Home Arts

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Amateur Fine Arts
Arts & Crafts
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Baked Foods
Clothing & Textiles
Preserved Foods
Special Exhibits
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Table Settings

Co-Contest Coordinators Madalon Lambert/ Andi Throne

Display Coordinator Teri O'Connor

ALL EXHIBITS MUST BE PRE-ENTERED ONLINE

HOW TO ENTER - May 22 -July 10, 2024

www.venturacountyfair.org

We will only be accepting online registration for most entries. If you require assistance to complete online entries, please call the fair office at 805-648-3376 and we will assist you with computer entries. Enter online **except** for Contests (Divisions 501-507), King Arthur Flour Baking Contest, & other special Class/Division entry requirements. See **each** Class/Division for those entry instructions. Online pre-entry closes at 11:59 PM on July 10, 2024.

EXHIBIT DROP OFF DATES:

There is no entry fee to enter in this Department.

Arts & Crafts, Clothing & Textiles, Creative Writing & Preserved Foods

Friday July 19th, Saturday July 20th, Sunday July 21st, 2024 10:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Special Exhibits

Thursday July 18, 2024, and Friday July 19, 2023 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Bring in ALL entries including those entered online.

Baked Foods Entries Accepted

Monday, July 29, 2024 - 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM

PICK-UP DAY:

Monday, August 12, 2024 - 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM

We will only be accepting online registration for entries unless stated otherwise; read the rules for <u>all</u> divisions you plan to enter. If you require assistance to complete the online registration entries process, please call the fair office at 805-648-3376 and we will assist you with computer entries.

All State and local rules apply. 2024 State Rules for California Fairs

Entry: Late entries will not be received. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Pick-Up of Entries: Claim checks must be presented. No entry pick-up prior to August 12, 2024. Any exhibit not picked up on August 12, by 7PM will be disposed of by the Fair. All checks will be distributed at the time of exhibits pick up. Checks not picked up will NOT BE MAILED. Checks that are not claimed by the Exhibitor will be deemed a donation and will be returned to the department. Items must be collected on the above day. The Ventura County Fair is not liable for exhibits and will not be responsible for items left. Items will not be stored. Vouchers will be issued for Premium winnings of less than \$20 and are redeemed on Monday, August 12, 2024, between 12:00 PM and 5:00 PM at the Fair Administration Office Ticket Window. Vouchers and checks expire on October 25, 2024, and will not be redeemed after this date.

DEPARTMENT RULES

- 1. All Exhibitors in this Department must be 18 years of age or older and be a resident of Ventura County, Santa Clarita area, as far south into Los Angeles County as the 405 Freeway and to the coast of Malibu, and North to Goleta. If you are unsure if you are eligible to enter, please call the Home Arts Office (805) 648-3376.
- 2. All Divisions are Amateur unless stated Professional. An <u>amateur</u> is defined as a person who engages in an event or activity as a pastime rather than a profession. A <u>professional</u> is a person who operates a sales outlet, receives compensation for teaching (or those who receive payment over and above the cost of producing their product), or works in the profession of division of interest. Once you become a professional you cannot go back to an amateur status. Exhibitor <u>MUST NOT</u> have their Art listed For Sale on any social media (i.e., websites, Facebook, etc.).
- 3. Limit: one (1) Entry per Exhibitor per Class in all Divisions.
- 4. Entries will be accepted in Classes for "All others" only when the item represents a substantial difference from entries for which separate Classes are offered.
- 5. All entries must be home produced and completed by the Exhibitor between 2023 and of the opening date of the Fair, except for Baked & Preserved Foods must have been made within the last year. Exhibitor must not have any item (i.e., artwork, craft, quilt, clothing, etc.) listed for sale on any social media (i.e., Facebook, websites, etc.)
- 6. Items entered in any previous Ventura County Fair are not eligible for competition.
- 7. As an Exhibitor, you hereby agree that your name, city, photograph, and recipe may be used for publicity.
- 8. We reserve the right to refuse or pull any entry for content or subject matter.

SPECIAL AWARDS OFFERED

- 1. **Sweepstakes** shall be awarded to the Exhibitor scoring the highest total number of points as per the point system below:
 - a. First Award = 5 points
 - Second Award = 3 points
 - Third Award = 1 point
 - b. Sweepstakes shall be awarded only when at least three separate Exhibitors have achieved at least a combined point total of at least 30 points.
 - c. To receive Sweepstakes Award, an Exhibitor must have a minimum of 10 points.
 - d. Sweepstakes points will be credited only to the Exhibitor whose name appears on the entry form.
 - e. Sweepstakes winners will be announced as soon as paperwork is completed.
 - f. 2023 First Place Sweepstakes winners are ineligible for any 2024 Sweepstakes Awards.
 - g. 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sweepstakes Awards are offered in the following Divisions except Creative Writing (special ribbons will be awarded in these Divisions): Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits.
- 4. **Best of Show** is considered in the following Divisions: Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits. Department Spotlight Awards for the following Divisions: Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits.
 - Prize: Ribbon & Plaque.
- 5. **Fair Theme Award** (one) will be awarded to the entry that best fits the year's theme, chosen by the staff. Prize: Ribbon



Welcome to the 2024 Ventura County Fair





CONTESTS

LETTER OF INTENT REQUIRED SEE RULE # 7

For all contests, your entry is your admittance to the Fair (only one person per entry). <u>Pre-made</u> contests are brought in already prepared, ready to serve. <u>On Stage Timed Cooking</u> Contests require a letter of intent (see rule #7) or telephone (805) 648-3376 ext. 167 to be placed on list as space is limited. **Entries must be accompanied with a typed or printed copy of your recipe on a sheet of 8-1/2" x** 11" plain paper. NO EXCEPTIONS. (Points will be deducted if in any other form.)

CONTEST RULES

- 1. The Local and State Rules found elsewhere in this book, apply to this Department. Please read them carefully.
- 2. **ELIGIBILITY**: Open to amateurs only, unless otherwise stated. Teams of two people are allowed and can be a child to help parent. Adult contests are open to individuals 18 and over unless it is a Parent and Child contest.
- 3. **LIMIT OF ENTRIES**: ONE entry per Exhibitor per Class.
- No entry fees.
- 5. Contest time for "ready-made" contests are the same, check-in 12:15 PM to 12:55 PM, judging begins after check-in is completed.
- 6. Contest time for "on stage" cooking contests is 2:30 PM. Check-in 2:00 PM, timed, usually 1-1 ½ hours.
- 7. Letter of Intent or telephone call to the Home Arts Department Office for onstage cooking contests is required. The letter must contain name, address, daytime telephone number, email and which Class or Classes you wish to enter. We will accept as many participants as can be fit on the stage.

Mail letter of intent to:

Ventura County Fair Home Arts Department 10 W. Harbor Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001 Phone – (805) 648-3376 ext. 167

8. Judging based on: Taste (50%); Originality/Creativity (30%); Appearance of Food (10%); User Friendly Recipe (10%); Total 100%. This criteria applies except where otherwise noted by Sponsor request.

DIVISION 501 – BEST BAR

Saturday, August 3, 2024 (This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind of Bar

DIVISION 502 - BEST CHILI

Saturday, August 3, 2024 (On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

Any kind of Chili

DIVISION 503 - BEST SALSA

Sunday, August 4, 2024
(This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind - Mild to Medium (No Hot)

DIVISION 504 - BEST BURRITO

Sunday, August 4, 2024 (On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

1. Any kind of Burrito

DIVISION 505 – BEST POTLUCK DISH

Saturday, August 10, 2024
(This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind of Potluck Dish

DIVISION 506 – BEST COOKIE BAKE OFF PARENT & CHILD TEAM

Saturday, August 10, 2024 (On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

1. Any kind of Cookie Bake Off Parent & Child Team

TABLE SETTING CONTEST LETTER OF INTENT REQUIRED SEE RULE # 1

TABLE SETTING RULES

1. **Letter of Intent** or email must be received no later than July 3, 2024. The letter must contain: Name, address, daytime telephone number, email and which Class or Classes you wish to enter.

