



5 Days of FAIR FUN!
AUGUST 7-11



Arts & Crafts

Exhibitor's Contest

Handbook

Premiums, Rules and

Entry Information



ART

Exhibit Building (541)440-4426 (July-Aug)

Rules and Regulations relating to exhibits in the Art Department. Also read General Rules in the front of the book.

1. **ENTRY DAYS:** Saturday, July 28th, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.
2. All work must be entered in the name of the artist.
3. The goal of the Art Department is to encourage and reward original works of art, and to recognize art generated from non-original sources. Using paintings, drawings, photographs or sculpture other than one's own merits an unfavorable comparison with original art because the problems of creation have already been solved.
4. Entries will be limited to 40" x 46" maximum size.
5. Miniatures - 6 inches and under, not including frame.
6. **FRAMING: Adult Division** - Proper framing will be considered by the judges. All pieces must be framed or on a wrap around canvas. All pieces must be ready to hang with wire & eye screws; nothing else will be accepted. **Youth Division** - All pieces must be framed or matted and must have a strong backing, all exhibits must have wire hangers, no metal hangers, **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
7. Entries are limited to only one entry in each Class.
8. If space for display is limited, the right is reserved to hang or display only a portion of entries.
9. All exhibits must have been completed within the last 3 years and not previously exhibited at the Douglas County Fair. *Anyone entering work previously exhibited at the Fair will be disqualified in all departments of the Fair and receive no premiums of any kind, nor will their entries be displayed.*
10. The superintendent of this department shall have authority to decide all controversies, such as classification, etc., and her decisions will be final.
11. No wet paintings or frames will be accepted.
12. If piece is an exact reproduction then photograph needs to be included.
13. Articles to be picked up Sunday, between 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

Premiums for divisions 600-634: 1st -\$4, 2nd-\$3, 3rd-\$2

YOUTH - Ages through 18 (*NO SCHOOL ARTS*)

NOVICE - Limited experience or instruction.

ADVANCED- Experienced and/or have had advanced instruction.

SEMI-PROFESSIONAL - Sales may not exceed cost of materials incurred for that year. May not accept payment for instruction given.

PROFESSIONAL - Sales of work exceed cost of materials. Sells major portion of works. One who collects a fee or does extensive instructing.

JUDGES SCORE CARD:

- Originality - 30
- Use of color and values - 15
- Handling subject matter - 20
- Perspective - 10
- Composition - 15
- Framing and presentation -10
- Total - 100 points



YOUTH

DIVISION 600 - Children (ages 8 and younger)

DIVISION 601 - Juniors (ages 9 - 12)

DIVISION 602 - Teens (ages 13 - 17)

Class 1: Abstract

Class 2: Animals, fish, fowl or reptile

Class 3: Buildings, structures and interiors

Class 4: Fantasy

Class 5: Flowers

Class 6: Landscapes

Class 7: Seascapes

Class 8: Outer space subject matter

Class 9: Person or people

Class 10: Transportation

Class 11: Still life

Class 12: Any other not listed



NOVICE

DIVISION 603: Oil, Acrylics

DIVISION 604: Charcoal, pencil, graphite

DIVISION 605: Mixed Media

DIVISION 606: Pastels

DIVISION 607: Colored Pencil

DIVISION 608: Water color

DIVISION 609 Computer Generated Art

Class 1: Abstracts

Class 2: Animal, fish, fowl, or reptile

Class 3: Buildings and structures, interiors

Class 4: Flowers

Class 5: Landscapes, seascapes

Class 6: Person, people, portrait

Class 7: Still life

Class 8: Any other not listed

ADVANCED

DIVISION 613: Oil, Acrylics

DIVISION 614: Charcoal, pencil, graphite

DIVISION 615: Pastels

DIVISION 616: Colored Pencil

DIVISION 617: Water color

DIVISION 618: Any other not listed (graffito, computer, etc.)

Class 1: Abstract

Class 2: Animals, fish, fowl or reptile

Class 3: Buildings, structures, interiors

Class 4: Flowers

Class 5: Landscapes, seascapes

Class 6: Person, people, portrait

Class 7: Still life

Class 8: Any other not listed

SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 623: Oil, acrylics

DIVISION 624: Water color

DIVISION 625: Pastels

DIVISION 626: Charcoal, pencil, graphite

DIVISION 627: Any other not listed (computer, graffito, etc.)

