

CREATIVE ARTS COMPETITION GUIDE

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2026 CREATIVE ARTS CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 10px; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Photos and registration form is due for Collections no later than Monday, July 18. </div>						
AUG. 16	AUG. 17	AUG. 18	AUG. 19	AUG. 20	AUG. 21	AUG. 22
			ONLINE ENTRY REGISTRATION DUE by 10pm for Handcrafts and Trim-A-Tree		BRING IN ENTRIES for Handcrafts, Trim-a-Tree, and Collections 9am–4pm	BRING IN ENTRIES for Handcrafts, Trim-a-Tree, and Collections 9am–4pm
AUG. 23	AUG. 24	AUG. 25	AUG. 26	AUG. 27	AUG. 28	AUG. 29
BRING IN ENTRIES for Handcrafts, Trim-a-Tree, and Collections 12pm–6pm						
AUG. 30	AUG. 31	SEPT. 1	SEPT. 2	SEPT. 3	SEPT. 4	SEPT. 5
					OPENING DAY OF FAIR	
SEPT. 6	SEPT. 7	SEPT. 8	SEPT. 9	SEPT. 10	SEPT. 11	SEPT. 12
		FAIR CLOSED	FAIR CLOSED			
SEPT. 13	SEPT. 14	SEPT. 15	SEPT. 16	SEPT. 17	SEPT. 18	SEPT. 19
Online Entry Registration Due by 10pm for Fastest Fingers in the West	Fastest Fingers in the West Contests	FAIR CLOSED				
SEPT. 20	SEPT. 21	SEPT. 22	SEPT. 23	SEPT. 24	SEPT. 25	SEPT. 26
		FAIR CLOSED				
SEPT. 27	SEPT. 28	SEPT. 29	SEPT. 30	OCT. 1	OCT. 2	OCT. 3
LAST DAY OF FAIR		Release of All Entries 9am–8pm	Release of All Entries *9am–6pm. *Collections must be removed before 5pm			

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Division 203 – **Leather Craft**

Division 215 – **Jewelry**

Division 219 – **Paper Crafts**

Division 225 – **Models**

Division 227 – **Lego Building**

Division 228 – **Clay Arts**

DIVISIONS FOR TEACHERS, PROFESSIONALS & MASTERS:

Division 214 – **Calligraphy & Line Art**, Teachers and
Professionals

Division 108 – **Quilts**, Professionals and Masters

Division 116 – **Basketry**, Professionals and Masters

Washington STATE FAIR

DO THE PUYALLUP!

SEPTEMBER 4 - 27, 2026
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By submitting an entry into the Fair, exhibitors agree to abide by all rules, regulations and entry requirements of the Fair and of the department(s) to which they are submitting their entries. It is important that exhibitors read and be familiar with the rules in this book, as well as the Departmental Exhibitors Rules and Regulations.

Please click here: [Enter a Competition](#) and scroll down to 'ADDITIONAL INFORMATION' to find:

- Departmental Exhibitors Rules and Regulations
- Vehicle Unloading Procedures
- Insurance Information

You may not find it necessary to print this entire Competition Guide. While we ask that you **read and be familiar with** the information in the Competition Guide prior to entry, please feel free to print just the **pages you need**.

Online Entry Registration Instructions

Read below, then register entry information online before bringing items to the Fair.

www.thefair.com

- Read the complete rules, department and division descriptions, and entry information in this Competition Guide **BEFORE** going to online entry registration.
- Then go to the [ONLINE ENTRY REGISTRATION](#) page (**available starting in May**)
- Click **Register** or **Sign In** (if you have registered in the past)
 - Register using your First Name and Last Name and create a password (*write your password down or make sure it is something you will remember for future use.*) Fill in requested information, including email address. Click **Continue**.
 - Select **Department** ex.: *Creative Art*
 - Select a **Division** ex.: *Leather Craft, Division 203*
 - Select a **Class** ex.: *class 1905 - Apparel*
 - Fill in all requested information for the class(es) you are entering, including a **brief Description** ex: jacket
- When all your information is complete, click **Add Entry to Cart** and follow instructions to check out.
(NOTE: If you think you may want to modify your entries, you may *save* your current session and *check out at a later session*. Be sure to **Check Out before the closing date listed for your classes; entries are not submitted to the Fair office until the check out process is complete.)**
- Fill in "**yes**" at the statement to agree to all the terms and conditions of entry as defined in this Competition Guide.
- Click **Submit**.
- Please print the online summary/receipt and bring a copy **with your entries** when you bring them to the Fair. Review the receipt to see each class listed for the items you will be bringing.
- For questions regarding online entry registration, contact: (253) 841-5134, CompExhibits@thefair.com we will be happy to walk you through the process.

ENTRY & RELEASE SCHEDULES

Also, See Calendar on Page 2

ENTRY:

- **COLLECTIONS** – Division 243
Application Form and Photos of your Collection are due no later than Monday, July 20 by 4pm. Applications and photos will be reviewed and applicants will be notified by Aug. 1. *See page 31 & 32 for more information.

ONLINE ENTRY REGISTRATION DATES

- **TRIM-A-TREE** – Division 233
Online entry registration is due by 10 pm:
Wednesday, Aug. 19.
- **HANDCRAFT ENTRIES** – online entry registration is due by 10 pm:
Wednesday, Aug. 19.
- **FASTEST FINGERS IN THE WEST** – Division 105
Online entry registration is due by 10 pm:
Sunday, Sept. 13.

ENTRY DROP OFF DATES

- **ALL ENTRIES (except Fastest Fingers in the West)–**
Bring your entry items and online entry summary/receipt.
Friday, Aug. 21, 9 am – 4 pm,
Saturday, Aug. 22, 9 am – 4 pm, or
Sunday, Aug. 23, 12 pm – 6 pm

Walk-in entrance is through the Gold Gate. If you have heavy or oversized items you may drive through the Service Gate off of 5th Ave SW. The Creative Arts Department is on the second floor of the Pavilion.

ITEMS RELEASED:

RELEASE DATES AND TIMES

- **ALL OTHER ENTRIES RELEASED:**
Tuesday, Sept. 29, 9 am – 8 pm, or
*Wednesday, Sept. 30, 9 am – 6 pm
**All Collections must be removed before 5pm on Wednesday, Sept. 30.*
- **ITEMS WILL NOT BE STORED IF THEY ARE NOT PICKED UP. ANYTHING REMAINING AFTER WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30 WILL BE DONATED TO CHARITY OR DISCARDED.**

CREATIVE ARTS INFORMATION AND RULES

WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

Creative Arts offers a place for amateur craftspersons, collectors and hobbyists to meet and display their crafts. There is no entry fee (*except for Woodworking and Woodcarving divisions*). You may participate in:

A. HANDCRAFTED ENTRIES

Enter your handcrafted items.

- Items will be judged, then displayed during the Fair.
- Please read Creative Arts class and entry information.
- **MODEL or DOLL HOUSE EXHIBITORS**
Due to space limitations, it is required to register the size of your model or dollhouse. Please contact the Creative Arts office, between Aug. 10 - Aug. 19, Mon. – Fri., 9 am -12 pm to register the size of your model or dollhouse. No size limit (except dioramas). Office phone number: (253)841-5260

B. COLLECTIONS

Display and share your collection with Fair guests.

- Submission of application must be accompanied with photos of your collection.
- See information and collections application on pages 31 - 32 of this book.
- Collections applications are due by July 18 via mail, email or delivered to the Fair's administration office
loricollect@gmail.com

AWARDS

Each division that has **at least three exhibitors, if merited,** will have a Grand Champion rosette and prize awarded to the most outstanding entry of that division. A Reserve Grand Champion Rosette will also be given in each qualifying division. There may be one Blue (1st), one Red (2nd) and one White (3rd) ribbon given in each class. Other awards will include Honorable Mention, Award of Merit, and Special Awards. A peoples' choice ribbon is awarded daily in both adult and junior collections. Only Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion, Award of Merit, Blue (1st) and Red (2nd) ribbons will receive money or prize premiums. Premiums will be awarded as listed for each division and **mailed in November.**

ABSOLUTELY NO INFORMATION ON PLACINGS OR AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN PRIOR TO THE FAIR'S OPENING DAY.

DISPLAYS

All award-winning entries will be displayed, and every effort will be made to display all other entries. However, we reserve the right to withhold non-award winning entries from display. The Fair reserves the right to not accept any material or remove any material from display at any time, for any reason and at their own discretion. Items not displayed will be held in a secure storage area and the entrant will be called prior to the Fair opening. Entries cannot be accepted or returned by mail or common carrier.

JUDGING

Judges are selected from professionals or highly accredited amateur artists working within their field of expertise. Neither paid Fair employees nor volunteers are eligible to judge in the department for which they work. Paid Fair employees or volunteers who judge any show or contest outside the department they work for must be pre-approved by their department supervisor. Fair exhibitors, including exhibiting employees, are not eligible to judge in their entry divisions.

RECEIVING AND RETURN

Creative Arts is located on the second floor of the Pavilion. Walk in entrance is through the Gold Gate. For oversized or heavy items, you may drive through the Service Gate off 5th St SW. Please refer to the Entry and Release Schedules on page 2 and 5 for entry and release dates and times.

CREATIVE ARTS HANDCRAFT ENTRIES

The Washington State Fair Departmental Exhibitors Rules and Regulations (link on page 3) governing all departments of the Fair are to be observed with a few additions.

1. Entry registration must be made online for all divisions by entry deadline. See page 4 for Online Entry Registration step-by-step instructions and page 2 for calendar of dates.
2. All entries should be brought to the Creative Arts Department by the exhibitor. If it is necessary for someone else to bring the entry in, **the entry must be pre-registered online prior to the entry deadline or properly labeled with Division and Class numbers by the exhibitor.**
3. No entry fees (except Woodworking and Woodcarving divisions) will be charged.
4. All articles must be the handwork of an individual exhibitor or exhibitors (where noted). They must be finished within the last **two years**. No article can be exhibited a second year. **SOILED OR OBVIOUSLY USED ITEMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**
5. ALL ITEMS WILL BE PLACED IN THE MOST SUITABLE CLASS. Each entrant shall be limited to **ONE ENTRY PER CLASS**, as to enter more would, in effect, be competing

against oneself. Entries may be reclassified by staff or judges.

