

ARTS & CRAFTS DIVISION GENERAL GUIDELINES

All entrants must reside in Texas or Oklahoma.

The Arts & Crafts competition is intended for amateurs, however, professional categories may be added.

All entries must have been made by the exhibitor since September 18, 2010, except quilts which may have been made within the past 5 years. Exceptions will not be eligible for judging.

There will be an entry fee of \$2.00 per item.

There will be no preregistration. Exhibits should be taken to the MPEC Exhibit Hall on Monday, 12 September, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No items will be accepted for competition after 7 p.m. on Monday, September 12. Exhibit entry forms must be completed by each exhibitor.

Entry divisions are:

1. Photography (See Photography Guidelines)
2. Arts & Crafts (See Arts & Crafts Guidelines)
3. Painting-Fine Arts (See Painting-Fine Arts Guidelines)
4. Needlework (See Needlework Guidelines)
5. Quilts (See Quilts Guidelines)
6. Scrapbooking (See Scrapbooking Guidelines)
7. Canning (See Canning Guidelines)
8. Bread, Cookies & Candy (See Bread, Cookies & Candy Guidelines)
9. Agricultural Produce (See Agricultural Produce Guidelines)

Exhibits will be on display beginning Tuesday, 13 September, 2011 at 6 p.m. Exhibits must remain on display until 9 p.m. Saturday, 17 September, 2011, when they should be removed, or removed at a time to be announced at the time of registration.

Judging will begin Monday after 7 p.m. Ribbons will be awarded for the first through 3rd place and honorable mention. The decision of the judges will be final. If there are no exhibits in a category meriting ribbons, then no ribbons will be awarded.

Fair officials reserve the right to add or combine categories and sub-categories depending on the number of entries and the right to accept or reject entries. The exhibitor is allowed to enter only one entry per sub-category. For example, you may enter each class of oil painting, but not two landscape oil paintings. Fair officials reserve the right to deny any entry they deem to be inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

In the photography category, the exhibitor is allowed no more than 2 entries in any one sub-category. Prints must be mounted, matted or framed. Print size may be 4x6 thru 11x14. (See section Photography Guidelines)

Judging will be on a point system, with 1 point being the lowest and 10 points being the highest. If no entry attains a 10, no blue ribbon (first) will be awarded. Red (second), White (third), and

Green (honorable mention) are the remaining ribbons. All judging will be done at the discretion of the person/persons judging the divisions. There will be a "People's Choice" rosette awarded as the best entry of the show, selected by the votes of Arts & Crafts visitors.

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The Coordinating and sponsoring Founder Lions Club, officers and individuals are not responsible for the loss, theft, damage or injury to exhibits or exhibitors. These sponsors, officers, and individuals will not be responsible for any items left in the exhibit area after checkouts.

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PLEASE NOTE:

There are 8 additional pages below. Scroll down to see all of them.

Division 1 Arts & Crafts Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been made after September 18, 2010 by the exhibitor.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Age Categories:

11 and under

12-18

Adults

Classes:

Ceramics

Stained Glass

Woodcraft

Leathercraft

Macrame and Weaving

Tole

Misc.

Division II Canning Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. Judging will be only by appearance of the entry. The entries will not be opened for tasting. Improperly canned or spoiled entries will not be accepted. The entry must have been produced by the exhibitor.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Age Category: Youth
Adult (over 18)

Classes

Vegetables

Fruits

Pickles

Relishes

Jellies, Jams` & Preserves

Other

Division III Bread, Cookies & Candy Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been baked/cooked/made by the exhibitor. Entries should be in a disposable clear cover, hard-based container. Plastic wrap over a plastic plate is acceptable.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Category: Youth
Adult (Over 18)

Classes:

Note: One or more items will be used by judges for tasting

Bread – ½ loaf

Cookies- half dozen

Candy – half dozen

Candied nuts - dozen

T&O Fair Div IV Agricultural Produce Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been grown by the exhibitor.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Age Category: Youth
Adult (over 18)

Classes:

Vegetables:

Beans – 6 of one variety
Carrots – 4 of one variety
Cucumbers – 4 of one variety
Okra – 4 of one variety
Peppers – 4 of one variety
Pumpkin – 1 of any variety
Squash – 4 of one variety
Tomato – 6 of one variety
Sweet Potatoes – 3 of 1 variety

Fruits:

Apples – 4 of one variety
Figs – 6 of one variety
Pears - 4 of one variety
Persimmons – 4 of one variety
Grapes – 3 clusters of one variety

Melons:

1 each

Gourds:

1-3 single or different varieties

T&O Fair Div V Needlework Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been made after September 18, 2010 by the exhibitor.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours, beginning at Tuesday, September 13 at noon. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event. No soiled entries will be accepted.

Age Categories: Youth
Adult (over 18)

Classes:

- Knitting
- Crochet
- Counted Thread
- Crewel
- Smocking
- Tatting
- Latch Hook
- Other

T&O Fair Div VI Photography Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the photograph.

Photographs should be no smaller than 4"x6" nor larger than 11"x14", and must be mounted, matted, or framed.

Photographs should have been taken after September 18, 2010. The sponsors reserve the right to not display any work considered unsuitable for a family-oriented event.

Exhibits may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

Age Categories: Youth
Adult

Class 1. Black & White

Subject matter:

Natural environment
People
Animals
Structures

Events

Class 2. Color

Subject matter

Natural environment
People
Events
Animals
Structures

T&O Fair Div VII Quilt Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been made by the exhibitor individually or as part of a group between September 2006 and September 12, 2011. Quilts that previously been exhibited shall not be eligible for an award.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Categories:

Youth

Adult (over 18)

Classes:

Hand-quilted, pieced, full-sized

Hand-quilted, pieced, other

Machine-quilted, full-sized

Machine-quilted, other

Applique, full-sized

Applique, other

T&O Fair Div VIII Painting/Fine Art Entry Guidelines

Entries will be accepted Monday, September 12, 2011 between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. No entries will be accepted for exhibit after 7 p.m.

Each exhibitor must complete an exhibition tag. The exhibitor's name should not be visible on the entry.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m. No exhibitors shall be present during the time of judging.

The entry must have been painted after September 18, 2010 by the exhibitor.

Exhibits will be on display during the regular Fair hours. They may be picked up after 9 p.m. on Saturday, September 17, or a time to be announced at registration.

If an exhibitor has more than one item in the same class, his/her items will compete against each other. (No exhibitor names should be visible during judging). The sponsors reserve the right to not display any items they consider inappropriate for a family-oriented event.

Age Categories:

Youth

Adult (Over 18)

Classes:

Oil

Acrylics

Pastels

Watercolor

China Painting

Ink

Mixed Media

Pencil

Crayon

Finger Paint