Mail or email letter of intent to:

Ventura County Fair Home Arts Department 10 W. Harbor Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001

Email: homearts@venturacountyfair.org

2. Confirmations will be made by telephone call or email beginning July 10, 2023. Only 10 tables available per Class on first comefirst-serve basis. A waiting list will be established in the event of cancellations.

Note: Table Size - 48"x 48"

- 3. Rules will be mailed (via email) to Exhibitors that have been called and confirmed. Please call if you must cancel, in enough time to call the next in line on the waiting list.
- 4. Exhibitors may be an individual or a team of two. Due to limited space only one team member at a time will be allowed in the Table Setting area.
- 5. Please no eucalyptus or strong scents, they bother people with allergies.
- 6. Table settings will be judged by Judges picked by the Home Arts Department. Fairgoers will be able to vote for People's Choice. Judge's Awards will be placed the day of judging. People's Choice awards will be placed the following day to allow for voting by public.
- 7. The criteria for Table Setting rules will be sent to confirmed Exhibitors by email.
- 8. Check-in for Table Setting Competitions is 10:00 AM 10:30 AM with setting beginning at 10:30 AM. Note time change!
- 9. Office Phone 648-3376 x 167 after July 10, 2024.

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$20 \$15 \$10

DIVISION 507 - TABLE SETTING COMPETITION

Class

- 1. Mardi Gras/Carnival
- 2. December Holiday
- 3. Set to any Decade (50, 60, 70...)

Tuesday, July 30, 2024 Sunday, August 4, 2024 Thursday, August 8, 2024

THANK YOU to our 2023 Ventura County Fair Sponsors:

Reid's Appliance Discount Warehouse



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1145 S. Victoria Ave, Ventura 370 N. Lantana, Camarillo College Corner on Telegraph Road, Ventura

Five Star Culinary Connection





SPECIAL EXHIBITS DROP OFF DATES

Thursday July 18, 2024, and Friday July 19, 2024 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

No fee to enter in this Department

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 508-511

All collages and drawings not to exceed 12" x 14" (framed or unframed) and be wired, ready to hang. Paintings not to exceed 24" x 36" including frame and must be ready for hanging (securely <u>wired</u>) and be made within the last year. Box canvases must be securely <u>wired</u>.

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$4 \$2 \$1

DIVISION 508 – SUPER SENIORS (Over 75 years) DIVISION 509 – PROJECTS BY LEGALLY BLIND DIVISION 510 – PROJECTS BY DEVELOPMENTALLY CHALLENGED, WITH NO ASSISTANCE DIVISION 511 – PROJECTS BY DEVELOPMENTALLY CHALLENGED, WITH ASSISTANCE

- 1. Art from upcycled (recycled) materials
- 2. Basketry, any
- 3. Beading, any item
- 4. Cards, any type
- 5. Ceramics, cast, any item
- 6. Ceramics, thrown
- 7. Collage
- 8. Creative Writing, any style
- 9. Crochet, any item
- 10. Cross Stitch, stamped
- 11. Cross Stitch, counted
- 12. Doll, handmade, 24" or under
- 13. Doll, purchased, hand decorated
- 14. Drawing, colored
- 15. Drawing, crayon
- 16. Drawing, marker
- 17. Drawing, pencil
- 18. Drawing, pen & ink
- 19. Embroidery/Crewel, any item
- 20. Gourds, any medium
- 21. Holiday Items, Christmas
- 22. Holiday Items, Halloween
- 23. Holiday Items, Patriotic
- 24. Holiday Items, Thanksgiving
- 25. Holiday Items, all others
- 26. Jewelry
- 27. Knitting, any item
- 28. Latch Hook, any item
- 29. Leather Work
- 30. Mosaic or Tile
- 31. Needlepoint, any item

- 32. Novelty Craft
- 33. Original Design, any item
- 34. Painted items, acrylic
- 35. Painted Items, bird house
- 36. Painted Items, figures
- 37. Painted Items, mask
- 38. Painting, acrylic
- 39. Painting, finger
- 40. Painting, mixed media
- 41. Painting, oil
- 42. Painting, pastels
- 43. Painting, 2-dimensional art
- 44. Painting, watercolor
- 45. Painted Items, other
- 46. Paper Mâché
- 47. Pillow, hand sewn or decorated
- 48. Plastic Canvas, any item
- 49. Pottery, any item
- 50. Quilt, any item
- 51. Rubber Stamp Art
- 52. Rugs
- 53. Scrapbook, any item
- 54. Sculpture, any medium
- 55. Sewn Clothing, by hand
- 56. Sewn Clothing, by machine
- 57. Sewn Household Item
- 58. Stuffed Animals
- 59. Weaving
- 60. Woodwork, any kind
- 61. All others

ARTS & CRAFTS DROP OFF DATES

Friday July 19th, Saturday July 20th, Sunday July 21st, 2024 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

No fee to enter in this Department

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 512-540

ARTS & CRAFTS RULES

- 1. Pictures must be ready for hanging, equipped with screw eyes and picture wire, or securely wired-attached to frame (no alligator hangers). Max size no larger than 24" X 36".
- 2. Decisions relating to size and weight of entry are based upon available space and may not be accepted.

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$4 \$2 \$1

DIVISION 512 – BASKETRY

Class

1. Handmade (natural materials) Purchased, decorated Handmade (synthetic materials) All Other

DIVISION 513 - COLLAGE

Class

Fabric 1. Paper Framed Wood and natural items Mixed Media 6. All Other

DIVISION 514 - DECORATIVE EGG ART

(Must be real eggshell – no plastic)

Class

1. Animal 7. Jeweled Beaded Ornaments Pysanka 3. Decoupage 4. Diorama 10. All other 5. Glitter

DIVISION 515 - DECORATED ITEMS

(Purchased not handmade)

Class

6.

Holiday

Frame Bag 2. Box 10. Garden Item Ceramic 11. Glass 12. Household Item 4. Child's Item 5. Clothing 13. Mask 14. Wood 6. Decoupage 15. All Other 7. Envelope Flowerpot

DIVISION 516 – FLOWER ARRANGING

(No eucalyptus or strong scents) - Non-Holiday

Class - Manmade &/or Natural Materials

- 1. Bridal Bouquet
- 2. Centerpiece
- 3. Corsage
- 4. Wall Décor
- 5. All other

Class - Pressed Flowers

- 6. Bookmark
- 7. Table Decoration
- 8. All other

DIVISION 517 – GOURDS, CARVED DIVISION 518 – GOURDS, DECORATIVE PAINTED DIVISION 519 – GOURDS, MIXED MEDIA DIVISION 520 – GOURDS, PYROGRAPHY BURNED

Class

- 1. Animal
- Basket/Bowl
- 3. Bird Feeder/Bird House
- 4. Dved/Painted
- 5. Figurine
- 6. Holiday Items
- 7. Lidded Container

- 8. Mask
- Musical Instruments
- 10. Native American Design
- 11. Original Design
- 12. Professional, any item
- 13. All other

DIVISION 521 – HOLIDAY CRAFTS, CHRISTMAS DIVISION 522 – HOLIDAY CRAFTS, ALL OTHERS

Class

- 1. Centerpiece
- 2. Door Decoration
- 3. Garland
- 4. Magnet
- 5. Original Design

- 6. Ornaments (3 pieces)
- 7. Party favors (3 pieces)
- Wall Décor
-). Wreath
- 10. All other

DIVISION 523 – LEATHER

Class

- 1. Belt
- 2. Case/Cover
- 3. Checkbook/Wallet
- 4. Knife Sheath/Holster

- 5. Picture
- 6. Purse/Clutch
- 7. Any Other Item Not Listed

DIVISION 524 - LEATHER, PROFESSIONAL

- 1. Household Item
- 2. Knife Sheath/Holster

- 3. Personal Item
- 4. All Other

DIVISION 525 - METAL CRAFT

Class

- 1. Animal 2. Figure
- 3. Garage Item
- 4. Garden Item

- 5. Household Item
- 6. Wall Hanging
- 7 All other

DIVISION 526 - MOSAIC

Class

- 1. Glass
- 2. Mixed Media
- 3. Stone

- 4. Tile
- 5. All other

DIVISION 527 - NOVELTY CRAFT

(Non-Holiday)

