

**ARKANSAS VALLEY FAIR  
OPEN CLASS COMPETITION  
NEEDLEWORK, SCRAPBOOKS and QUILT SHOW  
August 15 - 19, 2018**

For more information, call the Otero County Extension Office, 254-7608 or a superintendent:

**SUPERINTENDENTS:** Pebble Pearl - 254-6131 / Linda Fenter - 384-5732

**ENTRY DATE & TIME:** Monday, August 13, 2018 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and  
Tuesday, August 14, 2018 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

**ENTRY LOCATION:** Round Building, Arkansas Valley Fairgrounds

**ENTRY FEES:** \$1.00 per item

**EXHIBIT MONITOR:** If you are interested in helping to watch the exhibit hall during the fair, please contact a superintendent or let her know when entering your projects.

**RULES AND REGULATIONS:** Carefully READ all rules BEFORE completing the entry form.

- ◆ Exhibitors are required to complete their own entry blanks previous to entry time. Closing date of entries will be Tuesday, August 14, 2018, 9:30 a.m. All items entered must be in place before that time.
- ◆ All articles must be accompanied by a completed official entry blank.
- ◆ All articles must have been made by the person entering the same, and the workmanship of all articles must have been completed within the last 2 years. Items may not have been entered in the Arkansas Valley Fair in previous years.
- ◆ No one exhibitor will be allowed to enter more than one item in each class.
- ◆ Competition is open to all persons, male or female.
- ◆ Professionals may exhibit. A professional is defined as:
  - Someone who has taught a class for a fee in the area of their entry. This does not include demonstrations.
  - Someone who has a degree in the area of their entry.
  - Someone who has received personal income from the sale of work in the area of their entry.
  - Someone who is a qualified judge for work in the area of their entry.
- ◆ In judging, the general appearance, suitability to purpose, beauty, style, color, design, cleanliness and material used in the article will be considered as well as the finish and workmanship of the article.
- ◆ In those classes in which no competition exists or, if in the opinion of the judges, an article exhibited is not worthy of a first award, the judge may award second, third, or no award. A champion of each department will be awarded in the needlework division, quilt division, and professional division if, in the opinion of the judges, an article is worthy.
- ◆ All articles must be a finished piece and any article **soiled or defaced** by wear is not eligible for exhibit or judging.

- ◆ If there are enough similar items entered in any miscellaneous category to make a class, they will be judged separately. Decision is up to superintendents and judges.
- ◆ Because of limitation of space, we can guarantee only award winning entries display space.
- ◆ **CREATE YOUR OWN PATTERNS** - It has to be an original design or instruction. It will be judged higher on originality and creativeness.

**JUDGING & AWARDS:**

- ◆ Judging will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, August 14, 2018. Judging is closed.
- ◆ Prize money in the amount of \$25.00 will be awarded to the Grand Champion of each Division (Needlework, Quilt and Professional Divisions). Prize money in the amount of \$15.00 will be awarded to the Reserve Grand Champion of each Division. Prize money in the amount of \$5.00 will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion of each Department. All Needlework, Scrapbooks, Quilts and Professional entries will be combined for one People’s Choice award and the winner will receive \$50.00 and a rosette.
- ◆ The public will vote for the entry of their choice for the “People’s Choice Award” from the opening of the Round Building Wednesday afternoon until 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 18th.

**ROUND HOUSE OPEN TO PUBLIC**

The Round House will be open to the public to view the exhibits as follows:

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| ◆ Wednesday, August 15 | 1:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. |
| ◆ Thursday, August 16  | 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. |
| ◆ Friday, August 17    | 1:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. |
| ◆ Saturday, August 18  | 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. |

**CHECK OUT TIME** - Sunday, August 19, 2018                      **1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. – no exceptions**

- ◆ All care possible will be used to insure the safety of the entries. However, under no circumstances will the Arkansas Valley Fair or superintendents be responsible for items not picked up by 3:00 p.m. They will be left unattended in exhibit building.



