



## Department L - Needlework

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**\*\*\*Quilts may not be removed until Tuesday, August 21 at NOON\*\*\***

<u>Mon.</u>	<u>Tues.</u>	<u>Wed.</u>	<u>Thurs.</u>	<u>Fri.</u>	<u>Sat.</u>	<u>Sun.</u>
30	31	1	2	3	4 8 am - 11 am Exhibit Check-in  2 pm Judging	5 1 pm Quilt Judging
6	7	8	9 FAIR OPENS 11 am	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 1 pm - 4 pm Exhibit Check- Out
20	21 Quilt Check-out	22	23	24	25	26

### SHIPPED OR MAILED-IN EXHIBITS ACCEPTED

Shipped or mailed-in exhibits will be accepted in Departments J and L only.  
Exhibits sent parcel post must be addressed to:

**Competitive Exhibits Department  
947 Maplewood Ave.  
Lewisburg, WV 24901**

**NEW!! No exhibits will be accepted before July 1, 2018. All exhibits must be received by Monday, July 31, 2018.**

A money order or check must be included to cover return postage and insurance of the exhibit.

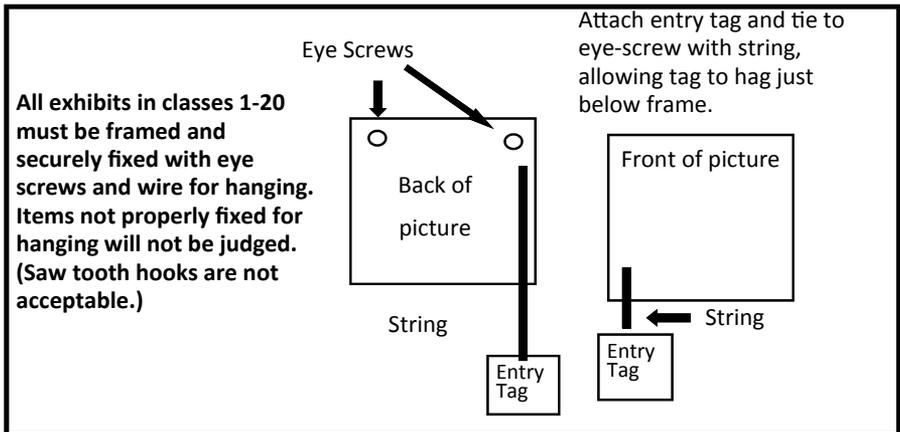
Please pay special attention to the sections designated amateur and professional.

- ***Amateur is defined as a recreational hobby, not for livelihood or occupational therapy.***
- ***Professional is defined as involvement in a hobby that results in financial gain for the participant and the participant deems part of his/her livelihood.***

## Rules:

1. All articles must be the handwork of the exhibitor and must be clean. Articles must have been made within the last two (2) years, unless otherwise stated by the class requirements, and be in good condition.
2. **Exhibits that do not conform to the rules will be disqualified.**
3. Fair officials have the right to place exhibits to other classes within the department based on size and technique.
4. When there is no competition a ribbon may be given (if worthy) with corresponding money paid. If in a class no exhibits are worthy, neither ribbons nor prize money will be awarded, and the decision of the judge is final.
5. **Fair officials will take every precaution for safekeeping of exhibits after their arrival and arrangement in the building, but will not be responsible for any damage or loss that may occur.**
6. **Entry tags must be attached to exhibit prior to arriving on ground for delivery.** Tags will be mailed before the fair.
7. Each exhibitor is limited to ONE (1) entry per class.
8. Age of contestant on July 12, 2018, determines the category for competition.
9. Small articles, doilies, placemats, etc. must be mounted on cardboard; dresses suits, blouses, etc., may be on coat hangers.

## Preparing Framed Exhibits



## Counted Cross Stitch Judging Qualifications

1. Cleanliness of work (no hoop marks, stains, etc.).
2. Evenness of stitching
3. All top stitches should be crossed in same direction.
4. No knots in floss on back of fabric.
5. Floss should not be carried across unworked areas in back of design so that thread shows through to front of fabric when design is complete.
6. No floss tails should show through to front of fabric.
7. Overall harmony of floss color and fabric choice.
8. Overall harmony of design with method of finishing (mat, frame, fabric, etc.)
9. Difficulty of work (high fabric choice, use of metallic floss, etc.)