Class

- 1. Beading (no jewelry)
- 2. Ceramics
- 3. Doll
- 4. Glass, Etched
- 5. Glass, fused
- Glass, stained (original design) 6.
- 7. Glass, stained (3-D)
- 8. Glass, stained, freeform
- 9. Glass, stained (all other)
- 10. Household item
- 11. Lathe Turned (non-wood), any item

- 12. Miniatures, set (no more than 6 pieces)
- 13. Native American Art
- 14. Original design
- 15. Papier Mache
- 16. Shells
- 17. Soap (unscented)
- 18. Wall hanging
- 19. Driftwood
- 20. Etching
- 21. Garden Item
- 22. All other

DIVISION 528 - PAPER CRAFT

- 1. Banner
- Bookmark
- 3. Card, Birthday (adult)
- Card, Birthday (child) 4.
- 5. Card, Christmas
- 6. Card, Fancy fold
- 7. Card, Holiday (no Christmas)
- 8. Card, Sentiments
- 9. Card, Special Occasion
- 10. Card, other
- 11. Covered Journal

- 12. Die Cutting/Embossing
- 13. Envelope
- 14. Gift card holder
- 15. Iris Fold
- 16. Mixed Media
- 17. Original design
- 18. Professional, any item
- 19. Quilling
- 20. Stamping
- 21. Tag
- 22. All other

DIVISION 529 - UPCYCLED (Recycled) MATERIALS/CRAFT ITEMS

(No crochet, knitted or sewn items - they are entered in Clothing & Textiles, Upcycled (Recycled)

Class

1.	Cans	6.	Paper/Cardboard
2.	Cork	7.	Rock
3.	Glass	8.	Rope
4.	Metal	9.	Wood
5.	Plastic	10.	All other

DIVISION 530 – SCRAPBOOK PAGE, SINGLE OR DOUBLE

(Judged on design only, **must** include photos - All pages must be submitted in a 3-holed protector sheet 12"x 12")

Class

1.	Baby/Child	7.	Special Occasion
2.	Family	8.	Sports
3.	Holiday	9.	Theme Park/Zoo
4.	Outdoors	10.	Vacation
5.	Pocket Page	11.	All other
6.	School Days		

DIVISION 531 – TOLE & DECORATIVE PAINTING

Class

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1.	Animal	17.	Landscape/Seascape
2.	Birds	18.	Mixed Media
3.	Bird House	19.	One Stroke
4.	Christmas	20.	Original design
5.	Fall	21.	Patriotic
6.	Figure, any	22.	Professional, any item
7.	Flowers, mixed	23.	Rock
8.	Flowers, no roses	24.	Rosemaling, any type
9.	Flowerpot	25.	Roses
10.	Folk Art	26.	Santa
11.	Furniture	27.	Snowman
12.	Garden	28.	Spring
13.	Glass	29.	Still Life
14.	Halloween	30.	Summer
15.	Holiday (no Christmas or Halloween)	31.	Winter
16.	Jewelry Box	32.	All other

DIVISION 532 - WOOD CARVING

(Size limit 36" X 36" - except furniture)

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1.	Animal, caricature	7.	Holiday, any
2	Bark Carving	8	Love Spoon
3.	Bird	9.	Ornamental
4.	Bowl/Cup/Goblet/Vase, if turned must be less than 50%	10.	People/Figure
	carved or burned	11.	Professional, any item
5.	Fantasy	12.	Pyrography
6	Fish/Reptile/Amphibian	13.	Relief Carving

- 14. Walking Stick
- 15. Whimsical
- 16. Whittling

- 17. Wood crafting with Carving
- 18. All other

DIVISION 533 – WOOD CRAFT

(Size limit 36" X 36" – except furniture)

Class

- 1. Fret work/Scroll Saw Work, no kits
- 2. Furniture
- 3. House & Garden Accessories
- 4. Intarsia
- 5. Musical Instrument

- 6. Professional, any item
- 7. Toys
- 8. Wood crafting with turning
- All other

DIVISION 534 – WOOD TURNING

Class

- 1. Artistic, includes mixed media, carved, or decorated
- 2. Bow
- 3. Bowl, Decorative
- 4. Bowl, up to 10" in diameter
- 5. Bowl, over 10" in diameter
- 6. Collection, 3 to 5 pieces
- 7. Functional, everyday use
- 8. Goblet
- 9. Hollow Form
- 10. Lidded box

- 11. Miniature, under 3"
- 12. Natural Edge, includes bowl, closed form, vase
- 13. Pen
- 14. Platter
- 15. Professional, any item
- 16. Segmented
- 17. Spindle Turning, includes wine stoppers
- 18. Vase
- 19. All other

DIVISION 535 - WREATHS & SWAGS

Not in any other Division (i.e. Division 517 Flower Arrangements). Size is not to exceed 20".

Please do not use spray scents or perfumes.

Class

- 1. All Natural
- 2. Floral, any
- 3. Mixed Media

- 4. Original Design
- 5. All other

DIVISION 536 - COLORING

If not done on cardstock, paper to be mounted on posterboard or foam board (No Margins)

- 1. Alcohol Ink
- 2. Animal
- 3. Fairy/Fantasy
- 4. Floral
- 5. Holiday/Seasonal
- 6. Mandala

- 7. Pen & Ink
- 8. Pencil
- 9. Stamp Pad
- 10. Stencil
- 11. Watercolor
- 12. All Other

Judging Criteria for Crafts

Appearance-total effect, Overall design and proportion (25%); Workmanship- How well was it made? (35%); Utilities and Difficulty Factor-Does what it should, how usable, effort to make (20%); Originality-Creativity (20%); Total 100%

CREATIVE WRITING DROP OFF DATES

Friday July 19th, Saturday July 20th, Sunday July 21st, 2024 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

No entry fee to enter in this Department ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVSIONS 537-540

Creative Writing Rules

- 1. Entries must be typed on plain 8-1/2"x11" paper, one sided only. Handwritten entries will not be judged. 10- or 12-point type size, double spaced, with 1" margins. No single spacing! The only exception is prose that is written in design, but no illustrations, only words. Entry not to exceed 4 pages (cover page not needed).
- 2. Insert each page in a three holed protector sheet or the entry will not be accepted.
- 3. The author's name MUST NOT APPEAR anywhere on the entry. No byline or identification.
- 4. Poem is described as composition in verse. Short Story is defined as a piece of fiction or nonfiction with character, setting, and sequence of events. Essay is prose (defined as ordinary language without meter or rhyme) on a single theme or event without plot.

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$4 \$2 \$1

DIVISION 537 – POEM
DIVISION 538 – SHORT STORY, NON-FICTION
DIVISION 539 - SHORT STORY, FICTION
DIVISION 540 - ESSAY

- 1. Animal/Pet
- 2. Children
- 3. Comedy
- 4. Cowboy/Western
- 5. Holiday

- 6. Inspirational
- 7. Love
- 8. Nature
- 9. Person
- 10. All other





King Arthur Flour Baking Contest NO PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED

Ventura County Fair and King Arthur Flour presents the 2023 Cookie Contest

King Arthur Flour and the Ventura County Fair are looking for your best homemade cookies.

