Committee/Home Art exhibits will be released on the SUNDAY of fair week between 6 pm and 7 pm OR MONDAY AFTER FAIR (AUGUST 5th) from 8 am-10 am, exhibits may not be removed before then. Ribbons and exhibits will be available for pick up at these time slots only. Any exhibits that remain unclaimed after 4 pm on the Friday following the Fair will be donated or discarded.
- 6. All entries MUST be the sole creation, design and executed by the entrant.
- 7. Superintendent reserves the right to disqualify any item that does not qualify for a specific category. Exhibitors are encouraged to contact the Superintendent to define categories, if necessary.
- 8. The decision of the judge is final.
- 9. Pottery, sculpture, clay originals, etc. must be entered in ART Department-25.
- 10. Descriptive 3 x 5 index cards encouraged for all entries.
- 11. The McHenry County Fair Association, for the safety of those attending the Fair (including the rider), prohibits the use of bicycles, scooters, skateboards, hoverboards, and similar wheeled riding items of the Fairgrounds, during the Annual Fair, including set-up and take-down.

| CRAFTS | | | | |
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| Division | Class | | | |
| A Woodworking | 1 Furniture | 4 Turned | | |
| | 2 small item, box, birdhouse | 5 Other item constructed from wood | | |
| | 3 Wood Carving | 6. Pinewood Derby Car | | |
| B Card Making | 1 Stamping | 4 Embossing | | |
| | 2 Fabric | 5 Other | | |
| | 3 Painting | | | |
| C Legos | 1 Any original creation (12" x 12" | | | |
| Must be mounted on | max). No kits. | | | |
| foam or similar board | | | | |
| D Other Crafts | 1 Stained Glass | 4 Model Building (no LEGOS™) | | |
| | 2 Collections (In a container or box | 5 Any metal craft, hammered, welded, forged, etc. | | |
| | 12"x12" maximum) | 6 Other Crafts, no needlework | | |
| | 3 Jewelry, any original item, any | | | |
| | material | | | |
| E Pillows, must be stuffed | 1 Knit or Crocheted | 4 Crewel | | |
| | 2 Needlepoint | 5 Embroidered | | |
| | 3 Cross Stitch | 6 Applique | | |

Premiums First-\$5; Second-\$4; Third-\$3 Be

Best of Show (one per Division): Rosette

| DIVISION | CLASS | | |
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| F Christmas, any | 1 Stocking | 3 Tree Skirt | |
| needlework technique | 2 Ornament | 4 Other | |
| G Crochet: single color, | 1 Afghan, Blanket, or Tablecloth | 5 Amigurumi | |
| variegated, striped | 2 Scarf or Shawl | 6 Sets/clothing (sweater & hat, blanket & booties, | |
| | 3 Hat, Mittens, or Gloves | etc.) | |
| | 4 Socks | 7 Any other crochet item | |
| H Crochet: Intarsia, fairisle | 1 Afghan, Blanket, or Tablecloth | 5 Amigurumi | |
| or stranded. No | 2 Scarf or Shawl | 6 Sets/clothing (sweater & hat, blanket & booties, | |
| variegated. | 3 Hat, Mittens, or Gloves | etc.) | |
| | 4 Socks | 7 Any other crochet item | |
| I Knitting: Single color, | 1 Afghan, Blanket, or Tablecloth | 5 Amigurumi | |
| variegated or striped | 2 Scarf or Shawl | 6 Sets/clothing (sweater & hat, blanket & booties, | |
| | 3 Hat, Mittens, or Gloves | etc.) | |
| | 4 Socks | 7 Any other knit item | |
| J Knitting: Intarsia, | 1 Afghan, Blanket, or Tablecloth | 5 Amigurumi | |
| fairisle or stranded. No | 2 Scarf or Shawl | 6 Sets/clothing (sweater & hat, blanket & booties, | |
| variegated. | 3 Hat, Mittens, or Gloves | etc.) | |
| | 4 Socks | 6 Any other knit item | |
| K Other Needlework (All | 1 Hand Spun Yarn, basket of three | 6 Hand Embroidery | |
| framed articles must use | skeins | 7 Machine Embroidery | |
| screw eyes and picture | 2 Felted Garment | 8 Needle Felting | |
| wiring for hanging). | 3 Counted Cross Stitch | 9 Any Handwoven Item | |
| | 4 Needlepoint | 10 Any Other Needlework | |
| | 5 Crewel | | |

| Little Crafters with Little Help | | | | | | | |
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| L Little Crafters with a Little Help (ages 7 and under with a little adult help) Please note, painted canvas belongs in Art, Jr Open Show Department 125 – Class 24L | 1 Lego (no larger than 12" x 12" and no kits) 2 Recycled Crafts 3 Collections (no larger than 12" x12") | 4 Decorated Flower Pots5 Other Crafts | | | | | |

Crafts and Needlework Open Entry Form

- Register online at www.mchenrycountyfair.com or in the office at 11900 Country Club Road, Woodstock, IL 60098 on Monday – Friday from 9 am – 2 pm. Weekend Registration open Saturday, July 13th 8 am-12 pm and Sunday, July 14th 10 am-3 pm ONLY.
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- Entries will NOT be taken by phone, fax, or email. NO REFUNDS!
- One entry per line. Note changes in Division and Class numbers!

| Last Name: First Name: | | | First Name: | |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
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I have read and understand, and in consideration for being permitted to exhibit at the 2024 McHenry County Fair, agree and consent to abide by the rules of the competition. This includes the McHenry County Rules and Regulations and the Home Arts Department Rules as stated in the Rule section in the McHenry County Fair Book and on the Website: <u>mchenrycountyfair.com</u>

| # | Fee | Total |
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| | \$1.00 per Open entry | |
| | \$25.00 Late Entry Fee – per entry | |
| | \$15 Exhibitor Pass (one required per Exhibitor) | |
| | Total | \$ |

Date