### **Division 1 - Cross Stitch**

**If item is framed, framing included in overall appearance score.**

***Premiums (Classes 1-13)***

**1st - \$9.00      2nd - \$7.00      3rd - \$6.00**

1. Samplers, cross stitch on linen
  2. Household article, trimmed in cross stitch
  3. Counted cross stitch, pictures, on linen, 10"x12" and under, including frame
  4. Counted cross stitch, pictures, on aida, 10"x12" and under, including frame
  5. Counted cross stitch, pictures, on linen, 10"x12", and over, including frame
  6. Counted cross stitch, pictures, on aida, 10"x12", and over, including frame
  7. Counted cross stitch, pictures, on any other fabric, 10"x12", and over, including frame
  8. Counted cross stitch, Christmas theme, any fabric, under 10"x12", including frame, if framed
  9. Counted cross stitch, Christmas theme, any fabric, 10"x12" and over, including frame, if framed
  10. Counted cross stitch, holiday or seasonal theme (excluding Christmas), any fabric, 10"x12" and over, including frame, if framed
  11. Counted cross stitch, pillows
  12. Counted cross stitch, any other article
  13. Counted cross stitch, Patriotic theme, any fabric, any size
  14. **BEST OF COUNTED CROSS STITCH (Classes 1-13) - Rosette and plaque - \$50.00 - DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**
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### **Division 2 - Needlepoint**

***Premiums (Classes 15 - 20)***

**1st - \$9.00      2nd - \$7.00      3rd - \$6.00**

15. Samplers on canvas mesh, 10"x12" and over, including frame
  16. Pictures on canvas mesh, 10"x12" and over, framed, ornament, or standing decoration
  17. Needlepoint on painted canvas mesh
  18. Needlepoint on canvas mesh, any other article, any size
  19. Needlepoint on counted canvas mesh, any fabric, any size, any subject
  20. Needlepoint on plastic canvas
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### **Division 3 - Embroidery**

***If item is framed, framing is included in overall appearance score***

***Premiums (Classes 21-25)***

**1st - \$6.00      2nd - \$5.00      3rd - \$4.00**

21. Towel
22. Pillow cases
23. Machine embroidery, any article
24. Beading, any other item
25. Any article of embroidery not mentioned
26. **BEST OF EMBROIDERY (Classes 21-25) - Rosette - \$10.00 - DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

## Division 4 - Sewing

*If item is framed, framing is included in overall appearance score*

**Premiums (Classes 27-30) 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$7.00**

- 27. Child's machine-made dress or outfit
- 28. Lady's casual dress
- 29. Formal or wedding dress
- 30. Costumes, Halloween

**Premiums (Classes 31-33) 1st - \$8.00 2nd - \$6.00 3rd - \$5.00**

- 31. Sewing, any other article, not clothing
- 32. Smocked garments/accessories
- 33. Any item made from men's ties

**Premiums (Classes 34-45) 1st - \$7.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00**

- 34. Blouse, tailored or other
- 35. Skirt, tailored or other
- 36. Vest
- 37. Tote bags
- 38. Purses
- 39. Kitchen apron
- 40. Man's tie
- 41. Shorts, child's
- 42. Sewn Christmas tree skirt
- 43. Sewn Christmas stocking
- 44. Any household article made of polyester fleece
- 45. Stuffed toys
- 46. **Best of Sewing (Classes 27-45) - Rosette - \$10.00 - DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

### Knitting and Crocheting Scorecard

Knitting or Crocheting Technique.....	33.3	Finishing.....	33.3
Suitability of yarn to the article.....	33.3	Total.....	100

## Division 5 - Knitting

**Premiums (Classes 47-48)**

**1st - \$12.00 2nd - \$10.00 3rd - \$8.00**

- 47. Afghan, blanket or throw knitted
- 48. Afghan, baby, knitted

**Premiums (Classes 49-52)**

**1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$7.00**

- 49. Hand-knitted sweater, woman's
- 50. Hand-knitted sweater, man's
- 51. Hand-knitted sweater, child's
- 52. Any other hand-knitted article



**Premiums (Classes 53-54)**

**1st - \$8.00 2nd - \$6.00 3rd - \$5.00**

- 53. Hand-knitted clothing other than sweaters (i.e., hats, gloves, scarves, etc.)
- 54. Hand-knitted baby item (except afghans)