Entry Deadline: Thursday, August 1, 2024, 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Home Arts Building

Date of Contest: Thursday, August 1, 2024

Judging - 2:15 PM

PRIZES

1st \$75 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com
 2nd \$50 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com
 3rd \$25 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com
 * Winners will also receive a 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place ribbon

CONTEST RULES

- Recipe must use at least 1 cup of King Arthur Flour and be made from scratch. No mixes or prepared frostings.
- 2. Judging will be based on: Taste (50%), Overall Appearance and Creativity (25%), and Texture (25%).
- 3. Entrant must bring the open bag of King Arthur Flour or submit the UPC label from the flour bag when the prepared entry is brought the Fair contest.
- 4. Directions for preparing the recipe must be clear; measurements should be in level cups, tablespoons, teaspoons, or fractions thereof; also include pan size, cooking temperature, number of servings and any pertinent information.
- 5. Use ingredients that are readily available in grocery stores.
- 6. Type or legibly write recipe on 8-1/2 x 11 sheet of paper with name, address, daytime and evening phone number, email address (if available) in the upper right-hand corner. Entries must be legible and include a phone number or they will be disqualified.
- 7. Contestants may submit one (1) entry per person.
- 8. This contest is open to adults, amateur only.
- 9. Upon submission, recipes will become the property of the Ventura County Fair and King Arthur Flour, which reserves the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish and use for publicity, promotion, or advertising without compensation.
- 10. Fair Staff selects Judges; Judges' decisions are final.
- 11. King Arthur Flour is widely available in local grocery stores. For product information, recipe ideas, and or store location go to: www.kingarthurflour.com.

<u>DAY OF CONTEST</u> – Thursday, August 1, 2024

- 1. Entries will be accepted from 1:00 PM-2:00 PM in the Home Arts Building.
- 2. Judging will begin at 2:15 pm.
- 3 Prizes will be awarded when judging is completed.
- 4. Your Entry is your admission to the Fair (only 1 entry per person). Only the contestant is admitted free with entry.
- 5. Bring **at least 8 cookies** to the Fair in any type of container (preferably disposable). It will not be the responsibility of the Fair to return any dishes or containers.
- 6. Entries must be prepared at home and presented at the Fair ready for judging. Insulated containers are encouraged for transportation to keep foods hot or cold.
- 7. If you have any questions, please contact the Home Arts Department at (805) 648-3376 ext. 167.

DIVISION 541- KING ARTHUR FLOUR CONTEST, COOKIE CONTEST

Class

Cookie Contest (no mixes)

BAKED FOODS & CONFECTIONS DROP OFF DATE

Monday, July 29, 2023 - 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

No entry fee to enter in this department

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 542-563

BAKED FOODS RULES

- Except for the Professional Division all Exhibitors must be amateurs. 1.
- 2. All entries must be on a disposable plate or pan.
- No mixes allowed in any Division, except Decorated Cakes, as they are judged only on decoration.
- Baked Foods will remain on display as long as possible and discarded only as necessary. 4.
- 5. Recipe must be provided upon request.
- Exhibitors with 10 or more entries, please allow enough time to enter. Exhibitors going for Sweepstakes, please call (805) 648-3376 ext. 167 at least two days ahead for appointment.

Exhibitors with large number of entries will not be accepted after 12:00 PM (NOON) unless arrangements have been made and approved by Chairman.

- 7. Small loaf sizes are welcome.
- 8. Wrapped items must be in clear wrap.
- All cakes not to exceed 1/2 sheet (13" x 18") and no more than 3 tiers high. 9.

Premiums Offered per Class

3rd 1st 2nd \$2 \$4 \$1

DIVISION 542 - BISCUITS AND ROLLS

(6 biscuits or rolls, 2 of the 6 wrapped separate) Standard size only

Class

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1	. Baking Powder Biscuits	9.	Potato Rolls
2	. Buttermilk Biscuits	10.	Savory, any
3	. Butter Horns	11.	Scones
4	. Caramel	12.	Sourdough Rolls
5	. Cheese Rolls	13.	Yeast Rolls, any type
6	. Cinnamon Rolls	14.	All other, non-sweet
7	. Fruit Rolls	15.	All other, sweet
8	. Novelty Rolls		

DIVISION 543 - BREADS

(1/2 loaf plus 1 slice wrapped)

Clas	S		
1.	Beer	12.	Irish Soda
2.	Boston Brown	13.	Leavened
3.	Challah	14.	Monkey
4.	Cheese	15.	Onion
5.	Cinnamon	16.	Olive
6.	Cinnamon Raisin	17.	Potato
7.	Corn	18.	Raisin
8.	Focaccia	19.	Rye
9.	Foreign	20.	Savory
10.	French	21.	Sourdough
11.	Herb	22.	Wheat

23. White 25. All other, yeast

24. All other, non-yeast

DIVISION 544 - BREADS, SWEET

(1/2 loaf plus 1 slice wrapped)

Class

1. Apple 7. Pumpkin Banana 8. Spice 3. Banana Mixture Zucchini

4. Banana Nut 10. Zucchini, mixture 5. Date 11. All other

6. Fruit

DIVISION 545 - CAKES, DECORATED

(Dummy bases optional)

Premiums Offered per Class

(Divisions 545-546 only) 2nd 1st 3rd

\$10 \$7.50 \$5

Class – Layer Cakes/Sheet Cakes, any size

Anniversary Gingerbread House 1. 7. 2.

Holiday Baby 8.

3. Birthday, adult Sculpted or 3-Dimensional

10. Special Occasion 4. Birthday, child

5. Bridal Shower 11. Wedding

Fondant Covered 12. All other

DIVISION 546 - CAKES< DECORATED PROFESSIONAL

(Dummy bases optional)

Class

Any Decorated Cake

DIVISION 547 – DECORATED CUPCAKES

(6 cupcakes)

Premiums Offered per Class

(Division 547 only)

3rd 1st 2nd \$6 \$4 \$2

Class - Cupcakes

Baby Shower 4. Holiday 1. 2. Birthday, adult 5. Wedding

Birthday, child All other

DIVISION 548 – CAKES, LAYERED, ICED

(1/2 cake plus 1 wrapped slice - Filling optional)

Class

- Carrot
 Chocolate
 Filled
- 4. German Chocolate

- 5. Red Velvet
- 6. Spice
- 7. White
- All other

DIVISION 549 - CAKES, OTHER THAN LAYER

Loaf, tube or sheet, frosted or unfrosted (1/2 cake plus 1 slice wrapped)

Class

- 1. Angel Food
- 2. Banana
- 3. Bundt, any form
- 4. Carrot
- 5. Chocolate
- 6. Orange

- 7. Pineapple Upside Down
- 8. Pound
- 9. Spice
- 10. Upside Down, any other
- 11. All other

DIVISION 550 - COFFEE CAKES

(Submit in a disposable 8" x 8" pan)

Class

- 1. Cinnamon
- 2. Crumb
- 3. Fruit

- 4. Nut
- 5. All other

DIVISION 551 - CRISPS AND COBBLERS

(Submit in a disposable 8" x 8" pan)

Class – Fruit Crisp

- 1. Apple
- 2. Berry
- 3. Cherry
- 4. Peach
- 5. All other fruit crisps

- Class Fruit Cobblers
- 6. Apple
- 7. Berry
- 8. Cherry
- Peach
- 10. All other fruit cobblers

DIVISION 552 - CUPCAKES

Frosted or unfrosted

(6 cupcakes with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

- Carrot
- 2. Chocolate
- 3. Custard filled
- 4. Fruit filled

- 5. Red Velvet
- 6. Spice
- 7. White
- All other

DIVISION 553 - CONFECTIONS

(6 pieces with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

1.	Cake Pops	12.	Lollipops
2.	Caramel	13.	Mints
3.	Caramel covered item (i.e. caramel corn)	14.	Novelty
4.	Cheesecake Pops	15.	Nut Brittle
5.	Chocolate	16.	Panocha
6.	Coconut	17.	Peanut Brittle
7.	Divinity	18.	Petit Fours
8.	Fudge, with nuts	19.	Toffee
9.	Fudge, without nuts	20.	Truffles
10.	Fudge, peanut butter	21.	All other
11.	Fudge, vanilla		

