

## **NEEDLEWORK – Dept. 12**

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All items must include needlework done by the exhibitor. All entries must be clean, odor free and must be completed within the last year prior to the fair. The Needlework committee is not responsible for accidents. The Needlework committee reserves the right to reclassify or regroup entries.

Entries should be brought to the Home and Garden Building on **Saturday, August 1st between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm**. All entries must have an entry tag attached at the time of drop off. Judging will be closed to the public. All awards in any category are at the discretion of the judges. Exhibits will be released on Monday, August 10th between 5-7pm. **NO EARLY RELEASE**. No quilted articles can be released for quilt day.

Limit to two entries in each category per exhibitor in each classification.

**Please see Page 2 of Fair Book for “Everything You Need to Know to Enter the 2026 Fair”.**

**NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.**

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BEST QUILT – sponsored by Doris Herringshaw, Wood County Commissioner

BEST QUILTED WALL HANGING – sponsored by The Busy Thimble

BEST FRAMED WALL HANGING – sponsored by Kathrens Insurance, Brandon Morgart

BEST OF CLASS JUNIOR DIVISION – sponsored by Julie Allen

BEST OF CLASS YOUTH DIVISION – sponsored by Julie Allen

BEST CROCHET ITEM – sponsored by SICE Shaffer Farm

BEST KNIT ITEM – sponsored by Kathrens Insurance, Brandon Morgart

### **SECTION A - HAND QUILTED QUILTS**

Premiums \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

1. Bed Size – pieced, hand appliqued or embroidered.
2. Baby Size – pieced, hand appliqued or embroidered.
3. Wall Quilt

### **SECTION B – MACHINE QUILTED QUILTS (NO LONG ARM)**

Premiums \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

4. Bed Size, pieced.
5. Bed Size, Any Other Technique
6. Lap/Throw Size - Any Technique
7. Baby Size, pieced.
8. Baby Size, appliqued / hand embroidered
9. Wall Quilt, pieced.
10. Wall Quilt, appliqued
11. Wall Quilt, any other technique

### **SECTION C – LONG ARM QUILTED QUILTS (BY INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP)**

Premiums \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

12. Wall Quilt, pieced.
13. Wall Quilt, appliqued.
14. Wall Quilt pieced and appliqued.
15. Lap/Throw Size - Any Technique
16. Bed Size, pieced.
17. Bed Size, appliqued.
18. Baby Quilt, any technique
19. Whole Cloth Quilt, any technique

### **SECTION D – COMFORTERS**

Premiums \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

20. Rag Quilt
21. Any Technique
22. Hidden Pillow

### **SECTION E – CROCHETED AFGHANS**

Premium \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

23. Ripple
24. Shell
25. Crochet Filet
26. Popcorn Stitch
27. Applique
28. Tunisian / Afghan Stitch
29. Granny Square
30. Mile-A-Minute
31. Snuggle Tail
32. Corner to Corner
33. Any other not listed above.

### **SECTION F – KNITTED AFGHANS**

Premiums \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00

34. Cable
35. Ripple
36. Fisherman
37. Any knit in color design
38. Any other not listed above.

### **SECTION G - MACHINE EMBROIDERY**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

39. Towel
40. Free Standing Lace
41. Applique
42. In the Hoop Embellished Project

## **SECTION H – PILLOWS (NOT TO EXCEED 18”)**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

43. Crochet/Knitted
44. Counted Cross Stitch
45. Quilted
46. Pieced
47. Appliqued
48. Bench Pillow (over 18”)
49. Any other technique not listed above.

## **SECTION I – LINENS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

50. Hand Embroidered Pillowcase / Sham
51. Hand Embroidered / Counted Cross Stitch Towel
52. Appliqued Towel
53. Any Decorative Edged Pillowcase
54. Bed Size Pillowcase / Sham

## **SECTION J – TABLECLOTH, RUNNER, TABLE TOPPER, OR MANTEL COVER**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

55. Crocheted/Knitted
56. Quilted
57. Hand Embroidered
58. Doilies (no size requirement) crocheted or tatted.
59. Any other not listed.

## **SECTION K – PLACEMATS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

60. Non-Quilted Placement (2)
61. Embroidered / Cross Stitched (2)
62. Quilted (2)
63. Appliqued (2)

## **SECTION L – ACCESSORIES**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

64. Potholders any style – crocheted (set of 2)
65. Potholder any style - Knitted (set of 2)
66. Potholders any style– machine sewn (set of 2)
67. Potholders any style – appliqued (set of 2)
68. Dishcloth - Knitted
69. Dishcloth - Crocheted
70. Dish Scrubby
71. Tissue Box Cover
72. Doorstop/Shelf Sitter
73. Tote bag / Backpack/ Purse
74. Pincushion / Needle Case
75. Rug
76. Bookmark

- 77. Coaster / Mug Rug (set of 2)
- 78. Apron
- 79. Candle Mat
- 80. Any jewelry item using needlework.
- 81. Cozy
- 82. Wallet / Coin Purse
- 83. Organizer
- 84. Pet Item

#### **SECTION M – TOYS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 85. Sewn Grouping of Stuffed Animals
- 86. Sewn Stuffed Single Animal
- 87. Sewn Stuffed Doll
- 88. Knitted/Crocheted Grouping of Stuffed Animals
- 89. Knitted/Crocheted Stuffed Single Animal
- 90. Knitted/Crocheted Stuffed Doll
- 91. Doll Clothing – 12” or smaller
- 92. Doll Clothing – over 12”
- 93. Quiet Book
- 94. Any other toy not listed.

