

# Home Arts

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## General Committee

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Exhibits will be entered in the following class divisions:

Class A. Foods	Class H. Needlepoint & Cross Stitch
Class B. Food Preservation	Class I. Hand Spinning & Weaving
Class C. Quilts & Wall Hangings	Class J. Baby Department
Class D. Home Furnishings	Class K. Hobby Department
Class E. Clothing	Class L. Jr. Hobby Department (Ages 9-15)
Class F. Fashion Accessories	Class M. Senior Citizens (ages 65+)
Class G. Needle Work & Home Handicraft	Class N. Special Needs & Care Centers

## Home Arts Schedule

### Monday, August 8

Exhibits accepted  
 2 - 7 p.m.

### Tuesday, August 9

Exhibits accepted 9 - 11 a.m.  
 The building will be closed at  
 11 a.m., Tuesday, for judging.

### Monday, August 15

Exhibits released  
 8 - 10 a.m. and 4 - 6 p.m.  
 You may pick up your  
 premiums when you pick up  
 your items.

## RULES - QUALITY & STANDARDS

- The Fair Board is not responsible for loss or damage to any article.
- WE DO NOT ACCEPT ENTRIES FROM CHILDREN UNDER 9 YEARS OLD.  
*We encourage younger children to join 4-H and participate in the 4-H Cloverbud program. See 4-H pages for requirements to be a 4-H Cloverbud member.*
- All Needlework and Home Handicraft articles must have been completed within the past two years.
- ANY ARTICLE WHICH HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY ENTERED IN A COUNTY OR STATE FAIR WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- Entries are limited to residents of Cache County.
- The Chairman and her committee will be in charge of all exhibits.
- Soiled or poorly pressed articles will not be accepted.
- Remodeled articles must be accompanied by a statement explaining what has been done.
- All articles exhibited must be completed. All cross stitch & needlepoint must be framed.
- Canning entries must have been completed in the last 12 months.
- Exhibitors may enter multiple items per lot, as long as the items are not the same. (i.e. could enter strawberry and raspberry jam, but not 2 raspberry jams)
- Each exhibit must be the work of the individual exhibitor.
- Any article not picked up on Monday, Aug. 15, will be donated to charity. Articles can only be picked up this day. Please make arrangements to have your items picked up if you are unable to do so.**
- A claim check will be given when articles are entered. These must be presented when picking up articles.
- Items not meeting quality standards of the Cache County Fair will receive a Participation Ribbon only, and no premium.
- The judging will be done Tuesday. The judges' decision will be final.
- One article will be awarded a Sweepstakes ribbon in each class. A special recognition ribbon may also be awarded by the judges. The oldest participant will be awarded a cash prize.
- Premiums may be picked up Friday afternoon or Saturday, 1-5 p.m at the Rodeo Ticket Office. All prize money not collected by September 1 will be forfeited.

### Class A: Foods

- Lot 1. Bread Loaf (1)
- Lot 2. Rolls (4 on a plate) or Quick Breads (1)
- Lot 3. Cakes (1)
- Lot 4. Cupcakes (4 on a plate)
- Lot 5. Cake Decorating (1)
- Lot 6. Cookies (4 Cookies on a plate)
- Lot 7. Pies (no cream pies)
- Lot 8. Candies
- Lot 9. Other



#### Rules:

Items requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.

#### Premiums:

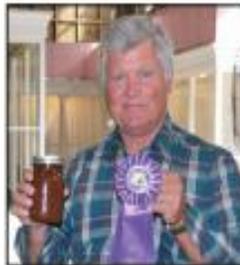
Sweepstakes:	\$5.00	Red:	\$2.00
Blue:	\$3.00	White:	\$1.00



Thanks to Red Star Yeast for supplying prizes to all food participants, and for providing additional prizes for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in the bread division!