DIVISION 554 - BARS

(6 bars with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

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1.	Brownies, with nuts	7.	Fruit Bars, without nuts
2.	Brownies, without nuts	8.	Lemon Bars
3.	Brownies, frosted	9.	Nut Bars
4.	Chocolate Chip Bars	10.	Oatmeal
5.	Fancy Bars	11.	All other bars
6.	Fruit Bars, with nuts		

DIVISION 555 - COOKIES

(6 cookies with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

17. Ginger Snaps

Class 1. Biscotti

2.	Butter	18.	Hermits
3.	Chocolate, with nuts	19.	Ice Box
4.	Chocolate, without nuts	20.	Macaroons
5.	Chocolate with chocolate chips	21.	Oatmeal, mixture (3 or more items)
6.	Chocolate Chip, traditional, no nuts	22.	Oatmeal, plain
7.	Chocolate Chip, with nuts	23.	Oatmeal, with chocolate chips
8.	Chocolate Chip, mixture (3 or more items)	24.	Oatmeal, with raisins &/or nuts
9.	Citrus Flavored Cookie	25.	Peanut Butter
10.	Coconut	26.	Peanut Butter, mixture
11.	Cookie, molded in a press	27.	Snickerdoodles
12.	Cookie, pressed	28.	Spiced
13.	Dropped	29.	Sugar
14.	Filled	30.	Thumbprint
15.	Fancy Pressed	31.	All other cookies
16.	Foreign		

DIVISON 556 - CUSTARD

(2 Individual servings)

Class

1. Flan 2. All other

DIVISION 557 - GLUTEN-FREE

(Bars - 6 bars with 2 wrapped; Bread - ½ loaf plus 1 slice wrapped Cake - ½ cake plus 1 wrapped slice; Cookies – 6 cookies with 2 wrapped)

Class

Clas	Class		
1.	Bars		
2.	Bread, savory		
3.	Cakes		
4.	Cookies		
5.	Cobbler/Crisp		

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- 7. Pie, any
- Sweet Breads
- 9. Yeast Breads
- 10. All other

DIVISION 558 - MUFFINS

(6 each with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate) Standard size only, no extra large

Class

1.	Apple Nut
2.	Banana Nut
3.	Blueberry
4.	Bran, any
5.	Carrot
6.	Cherry
7.	Chocolate Chip

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- 9. Corn
- 10. Cranberry
- 11. Lemon
- 12. Poppy Seed
- 13. All other

DIVISION 559 - PASTRIES/TURNOVERS

(6 each with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

1.	Baklava			
2.	Cream Puff			
3.	Croissant			
4.	Custard			
5.	Danish			

6. Éclair

- 7. Fruit, single
- 8. Tarts
- 9. Turnovers
- 10. All other

DIVISION 560 - PIES

(1 Pie)

(Disposable foil pans only. No glass or metal)

Class - Single Crust

10. Custard

Cheesecake
Cheesecake, chocolate
Cheesecake, with fruit
Cheesecake, flavored
Cheesecake, non-baked
Cheesecake, original recipe
Chocolate
Coconut
Cream

- 11. Dutch Apple
- 12. Fruit Tart, large
- 13. Lemon Chiffon
- 14. Meringue, lemon
- 15. Meringue, all other
- 16. Pecan
- 17. Pumpkin
- 18. Raisin
- 19. Strawberry
- 20. All other, single

Class - Double Crust

- 21. Apple
- 22. Apricot
- 23. Berry
- 24. Boysenberry
- 25. Cherry

- 26. Fruit Mixture
- 27. Peach
- 28. Strawberry Mixture
- 29. All other, double

DIVISION 561 - PUDDINGS

(2 Individual servings)

(No packages, no glass, disposable only)

Class

1. Bread

Chocolate

- 3. Chocolate Mousse
- All other

DIVISION 562 - TRICKS WITH A MIX

(USING A BOXED MIX OF ANY KIND AND ADDING YOUR TOUCHES)

(1/2 loaf/cake plus 1 slice wrapped)
(6 bars/cookies with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

- 1. Bread
- 2. Cake
- 3. Cookie

- 4. Bars
- All other

DIVISION 563 – SUGAR FREE

Class

- 1. Bar
- 2. Cake
- 3. Candy
- 4. Cookie
- 5. Crisp or Cobbler
- 6. Cupcake

- 7. Gluten Free, any item
- 8. Muffin
- 9. Pie
- 10. Pudding or Custard
- 11. All other

Judging Criteria for Pies, Pastries & Quiches

One Crust-Color (10%); Shape (10%); Crust-texture–flaky/tender (25%), flavor agreeable, no pronounced taste (15%); Filling-Flavor-natural/well blended (15%); Consistency-fruit moist but not syrupy, well cooked; filling should hold shape (15%); Meringue-light, tender, evenly browned, no shrinking from sides, no weeping, at least ½" (10%); Total 100%

Two Crusts-Color (10%); Shape (10%); Crust-texture-flaky/tender (25%), flavor agreeable, no pronounced taste (15%); Filling-Flavor-natural/well blended (20%), Consistency- fruit moist but not syrupy, well cooked; filling should hold shape (20%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Cakes and Cakes without Fat

Appearance-Surface-crust and frosting, Crust color, texture, depth, Frosting-glossy, not granular, soft not sticky, suitable flavor (30%); Texture-Butter cake-tender, fine, even grain, moist but elastic, Fruit cake-not sticky or gummy, dry or crumbly (35%); Flavor-Delicate & pleasing, natural flavor or ingredients (35%);

Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Decorated Cakes

Overall Appearance-Balance (15%), Color Harmony (15%), Consistency of Pattern (15%); Neatness- Texture of Icing (10%), Uniformity of Repeat Pattern (15%); Artistic Quality (30%); Overall Eye Appeal (15%); Originality (15%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Cookies and Bars

Appearance-Outside – uniform, not too thick, size not over 3 inches (except monster cookies), Surface color and texture (30%); Texture-Characteristic of type (35%); Flavor-Natural flavor of ingredients, no off flavor (35%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Baked Foods, Biscuit, Breads and Rolls

General Appearance-Shape (proper dome), smoothness, crust color (10%); Lightness (10%); Crust-Thickness, quality, crispness, tenderness (10%); Crumb-Color and texture (15%); Texture-No streaks or close grain, size & uniformity of cell walls, elasticity (25%); Flavor-Taste & odor-sweet, nutty, blended (30%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Confections

Appearance-Color, size, and shape of pieces (15%); Texture-Crystalline-velvety, creamy, non-crystalline should hold shape, no crystals (30%); Consistency-Crystalline-firm, not hard or soft, No-crystalline-should hold shape, no crystals (25%); Flavor-Blended, high quality, pleasing (30%); Total 100%

CLOTHING & TEXTILES DROP OFF DATES

Friday July 19th, Saturday July 20th, Sunday July 21st, 2024 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

No entry fee to enter in this Department

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 564-582

CLOTHING & TEXTILES RULES

- All Exhibitors must be amateurs.
- 2. Only one Entry per Class accepted.
- 3. All pictures must be ready for hanging they must be securely wired to frame (no alligator hangers). Picture not to exceed 30" X 30" or 20" x 40", including frame.
- 4. Exhibits must be clean and pressed (if item requires pressing) and free of any pet hair.
- 5. Picture size refers to the width of stitched design.
- 6. Single items only, unless otherwise indicated.