6. The "OTHER" class will only be used if the item does not fit within any other class in a division.
7. Items that belong in one Division (ie, woodworking) will not be accepted in another Division (ie, crafts).
8. All awards need not necessarily be awarded in each class at the discretion of the judge.
9. Creative Arts is mainly for amateur craftspersons to compete and exhibit their work. The Fair considers the following as professionals:

Anyone who makes more than \$4,000 per year from the sale of the judged craft item.

Anyone who has a certified teaching certificate for that craft.

Anyone who is paid to demonstrate that craft where supplies or finished works are sold.

Anyone who has won the Grand Champion for 2 consecutive years in that division must enter as a professional the following year.

A professional craftspersons may not enter a craft item from their profession into any amateur division (ie. a professional of hand painted china may not enter a hand painted ornament in the 'Holiday Decorations' division).

10. Divisions for teachers and professionals are offered for Calligraphy, Quilts and Basket Making..
11. If you have won the Grand Champion for two consecutive years in a division, you will NOT BE ALLOWED to enter that division for one year.
12. Junior divisions are offered in Leather Craft, Jewelry, Paper Crafts, Models, Lego Building and Clay Arts. Juniors choosing to enter other divisions will be competing with adults.
13. All items placed on display must remain for the full length of the Fair.
14. The Washington State Fair assumes no responsibility for loss or damage. Every reasonable precaution will be used to protect items on display.
15. No "For Sale" cards will be allowed on exhibits or in the building.

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DIVISION 203 – LEATHER CRAFT

Entries will be judged for design, technique and overall appearance.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – ADULTS:

Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$25

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – JUNIORS:

Grand Champion – Junior
Rosette plus \$25

In addition, the Junior Grand Champion will receive a \$50 Gift Certificate from the Puget Sound Leather Artisan's Co-op (PSLAC)

Reserve Grand Champion – Junior
Rosette plus \$15

In addition the Junior Reserve Grand Champion will receive a \$30 Gift Certificate from the Puget Sound Leather Artisan's Co-op (PSLAC)

JUNIORS

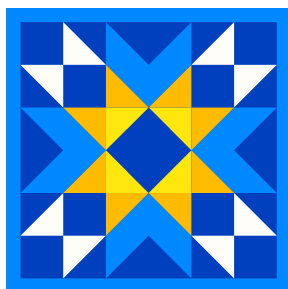
(15 years and younger)

Class	1st	2nd
1825 JUNIOR LEATHER BURNING.....	\$10	\$5
1828 JUNIOR HOUSEHOLD ITEM.....	\$10	\$5
1830 JUNIOR LEATHER, OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

ADULTS

(16 years old and older)

Class	1st	2nd
1850 PICTURE.....	\$10	\$5
1855 TOOLED ITEM.....	\$10	\$5
1895 STAMPED ITEM.....	\$10	\$5
1898 LEATHER BURNING.....	\$10	\$5
1902 HOUSEHOLD ITEM.....	\$10	\$5
1905 APPAREL/ACCESSORY.....	\$10	\$5
1910 UN-TOOLED/BRAIDING.....	\$10	\$5
1915 NATIVE AMERICAN STYLE ITEM.....	\$10	\$5
1920 OTHER LEATHERCRAFT.....	\$10	\$5



DIVISION 206 – DECORATIVE PAINTING

If needed for display purposes, correctly proportioned easel/plate stand must be provided by exhibitor.

Decorative painting entries will be judged for overall effect, color coordination, neatness, blending and line work, and finish (back also).

For leather painting, enter Leather Craft Division 203.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class	1st	2nd
2002 STROKE WORK.....	\$10	\$5
2010 ROSEMALING.....	\$10	\$5
2015 PAINTING ON WOOD.....	\$10	\$5
2070 PAINTING ON GOURD.....	\$10	\$5
2095 PAINTING ON ROCK.....	\$10	\$5
2090 PAINTING ON OTHER SURFACE (not listed).....	\$10	\$5

2098 SPECIALTY PAINTING CONTEST:.....\$15 \$10

BARN QUILT

Specialty Painting Contest

PAINT A TRADITIONAL BARN QUILT THAT CELEBRATES 250 YEARS OF INDEPENDENCE FOR AMERICA.

Design Requirements:

- Your finished barn quilt may be any size up to 24 inches by 24 inches in size (eg. 12"x12", 18"x18", 24"x24")
- Acrylic paint only on canvas or sanded wood.
- Design must be inspired by traditional barn quilt patterns, using at least 3 colors. Geometric patterns are strongly encouraged but will accept other simple images such as animals, flowers, etc.
- Professional artists and those artists who sell their artwork may not participate in this class. Novice only.



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DIVISION 211 – DOLL HOUSES

All furniture/accessories must be secured with glue, putty, etc.

Entries will be judged for:

Workmanship	40%
Originality	20%
Design	20%
Attention to Scale	20%

Houses must be brought in and set up by exhibitor. Plexiglas covers over houses are encouraged. **Due to space**

limitations, it is required to register the size of your dollhouse.

Please contact the Creative Arts office, between Aug. 10–19, Mon. – Fri., 9 am – 12 pm to register the size of your dollhouse. No size limit. **Notify us if you need**

electricity. Hobby Hall office: (253)841-5260.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – Rosette plus \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – Rosette plus \$25
Best in Each Category – Ribbon

DOLL HOUSES, BUILDINGS & ROOMS

Houses must be on a firm base not to extend more than what is equal to 12 feet in scale beyond the foundation of the house or building. *Smaller scale are 1:48 and 1:144.

Class		1st	2nd
3500	FURNISHED DOLL HOUSE, scratch built ...	\$20	\$10
3505	FURNISHED DOLL HOUSE, from a shell or kit	\$20	\$10
3516	*SMALL SCALE FURNISHED DOLL HOUSE, scratch built	\$20	\$10
3517	*SMALL SCALE FURNISHED DOLL HOUSE, from a shell or kit	\$20	\$10
3520	OTHER BUILDING, scratch built	\$20	\$10
3525	OTHER BUILDING, from a kit.....	\$20	\$10
3530	ONE ROOM	\$10	\$5
3535	*SMALL SCALE ONE ROOM	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 212 – DOLL HOUSE ACCESSORIES & MINIATURES

All furniture/accessories must be secured with glue, putty, etc. Handmade, must be detached from house or room.

Entries will be judged for:

Workmanship	40%
Originality	20%
Design	20%
Attention to Scale	20%

*Smaller scale are 1:48 and 1:144.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – Rosette plus \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
3572	DOLL HOUSE - OTHER ACCESSORIES.....	\$10	\$5
3573	*SMALL SCALE - OTHER ACCESSORIES	\$10	\$5
3608	MINIATURE - OTHER ACCESSORIES.....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 213 – CALLIGRAPHY & LINE ART

Do not enter photo copies or reproductions of your work.

Judges Criteria:

- Quality of lettering; lettering styles, consistent angle, rhythmic quality, consistent width top to bottom70%
- Design, color choice, illustration, craftsmanship . .30%

Due to limited case space, calligraphy entries MUST NOT exceed 14" x 16", including frame.

Two dimensional work **must be framed** and have strong WIRE hangers, no string or self-leveling hangers (ex. _^_^_^_).

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
4000	LETTER FORMS ONLY ON UNALTERED PAPER.....	\$10	\$5
4005	LETTERING WITH EMBELLISHMENT ON PAPER (Backgrounds, illustration, collage, embossing, gilding, weaving, decorative elements, three dimensional objects)...	\$10	\$5
4010	LETTERING ON MATERIAL OTHER THAN PAPER (glass, metal, fabric, wood, stone, etc.).....	\$10	\$5
4015	HAND LETTERED CARD	\$10	\$5
4017	ENVELOPE	\$10	\$5
4022	ZENTAGLE	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 214 – CALLIGRAPHY & LINE ART TEACHERS AND PROFESSIONALS

Do not enter photo copies or reproductions of your work.

Judges Criteria:

- Quality of lettering; lettering styles, consistent angle, rhythmic quality, consistent width top to bottom70%
- Design, color choice, illustration, craftsmanship . .30%

Due to limited case space, calligraphy entries MUST NOT exceed 14" x 16", including frame.

Two dimensional work **must be framed** and have strong WIRE hangers, no string or self-leveling hangers (ex. _^_^_^_).

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
4030	LETTER FORMS ONLY ON UNALTERED PAPER.....	\$10	\$5
4035	LETTERING WITH EMBELLISHMENT ON PAPER (Backgrounds, illustration, collage, embossing, gilding, weaving, decorative elements, three dimensional objects)...	\$10	\$5
4040	LETTERING ON MATERIAL OTHER THAN PAPER (glass, metal, fabric, wood, stone, etc.).....	\$10	\$5
4045	HAND LETTERED CARD	\$10	\$5
4047	ENVELOPE	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 215 – JEWELRY

One entry per class is allowed. Pairs and sets will be accepted as one entry.

Please do not mount items to be entered.

All categories will be judged primarily by quality and technique, but also in part by the dynamics and originality of the design.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – ADULTS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – JUNIORS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Reserve Champion –
Rosette plus \$15

ADULTS

Class	1st	2nd
4060 NECKLACE.....	\$10	\$5
4061 BRACELET	\$10	\$5
4062 PENDANT, PIN, OR EARRINGS	\$10	\$5
4063 SETS.....	\$10	\$5
4064 OTHER JEWELRY (not listed).....	\$10	\$5

The above classes are single or multi-strand beaded.