### Class B: Food Preservation

- Lot 1. Fruits
- Lot 2. Vegetables
- Lot 3. Jams
- Lot 4. Jellies
- Lot 5. Pickles
- Lot 6. Relish
- Lot 7. Sauce
- Lot 8. Canned Meats
- Lot 9. Home Dried Fruits & Veggies
- Lot 10. Homemade Soap
- Lot 11. Soups
- Lot 12. Syrups
- Lot 13. Fruit Butters
- Lot 14. Juices
- Lot 15. Other



#### Rules:

Canning older than 12 months will not be accepted. PLEASE BE SELECTIVE. USE CLEAN, UNIFORM SIZED JARS. All entries must be LABELED and HAVE THE RINGS. The number of jars that constitute an exhibit is two 1-quart jars or two 1-pint jars. For example, you can bring 2 quarts of green beans or 2 pints of green beans, but not both. Use regulation bottles such as Ball, Kerr, etc.

#### Premiums:

Sweepstakes:	\$5.00	Red:	\$2.00
Blue:	\$2.50	White:	\$1.50

### Class C: Quilts and Wall Hangings

- Lot 1. Quilts
- Lot 2. Wall-Hangings
- Lot 3. Other

#### Judging Criteria:

First Impression: Visual impact, general appearance is neat and clean.

Design & Creativity: Fabric & colors complement the overall design. The surface design is pleasing and balanced. The quilting enhances the entire quilt.

Quilt Workmanship: Piecing is accurate, points meet precisely. If there is applique design, stitches are invisible and add to the overall design. Quilt top, pattern, borders, and setting relate well to each other.

Quilting: Quilting stitches are even and adequate. Pattern markings are invisible. Quilting design fits the space it is designed to fill.

Quilt Back: Backing is smooth, showing no large skipped stitches, loops, or knots.

Binding: Binding or edge is well made and fits with the quilt style. Corners are mitered precisely or are rounded and smooth. If envelope style is used, corners are precise, square, and even. Binding uniformly full of filler. Binding is sewn on securely. Matching thread is used with invisible stitches, if hand sewn.

#### Rules:

Quilts may be either hand or machine quilted. If a quilt is completed by one or more persons, the names of those who participated in the project must be noted on the entry form. Accepted sewing techniques include: embroidered, pieced or whole cloth, textile painting, applique (hand or machine), cross stitch. **HAND OR MACHINE QUILTS WILL BE JUDGED ON THEIR OWN MERITS, AND NOT AGAINST EACH OTHER.**

#### Premiums:

Sweepstakes:	\$5.00	Red:	\$4.00
Blue:	\$5.00	White:	\$3.00



my girlfriend's  
{quilt shoppe}

Thanks to our friends at My Girlfriend's Quilt Shoppe for providing prizes in the quilting division.

**Premiums for Classes D-N:**

Sweepstakes: \$5.00    Red: \$2.50  
 Blue: \$3.00    White: \$2.00

**Class D: Home Furnishings**

- Lot 1. Bedspread
- Lot 2. Afghans
- Lot 3. Rugs
- Lot 4. Pillows
- Lot 5. Other

**Class E: Clothing**

- Lot 1. Children's Clothing
- Lot 2. Remodeled Children's Clothing
- Lot 3. Adult Clothing
- Lot 4. Remodeled Adult Clothing
- Lot 5. Doll Clothing
- Lot 6. Costumes
- Lot 7. Other

**Judging Criteria:**

**General Appearance:** Cleanliness (no dirt on hems or neck edges, etc.), new or slightly worn (i.e. worn once for special event), nicely pressed seams, overall appearance of a new article of clothing.

**Materials used, including trimming:** suitability, laundering, quality, and durability.

**Workmanship:** Seams finished with either a serger, zig-zagged, or pinked if needed. Seam width, stitch length, gathers should be even throughout article. Seamlines matching, thread color matching.