**55. FIBER ARTS MEMORIAL AWARD - Best of Knitting  
Chosen from classes 47 - 54  
Winner to receive \$25 and a plaque  
DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

## **Division 6 - Crocheting**

### ***Premiums (Class 56)***

**1st - \$16.00    2nd - \$12.00    3rd - \$8.00**

56. Tablecloth

### ***Premiums (Classes 57-67)***

**1st - \$12.00    2nd - \$10.00    3rd - \$8.00**

57. Afghan, crocheted, single

58. Afghan, crocheted, double

59. Afghan, crocheted, combination of two or more different stitches

60. Afghan, granny, round or square

61. Ripple crochet, afghan

62. Crochet with afghan hook

63. Afghan, baby, crochet

64. Afghan, shell stitch

65. Crocheted garment

66. Garment, child's

67. Stole, cape or poncho

### ***Premiums (Classes 68 - 71)***

**1st - \$8.00    2nd - \$6.00    3rd - \$5.00**

68. Pot holder or hot plate mat

69. Doily, all crocheted, under 14" (attached to cardboard, no larger than 14"x14")

70. Hat

71. Household or novelty item, no larger than 14"x14"

### ***Premiums (Class 72)***

**1st - \$6.00    2nd - \$5.00    3rd - \$4.00**

72. Any other crocheted article, no larger than 14"x14"

**73. FIBER ARTS MEMORIAL AWARD - Best of Crocheting**

**Chosen from classes 56 - 72**

**Winner to receive \$25 and a plaque**

**DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

## Division 7 - Quilts

### Rules:

1. All quilts and wall hangings will be displayed fully opened and suspended from cables across the ceiling of the exhibit hall. Therefore, each quilt and wall hanging must have seven (7) equally spaced hanging loops sewn across one end. Loops must be sewn on. **No straight pins or safety pins.**
2. Loops must be approximately 1 1/2" to 2" long, not more than 1/2" wide, and be capable of supporting the quilt or wall hanging's weight. **MUST BE LOOPS. CASINGS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**
3. **Quilts and wall hangings not having SEWN ON loops WILL NOT BE JUDGED OR DISPLAYED.**
4. For classes 74-92, exhibitors must write the name of the quilt on the entry form.
5. Quilts entered in all classes except 87 should not be more than three (3) years old.
6. PLEASE PAY ATTENTION TO THE SIZE REQUIREMENTS.
7. Fair officials will take every precaution for safekeeping of exhibits after their arrival and arrangement in the building, but will not be responsible for any damage or loss that may occur.
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### *Premiums (Classes 74-92)*

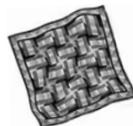
**1st - \$15.00    2nd - \$11.00    3rd - \$9.00**

74. Hand pieced, machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
75. Machine pieced, hand quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
76. Machine pieced, long arm machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
77. Machine pieced, domestic machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
78. Appliqued, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
79. Embroidered quilt, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
80. Tied or tack quilt, must be at least 54"x75"
81. Novelty quilt (yo-yo, cathedral window, etc.), must be at least 54"x75"
82. Paper pieced quilt, must be at least 54"x75"
83. Mixed technique, must be at least 54"x75"
84. Original design, must be at least 54"x75"
85. First quilt, pieced or appliqued, cotton/polyester, must be at least 54"x75"
86. Baby quilt pieced, appliqued or embroidered
87. Quilt, over 50 years old
88. Quilt made from a kit
89. Any quilt, quilted by a club or organization, must be at least 54"x75"
90. Any quilt, made by a man, must be at least 54"x75"
91. Quilt, any technique, made by person 12 years old and younger
92. Quilt, any technique, made by person 13 to 18 years old

### *Premiums (Classes 93-97)*

**1st - \$10.00    2nd - \$8.00    3rd - \$6.00**

93. Quilted pillows
94. Wall hanging, small (longest side shorter than 40 inches)
95. Wall hanging, large (longest side longer than 40 inches)
96. Patchwork pillow or household accessories
97. Quilted table runners



**BEST USE OF PINK**

Judges will choose the quilt that displays the best use of the color pink.