Premiums Offered per Class

2nd 1st 3rd \$4 \$2 \$1

DIVISION 564 – AFGHANS, CROCHET, UNDER 45" DIVISION 565 - AFGHANS, CROCHET, 45" & OVER

Class Cable Stitch 1. Motif Cluster Stitch 10. Popcorn 11. Quilt Design Pattern Double Stitch 4. Flower Stitch 12. Ripple Stitch 13 Shell Stitch 5. Granny Stitch 14. Single Stitch 6. Granny Stitch, variation 7. Half Double Stitch 15. Variety of 3 or more stitch patterns Mile-A-Minute 16. All Other

DIVISION 566 - FELTED - CROCHET, KNIT OR WOVEN

Class

Accessories 1. 4. Toy All other 2. Clothing 5. Household item

DIVISION 567 - CROCHET, THREAD

Class

1. Accessories, any item 10. Doily, any other size 2. Bedspread 11. Doll Clothes (1-5 pieces) Centerpiece, 3 dimensional 12. Dresser scarf 13. Filet, identify item 4. Clothing 14. Guest Towel, edging 5. Collar 6. Dishcloth, edging 15. Handkerchief, edging 7. Doily, up to 8" 16. Infant item (other than clothing) Doily, 8" – 12" 8. 17. Insertion Lace, 1 yard 9. Doily, 13" - 18"

18. Market bag

- 19. Novelty Item, (1-2 pieces)
- 20. Ornament (1-3 pieces)
- 21. Pillow

- 22. Pillow Slip, edging
- 23. All other

DIVISION 568 - CROCHET, TUNISIAN

Class

- Accessories
 Afghan/Blanket
- 3. Clothing

- 4. Shawl/Wrap
- 5. Toy
- 6. All other

DIVISION 569 – CROCHET, YARN

Class

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Bib
- 3. Booties
- 4. Cap, infant/child
- 5. Cape/Poncho
- 6. Centerpiece
- 7. Clothing, adult
- 8. Clothing, child/infant
- 9. Clothing Set, child/infant (2-4 pieces)
- 10. Cowl
- 11. Dishcloth/Washcloth
- 12. Doll (body must be crocheted)
- 13. Doll Clothes (1-5 pieces)
- 14. Gloves/Mittens
- 15. Hat
- 16. Holiday item (no ornaments)
- 17. Household Item
- 18. Market Bag
- 19. Novelty Item, Christmas

- 20. Novelty Item, other
- 21. Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 22. Pillow
- 23. Placemats (1-4 pieces)
- 24. Potholder/Hot Dish Pad (1-3 pieces)
- 25. Purse/Handbag
- 26. Rug
- 27. Scarf
- 28. Shrug
- 29. Shawl/Stole
- 30. Shell
- 31. Slippers/Socks
- 32. Sweater/Coat, adult
- 33. Sweater/Coat, infant/child
- 34. Towel edging
- 35. Toy/Toy Set (1-3 pieces)
- 36. Vest
- 37. All other

DIVISION 570 - CROCHET, OTHER MATERIALS

Class

- 1. Fabric, any item
- 2. Plastic, any item

- 3. Ribbon, any item
- 4. All other

DIVISION 571 - COUNTED CROSS STITCH

- 1. Bib
- 2. Bookmark
- 3. Christmas Item (no stocking)
- 4. Christmas Stocking
- 5. Holiday Item, other than picture
- 6. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 7. Household Item
- 8. Original Design, any item
- 9. Picture, under 6"

- 10. Picture, 6" 9"
- 11. Picture, 10" 14"
- 12. Picture. 15" 18"
- 13. Picture, 19" & up
- 14. Pillow
- 15. Sampler, any size
- 16. Stamped Cross Stitch
- 17. All other

DIVISION 572 - EMBROIDERY, COUNTED THREAD ON FABRIC

Class

- 1. Household item
- 2 Mixed Media, any item
- 3. Original Design, any item
- 4. Picture

- 5. Sampler
- 6. All other

DIVISION 573 - EMBROIDERY, OPENWORK

Class

- 1. Cutwork, any item
- 2. Drawn Thread, any item
- 3. Hardanger, any item
- 4. Original Design, any item

- 5. Pulled Thread, any item
- 6. Whitework, any item
- 7. All other

DIVISION 574 - EMBROIDERY, MACHINE

Class

- 1. Clothing
- 2. Holiday Item
- 3. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 4. Household Item

- 5. Original Design, any item
- 6. Pillow
- 7. Wall Hanging
- 8. All other

DIVISION 575 - EMBROIDERY, SURFACE ON FABRIC

Class

- 1. Bead work, any item
- 2. Brazilian, any item
- 3. Clothing, any item
- 4. Crewel, any item
- 5. Goldwork, any item
- 6. Household Item
- 7. Huck, any item (Swedish weaving)
- 8. Original Design, any item
- 9. Picture

- 10. Pillow
- 11. Sashiko, any item
- 12. Shadow work, any item
- 13. Silk and Metal, any item
- 14. Silk Ribbon, any item
- 15. Stamped Embroidery, any item
- 16. Stumpwork, any item
- 17. Table Linens
- 18. All other

DIVISION 576 – LACEWORK

Class

- 1. Filet Netting/Darning
- 2. Needle Lace
- 3. Original Design, any item
- 4. Tape Lace

- 5. Tatting, any item (other than collar)
- 6. Tatting, collar
- 7. All other

DIVISION 577 - NEEDLEPOINT

(Textured stitch, combination of stitches/threads)

Bargello, any item Original Design, any item 1. 2. Bookmark Petit point, any item 9. 10. Picture 3. Holiday Item Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces) 11. Pillow Household Item 5. 12. Silk Gauze Long Stitch 13. Tent Stitch 6. 7. Mixed Media 14. All other **DIVISION 578 – PUNCH NEEDLE** (Includes Bunka and Needle Felting) Class 1. Original, any item 3. All other Picture **DIVISION 579 – LATCH HOOK** Class 1. **Christmas Stocking** 5. Rug 2. Original, any item 6. Toy Picture 7. All other 3. 4. Pillow **DIVISION 580 - PLASTIC CANVAS OR PERFORATED PAPER** (Sets limited to 5 pieces) Class Accessories, any item Novelty Item (1-3 pieces) 1. Bookmark Original Design 2. Toy Set (2-5 pieces) 3. Centerpiece

4. Holiday Item

5. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)

Household Item

14. Dishcloth/Washcloth

15. Dress/Skirt, adult

10. Wall Decoration (1-3 pieces)

11. All other, limit 5 pieces

DIVISION 581 – KNITTED, HAND

Class

Afghan/Bedspread, adult 1. Afghan/Bedspread, child 3. Afghan, infant 4. Bib 5. **Booties** 6. Cap, infant/child Cape/Poncho 7. 8. Cardigan, adult 9. Cardigan, Aran stitch 10. Cardigan, child 11. Clothing, child 12. Coat/Jacket, adult 13. Cowl

16. Gloves/Mittens 17. Hat, adult 18. Hat and Scarf Set 19. Holiday Item 20. Household Item

21. Infant Clothing (2-5 pieces)

22. Pillow

23. Potholder/Hot Dish Pad (1-3 items)

24. Pullover, adult 25. Pullover, Aran stitch 26. Pullover, infant/child

27. Purse 28. Scarf

29. Scarf, mobius/infinity 30. Shawl/Stole, lace

- 31. Shawl/Stole, other than lace
- 32. Shell
- 33. Shrua
- 34. Slippers
- 35. Socks/Legwarmers, adult
- 36. Socks/Legwarmers, child

- 37. Sweater/Coat, adult
- 38. Sweater/Coat. infant/child
- 39. Tablecloth
- 40. Toys
- 41. Vest
- 42. All other

QUILTS

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 583-594

Approximate Guideline for Quilt Sizes / Max Length 98"

- 1. Quilts must have a label on the back.
- 2. All quilts must be of cloth, consisting of three layers (top, batting and backing) and must be hand and/or machine quilted through all three layers (no false backs)

King: 90" x 98" Twin: 59" x 85" Baby: 36" x 54"

Queen: 80" x 90" Lap: 54" x 72" Double: 74" x 95 Child: 40" x 60"

NOTE: Quilts 72" to 86" must have a sleeve to be hung from ceiling or fully displayed.