Class 1: Abstract

Class 2: Animals, fish, fowl or reptiles

Class 3: Buildings, structures, interiors

Class 4: Flowers

Class 5: Landscapes, seascapes

Class 6: Person, people, portrait

Class 7: Still Life

Class 8: Any other not listed

NOVICE, ADVANCED, SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 633: Sculpture

Class 1: Clay

Class 2: Glass

Class 3: Metal, bronze

Class 4: Stone

Class 5: Wood

Class 6: Plaster

Class 7: Scrimshaw

Class 8: Any other not listed

PERSON WITH A DISABILITY

DIVISION 634: Any Media

- Class 1: Abstract
- Class 2: Animals, fish, fowl or reptile
- Class 3: Building, structures, interiors
- Class 4: Flowers
- Class 5: Landscapes, seascapes
- Class 6: Person, people, portrait
- Class 7: Still life
- Class 8: Any other not listed

PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 635: Any Media

- Class 1: Abstract
- Class 2: Animals, fish, fowl or reptile
- Class 3: Building, structures, interiors
- Class 4: Flowers
- Class 5: Landscapes, seascapes
- Class 6: Person, people, portrait
- Class 7: Still life
- Class 8: Any other not listed

- Class 3: Decoratively glazed pottery (hand built or wheel thrown)
- Class 4: Decoratively glazed ceramics (poured or hand made)
- Class 5: Pottery or ceramic painted with acrylic paints
- Class 6: Pottery or ceramic painted with oil based stains
- Class 7: Air brushed (pottery or ceramic)
- Class 8: Underglazed, color applied before glazing
- Class 9: Lusters, coating or polish used to impart sheen or gloss
- Class 10: Mosaic, small tiles making a design
- Class 11: Mixed media
- Class 12: Porcelain doll, single
- Class 13: Porcelain dolls collection
- Class 14: Any other

DIVISION 701: Teens Ceramics, ages 13-17

DIVISION 702: Youth Ceramics, age 12 & under

DIVISION 703: Person with a Disability

DIVISION 704: Person 65 and older

- Class 1: Hand Building (made by hand or on a mold)
- Class 2: Wheel thrown (made on a pottery wheel)
- Class 3: Pottery or ceramic painted with acrylic paints
- Class 4: Pottery or ceramic painted with oil based stain
- Class 5: Lusters, coating or polish used to impart a sheen
- Class 6: Mosaic, small tiles making a design
- Class 7: Any other not listed

DIVISION 705: Jewelry, Adult

All jewelry must be on display boards, cards, or jewelry stands.

- Class 1: Lapidary, any carved rock work
- Class 2: Beadwork, glass, wood, clay
- Class 3: Polymer clay that can be molded and put into a conventional oven to harden as opposed to modeling clay which requires a kiln
- Class 4: Agate, fine grained quartz with bands of color and or clouding
- Class 5: Copper, Silver, Gold, jewelry using these metals
- Class 6: Friendly Plastic
- Class 7: Recycled Jewelry, jewelry pieces made using recycled items
- Class 8: Any other not listed

DIVISION 706: Jewelry, teens age 13-17

DIVISION 707: Jewelry, youth 12 & under

All jewelry must be on display boards, cards, or jewelry stands.

- Class 1: Beadwork, glass, wood, clay
- Class 2: Polymer clay that can be modeled and put into a conventional oven to harden as opposed to modeling clay which requires a kiln
- Class 3: Recycled Jewelry
- Class 4: Any other not listed

DIVISION 708: Semi-Professionals

Five years or more experience and anyone who sells finished pieces. May not accept payment for instruction given. A minimum of seminar pieces, please.

DIVISION 709: Professionals— Ribbon Only

Teachers, shop owners or one who has owned a shop, or one who collects a fee for instructing. A minimum of seminar pieces, please.

- Class 1: Collection of 3 to 5 articles only, poured/handmade
- Class 2: Ceramics or porcelain related pair or set, poured/handmade
- Class 3: Ceramics, china painting, related pair or set
- Class 4: Porcelain dolls - 3 to 5

DIVISION 710: Collections

(Any collection mounted on a base, not to exceed 18" x 22"). No more than 10 pieces nor less than 5 or one case in any collection will be acceptable. Arrowhead, insect, shell or other small item collections will be limited to one case.