**Design & Color:** Suitability to purpose of article hem allowance even, hem edges straight. Excess threads removed. Sleeves well set or gathered evenly around arm hole. Zippers flat and smooth.

\*Exhibitors may enter more than one item per lot (see Rule 11), but items must be different (i.e. one men's and one women's shirt, but not 2 women's shirts).

**Class F: Fashion Accessories**

- Lot 1. Aprons
- Lot 2. Knit & Crochet Clothing
- Lot 3. Stoles & Shawls
- Lot 4. Gloves, Mittens, Scarves or Hats
- Lot 5. Handbags
- Lot 6. Handkerchiefs
- Lot 7. Other

**Class G: Needlework & Home Handicraft**

- Lot 1. Sheets & Pillow Cases
- Lot 2. Dish Towels
- Lot 3. Guest Towels
- Lot 4. Hot Pads, Mitts, or Holder Sets
- Lot 5. Table Linens
- Lot 6. Buffet, Table, or Dresser Scarves
- Lot 7. Buffet or Vanity Sets
- Lot 8. Centerpieces (must lie flat, no ruffles)
- Lot 9. Doilies, Under 12 inches
- Lot 10. Other

**Judging Criteria:**

**General Appearance & Design:**

Is the design pleasing to look at?

**Workmanship:** Nice even tension, clipped threads, uniformity in stitches, no pattern markings

**Cleanliness:** Is the piece washed and free of dirt, pressed, or in like-new condition?

**Complexity:** Difficulty of materials used and variety of elements, creativity

**Class H: Needlepoint & Cross Stitch**

- Lot 1. Needlepoint
- Lot 2. Cross Stitch
- Lot 3. Other



All needlepoint and cross stitch pictures and/or wall hangings will be entered in this department. Needle point and cross stitch pictures must be framed.

**Class I: Hand Spinning and Weaving****HAND SPUN YARN**

- Lot 1. Single Ply: Skein or Bobbin
- Lot 2. Plied Yarn: 1 Skein

**FINISHED ARTICLES**

- Lot 3. Hand Knitting, Crochet, etc. (100% Hand Spun)
- Lot 4. Hand Woven
- Lot 5. Felting
- Lot 6. Other

**Class J: Baby Department - Includes articles for children up to age two.**

- Lot 1. Dresses
- Lot 2. Rompers
- Lot 3. Bonnets & Hats
- Lot 4. Coats & Jackets
- Lot 5. Quilts
- Lot 6. Shawls
- Lot 7. Afghans
- Lot 8. Other

**Class K: Hobby Department - Ages 16 and older**

- Lot 1. Dolls
- Lot 2. Leather Craft
- Lot 3. Woodwork
- Lot 4. Models
- Lot 5. Macrame
- Lot 6. Other



**Class K Rules**

1. Accessories will be allowed as space permits.
2. Anything that fits into another division will be entered there - knit, crochet, art, etc.
3. Due to space limitations, oversized items will be accepted on a space available basis only.

\*Exhibitors may enter multiple items per lot, but items must be different (Refer to Rule 11).

**Class L: Jr. Hobby Department - Ages 9-15**

- Lot 1. Dolls
- Lot 2. Leather Craft
- Lot 3. Woodwork
- Lot 4. Models
- Lot 5. Macrame
- Lot 6. Other

**Class L Rules**

1. No accessories to an item will be allowed.
2. Anything that fits into another division will be entered there - knit, crochet, art, etc.
3. Due to space limitations, oversized items will be accepted on a space available basis only.

**Class M: Seniors - Ages 65 & Older**

ALL LOTS AND PREMIUMS IN THE HOME ARTS DEPARTMENT WILL APPLY TO THIS CLASS. OLDEST EXHIBITOR WILL RECEIVE A SPECIAL AWARD OF \$5.00.

**Class N: Care Centers & Special Needs**

ALL LOTS AND PREMIUMS IN THE HOME ARTS DEPARTMENT WILL APPLY TO THIS CLASS.