*In order to have entries judged and on display for the public to enjoy, entry days and times have been changed. This will allow time for judging and placing items on display prior to opening day of the fair.*

# NEEDLEWORK DIVISION

## DEPARTMENT 1 - CLOTHING

Class

- a. Clothing item - (machine)
- b. Clothing item - (hand)
- c. Create Your Own\*, clothing

## DEPARTMENT 2 - MACHINE SEWING

Class

- a. Bags and carry-alls
- b. Kitchen items
- c. Dolls



## DEPARTMENT 3 – KNITTING

Class

- a. Clothing, knitted
- b. Afghan, bedspreads, baby, knitted
- c. Doilies, knitted
- d. Baby set, knitted (may include combination of articles, ex: sweater and booties)
- e. Doll clothes, dolls
- f. Miscellaneous items, knitted
- g. Create Your Own\*, knitted

## DEPARTMENT 4 - CROCHETING (THREAD)

Class

- a. Tablecloths, crochet
- b. Bedspreads, crochet
- c. Doilies, crochet
- d. Pillows, crochet
- e. Baby set, crochet (may include combination of articles, ex: sweater and booties)
- f. Clothing, crochet
- g. Crocheted doll clothes
- h. Miscellaneous items, crochet
- i. Create Your Own\*, crochet

## DEPARTMENT 5 – CROCHETING (YARN)

Class

- a. Pot holders, hot plate mats, placements, crochet



- b. Clothing, crochet
- c. Pillows, crochet
- d. Baby set, crochet (may include combination of articles, ex: sweater & booties)
- e. Afghan, crochet
- f. Crochet doll
- g. Crochet doll clothes
- h. Miscellaneous items, crochet
- i. Create Your Own\*, crochet

## DEPARTMENT 6 - HAND EMBROIDERY

Class

- a. Tablecloths
- b. Tea towels, set of 3
- c. Sampler or embroidered wall hanging
- d. Candlewicking
- e. Miscellaneous items, hand embroidered
- f. Create Your Own\*, hand embroidery



## DEPARTMENT 7 - COUNTED CROSS STITCH

Class

- a. Counted cross-stitch wall hanging, aide cloth
- b. Counted cross-stitch wall hanging, aide cloth, embellished
- c. Counted cross-stitch wall hanging, linen
- d. Counted cross stitch wall hanging, linen, embellished
- e. Counted cross-stitch, as decoration on clothing
- f. Counted cross-stitch, any other item
- g. Create Your Own\*, counted cross stitch

## DEPARTMENT 8 - MACHINE EMBROIDERY

Class

- a. Decorated or Enhancement
- b. Appliquéd onto any article
- c. Machine pre-programmed designs
- d. Create Your Own\*, machine embroidery

## **DEPARTMENT 9 - CREWEL EMBROIDERY**

Class

- a. Crewel picture or wall hanging
- b. Crewel, picture or wall hanging, embellished
- c. Miscellaneous items, crewel embroidery
- d. Create Your Own\*, crewel embroidery

## **DEPARTMENT 10 – NEEDLEPOINT**

Class

- a. Needlepoint, picture or wall hanging
- b. Needlepoint, picture or wall hanging, embellished
- c. Needlepoint, plastic canvas
- d. Miscellaneous items, needlepoint
- e. Create Your Own\*, needlepoint

## **DEPARTMENT 11 - HAND SPUN YARN**

Class

- a. Hand spun yarn, skein
- b. Hand spun yarn, any item
- c. Create Your Own\*, hand spun yarn

## **DEPARTMENT 12 - OTHER NEEDLEWORK**

Class

- a. Stuffed toys
- b. Rag dolls
- c. Soft sculptured doll or toys
- d. Pillows
- e. Tatting, any article
- f. Latch-hook articles, other than rugs
- g. Latch-hook rugs
- h. Rugs, any style other than latch-hook
- i. Weaving
- j. Plastic canvas
- k. Article other than listed
- l. Create Your Own

## **DEPARTMENT 13 SCRAPBOOKS**

Class

- a. Special Occasion
- b. General
- c. Specialty Page (1 page)
- d. Pop-up (2 facing pages)
- e. Other

## **DEPARTMENT 14 - SENIOR NEEDLEWORK**

(70 years of age and over)

Class

- a. Clothing, any item
- b. Machine sewing, any item
- c. Knitting, any item
- d. Crocheting, any item
- e. Embroidery, any item
- f. Needlepoint, any item
- g. Counted Cross Stitch, any item
- h. Plastic Canvas
- i. Create Your Own\*, Senior Needlework
- j. Scrapbook
- k. Miscellaneous