- Class 1: Antiques or old collection of general article



CRAFTS

Exhibit Building (541)440-4426 [July-Aug]

Rules and regulations

Also read General Rules in front of book.

1. Entry day Saturday, July 28th, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
2. Exhibits must not have been previously entered in the Douglas County Fair.
3. Limit of one entry in each Class per exhibitor. An entry may be a single or related pair or place setting (3-4 pieces). Exception Collections
4. All work must be entered in the name of the maker and have been completed since the 2017 Fair.
5. Articles not clean, free of stains, and completely finished, will not be accepted.
6. Anything for hanging on walls must be equipped for hanging; otherwise, items will be rejected.
7. All models and any other loose articles, whenever possible, must be mounted or securely fastened down for easier handling and display.
8. All Kiln fired clays are entered in Ceramics Divisions (exception sculpture—goes in Division 633).
9. All collections are to follow rules given in Division 708 for collections.
10. All ceramic/porcelain dolls to be clothed at time of entry. Clothes should be easily pulled apart {zippers, Velcro, etc.} for judges to be able to quickly view the body parts of the dolls.
11. All items will be handled by Fair personnel only.
12. Items to be picked up Sunday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Premiums for all Divisions: 1st \$4; 2nd \$3; 3rd \$2

(unless otherwise noted)

Special Ribbon Award for Best in Department

DIVISION 700: Adult Ceramics

- Class 1: Hand Built (made by hand or on a mold)
- Class 2: Wheel thrown (made on a pottery wheel)

- Class 2: Sea shell collection
- Class 3: Sporting goods (knives, bows, lures, flies, etc.)
- Class 4: Collection of figurines, glass, salt shakers, etc.
- Class 5: Collection of plastic or wooden models
- Class 6: Collection of articles, handmade by exhibitor
- Class 7: Dolls
- Class 8: Gem & Minerals
- Class 9: Douglas County related items
- Class 10: Any other collection not listed

DIVISION 711: Woodcraft, Age group: 18 and over

- Class 1: Wood burning
- Class 2: Wood carving, hand
- Class 3: Wood carving, machine
- Class 4: Wood lathe work
- Class 5: Wood, major portion hand made
- Class 6: Wood, major portion machine made
- Class 7: Driftwood
- Class 8: Wood toys
- Class 9: Wood model
- Class 10: Furniture
- Class 11: Clocks
- Class 12: Any other woodcraft

DIVISION 712: Elementary Division, Age 9 and under

DIVISION 713: Junior Division, Ages 10-12 years

DIVISION 714: Teen Division, Ages 13-17 years

- Class 1: Mobiles
- Class 2: Clay or dough art (i.e. oven baked, such as Sculpey)
- Class 3: Lego, made from a set (mounted on a base less than 12"x18")
- Class 4: Lego, original design (mounted on a base less than 12"x18")
- Class 5: Lego, made from a set (mounted on a base larger than 12"x18")
- Class 6: Lego, original design (mounted on a base less than 12"x18")
- Class 7: Knex (mounted on a base, no larger than 12"x18"x12" h)
- Class 8: Any wood model
- Class 9: Any wood article
- Class 10: Any collection, (see rules for collections)
- Class 11: Painted item
- Class 12: Collage
- Class 13: Scene or group (mounted on base)
- Class 14: Model, transportation
- Class 15: Paper Mache
- Class 16: Stained Glass
- Class 17: Quality craft out of recycled materials
- Class 18: Any other craft
- Class 19: Rubber Band Art, bracelet
- Class 20: Rubber Band Art, necklace
- Class 21: Rubber Band Art, jewelry set, 3 pieces
- Class 22: Rubber Band Art, animal
- Class 23: Rubber Band Art, set of animals, 3 or more
- Class 24: Rubber Band Art, any other not listed

DIVISION 715: Stained, Clear Glass or Mosaic

- Class 1: Any panel, leaded or foil
- Class 2: Mosaics
- Class 3: Lamps
- Class 4: Stepping Stones, Mosaic or Glass
- Class 5: Any Other

DIVISION 716: Toy Making

- Class 1: Stuffed doll or toy
- Class 2: Crocheted doll or toy
- Class 3: Any other toy

DIVISION 717: Doll Clothing (one to three pieces)

- Class 1: Crocheted
- Class 2: Knitted
- Class 3: Hand Sewn
- Class 4: Machine made