DIVISION 582 – QUILT CHALLENGE

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$20 \$15 \$10

RULES

- 1. All quilts must be cloth, consisting of three layers (top, batting and backing) and must be hand and/or machine quilted through all three layers (no false backs)
- 2. The design of the quilt must be an original design. Quilts can be pieced, appliquéd or a combination of both and may be embellished.
- 3. Size must be at least 24" x 24" and no larger than 48" x 48" and may be any shape.
- 4. An identification label must be sewn to the bottom back corner of the guilt.
- 5. You may use any fabric(s) of your choice. The choices should reflect the theme "Under the Sea"
- 6. Judging emphasizes originality and creativity, visual impact, workmanship, and adherence to theme.

Class

- 1. Quilt made by Amateur
- 2. Quilt made by Group

DIVISION 583 – QUILT-ON-A-STICK

Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Theme: "Ocean Animals"

RULES

- 1. Maximum Size 8 inches x 9 inches.
- 2. Any Construction method(s), hand or machine guilted by Exhibitor.
- 3. Quilt backing must include a centered, vertical sleeve in which a paint stick has been inserted. The exhibitor must provide paint stick.

1. Quilt-On-A-Stick

Premiums Offered per Class

1st 2nd 3rd \$4 \$2 \$1

DIVISION 584 – QUILTS, NOVICE

(First-time quilter may enter beginning project)

Class

- 1. Appliqué
- 2. Art Quilt
- 3. Hand Pieced, hand guilted
- 4. Machine Pieced, hand guilted
- 5. Machine Pieced, machine guilted

- 6. Modern
- 7. Patchwork, tied
- 8. Whole Cloth/Panel
- 9. All other

DIVISION 585 - QUILTS, CONTAINS PATCHWORK AND APPLIQUE

Class – Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap Size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall
- 6. All other, hand quilted

- Class Machine Quilted
- 7. Baby
- 8. Child
- Double/Twin
- 10. King/Queen
- 11. Lap Size
- 12. Miniature, under 18"
- 13. Wall
- 14. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 586 – QUILTS, ALL PIECED

Class - Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap Size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall
- 6. All other, hand quilted

Class - Machine Quilted

- 7. Baby
- 8. Child
- 9. Double
- 10. King/Queen
- 11. Lap Size
- 12. Miniature, under 18"
- 13. Twin
- 14. Wall
- 15. All other, machine guilted

DIVISION 587 – QUILTS, ALL APPLIQUE'

Class - Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size

- Lap size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall

All other, hand guilted Double/Twin 6. 10. King/Queen 11. Lap Size 12. Miniature, under 18" Class - Machine Quilted Baby 13. Wall 7. Child 14. All other, machine guilted **DIVISION 588 – QUILTS, EMBROIDERED** Class - Hand Embroidered Class - Machine Embroidered **Appliqué Appliqué** Pieced Pieced 2. 5. Whole Cloth 6. Whole Cloth **DIVISION 589 – QUILTS, GROUP ENTRY** (More than one person's work) Class 1. Appliqué 6. Mixed Technique

2. Art Quilt Embroidered 3. 4. Memory/Friendship 5.

7. Modern

Patchwork 8. 9. All other

Mixed Ages (under18 years and over 18 years)

DIVISION 590 – QUILTS, MODERN

Class - Hand Quilted Class - Machine Quilted Baby/Child **Applique** 2. **Bed Size** 3. Lap 4. Miniature, under 18" 5. Wall 11. Lap 6. All other, hand quilted 13. Wall

Baby/Child Double/Twin 10. King/Queen

12. Miniature, under 18"

14. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 591 – QUILTS, PROFESSIONALLY QUILTED

Class

Appliqué Embroidered Group Quilt (more than 1 person's work) 3. Memory/Friendship

5. Mixed Technique 6. Modern

7. Novice

Patchwork, Double

- Patchwork, infant/child
- 10. Patchwork, King/Queen
- 11. Patchwork, lap size
- 12. Patchwork, Table runner
- 13. Patchwork, Twin

14. Wall

15. All other

DIVISION 592 - QUILTS, MISCELLANEOUS

Class

Art Quilt 1.

Boutis/Trapunto

Crazy

Embroidered, hand guilted

- 5. Hand pieced, hand guilted
- 6. Landscape
- 7. Memory
- Paper Pieced/Foundation 8.
- Patchwork/Embroidery 9.
- 10. Rag

- 11. T-Shirt
- 12. Tied
- 13. Whole Cloth/Panel, hand guilted
- 14. Whole Cloth/Panel, machine guilted
- 15. Yo-Yo
- 16. All other

DIVISION 593 - QUILTED ITEMS

Class

- 1. Boutis/Trapunto, any item
- **Christmas Stocking** 2.
- **Christmas Tree Skirt** 3.
- 4. Holiday Item, any other
- Household Item (1-3 pieces) 5.
- 6. Pillow, appliqué
- 7. Pillow, mixed technique
- Pillow, patchwork 8.

- 9. Pillow Sham (1-2 items)
- 10. Placemats (set of 4)
- 11. Purse/Handbag
- 12. Table Runner
- 13. Tote
- 14. Wearable Art, jacket/vest
- 15. All other

SEWN ITEMS

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVSIONS 595-603

DIVISION 594 – APPLIQUED ITEMS

Class

- **Christmas Stocking** 1.
- 2. Clothing
- 3. Holiday item
- Holiday Ornament Set (2-5 pieces) 4.
- Household Item (1-3 pieces) 5.

- 6. Original Design
- 7. Pillow
- 8. Wall Hanging
- 9. All other

DIVISION 595-BRIDAL

Class

- Bride's Head Covering 1.
- 2. Dress. adult
- 3. Dress, child
- 4. Garter

- 5. Ring Pillow
- Wedding Gown
- 7. All other

DIVISION 596 – CLOTHING

- 1. Apron, adult
- Apron, child 2.
- 3. Blouse
- 4. Children, playwear
- Children, special occasion 5.
- Christening Ensemble, infant
- 7. Coordinated Outfit, adult/adult
- 6.
- 8. Coordinated Outfits, adult/child

- Coordinated Outfits, siblings (2-4 pieces)
- 10. Dress, formal/cocktail
- 11. Girl's Dress/Jumper, casual
- 12. Lingerie/Sleepwear
- 13. Outerwear/Coat
- 14. Robe/Bed Jacket
- 15. Shirt
- 16. Skirt/Skort

17. Slacks/Pants
18. Tailored Suit
19. Toddler, clothing
20. Vest

DIVISION 597 – COSTUMES

Class
1. Dance (ballet, square, etc.)
4. Period (colonial, renaissance)

2. Halloween, adult

3. Halloween, child

- 5. Ethnic
- 6. All other

DIVISION 598 – UPCYCLED (Recycled) ARTICLES

(Must be sewn, knitted and/or crocheted)

Class

1. Clothing

2. Household Item

3. Rug

- 4. Tote
- 5. Toy
- 6. All other

DIVISION 599 - MISCELLANEOUS SEWN ITEMS

Class

Accessories

2. Bib

3. Christmas Stocking

4. Christmas Tree Skirt

5. Dolls

6. Doll Clothes (2-5 pieces)

7. Embroidery, hand

8. Embroidery, machine

9. Handbag/Purse

10. Holiday Decoration

11. Household Item

12. Pillow

13. Pillow Slip/Sham (1-2 Items)

14. Smocking, any item

15. Stuffed Animal

16. Stuffed Toy/Mobile

17. Tote Bag

18. All other

DIVISION 600 - ORIGINAL DESIGN CLOTHING

Class

1. Blouse/Shirt

2. Coat

3. Dress

4. Pants

5. Skirts

6. All other

DIVISION 601 – WEAVING/SPINNING

Class - Handwoven

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Blankets/Coverlets
- 3. Household item