4074 LEATHER CORDED JEWELRY	\$10	\$5
4075 WIRE/METAL WORK – jewelry of any kind where the main focus is the manipulation of wire or metal (wrapping, hammering, wax or centrifugal casting, soldering or free-form design)	\$10	\$5
4076 CHAINMAILLE.....	\$10	\$5
4078 HAIR ACCESSORIES.....	\$10	\$5
4080 BEADS, UP TO 3 made by exhibitor; glass, polymer, fabric, metal, paper, wood, fimo sculpting clay.....	\$10	\$5
4085 OTHER NON-BEADED JEWELRY.....	\$10	\$5

JUNIORS

(15 years and younger)

Class		
4090 ANY JEWELRY (7 and under).....	\$10	\$5
4091 JUNIOR BEADED JEWELRY includes all medium (8-11 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4092 JUNIOR BEADED JEWELRY includes all medium (12-15 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4093 JUNIOR NON-BEADED JEWELRY (8-11 yrs).....	\$10	\$5
4094 JUNIOR NON-BEADED JEWELRY (12-15 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4095 JUNIOR BEADS, UP TO 3 made by exhibitor; glass, polymer, fabric, metal, wood, fimo, sculpting clay (8-11 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4096 JUNIOR BEADS, UP TO 3 made by exhibitor; glass, polymer, fabric, metal, wood, fimo, sculpting clay (12-15 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4097 JUNIOR OTHER JEWELRY (8-11 yrs)	\$10	\$5
4098 JUNIOR OTHER JEWELRY (12-15 yrs)	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 217 – CRAFTS

See also Division 221 – Holiday Decorations.

Items must not exceed 30", **width plus length** or 24" total in diameter (including frame, if framed). Items to be hung must have strong WIRE hangers. No string or self-leveling hangers (ex. _/_/_/_). No crochet, knitting, counted cross stitch, stitchery, appliqué or needlepoint (except plastic canvas) will be accepted. Please see Home Arts Department for these areas.

The "OTHER" class will only be used if the item does not fit within any other class in a division.

A professional craftspersons may not enter a craft item from their profession into any amateur division (ie. a professional of hand painted china may not enter a hand painted ornament in the 'Holiday Decorations' division).

One entry per class is allowed.

Some things judges consider:

- **Quality of work**
- **Originality**
- **Use of color**
- **Attention to detail**
- **Neatness**
- **Design**

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25
- Best in each Category –
Ribbon

SILK AND DRIED FLOWERS OR DRIED PLANT MATERIAL

(NO HOLIDAY SPECIFIC ITEMS)

Class		1st	2nd
4190	DECORATED HAT.....	\$10	\$5
4195	WEDDING ARTICLE.....	\$10	\$5
4200	CENTERPIECE.....	\$10	\$5
4205	WREATH.....	\$10	\$5
4210	SWAG OR WALL HANGING.....	\$10	\$5

NON-SEWN CRAFTS

CLASS		1st	2nd
4230	PICTURE ALBUM.....	\$10	\$5
4235	FRAME.....	\$10	\$5
4241	ITEM made using seashells.....	\$10	\$5
4242	ITEM made from recycled materials.....	\$10	\$5
4244	DUCT TAPE CRAFT.....	\$10	\$5
4246	DIAMOND PAINTING (maximum size 36" x 24").....	\$10	\$5
4247	VINYL CRAFT.....	\$10	\$5

4248	STRING ART.....	\$10	\$5
4249	RESIN ART.....	\$10	\$5

PLASTIC CANVAS

Class		1st	2nd
4260	SMALL ARTICLE (key chain, bookmark, etc.).....	\$10	\$5
4265	LARGE ARTICLE (purse, mobile, building, etc.).....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 219 – PAPER CRAFTS

(Also see Division 221 – Holiday Decorations)

Items must not exceed 30", **width plus length** or 24" total in diameter (including frame, if framed). Items will be judged on workmanship, originality and design. Items to be hung must have strong WIRE hangers. No string or self-leveling hangers (ex. _/_/_/_).

A professional craftspersons may not enter a craft item from their profession into any amateur division (ie. a professional of hand painted china may not enter a hand painted ornament in the 'Holiday Decorations' division).

No envelopes with cards. No plastic sleeves.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – ADULTS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – JUNIORS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$15

ADULTS

(16 years and older)

Class	1st	2nd
4400 CARD.....	\$10	\$5
4401 BIRTHDAY CARD.....	\$10	\$5
4404 CHRISTMAS CARD.....	\$10	\$5
4406 OTHER HOLIDAY CARD.....	\$10	\$5
4407 ARTISTIC TRADING CARD COIN (2-1/2" Diameter).....	\$10	\$5
4408 INTERACTIVE CARDS.....	\$10	\$5
4409 ARTISTIC TRADING CARD (2-1/2" x 3-1/2").....	\$10	\$5
4411 SCRAPBOOKING (1 page maximum).....	\$10	\$5
4412 PAPER FOLDING (Origami, Tea Bag, Iris, etc) .	\$10	\$5
4413 JUNK JOURNALING (1 page maximum).....	\$10	\$5
4416 COLORING TECHNIQUES.....	\$10	\$5
4418 THREE DIMENSIONAL (Home Decor).....	\$10	\$5
4420 THREE DIMENSIONAL (Box, Bag, etc).....	\$10	\$5
4422 BOOK (Altered, handmade, etc).....	\$10	\$5
4424 ITEM MADE FROM RECYCLED PAPER.....	\$10	\$5

JUNIORS

(15 years and younger)

Class	1st	2nd
4428 JUNIOR CARD.....	\$10	\$5
4430 JUNIOR PAPIER-MÂCHÉ.....	\$10	\$5
4431 JUNIOR SCRAPBOOKING (1 page maximum).....	\$10	\$5
4434 JUNIOR ORIGAMI.....	\$10	\$5
4436 JUNIOR ITEM MADE FROM RECYCLED PAPER.....	\$10	\$5
4438 JUNIOR OTHER PAPER ARTICLE.....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 221 – HOLIDAY DECORATIONS

Items must not exceed 30", **width plus length**, or 24" total in diameter (including frame, if framed). Items will be judged on workmanship, originality, design, finishing and cleanliness.

All articles to be hung must have strong WIRE hangers, no string or self-leveling hangers (ex. _^_^_^_).

A professional craftspersons may not enter a craft item from their profession into any amateur division (ie. a professional of hand painted china may not enter a hand painted ornament in the 'Holiday Decorations' division).

One entry per class is allowed.

Items containing fresh flowers or greens will not be accepted.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25
- Best in each Category –
Ribbon

CHRISTMAS

Class		1st	2nd
4500	ORNAMENT (One).....	\$10	\$5
4505	TREE SKIRT (up to 36" total in diameter)....	\$10	\$5
4510	STOCKING.....	\$10	\$5
4515	TREE TOPPER.....	\$10	\$5
4520	WREATH (up to 24" total in diameter).....	\$10	\$5
4530	CENTERPIECE OR TABLE DECORATION.....	\$10	\$5
4532	GIFT WRAPPED PACKAGE (up to 30", width plus length plus height).....	\$10	\$5
4535	WALL HANGING OR DOOR DECORATION ..	\$10	\$5

ANY OTHER HOLIDAY OR SEASON

Class		1st	2nd
4550	WREATH (Up to 24" total in diameter).....	\$10	\$5
4555	CENTERPIECE OR TABLE DECORATION.....	\$10	\$5
4560	WALL HANGING OR DOOR DECORATION ..	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 222 – EGG ART

(Entries must be real eggs.)

A STABLE, proper stand must be provided by exhibitor.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
4800	DIORAMA	\$10	\$5
4810	HINGED	\$10	\$5
4812	MECHANICAL.....	\$10	\$5
4815	DECOUPAGE.....	\$10	\$5
4820	HAND PAINTED.....	\$10	\$5
4825	BEADED.....	\$10	\$5
4827	JEWELLED.....	\$10	\$5
4830	FANCY CUT.....	\$10	\$5
4840	NATURAL DYE.....	\$10	\$5
4845	WAX RESIST.....	\$10	\$5
4850	SCRATCHED.....	\$10	\$5
4851	CARVED.....	\$10	\$5
4853	HOLIDAY.....	\$10	\$5
4860	MINIATURE (Smaller than chicken egg) ...	\$10	\$5
4866	JUMBO (Larger than a chicken egg).....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 224 – GLASS ARTS

If your entry can be hung, please use sturdy hooks. Do not include chains or wire. No self-leveling hangers (ex. _^_^_^_).

If need for display purposes, a correctly proportioned easel/plate stand must be provided by the exhibitor.

Decorative glass work should not exceed 72", length plus width.

Some things judges consider:

Design:

How everything flows together

Glass:

Selection of color and texture

Fabrication:

How well the piece is constructed

Finish:

How well it is cleaned

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
5010	STAINED GLASS WINDOW HANGING, Copper foil - from original design.....	\$15	\$10
5030	STAINED GLASS WINDOW HANGING- Leaded - from original design	\$15	\$10
5040	OTHER STAINED GLASS	\$15	\$10
5045	DECORATIVE GLASS THREE DIMENSIONAL WORK (Boxes, centerpieces, etc.).....	\$15	\$10
5065	DECORATIVE ETCHED GLASS WORK	\$15	\$10
5070	DECORATIVE BLOWN GLASS.....	\$15	\$10
5072	MOSAIC (Three dimensional and/or flat work)	\$15	\$10
5073	DECORATIVE FUSED AND/OR SLUMPED GLASS	\$15	\$10
5075	OTHER DECORATIVE GLASS	\$15	\$10

DIVISION 227 – LEGO BUILDING

SPECIAL RULES:

1. Build an original model using ONLY LEGO BRAND components. All pieces must have the word LEGO on them.
2. **One entry per person in this division.**
3. **No kits or items directly from idea books.**
4. No computer - generated projects.
5. Models must be secure enough to be moved.
6. Entire piece may not exceed 10" x 10" x 15" high.
7. ENTRIES WILL BE JUDGED FOR ORIGINALITY AND DETAIL OF DESIGN. All articles must be solely the work of an individual exhibitor.
8. Entries must be left for display during the Fair. All award-winning entries will be displayed, and every effort will be made to display all other entries.
9. Ribbons and premiums will be awarded in each age class.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – AGE 15 AND YOUNGER:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$50

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – AGE 16 AND OLDER:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$50

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

AGES 15 YEARS AND YOUNGER

Class		1st	2nd
5900	3 - 5 YEARS	\$10	\$5
5920	6 – 8 YEARS, STRUCTURE OR BUILDING.....	\$10	\$5
5930	6 – 8 YEARS, MISCELLANEOUS.....	\$10	\$5
5940	9 – 11 YEARS, STRUCTURE OR BUILDING.....	\$10	\$5
5950	9 – 11 YEARS, MISCELLANEOUS.....	\$10	\$5
5960	12 – 15 YEARS, STRUCTURE OR BUILDING.....	\$10	\$5
5970	12 – 15 YEARS, MISCELLANEOUS.....	\$10	\$5

AGES 16 YEARS AND OLDER

Class		1st	2nd
5975	ADULT, STRUCTURE OR BUILDING	\$10	\$5
5980	ADULT, MISCELLANEOUS.....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 225 – MODELS

Models will be judged on accuracy of construction and finishing techniques. Bases and kit-provided figures are allowed.