DIVISION 718: Miscellaneous Crafts

- Class 1: Natural art (cones, seeds, etc., all parts fastened)
 - Class 2: Jewelry (*hand made*) mounted on a board for display
 - Class 3: Mixed media
 - Class 4: Any craft made by person 65 years old or older
 - Class 5: Metal objects, any item
 - Class 6: Leather, any item
 - Class 7: Yarn craft
 - Class 8: Arrangements silk and/or dried flowers
 - Class 9: Plaster Craft
 - Class 10: Dough or clay art (not kiln fired)
 - Class 11: Miniature items
 - Class 12: Doll house, any
 - Class 13: Basket weaving
 - Class 14: Paper Mache
 - Class 15: Any other craft not listed-original
 - Class 16: Any other craft not listed-kit or pattern
 - Class 17: Quality craft, recycled materials
 - Class 18: Plastic Model, transportation
 - Class 19: Any other Plastic
 - Class 20: String Art
- HOLIDAY ITEMS (CHRISTMAS, EASTER, ETC.)**
- Class 21: Ornaments (1-3 large)
 - Class 22: Wreath
 - Class 23: Table decoration
 - Class 24: Wall decoration
 - Class 25: Christmas tree skirt
 - Class 26: Other holiday item

DIVISION 719: Fabric - Type Items

- Class 1: Decorative dolls (not toys)
- Class 2: Decorative animals (not toys)
- Class 3: Wreaths, not holiday
- Class 4: Table decoration
- Class 5: Wall decoration
- Class 6: Any other not listed

DIVISION 720: Fair Theme

- Class 1: Entry to portray, "*Fair Time is Fun Time*"

DIVISION 721: Semi-Professional

- Over four years experience*
- Entry to consist of not more than 5 pieces of your choice.*
- Class 1: Decorative painting
- Class 2: Leather
- Class 3: Wood
- Class 4: Metal
- Class 5: Stained glass
- Class 6: Any other not listed

DIVISION 722: Professional—Ribbon Only

- Professional one who has collected a fee.*
- Entry to consist of not more than 5 pieces of your choice.*
- Class 1: Leather
- Class 2: Wood
- Class 3: Metal
- Class 4: Stained glass
- Class 5: Clocks
- Class 6: Dried or silk flower arrangements
- Class 7: Fabric type items
- Class 8: Decorative painting
- Class 9: Any other not listed

DIVISION 723: Decorative Painting, Beginner

- Under two years experience

DIVISION 724 Decorative Painting, Intermediate

- 2-4 years experience
- Class 1: Floral
- Class 2: Animals, birds
- Class 3: Saws, wood, horns, gourds, etc.
- Class 4: Any other not listed

DIVISION 725: Paper Crafting ,Youth 17 and under

DIVISION 726: Paper Crafting, adults

- Class 1: Gift Tags
- Class 2: Gift Bags
- Class 3: Gift Boxes
- Class 4: Cards
- Class 5: Photo Frames
- Class 6: Any other

DIVISION 727: Scrapbooking, adults

DIVISION 728: Instructors/Professional-ribbon only

DIVISION 729: Scrapbooking, youth 13-18

DIVISION 730: Scrapbooking, youth under 12

- Class 1: Any page
- Class 2: Embellishments, using 3 or more items
- Class 3: Computer Generated Page
- Class 4: Any other

DIVISION 731: Computer Generated Crafts

- Class 1: Greeting Card
- Class 2: Business Card
- Class 3: Logo
- Class 4: Any other

DIVISION 732: Personalized Gifts

- Class 1: Picture Frames
- Class 2: Mirrors
- Class 3: Glasses or Mugs
- Class 4: Home Décor
- Class 5: Any other

DIVISION 732: Table Setting, Adult

DIVISION 733: Table Setting, Youth

1. Card table will be furnished by Fairgrounds. All other items will be furnished by the exhibitor (tablecloth, placemats, napkins, and all other items needed to set the table).
2. Pre-registration required. Please call the Exhibit Building at (541) 440-4426 to reserve a table.
3. Place settings need to be clean.
4. No paper or plastic plates, cups, or utensils can be used for the place setting. However, they can be used in the centerpiece.
5. Set the table for two.
6. Menu card required on a 5x7 card.



Class 1: Special Day

Class 2: Informal Patio or BBQ

Score card for Table Settings:

- Beauty of Design (correctness of setting) 20%
- Harmony of Color & Appropriateness 30%
- Originality 50%