**Premiums: 1st - \$25.00  
Class 98 - DO NOT ENTER**

**State Fair Best of Show**

If there are more than 25 quilts shown in classes 74-92,  
a State Fair of West Virginia Champion Quilt will be selected.

**Winner will receive \$50.00  
Class 99 - DO NOT ENTER**

**Friendly Fabrics presents the  
2018 Champion of Champions**

*If you have ever won first place at a previous State Fair in any of the classes listed below, then you could win again!!*

- 74. Hand pieced, machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
- 75. Machine pieced, hand quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
- 76. Machine pieced, long arm machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
- 77. Machine pieced, domestic machine quilted, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
- 78. Appliqued, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"
- 79. Embroidered quilt, bed size, must be at least 54"x75"

**The winner will receive a special plaque and a \$25.00 Gift Card from Friendly Fabrics!**

*Please enter your previous winning quilt in Dept. L, Div. 7, Class 100*

**Division 8 - Weaving**

**Premiums (Classes 101– 106)**

**1st - \$8.00    2nd - \$6.00    3rd - \$5.00**

- 101. Hand-woven rug, hosiery, rag, or burlap, not smaller than 18"x24"
- 102. Hand-woven blanket, throw
- 103. Hand-woven wall hangings
- 104. Garment made of hand-woven fabric (vest, jacket, etc.)
- 105. Household textiles (tablecloth, table runner, towels, etc.)
- 106. Any other hand-woven article

**Premium (Class 107)**

**1st - \$12.00    2nd - \$10.00    3rd - \$8.00**

- 107. Afghan, woven

**108. FIBER ARTS MEMORIAL AWARD - Best of Weaving**

**Chosen from classes 101 - 107**

**Winner will receive \$25 and a plaque**

**DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

**Division 9 - Dolls**

*All clothing must be made by the exhibitor and will be judged.*

**Premiums (Classes 109-112)**

**1st - \$8.00    2nd - \$7.00    3rd - \$6.00**



109. Raggedy Ann and/or Andy, doll & doll clothing must be sewn by exhibitor

110. Doll, fabric clothing, made by the exhibitor, only clothing will be judged

111. Doll, crocheted clothing, made by the exhibitor, only clothing will be judged

112. Fabric doll, doll & doll clothing must be sewn by exhibitor

113. **BEST OF SHOW DOLL (Classes 109-112) - Rosette and plaque - \$50.00 -**

**DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

**Division 10 - Rugs**

*All rugs must be at least 24" x 30" to qualify for judging.*

**Premiums (Classes 114-116)**

**1st - \$11.00    2nd - \$9.00    3rd - \$8.00**

114. Latch hook rugs

115. Crocheted rugs

116. Crocheted **YARN** rugs

**Division 11 - Needle Felting**

*All rugs must be at least 24" x 30" to qualify for judging.*

**Premiums (Classes 117 - 119)**

**1st - \$10.00    2nd - \$9.00    3rd - \$8.00**

117. Needle felting, animals

118. Needle felting, dolls

119. Needle felting, any other article

**Division 12 - Hand Spun Yarn**

**Premiums (Classes 120 - 122)**

**1st - \$11.00    2nd - \$9.00    3rd - \$8.00**

120. Wool, Multiple Plies (2-ply, 3-ply, etc.) (state fiber content)

121. Cotton

122. Novelty yarn: Your choice: Dyed, beaded, boucled, slubby



**123. FIBER ARTS MEMORIAL AWARD - Best of Hand Spun Yarn**

**Chosen from classes 120 - 122**

**Winner to receive \$25 and plaque**

**DO NOT ENTER THIS CLASS**

**Division 13 - Miscellaneous**

***Premiums (Classes 124 - 128)***

**1st - \$8.00    2nd - \$6.00    3rd - \$5.00**

- 124. Latch hook wall hangings
- 125. Any article made by a person 19-65 years old
- 126. Any article made by person 66+ years old
- 127. Any article not mentioned, made by person 12 years old and younger
- 128. Any article not mentioned, made by person 13 to 18 years old

**FIBER ARTS NETWORK BEST OF THE BEST**

**Chosen from classes from the Best of Shows in:  
Crocheting, Hand Spun Yarn, Weaving, and Knitting**



**Winner will receive \$100 and a plaque  
Class 129– DO NOT ENTER**