The following definitions will apply to models:

- “Kit built” – from a kit, may be detailed using additional materials.
- “Kit conversion” – Kits with major structural changes; may use two kits, scratch materials or any combination.
- “Scratch built” – made from materials, not in kit.

Models will be displayed in glass cases, on shelves out of reach, or open display areas out of reach. Please secure loose parts with glue or putty. Models may be handled by the judges. Covers on models need to be removable for judging only.

Diorama entries are limited to one entry per person. Size not to exceed 15” in height, **not to exceed 36” in length plus width**. All pieces must be securely attached to a base. No dioramas accepted in enclosed cases.

Due to space limitations, it is required to register the size of your model. Please contact the Hobby Hall office, between Aug. 1 - 14, Mon. – Fri., 9 am -12 pm to register the size of your model. No size limit, **except dioramas**. Hobby Hall office: (253)841-5066.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – ADULTS:

- Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$25
- Best in Each Category – Ribbon

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – JUNIORS:

- Grand Champion – Junior
Rosette plus \$25
- Reserve Grand Champion – Junior
Rosette plus \$15
- Best in Each Category – Ribbon

JUNIORS MODELS

(15 years and younger)

Class		1st	2nd
5100	VEHICLE	\$10	\$5
5120	AIRCRAFT.....	\$10	\$5
5135	DIORAMA (not to exceed 36", length plus width)	\$10	\$5
5140	OTHER MODEL.....	\$10	\$5

BUILT MODELS

ADULTS

(16 years and older)

Class		1st	2nd
5250	CAR AND MOTORCYCLE.....	\$10	\$5
5255	TRUCK.....	\$10	\$5
5260	MILITARY VEHICLE	\$10	\$5
5265	AIRCRAFT.....	\$10	\$5
5270	BOAT AND SHIP.....	\$10	\$5
5285	OTHER MODELS	\$10	\$5

KIT CONVERSIONS AND SCRATCH BUILT

ADULTS

(16 years and older)

Class		1st	2nd
5400	VEHICLE	\$10	\$5
5415	AIRCRAFT.....	\$10	\$5
5420	BOAT AND SHIP.....	\$10	\$5
5430	DIORAMA (not to exceed 36", length plus width)	\$10	\$5
5435	OTHER MODELS	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 228 – CLAY ARTS

NOTE: According to the Washington State Ceramics Association, winning ribbons or premiums at this Fair does not change your amateur status for future ceramics show competition.

All items must be at least 70% fired ceramic.

Secure all loose pieces, lids, bases, etc., with tape or glue.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – ADULT:

- Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion – Adult
Rosette plus \$25
- Best in Each Category – Ribbon

ADDITIONAL AWARDS – JUNIORS:

- Grand Champion – Juniors
Rosette plus \$25
- Reserve Grand Champion – Juniors
Rosette plus \$15

JUNIORS- AGES 6 TO 15 YEARS

Juniors, age 6 to 15 years are to compete in the Junior Division only. A class with ten or more entries will be split into two groups for judging: 6 - 10 years old and 11 - 15 years old.

Class	1st	2nd
6023 JUNIOR CERAMICS.....	\$5	\$3
6024 JUNIOR POTTERY.....	\$5	\$3
6026 JUNIOR HAND FORMED.....	\$5	\$3
6030 JUNIOR POLYMER CLAY.....	\$5	\$3

ADULTS

(16 years and older)

CERAMICS

Class	1st	2nd
6070 GLOSS GLAZE.....	\$10	\$5
6075 MATTE GLAZE.....	\$10	\$5
6080 TEXTURE GLAZE.....	\$10	\$5
6083 CRYSTAL GLAZE.....	\$10	\$5
6087 COMBINATION GLAZE.....	\$10	\$5
6092 HAND FORMED.....	\$10	\$5
6094 HIGH FIRED.....	\$10	\$5
6098 UNDERGLAZED.....	\$10	\$5
6100 OTHER MISCELLANEOUS TECHNIQUES.....	\$10	\$5

POTTERY

Class	1st	2nd
6230 WHEEL THROWN, LARGE ARTICLE, OVER 12 INCHES.....	\$10	\$5
6235 WHEEL THROWN, SMALL ARTICLE, 12 INCHES OR UNDER.....	\$10	\$5
6240 HAND FORMED, LARGE ARTICLE, OVER 12 INCHES.....	\$10	\$5
6245 HAND FORMED, SMALL ARTICLE, 12 INCHES OR UNDER.....	\$10	\$5

POLYMER CLAY

No jewelry or beads

Class	1st	2nd
6248 SCULPTURES AND FIGURINES, (must be less than 6" in both height and width).....	\$10	\$5
6250 DECORATIVE ACCESSORIES (eg. key chains magnets).....	\$10	\$5
6252 HOME DECORATION (eg. small vase, trinket tray, picture frame).....	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 232 – BEADWORK

All items will be judged on construction, degree of difficulty and quality of finish.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

- Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100
- Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

BEADWORK

Other than jewelry

Class	1st	2nd
4350 APPAREL / ACCESSORY.....	\$10	\$5
4355 HOME DÉCOR (Lamp shade, pillow fringe or tassels, pictures).....	\$10	\$5
4365 NATIVE AMERICAN BEADWORK.....	\$10	\$5
4368 BEADWORK ON OTHER SURFACE.....	\$10	\$5
4370 OTHER BEADWORK.....	\$10	\$5

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DIVISION 229 – HAND PAINTED CHINA

Entries will be judged for design, originality, technical skill, neatness and balance, and suitability to the piece.

Pieces made in a class cannot be entered.

Secure all loose pieces, lids, bases, etc. with tape or glue.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
6500	ANIMALS	\$10	\$5
6505	BIRDS	\$10	\$5
6510	FLOWERS/PLANTS	\$10	\$5
6515	FRUITS/VEGETABLES	\$10	\$5
6520	PORTRAITS	\$10	\$5
6525	SCENES.....	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 231 – LAPIDARY ARTS

All categories will be judged primarily on workmanship and quality of material, but also on originality and artistic design.

Entries must be the handwork of the exhibitor. Manufactured mounts and findings will be accepted but not judged.

*Display classes 6770, 6780 and 6820:

Display size is limited to 12" width x 12" length x 8" height unless preapproved by the Hobby Hall supervisor.

Exhibitors may choose the number of items to be displayed, but must observe size requirements above.

Entries may or may not be finished/polished but must be appropriately cleaned.

Purchased specimens may be included but must not dominate the display.

Labeling and containers are not required but encouraged.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion –
Rosette plus \$25

Class		1st	2nd
6700	METAL FABRICATION (focus on lapidary arts).....	\$10	\$5
6720	SINGLE CABOCHON.....	\$10	\$5
6730	SINGLE FREE FORM CABOCHON.....	\$10	\$5
6740	CARVING	\$10	\$5
6745	INTARSIA	\$10	\$5
6750	SINGLE GEM TREE.....	\$10	\$5
6755	TUMBLED STONE	\$10	\$5
6760	FACETED STONE	\$10	\$5
6770	*FOSSIL DISPLAY.....	\$10	\$5
6780	*GEM/MINERAL DISPLAY.....	\$10	\$5
6820	*CRYSTALS DISPLAY.....	\$10	\$5
6830	OTHER LAPIDARY ART (not included specifically in other classes)	\$10	\$5

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WOODWORKING

Some things judges consider:

Finish: Appropriateness of finish, skill and quality in finishing.

Artistry: Perspective, form, proportion, balance, dramatic impact and originality in interpretation of subject. Use of grain, color, knots, etc., to enhance the carving's appeal.

General Impression: Overall effect, impact and intrinsic value.

ADDITIONAL WOODWORKING AWARDS:

One Grand Champion and one Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the 1st place winners from the divisions below.

Grand Champion

Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion

Rosette plus \$25

DIVISION 350 – WOODWORKING

Class	1st	2nd
1001 ACCESSORIES.....	\$75	\$50
1004 MADE FOR CHILDREN.....	\$75	\$50
1005 SCROLL SAW - INTARSIA.....	\$75	\$50
1007 STUDENT WORK (17yrs and younger)	\$75	\$50
1008 VENEERING/MARQUETRY ART....	\$75	\$50
1009 OTHER ITEM	\$75	\$50

DIVISION 351 – WOODTURNING

Class	1st	2nd
1102 SPINDLE WORK	\$75	\$50
1103 MIXED MEDIA.....	\$75	\$50
1104 SEGMENTED.....	\$75	\$50

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest judges may designate up to two needlepoint entries (other than the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit – \$25 premium and a rosette.

WOODCARVING

Some things judges consider:

Carving Skill: Carving intricacy and difficulty of carving, lean cuts, surface condition, execution of details

Finish: Appropriateness of finish, skill and quality in finishing.