#### **SECTION N – FRAMED PICTURES (do not need to be professionally framed)**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 95. Needlepoint
- 96. Hand Embroidered or Stamped
- 97. Counted Thread – 11 to 14 count.
- 98. Counted Thread – 16 to 18 count.
- 99. Counted Thread – 22 to 28 count.
- 100. Counted Thread – 32 to 38 count.
- 101. Counted Thread – 40 count or higher.

#### **SECTION O – FRAMED SAMPLERS (do not need to be professionally framed)**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 102. Hand Embroidered or Stamped
- 103. Counted Thread – 11 to 14 count
- 104. Counted Thread – 16 to 18 count
- 105. Counted Thread – 22 to 28 count
- 106. Counted Thread – 32 to 38 count
- 107. Counted Thread - 40 count or higher

#### **SECTION P – WALL HANGINGS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 108. Piecework, not quilted
- 109. Appliqued, not quilted
- 110. Hand Embroidered / Counted Cross Stitched

## **SECTION Q – HOLIDAY ITEMS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

111. Ornaments - knit/crochet – set of 3
112. Ornaments - machine sewn/quilted – set of 3
113. Ornaments - hand embroidered/stuffed – set of 3
114. Ornaments - plastic canvas/counted cross stitch – set of 3
115. Ornaments – Beaded/perforated paper – set of 3
116. Stocking
117. Tree Skirt
118. Tree topper
119. Christmas Character
120. Swag / Garland

## **SECTION R – INFANTS (through size 2)**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

121. Bib or Burp Cloth
122. Baby Receiving Blanket
123. Baby Blanket – ripple crocheted
124. Baby Blanket – shell crocheted
125. Baby Blanket - popcorn crocheted
126. Baby Blanket – any other crochet technique
127. Baby Blanket – knitted
128. Baby Blanket – hand embroidered
129. Baby Blanket – applique not quilted
130. Lovey
131. Booties / Shoes
132. Sweater – crocheted/knitted
133. Crocheted/knitted set (3 pieces)
134. Infant Garment – baptismal
135. Infant Dress – crocheted/knitted
136. Infant Dress – machine sewn
137. 2-piece Outfit – crocheted/knitted
138. 2-piece Outfit – machine sewn

## **SECTION S – CLOTHING – MACHINE SEWN**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

139. Dress
140. Skirt
141. Shirt/Blouse
142. Sportswear Outfit
143. Jacket / Coat
144. Robe / Sleepwear
145. Pants/Shorts
146. Costume
147. Hat
148. Any Garment with Piecework

## **SECTION T – COMFORT ITEMS**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 149. Prayer Shawl
- 150. Quilted Hug
- 151. Lap Blanket
- 152. Any Weighted Item
- 153. Chemo Hat
- 154. Premie Cap
- 155. Comfort Pillow
- 156. Walker Tote/Wheelchair Tote
- 157. Other Memory Item

## **SECTION U – CROCHETED WEARING APPAREL**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 158. Sweater
- 159. Shawl, Cape or Poncho
- 160. Mitten or Glove Set
- 161. Scarf
- 162. Slipper / Socks
- 163. Hat
- 164. Character Hat
- 165. Any Felted Item

## **SECTION V – KNITTED WEARING APPAREL**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 166. Sweater
- 167. Shawl, Cape or Poncho
- 168. Mitten or Glove Set
- 169. Scarf
- 170. Slipper / Socks
- 171. Hat
- 172. Any Felted Item

## **SECTION W – NEEDLEWORK SPECIALTIES**

Premiums \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 173. Canvas / needlepoint including silk gauze item
- 174. Hardanger Item
- 175. Pulled Thread Item
- 176. Counted Thread – even weave fabric item
- 177. Any beaded item on fabric or perforated paper
- 178. Any Crewel Item, Framed or Unframed
- 179. Punch Needle Embroidery
- 180. Blackwork
- 181. Any needle felted item
- 182. Any item made with felt or wool felt

**SECTION AA – JUNIOR DIVISION (made by ages 13-18)**

Premiums \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00

- 183. Pillow
- 184. Needlework Item
- 185. Any Knit / Crochet Item
- 186. Any Quilted Item
- 187. Any machine sewn clothing item
- 188. Tote Bag / Purse
- 189. Any Felted Item
- 190. Toy

**SECTION BB – YOUTH DIVISION (made by ages 12 and under)**

Premiums \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00

- 191. Any machine sewn clothing item
- 192. Pillow
- 193. Any knit / crochet item
- 194. Any quilted item
- 195. Clothing item for doll / stuffed animal
- 196. Tote bag / purse
- 197. Any Felted Item
- 198. Toy

**SECTION AAA – SPECIAL CONTEST – ADULT – Quilt Block**

Premiums \$10.00, \$7.00, \$5.00

- 199. 12 ½ in block - Any Tropical/Hawaiian Design

**Special Contest Theme is Artistically Inspired**

Premiums \$10.00, \$7.00, \$5.00

- 200. Famous Artist Inspired Quilt/Wall Hanging
- 201. Famous Artist Inspired Framed Piece  
(artist's name needs to be on the tag at the time of dropoff)
- 202. Knit/Crochet Project Bag
- 203. Painter's Apron

**SECTION BBB – SPECIAL CONTEST – JUNIOR (ages 13-18)**

Premiums \$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 204. Dyed Fabric Stuffed Item

**SECTION CCC – SPECIAL CONTEST – YOUTH (ages 12 and under)**

Premiums \$ 5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

- 205. Tie-Dyed Tote Bag or Backpack