## **DEPARTMENT 15 - JUNIOR NEEDLEWORK**

(16 years of age and under)

Class

- a. Clothing, any item
- b. Machine sewing, any item
- c. Knitting, any item
- d. Crocheting, any item
- e. Embroidery, any item
- f. Needlepoint, any item
- g. Counted Cross Stitch, any item
- h. Plastic Canvas
- i. Create Your Own\*, Junior Needlework
- j. Scrapbook
- k. Miscellaneous



## PROFESSIONAL DIVISION

### DEPARTMENT 16 – PROFESSIONAL NEEDLEWORK

Class:

- a. Clothing, any item
- b. Machine sewing, any item
- c. Knitting, any item
- d. Crocheting, any item
- e. Embroidery, any item
- f. Needlepoint, any item
- g. Counted Cross Stitch, any item
- h. Plastic Canvas
- i. Create Your Own\*, Professional Needlework
- j. Scrapbook
- k. Miscellaneous

### DEPARTMENT 17 – PROFESSIONAL QUILTS

Class:

- a. All Hand
- b. All Machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

## QUILT DIVISION

- A. An exhibitor may not enter more than one piece of work under a quilt class number.
- B. Quilt tops made by two or more people shall be entered as a group effort quilt with all persons contributing to the workmanship of the quilt listed in the entry.
- C. The Superintendent reserves the right to reorganize quilt classes as deemed necessary.
- D. The judge will award prizes only to articles deemed worthy of merit.
- E. The decision of the judge is FINAL.

### DEPARTMENT 18 - QUILTS

Class:

- a. All Hand
- b. All Machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted



### DEPARTMENT 19 – QUILTS (Judged on piecing only)

Class

- a. Machine pieced – professionally quilted
- b. Hand pieced – professionally quilted

### DEPARTMENT 20 - MIXED TECHNIQUE QUILTS (APPLIQUE, EMBROIDERED, EMBELLISHED)

Class

- a. All hand
- b. All machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

### DEPARTMENT 21 – MIXED TECHNIQUE QUILT (APPLIQUE, EMBROIDERED, EMBELLISHED) (Judged on piecing only)

Class

- a. Machine pieced – professionally quilted
- b. Hand pieced – professionally quilted

### DEPARTMENT 22 - SMALL PIECES (WALL HANGING, BABY, MINIATURES)

Class

- a. All hand
- b. All machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

**DEPARTMENT 23 - SMALL PIECES  
(WALL HANGING, BABY,  
MINIATURES) (Judged on piecing  
only)**

- a. Machine pieced – professionally quilted
- b. Hand pieced – professionally quilted

**DEPARTMENT 24- GROUP EFFORT**

Class

- a. All hand
- b. All machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

**DEPARTMENT 25 - CLOTHING &  
MISCELLANEOUS**

Class

- a. All hand
- b. All machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

**DEPARTMENT 26 – SENIOR  
QUILTING**

Class:

- a. All Hand
- b. All Machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

**DEPARTMENT 27 – JUNIOR  
QUILTING**

Class:

- a. All Hand
- b. All Machine
- c. Machine pieced, hand quilted
- d. Hand pieced, machine quilted

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**Needlework, Scrapbooks and Quilts  
Official Entry Blank**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

| # | Dept. | Class | Item |
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Additional items may be listed on the back.

**RESPONSIBILITY FOR EXHIBITS:**

All care possible will be used to insure the safety of the entries. However, under no circumstances will the fair be responsible for any loss, injury or damage done to, occasioned by, or arising from any article on exhibition or when left after check-out time.

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I am not a professional according to any of the following definitions:

- (a) I have not taught a class for a fee in the area of my entry(ies). This does not include demonstrations.
- (b) I do not have a degree in the area of my entry(ies).
- (c) I have not received personal income from the sale of work in the area of my entry(ies).
- (d) I am not a qualified judge for work in the area of my entry(ies).
- (e) I certify that I have done all needle work on this project (if part of exhibit was ready-made, please indicate).

I am a professional according to one or more of the above definitions.

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**(SIGNATURE) - AMATEUR**

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**(SIGNATURE) - PROFESSIONAL**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of items entered: \_\_\_\_\_