Artistry: Perspective, form, proportion, balance, dramatic impact and originality in interpretation of subject. Use of grain, color, knots, etc., to enhance the carving's appeal.

General Impression: Overall effect, impact and intrinsic value.

ADDITIONAL WOODCARVING AWARDS:

One Grand Champion and one Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the 1st place winners from the divisions below.

Grand Champion

Rosette plus \$100

Reserve Grand Champion

Rosette plus \$25

DIVISION 200 – IN THE ROUND

(THE CARVING IS COMPLETELY THREE DIMENSIONAL, NO PAINT)

Class	1st	2nd
1400 ANIMALS, BIRDS, FISH, REPTILES (Natural).....	\$75	\$50
1420 HUMAN FIGURES (Natural)	\$75	\$50
1425 CARICATURE.....	\$75	\$50
1445 BOTANICAL (Natural).....	\$75	\$50
1455 INDIAN MOTIF (Natural)	\$75	\$50

DIVISION 201 – WOODCARVING

Class	1st	2nd
1500 WHITTLED ITEM (Made with a knife from a single piece of wood).....	\$75	\$50
1510 SMALL ITEM (Jewelry, pipe, etc.)..	\$75	\$50
1520 LARGE ITEM (Cane, walking stick, etc.).....	\$75	\$50
1522 FRAME (For mirror/picture).....	\$75	\$50
1525 CARVING (Incised, chip)	\$75	\$50
1540 INTARSIA	\$75	\$50
1545 WOOD BURNING.....	\$75	\$50
1550 RELIEF (plaque)	\$75	\$50

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest judges may designate up to two needlepoint entries (other than the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit – \$25 premium and a rosette.

DIVISION 100 – MACHINE SEWING

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER: Grain line, stitching, accuracy, pressing, seam finishing, grading and clipping, stains/soil, zippers and hems.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$50 Gift Certificate
donated by Pacific Fabric,
2230 4th Ave South, Seattle
www.pacificfabrics.com



Grand Champion - \$50

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

CHILDREN’S WEAR

Class	1st	2nd
1000. EVERYDAY WEAR.....	\$10	\$5
1010. PARTY WEAR	\$10	\$5
1030. CHRISTENING DRESS OR SET	\$10	\$5
1032. COSTUME	\$10	\$5
1040. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

TAILORING

Class	1st	2nd
1050. SUIT, MEN’S OR WOMEN’S.....	\$10	\$5
1060. COAT, BLAZER, JACKET	\$10	\$5

SEPARATES

Class	1st	2nd
1130. STRETCH FABRIC (swimsuit, ski wear, leotard, etc.)	\$10	\$5
1140. JACKET	\$10	\$5
1150. SKIRT, PANTS	\$10	\$5
1170. BLOUSE OR SHIRT.....	\$10	\$5
1190. DRESS, DAYTIME.....	\$10	\$5
1200. VEST	\$10	\$5
1205. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

SPECIAL OCCASION

Class	1st	2nd
1210. WEDDING DRESS	\$10	\$5
1220. LONG PARTY DRESS.....	\$10	\$5
1230. SHORT PARTY DRESS.....	\$10	\$5
1250. COSTUME	\$10	\$5
1260. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

MISCELLANEOUS

Class	1st	2nd
1280. SLEEPWEAR.....	\$10	\$5
1285. APRON	\$10	\$5
1290. PURSE	\$10	\$5
1292. BAG	\$10	\$5
1300. DOLL CLOTHES (doll up to 18” optional) ...	\$10	\$5
1310. STUFFED FABRIC ANIMAL OR DOLL.....	\$10	\$5
1320. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

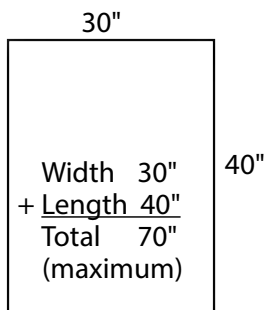
SPECIAL SEWING TECHNIQUES

(Item constructed by exhibitor, i.e.,
no fusing or gluing on ready-made items)

Class	1st	2nd
1400. MANIPULATED SURFACE (e.g., pleating, woven strips)	\$10	\$5
1402. SMOCKING	\$10	\$5
1410. EMBELLISHMENTS (e.g., trim, edging beading, buttons).....	\$10	\$5
1415. MACHINE EMBROIDERY EMBELLISHMENTS (free motion or computerized designs)	\$10	\$5
1420. QUILTING TECHNIQUES, APPLIQUE, PATCHWORK (other than a quilt).....	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 101 – HAND STITCHERY

All framed items must have strong WIRE hangers, no string or self-leveling hangers (e.g., _/\/\/_), and must not exceed



70" one width and one length combined, including frame. See example at left. Professional mounting and framing is permissible. Frame or glass is optional. No pairs or sets will be accepted. Judging will be based on completed piece including finishing and/or framing.

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER: Consistent direction of stitches, thread compatibility to fabric, proper tension, splitting threads, hoop outlines and/or soil, on-grain framing.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

The Evergreen Chapter of the Embroiderer's Guild of America

will award \$75 cash, a certificate, and a ribbon. The award will be based on originality and stitching excellence.

TRADITIONAL EMBROIDERY

Class	1st	2nd
2000. PICTURE.....	\$10	\$5
2010. SMALL ARTICLE.....	\$10	\$5
2020. MEDIUM ARTICLE.....	\$10	\$5
2030. LARGE ARTICLE.....	\$10	\$5
2040. YOUR ORIGINAL DESIGN.....	\$10	\$5

COUNTED THREAD

Aida cloth, cross stitch or drawn work.

For classes below, measurements should equal one length and one width combined.

Class	1st	2nd
2050. PICTURE, up to 24".....	\$10	\$5
2060. PICTURE, 25" to 36".....	\$10	\$5
2070. PICTURE, 37" to 48".....	\$10	\$5
2080. PICTURE, 49" to 70".....	\$10	\$5
2082. OTHER (ie. pillow, ornament).....	\$10	\$5

LINEN WEAVE, EVEN WEAVE OR DRAWN WORK

For classes below, measurements should equal one length and one width combined.

Class	1st	2nd
2090. PICTURE, up to 24".....	\$10	\$5
2091. PICTURE, 25" to 36".....	\$10	\$5
2092. PICTURE, 37" to 48".....	\$10	\$5
2095. PICTURE, 49" to 70".....	\$10	\$5
2105. OTHER (eg. household item, pillowcase, etc.)	\$10	\$5

HARDANGER

Class	1st	2nd
2111. HOUSEHOLD, up to 12" in diameter.....	\$10	\$5
2112. HOUSEHOLD, 12" to 24" in diameter.....	\$10	\$5
2113. HOUSEHOLD, larger than 24" in diameter..	\$10	\$5
2114. FRAMED.....	\$10	\$5
2115. OTHER (e.g. pulled, cut, mixed, garment, etc.)	\$10	\$5

OTHER HAND STITCHERY

Class	1st	2nd
2118. BUNKA.....	\$10	\$5
2140. BRAZILIAN EMBROIDERY.....	\$10	\$5
2150. SILK RIBBON EMBROIDERY.....	\$10	\$5
2160. MULTI-MEDIA (eg. hand sewn embellishments, buttons/beads).....	\$10	\$5
2170. YOUR ORIGINAL DESIGN.....	\$10	\$5
2175. CREWEL EMBROIDERY.....	\$10	\$5
2180. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest judges may designate up to two stitchery entries (other than the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit – \$25 premium and a rosette.

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DIVISION 118 – MACHINE EMBROIDERY

Entries will be judged on embroidery styles and elements only. Example – a garment or quilt submitted to this division will be judged on embroidery alone. To be judged as a whole, quilts should be entered in a quilting division and garments into clothing division (Division 100).

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER:

Design, stabilizing the fabric, correct upper and lower tension and jump stitch trimming.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion - \$100
Reserve Grand Champion - \$25

FREE MOTION

Class		1st	2nd
2300. Large Quilt (at least 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2305. Small Quilt (less than 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
22325. Other	\$10		\$5

PURCHASED DIGITIZED DESIGN

Class		1st	2nd
2330. Large Quilt (at least 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2335. Small Quilt (less than 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2355. Other	\$10		\$5

YOUR ORIGINAL DIGITIZED DESIGN

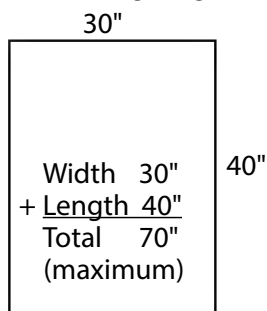
Class		1st	2nd
2360. Large Quilt (at least 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2365. Small Quilt (less than 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2385. Other	\$10		\$5

IN THE HOOP

Class		1st	2nd
2390. Large Quilt (at least 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2395. Small Quilt (less than 140 inches one length and one width combined) ..	\$10		\$5
2400. Other	\$10		\$5

DIVISION 102 – NEEDLEPOINT

All framed items must have strong WIRE hangers, no string or self-leveling hangers (i.e. _/\V_\), and must not exceed 70" one width and one length combined, including frame. See example at left. Professional mounting and framing is permissible. Frame or glass is optional. No pairs or sets will be accepted. Judging will be based on completed piece including finishing and/or framing. No cross stitch will be accepted in this division.



SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER:

Consistent direction of stitches, thread compatibility to fabric, proper tension, splitting threads, hoop outlines and/or soil, on-grain framing.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

The Evergreen Chapter of the Embroiderer’s Guild of America will award \$75 cash, a certificate, and a ribbon. The award will be based on originality and stitching excellence.

For classes below, measurements should equal one length and one width combined.

Class		1st	2nd
2510. PETIT POINT (Greater than 24 stitches per inch and executed entirely in tent stitch)	\$10		\$5
2520. PICTURE, up to 24"	\$10		\$5
2530. PICTURE, 25" to 36"	\$10		\$5
2540. PICTURE, 37" to 48"	\$10		\$5
2550. PICTURE, 49" to 70"	\$10		\$5
2560. UNFRAMED NEEDLEPOINT PIECE	\$10		\$5
2580. PAINTED CANVAS WITH STITCH GUIDE.	\$10		\$5
2590. PAINTED CANVAS WITHOUT STITCH GUIDE	\$10		\$5

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest judges may designate up to two needlepoint entries (other than the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit – \$25 premium and a rosette.

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DIVISION 103 – CROCHET

Afghans not to exceed 150 inches one width and one length combined, but must be at least 96 inches one width and one length combined, except Class 3050. No framed, mounted or lined crochet work will be accepted.

***ENTER CROCHETED THREADS IN DIVISION 112 & HOLIDAY ITEMS IN DIVISION 221**

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER: Even stitches, even tension, blocking, even seams, cleanliness, ends, even outside edges



ADDITIONAL AWARDS:
Grand Champion – \$50 Gift Certificate
donated by Pacific Fabrics,
2230 4th Ave. South, Seattle.
www.pacificfabrics.com

Grand Champion - \$50

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS, CROCHET

Class		1st	2nd
3020.	AFGHAN, PIECED.....	\$15	\$10
3040.	AFGHAN, ONE PIECE	\$15	\$10
3050.	AFGHAN, BABY	\$10	\$5
3090.	MISCELLANEOUS SMALL ITEMS.....	\$5	\$3
3095.	POT HOLDER	\$5	\$3
3098.	ANIMAL	\$5	\$3
3105.	DOLL/TOY	\$5	\$3
3110.	DOLL CLOTHES, 3 pieces or less (doll up to 18" optional – the judge must be able to see the inside of the clothes)	\$5	\$3
3120.	OTHER (eg. Pet Item)	\$5	\$3

WEARING APPAREL, CROCHET

Class		1st	2nd
3130.	ADULT WEAR (ie; dress, skirt, coat, suit) ...	\$15	\$10
3140.	SWEATER, VEST	\$10	\$5
3150.	CHILDREN'S WEAR	\$5	\$3
3160.	INFANT WEAR, SINGLE PIECE	\$5	\$3
3170.	INFANT WEAR, SET	\$10	\$5
3180.	SCARF, STOLE, SHAWL	\$5	\$3
3190.	HAT	\$5	\$3
3195.	PURSE/BAG	\$5	\$3
3210.	OTHER.....	\$5	\$3

DIVISION 104 – KNITTING

Afghans not to exceed 150 inches one width and one length combined. Thread bedspreads not to exceed 225 inches, one width and one length combined.

*** ENTER LACE TECHNIQUE BEDSPREADS, TABLECLOTHS AND DOILIES IN DIVISION 112 & HOLIDAY ITEMS IN DIVISION 221**

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER: Even stitches, even tension, blocking, even seams, cleanliness, ends, even outside edges.



ADDITIONAL AWARDS:
Grand Champion – \$50 Gift Certificate
donated by Pacific Fabrics,
2230 4th Ave. South, Seattle.
www.pacificfabrics.com

Grand Champion - \$50

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HAND KNIT HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES

Class		1st	2nd
3520.	AFGHAN, one piece	\$15	\$10
3525.	ANIMAL	\$5	\$3
3528.	DOLL/TOY	\$5	\$3
3550.	DOLL CLOTHES, 3 pieces or less (doll up to 18" optional – the judge must see the inside of the clothes)	\$5	\$3
3560.	OTHER.....	\$5	\$3

HAND KNIT WEARING APPAREL

Class		1st	2nd
3570.	ADULT WEAR (eg. dress, coat, skirt, suit) ...	\$15	\$10
3580.	SWEATER, ADULT – CARDIGAN	\$10	\$5
3590.	SWEATER, ADULT – PULLOVER.....	\$10	\$5
3600.	VEST	\$5	\$3
3616.	CHILDREN'S WEAR (eg. dress, sweater, etc).....	\$10	\$5
3620.	INFANT WEAR, SINGLE PIECE	\$5	\$3
3630.	INFANT WEAR, SET	\$10	\$5
3640.	SCARF	\$5	\$3
3643.	STOLE	\$5	\$3
3645.	SHAWL	\$5	\$3
3650.	HAT	\$5	\$3
3655.	BAG/PURSE.....	\$5	\$3
3660.	SOCKS.....	\$5	\$3
3665.	GLOVES/MITTENS.....	\$5	\$3
3670.	OTHER.....	\$5	\$3

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DIVISION 105 – FASTEST FINGERS IN THE WEST CONTEST

Contest Yarn Provided by:
Cascade Yarn



These events will be held in the Home Arts Department, on the 2nd floor of the Pavilion. A maximum of 30 contestants will be accepted for each competition.

Four-ply knitting worsted, size eight (8) knitting needles and size "I" crochet hook will be provided by the Washington State Fair. Duplicate awards will be given for work of equal quality. Tatting shuttle and thread provided by the Washington State Fair.

**All three Fastest Fingers contests are on:
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

You may enter either:

Online by 10 pm the day before the contest (see page 4 for instructions), or **at the Creative Arts Dept.** Up to 1/2 hour before contest time.

FASTEST FINGERS IN THE WEST

Class	1st	2nd	3rd
3736. TATTING CONTEST – 11:00 AM ...	\$30	\$20	\$10
Class	1st	2nd	3rd
3738. KNITTING CONTEST – 1 PM	\$30	\$20	\$10

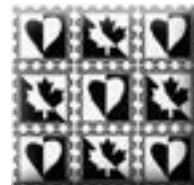
The winners of the tatting and knitting contests will be those contestants who have knitted or tatted the greatest number of stitches with correct tension and workmanship during the 15-minute period. Any incomplete stitch or dropped stitch will be deducted from the total number of stitches completed.

Class	1st	2nd	3rd
3740. CROCHETED GRANNY SQUARE CONTEST – 3 PM	\$30	\$20	\$10

The crocheted granny square contest will be judged on workmanship and completion of the greatest number of stitches using directions provided.

DIVISION 110 – QUILT CHALLENGE “MY AMERICA”

Contest Fabric Provided by:
The Quilt Barn
2102 E Main Ave, Suite 102
Puyallup, WA 98372



The Quilt Challenge is open to all quilters ages 16 years and older.

Create a wall quilt using the theme, "My America" as your inspiration.

Register your entry online by Wednesday, August 19.

When your online entry is received we will send you the 10 x 14 inch rectangle of fabric to begin this challenge project.

Refer to Calendar on page 2 or see dates in Entry & Release Regular Schedule on page 5 for Bringing In entry items and Entry Release/Return.

Class	1st	2nd	3rd
4180. "My America" QUILT CHALLENGE.....	\$50	\$30	\$20

Prizes and 10" x 14" fabric pieces are donated by **The Quilt Barn**, Puyallup, WA.

QUILT CHALLENGE RULES

Your creation must utilize all of the fabric provided. Additional "Challenge" fabric may not be used.

Quilts must not exceed 72 inches, one length and one width combined.

Additional fabrics, shape, techniques and embellishments are your choice.

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DIVISION 106 – LARGE QUILTS

(At least 140 inches one length and one width combined)

Large quilts should be completed by only one person. Enter large quilts done by at least one amateur and one professional in Amateur/Professional Quilt Collaboration – Division 107.

NOTE: Due to size restrictions, quilts may be folded for display.

SOME THINGS JUDGES CONSIDER: Piecing/appliqué: technique, borders and sashing, quilting design and technique, binding or edges, corners, marking or soil.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:



Grand Champion – Baby Lock “Jubilant” sewing machine, valued at \$699, **donated by Baby Lock and Quality Sewing and Vacuum Center**, 10 Western Washington locations.

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HAND QUILTED

These quilts are made by sewing layers of a quilt together by hand using needle and thread.

Class	1st	2nd
4000. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4004. APPLIQUÉED.....	\$20	\$15
4008. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4010. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

MACHINE QUILTED

DOMESTIC QUILTED

These quilts are designed with a home sewing machine.

Class	1st	2nd
4020. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4024. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4028. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4032. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

FREEHAND LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and the quilter guiding the stitched design.

Class	1st	2nd
4066. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4068. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4070. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4072. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

COMPUTER LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and a computer program.

Class	1st	2nd
4076. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4078. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4080. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4082. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

MISCELLANEOUS QUILTING TECHNIQUES

Class	1st	2nd
4038. MACHINE EMBROIDERY (judged on embroidery only)	\$20	\$15
4040. TIED.....	\$20	\$15
4042. OTHER (e.g., yoyo, rag, cathedral window) .	\$20	\$15

(No quilting machine entries will be accepted)

AMATEUR GROUP PROJECT

(Two or more persons)

Class	1st	2nd
4050. HAND QUILTED – any technique.....	\$20	\$15
4052. MACHINE QUILTED – any technique.....	\$20	\$15

FIRST TIME PARTICIPANT

Class	1st	2nd
4060. HAND QUILTED – any technique.....	\$20	\$15
4062. MACHINE QUILTED – any technique	\$20	\$15
4064. OTHER QUILTING TECHNIQUE	\$20	\$15

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest in each of the four Quilting Divisions, judges may designate up to two quilt entries (other than Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit (rosettes and \$25 premiums).

DIVISION 107 – AMATEUR / PROFESSIONAL QUILT COLLABORATION

This must be a quilt done by two or more persons including at least one amateur and one professional. See rule 9 on page 6 for the definition of a professional.

NOTE: *Due to size restrictions, quilts may be folded for display.*

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HAND QUILTED

These quilts are made by sewing layers of a quilt together by hand using needle and thread.

Class	1st	2nd
4100. HAND QUILTED	\$20	\$15

MACHINE QUILTED

DOMESTIC QUILTED

These quilts are designed with a home sewing machine.

Class	1st	2nd
4104. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4108. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4119. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4120. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and the quilter guiding the stitched design.

Class	1st	2nd
4130. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4132. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4134. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4136. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

COMPUTER LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and a computer program.

Class	1st	2nd
4140. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4142. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4144. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4146. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

DIVISION 108 – PROFESSIONAL / MASTER QUILTER

These classes are offered for professional/master quilters. They will compete ONLY with one another and not with participants of amateur status. See rule 9 on page 6 for the definition of a professional. A master quilter is one who has won a Washington State Fair, amateur division once or served as a Washington State Fair quilt judge.

NOTE: *Due to size restrictions, quilts may be folded for display.*

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HAND QUILTED

These quilts are made by sewing layers of a quilt together by hand using needle and thread.

Class	1st	2nd
4150. HAND QUILTED	\$20	\$15

MACHINE QUILTED

DOMESTIC QUILTED

These quilts are designed with a home sewing machine.

Class	1st	2nd
4154. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4158. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4169. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4174. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

FREEHAND LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and the quilter guiding the stitched design.

Class	1st	2nd
4175. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4176. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4178. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4180. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

COMPUTER LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and a computer program.

Class	1st	2nd
4186. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4188. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4190. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4192. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

DIVISION 109 – SMALL QUILTS

(Less than 140 inches, one length and one width combined)

Small quilts should be completed by only one person.

Enter small quilts done by at least one amateur and one professional in Amateur/Professional Quilt Collaboration – Division 107. Enter small quilts created by more than one amateur in Amateur Group Projects.

NOTE: Quilt stitching must be visible from the back of the quilt.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HAND QUILTED

These quilts are made by sewing layers of a quilt together by hand using needle and thread.

Class	1st	2nd
4200. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4204. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4208. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4209. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

MACHINE QUILTED

DOMESTIC MACHINE

These quilts are designed with a home sewing machine.

Class	1st	2nd
4220. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4224. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4228. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4229. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

FREEHAND LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and the quilter guiding the stitched design.

Class	1st	2nd
4290. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4292. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4294. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4296. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

COMPUTERIZED LONG ARM QUILTED

These quilts are made specifically with a long arm sewing machine and a computer program.

Class	1st	2nd
4300. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4302. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4304. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4306. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

MISCELLANEOUS

QUILTING TECHNIQUES

Class	1st	2nd
4260. MACHINE EMBROIDERY (judged on the embroidery only)	\$10	\$5
4265. TIED	\$10	\$5
4267. OTHER (Yo-Yo, Cathedral, Crazy, Rag, Whole Cloth)	\$10	\$5

PATCHWORK OR QUILTED ITEMS

Class	1st	2nd
4272. PILLOW	\$10	\$5
4274. MINIATURE QUILT (18" wide and 18" long, or less)	\$10	\$5
4276. OTHER	\$10	\$5

FIRST TIME PARTICIPANT

Class	1st	2nd
4278. HAND QUILTED – any technique	\$10	\$5
4280. MACHINE QUILTED – any technique	\$10	\$5
4282. OTHER QUILTING TECHNIQUE	\$10	\$5

AMATEUR GROUP PROJECTS

(Two or more persons)

MACHINE QUILTED

These quilts are quilted using a home sewing machine or long arm.

Class	1st	2nd
4310. PIECED	\$20	\$15
4318. APPLIQUE	\$20	\$15
4312. MIXED TECHNIQUES (e.g., appliquéd/pieced).....	\$20	\$15
4320. ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$20	\$15

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DIVISION 112 – LACE / OPEN WORK

FRONT AND BACK OF WORK MUST BE VISIBLE.

ALL HOLIDAY ITEMS MUST BE ENTERED IN DIVISION ____

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

BOBBIN LACE

Class		1st	2nd
5000.	ALL-LACE PROJECTS, SMALL, up to 6" x 6" (e.g., book marks, medallions, etc.)	\$10	\$5
5005.	ALL-LACE PROJECTS, LARGE, Larger than 6" x 6" (e.g., pictures, doilies, etc.)	\$10	\$5
5010.	LACE AND FABRIC COMBINED	\$10	\$5

NEEDLE MADE LACE

*SEE DIVISION 101 FOR HARDANGER

Class		1st	2nd
5030.	SMALL HOUSEHOLD (up to 12" in diameter)	\$10	\$5
5040.	MEDIUM HOUSEHOLD (12" to 24" in diameter)	\$10	\$5
5050.	LARGE HOUSEHOLD (larger than 24" in diameter, no mounting)	\$10	\$5
5080.	OTHER (e.g., pulled, cut, mixed, garment etc.)	\$10	\$5

TOOL MADE LACE – TATTING

Class		1st	2nd
5090.	TATTING, DOILY	\$10	\$5
5100.	TATTING, ORNAMENT, JEWELRY	\$10	\$5
5120.	TATTING, TRIMMED ITEM	\$5	\$3
5121.	TATTING, 3-D ITEM	\$5	\$3
5122.	TATTING, OTHER	\$5	\$3

TOOL MADE LACE – CROCHET

Class		1st	2nd
5130.	SMALL CROCHET (up to 12" in diameter)	\$5	\$3
5135.	MEDIUM CROCHET (3" to 24" in diameter)	\$5	\$3
5140.	LARGE CROCHET (24" in diameter or larger)	\$10	\$5
5158.	CROCHET, OTHER	\$5	\$3

TOOL MADE LACE – KNIT

Class		1st	2nd
5162.	LARGE KNIT – (24" in diameter or larger)	\$20	\$15
5166.	MEDIUM KNIT – (3" TO 24" in diameter)	\$5	\$3
5168.	SMALL KNIT – (up to 12" in diameter)	\$5	\$3
5173.	KNIT, OTHER	\$5	\$3

DIVISION 113 – WEAVING

The entries must be at least 50% weaving

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
Baby Lock "Joy" Sewing Machine valued at \$399 **donated by Baby Lock and Quality Sewing and Vacuum Center**, 10 Western Washington locations.
www.quiltsewing.com



Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HANDWOVEN HOUSEHOLD ARTICLE

Please include fiber content on a 3 x 5 inch index card.

Class		1st	2nd
5510.	BLANKET, AFGHAN OR COVERLET	\$10	\$5
5515.	BLANKET, AFGHAN OR COVERLET, (more than 4 shafts)	\$10	\$5
5520.	TABLE RUNNER, SET OF 4 PLACE MATS OR TABLECLOTH	\$10	\$5
5525.	TABLE RUNNER, SET OF 4 PLACE MATS OR TABLECLOTH (more than 4 shafts)	\$10	\$5
5530.	BATH OR KITCHEN TOWEL	\$5	\$3
5535.	BATH OR KITCHEN TOWEL (more than 4 harnesses)	\$5	\$3
5540.	YARDAGE (3 yard min., finished for intended use, state intended use)	\$10	\$5
5550.	TAPESTRY	\$10	\$5
5560.	HANDWOVEN RUG	\$10	\$5
5565.	OTHER	\$5	\$3

HANDWOVEN GARMENT

Please include fiber content on a 3 x 5 inch index card.

Class		1st	2nd
5570.	OUTERWEAR (coat, poncho, cape)	\$15	\$10
5585.	BLOUSE SHIRT, SKIRT OR DRESS	\$10	\$5
5590.	VEST OR TABARD	\$10	\$5
5595.	OTHER GARMENT (embellishment woven with novelty yarn)	\$10	\$5
5610.	SHAWL, STOLE OR SHRUG	\$10	\$5
5615.	SCARF	\$5	\$3
5620.	ACCESSORIES	\$5	\$3

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DIVISION 111 – RUGS

Rugs may not exceed 192 inches, one width and one length combined. Hangings may be mounted but must not exceed 70 inches, one length and one width combined, including mountings.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

Class	1st	2nd
4500. LATCHET	\$10	\$5
4520. SHIRRET OR RUFFLE	\$10	\$5
4525. HOOKED, PRIMITIVE	\$10	\$5
4527. HOOKED, FINE SHADING	\$10	\$5
4530. CROCHET	\$10	\$5
4540. RUG TYPE WALL HANGING	\$10	\$5
4550. BRAIDED	\$10	\$5
4560. OTHER	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 119 – FELTING

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

USE OF FLEECE OR FELTED WOOL

Please include fiber content on a 3 x 5 inch index card.

Class	1st	2nd
6110. NON-WOVEN FELTED ARTICLE – FLAT	\$10	\$5
6115. NON-WOVEN FELTED ARTICLE – 3-D (eg. animals, dolls, flowers, etc)	\$10	\$5
6118. NON-WOVEN FELTED CLOTHING	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 114 – SPINNING

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100
Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

HANDSPUN YARN

Please specify intended use, skein weight, yardage and fiber content on a 3x5 inch index card. Skein must be 1 oz. or more in weight. Yarn should be wound on a two-yard niddy-noddy and gently figure-eight tied in four places with same or coordinating yarn.

NOTE: In order to aid in the judging process, you will be asked to complete a "Design Documentation for Art/Complex Yarns" form on the day of entry if you are entering in classes 6022, 6055 or 6076. This is not required but this will assist our judge.

Class	1st	2nd
6000. WOOL – SINGLES	\$5	\$3
6005. WOOL – 2 PLY – fine, 15+ wraps per inch	\$5	\$3
6008. WOOL – 2 PLY – medium, 9-14 wraps per inch	\$5	\$3
6010. WOOL – 2 PLY – heavy, less than 8 wraps per inch	\$5	\$3
6014. WOOL – MULTIPLE PLY	\$5	\$3
6016. DROP SPINDLE YARN	\$5	\$3
6020. BLENDED FIBERS	\$5	\$3
6022. ART/COMPLEX YARN, unusual technique	\$5	\$3
6028. SILK	\$5	\$3
6030. HAND DYED YARN,	\$5	\$3
6038. PLANT FIBER (e.g., cotton, linen, ramie)	\$5	\$3
6040. OTHER ANIMAL FIBER (e.g., dog, mohair)	\$5	\$3

USE OF HANDSPUN YARN

Include a 3 foot butterfly of yarn and fiber content on a 3 x 5 inch index card.

Class	1st	2nd
6050. LOOM WOVEN ARTICLE	\$10	\$5
6055. LOOM WOVEN ARTICLE, (using art/complex yarn)	\$10	\$5
6070. KNITTED SWEATER	\$10	\$5
6075. KNITTED ARTICLES (items not found in other classes)	\$10	\$5
6076. KNITTED ARTICLES (using art/complex yarn)	\$10	\$5
6078. CROCHETED ARTICLES	\$10	\$5
6080. OTHER TECHNIQUES	\$10	\$5
6090. SMALL ARTICLES, (mittens, hats, etc.)	\$5	\$3
6095. SOCKS	\$5	\$3

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DIVISION 115 – BASKETRY

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

(A minimum of three exhibitors is required for granting this award. See page 6 “AWARDS”)

COILED AND KNOTTED

Class	1st	2nd
6140. FUNCTIONAL	\$10	\$5
6145. FREE FORM	\$10	\$5
6155. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

TWINED

Class	1st	2nd
6160. FUNCTIONAL	\$10	\$5
6165. FREE FORM	\$10	\$5
6170. MINIATURE, 4" x 4" x 4" max.....	\$10	\$5
6175. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

WOVEN – SPLINTWORK AND PLAITING

Class	1st	2nd
6180. FUNCTIONAL	\$10	\$5
6185. FREE FORM	\$10	\$5
6190. MINIATURE, 4" x 4" x 4" max.....	\$10	\$5
6195. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

RIB STYLE AND WICKER WORK

Class	1st	2nd
6200. FUNCTIONAL	\$10	\$5
6215. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

MISCELLANEOUS VESSELS

(e.g., Folded, Looped, Gourds incorporating Basketry Techniques)

Class	1st	2nd
6220. FUNCTIONAL	\$10	\$5
6225. FREE FORM	\$10	\$5
6235. OTHER.....	\$10	\$5

DIVISION 116 – PROFESSIONAL / MASTER BASKET MAKER

Five classes are offered for professional/master basket makers. They will compete ONLY with one another and not with participants of amateur status. See rule 7 on page 6 for the definition of a professional. A master basket maker is one who has won an amateur division once, been a recipient of ribbons at a national basketry show or served as a Washington State Fair basketry judge.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion – \$100

Reserve Grand Champion – \$25

(A minimum of three exhibitors is required for granting this award – see page 6, “AWARDS”.)

Class	1st	2nd
6300. COILED AND KNOTTED.....	\$10	\$5
6305. TWINED	\$10	\$5
6310. WOVEN – splint work and plaiting	\$10	\$5
6315. RIB STYLE AND WICKER WORK.....	\$10	\$5
6320. MISCELLANEOUS VESSELS (e.g., folded, looped, gourds incorporating basketry techniques).....	\$10	\$5

AWARD OF MERIT

At the conclusion of the contest in Basketry, judges may designate one entry in each Basketry division (other than Grand and Reserve Grand Champions) for Awards of Merit (rosettes and \$25 premiums).

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DIVISION 233 – TRIM-A-TREE CONTEST

ONLINE ENTRY REGISTRATION AVAILABLE

May 4, 2026 - 9am

through

July 18, 2026 - 10pm

or until all trees have been reserved.

SET UP DATES AND TIMES

Friday, Aug. 21, 9 am – 4 pm

Saturday, Aug. 22, 9 am – 4 pm

Sunday, Aug. 23, 12 pm – 6 pm

RELEASE DATES AND TIMES

Tuesday, Sept. 23, 9 am – 8 pm

Wednesday, Sept. 24, 9 am – 5 pm

2026 Tree Theme "Celebrating America"

ADDITIONAL AWARDS:

Grand Champion –
\$50

Reserve Grand Champion –
\$20

Class

7000 Trim-a-Tree Contest

TRIM-A-TREE RULES & INFORMATION

- The Trim-a-Tree Contest consists of **eight (8)** artificial trees decorated by the entrant in the current years theme.
- Entries will be processed in order of online registration date and time.
- **One entry per household.** All eight (8) entrants will receive confirmation of their status via phone call/mail/email by Wednesday, August 5. When all eight (8) trees have been registered for, notification will be placed on our website that the contest is closed.

ARTIFICIAL TREES

Artificial trees will be provided. Measurement from floor to lowest branches is 8". Measurement from lowest branches to tip of the tree is 5'. Diameter at bottom branch is 30".

Miniature UL approved lights may be used on the trees. Exhibitors must provide UL approved 14 gauge or heavier three wire (grounded) extension cord, 15" minimum length. Approved multi-plug adapters may be used. Please, no "on or off" switches on your tree.

Tree skirt and decorations around the base of the tree may not extend more than six inches beyond the tips of the lower branches (**a total of 48" in diameter floor space**).

Please, **NO** alcohol, tabbaco products or drug related items as decorations on your tree.

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DIVISION 243 – COLLECTIONS INFORMATION

COLLECTIONS COORDINATOR

Lori Cutter

loricollect@gmail.com

MAIL APPLICATIONS AND PICTURES TO:

Washington State Fair Event Center
ATTN: Creative Arts - Collections
110 9th Avenue SW
Puyallup, WA 98371-6811

Or email them to: loricollect@gmail.com

Any collection or display that is of general interest, family friendly and worthy of recommendation to others and NOT MAINTAINED FOR FINANCIAL GAIN may be entered.

Participation ribbons will be given to all exhibitors. One People's Choice ribbon awarded daily for both adult and junior collections.

The Washington State Fair assumes no responsibility for loss or damage. Every reasonable precaution will be used to protect items on display.

APPLICATION DATE

Application and photo(s) of your collection must be received by Collections Coordinator or Administration office, no later than **Monday, July 20.**

Space is assigned beginning July 24. You will be notified **on or before August 3**, by mail, phone, and/or email, if your collection has been accepted for display or not.

No entry fee will be charged.

WHERE & WHEN TO SET UP YOUR COLLECTION

Drive in through the Service Gate off of 5th St SW to bring in your collection. Creative Arts department is located in the Pavilion, second floor on the North end of the building. Use the elevator on the south end of the building for heavy or oversized items.

NOTE: you will be walking your collection pieces from your vehicle to the 2nd floor. We recommend bringing a cart or wagon to move your collection.

SET UP DATES AND TIMES

FRIDAY, AUG. 21, 9 AM – 4 PM

SATURDAY, AUG. 22, 9 AM – 4 PM

SUNDAY, AUG. 23, 12 PM – 6 PM

ALL COLLECTIONS MUST BE PICKED-UP:

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29, 9 AM – 8 PM

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30, 9 AM – 5 PM

(ALL COLLECTIONS MUST BE REMOVED BEFORE 5PM **ON SEPT. 30**)

COLLECTIONS RULES

The general rules (Rules and Regulations on page 4) governing all departments of the Fair are to be observed with a few additions.

1. Previously displayed collections may be resubmitted **after three (3) years.**
3. To apply, complete the application on page 32 and send the completed application with photos of your collection by mail, email or, hand deliver to the Fair Administration Office, no later than July 20. Pictures will be returned. **Collections registered without application and/or pictures will not be considered.**
3. The Collections coordinator's email address and the Fair's mailing address are located in the previous column under, **"Mail Applications And Pictures To:"**
4. No selling or soliciting of any kind is allowed by exhibitors.
5. No suggestive materials will be accepted.
6. The Fair reserves the right to not accept any material or remove any material from display at any time, for any reason and at their own discretion. Items not displayed will be held in a secure storage area and the entrant will be called prior to the Fair opening. Entries cannot be accepted or returned by mail or common carrier.
7. No live materials (e.g. plants) are allowed.
8. For security reasons, we suggest no personal photos.
9. Metal containers in a collection display must not contain liquid (e.g. soda cans).
10. No hazardous materials of any kind.
11. Must be 5 years or older by Aug. 18, 2026 to enter.
12. **Only one collection per household.**
13. The Fair reserves the right to cancel a collection for not following Fair Rules, or if a collection cannot be set-up during the posted set-up dates or times.

COLLECTION CASES ARE ALL ONE SIZE:

70"W X 58"H X 18"D

Class

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2026 WASHINGTON STATE FAIR COLLECTIONS APPLICATION

Please submit this form before July 18, 2026

(If accepted, you'll need to be able to set up your display Aug. 21, 22 and/or 23. Exact times will be noted on acceptance letter.)

This form is required for COLLECTIONS only – not for your handmade entries. **In addition to this application**, you MUST send photos of your collection. Please send your application and photos via mail, email or hand deliver to the administration office, before and no later than Monday, July 20, as the spaces will began being assigned the following week.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR, Age 5–15	<input type="checkbox"/> ADULT, Age 16 or older
FIRST NAME	LAST NAME		
_____	_____	_____	_____
ADDRESS	CITY/STATE	ZIP	
_____	_____	_____	_____
PHONE	Alternate PHONE		
_____	_____		
E-MAIL			

DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION YOU'D LIKE TO EXHIBIT:

What is your collection _____ How many pieces _____

Size of case: 70"W x 58"H x 18" D

Have you ever applied, with this collection or another collection?

No Yes If Yes, year(s) applied _____

If Yes, was it accepted?

No Yes If Yes, name of accepted collection(s) _____ YEAR displayed _____
(a collection may be re-submitted if it has been at least 3 years since it was displayed)

IMPORTANT – Clear photos that represent your collection must be submitted along with this application. The photos will be returned to you. Pictures may be printed on paper. **Only one collection per household (per year) will be accepted for display.**

Please be aware, the Washington State Fair Event Center assumes no responsibility for loss or damage. Every reasonable precaution will be used to protect items on display (we supply locks for the cases and employ security guards when Fair staff is off work).

Your agreement to the terms:

I hereby attest that I do not maintain my hobby for profit, and that I agree to follow the rules set forth by the Washington State Fair Event Center.

Parent or legal guardian must sign for all persons under 16 years (16 years old as of Aug. 30, 2025 will be classified as an adult).

PRINTED NAME _____ Date _____

Adult Signature _____ For Self For Junior, collector's age (REQUIRED) _____

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