- 4. Clothing
- 5. Rugs
- 6. Table Accessory
- 7. Tapestry/Wall Hanging

8. Towels

Class - Handspun/Handwoven

9. Accessories 13. Rugs

10. Blankets/Coverlets14. Table Accessory15. Tapestry/Wall Hanging

12. Household item 16. Towels

Class - Handspun-Knitted

17. Accessories20. Household item18. Blankets/Coverlets21. Placemats/Towels

19. Clothing

Class - Handspun-Crocheted

22. Accessories23. Blankets/Coverlets25. Household item26. Placemats/Towels

24. Clothing

Class - Bobbin Lace

27. Any item

Class - Felting/Wet

28. Accessories 30. Household item

29. Clothing 31. Rugs

Class - Off-loom Weaving

32. Any item

Class – Yarn, no less than 1 ounce; identify intended use for each class

33. Animal Hair
34. Art Yarn
35. Blends, identify
36. Upcycled (Recycled) Material
37. Silk
38. Vegetable
39. Wool
40. All other

Class - All other 41. Any item

DIVISION 602 - HOOK RUG

Class

Hooked Pillow
 Kit
 Rug
 All other

Original Design

Judging Criteria for Clothing & Textiles

Workmanship (40%); Suitability (20%); Beauty and Originality (20%); Harmony of Color and Materials (20%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Quilts/Quilted Items

<u>Visual Statement</u>-Visual Impact. Outstanding or special qualities, clean & ready for judging. No thread, knots, markings, or smudges (will not be marked down for being laundered) (50%)

Pattern Use & Design-Traditional, contemporary, or original. Unique use of pattern or design. Has old pattern been varied or a new pattern created? Are design elements in good proportion? Balance, rhythm, design flow? Is use of fabric distinctive or unusual? (10%) Color-Color harmonious. Accent color(s) added for interest & movement. Do colors used enhance design or pattern? (10%) Construction-Points & corners meet precisely. Curves are smooth. Stitches visible (or do they enhance design?) Cross stitches going same way. Backing as flat as front, free of tucks, puckers. (10%)

Quilting/Ties (technique & pattern)-Evenly spaced stitches of uniform length. Stitches go through to back and are pleasing and symmetrical on back. Straight lines are straight and curved lines are curved. Ties are even and secured and go through item. Knots are creatively and evenly placed. Should work with surface design, fill spaces properly, enhance or become design. (10%) Binding or edge-Both sides are even length. Both ends are even length. Corners neat and even. Scallop or prairie points even. Binding evenly filled with filler. Does binding enhance appearance? Stitches hidden. (10%) Total 100%

PRESERVED FOODS DROP OFF DATES

Friday July 19th, Saturday July 20th, Sunday July 21st, 2024 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM

No fee to enter in this Department

ONLINE PRE-ENTRY REQUIRED-ALL DIVISIONS 603-614

PRESERVED FOODS RULES

- 1. For all Divisions use clear glass, wide or narrow mouth Mason, Kerr or Ball jars that use screw down rings and lids. Refer to each Division for jar size.
- 2. No paraffin seals accepted. No jars without a sealed lid and ring will be accepted.
- 3. No freezer or refrigerator packed item will be accepted.
- 4. Label jars with the contents, method of canning (i.e. pressure canning or water bath) and the date canned. **DO NOT** put label on lid.
- 5. Non-acid foods that include vegetables must be pressure canned. Low-acid fruit such as figs should be made more acidic by adding lemon juice. Tomatoes and all fruits must be processed in a boiling water bath.
- 6. All opened jars must be picked up the day following judging, or contents and jars will be disposed of. Check with the Preserved Foods Chairman for date and time on the day you bring in your entries. (Home Arts Department phone number is 805-648-3376 ext. 167.)
- 7. No group entry will be accepted.
- 8. All jars must be picked up on the Monday following the last day of the Fair by 7:00 PM. Those not picked up that day will be discarded.

Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 603 - BUTTERS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure.

One jar only needed for entry.

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1. Apple 7. Peach
2. Apricot 8. Pear
3. Banana 9. Plum
4. Loquat 10. Sugarless Butter
5. Mixture 11. All other

DIVISON 604 – CANNED FRUIT

Pint or quart jars only; water bath procedure. Two jars needed: one for judging and one for display.

Class

10. Citrus

1. **Apples Applesauce** 2. 3. Applesauce, spiced 4. Apricot, halves 5. Blackberries Blueberries 6. 7. Boysenberries 8. Cherries 9. Cherry Filling

11. Fias

12. Fruits, artificially colored

13. Fruits, mixed14. Juice, apple

15. Juice, berry

16. Juice, any other fruit

17. Liqueur Added

18. Loguats

19. Mock Mincemeat

20. Nectarines

- 21. Peaches, Cling22. Peaches, Freestone
- 23. Peaches, spiced
- 24. Peaches, all other25. Pears, Bartlett
- 26. Pears, any other

- 27. Pear Sauce
- 28. Plums
- 29. Raspberries
- 30. Tropical Fruits
- 31. All other
- 32. All other, pie filling

DIVISION 605 - CANNED MEATS

Pint or quart jars only; pressure canned procedure only. Two jars needed: one for judging and one for display.

Class

- 1. Beef
- 2. Fish, any type
- 3. Mincemeat
- 4. Pork
- 5. Poultry

- 6. Soup, meat base
- 7. Spaghetti Sauce, w/meat
- 8. All other

DIVISION 606 - CANNED VEGETABLES

Pint or quart jars only; pressure canned procedure only. Two jars needed: one for judging and one for display.

Class

- 1. Asparagus
- 2. Beans, green cut
- 3. Beans, green whole
- 4. Beans, all other
- 5. Beets
- 6. Carrots
- 7. Corn
- 8. Juice, tomato
- 9. Peppers

- 10. Potatoes, sweet
- 11. Potatoes, white
- 12. Tomato
- 13. Tomato Sauce
- 14. Tomatoes, with vegetables
- 15. Vegetables, mixed
- 16. Yams
- 17. Vegetables, all other

DIVISION 607 – DRIED FOODS

Minimum of four pieces of product needed: must be in a clear glass jar with lid.

Taster jars may be used in this Division.

Class

- 1. Apples
- 2. Apricots
- 3. Bananas
- 4. Carrots
- 5. Dry Rub (no sugar)
- 6. Figs
- 7. Fruit Leather
- 8. Herbs
- 9. Jerky, hot
- 10. Jerky, marinated
- 11. Jerky, mild

- 12. Mixed Vegetables
- 13. Peaches
- 14. Peppers
- 15. Pineapple
- 16. Potatoes
- 17. Prunes (plums)
- 18. Raisins
- 19. Tomatoes
- 20. Fruit, all other
- 21. Vegetable, all other

DIVISION 608 - JAMS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division.

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Apricot & Pineapple
- 3. Apricot, mixture
- 4. Blackberry
- 5. Blueberry
- 6. Boysenberry
- 7. Cherry
- 8. Citrus
- 9. Fig
- 10. Herb/Spice
- 11. Kiwi
- 12. Liqueur Added
- 13. Loquat
- 14. Mixed Berry
- 15. Mixtures
- 16. Nectarine
- 17. Olalla

- 18. Peach, mixture
- 19. Peach, white
- 20. Peach, yellow
- 21. Pear
- 22. Pepper
- 23. Plum, dark
- 24. Plum, yellow
- 25. Pluot
- 26. Raspberry
- 27. Rhubarb
- 28. Strawberry, mixture
- 29. Strawberry, with pectin
- 30. Strawberry without pectin
- 31. Strawberry-Rhubarb
- 32. Tomato
- 33. Tropical Fruit
- 34. All other

DIVISION 609 – JAMS, SUGARLESS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure.

One jar only needed in this Division.

Class

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Nectarine
- 3. Peach

- 4. Raspberry
- 5. Strawberry
- 6. All other

DIVISION 610 - JELLIES

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure.

One jar only needed in this Division.

Class

- 1. Apple
- 2. Apple, mixture
- 3. Apricot
- 4. Blackberry
- 5. Boysenberry
- 6. Citrus
- 7. Cranberry
- 8. Grape
- 9. Herb
- 10. Kiwi
- 11. Liqueur added
- 12. Mint

- 13. Mixtures
- 14. Nectarine
- 15. Olalla
- 16. Peach
- 17. Pepper Jelly
- 18. Plum, dark
- 19. Plum, yellow
- 20. Pomegranate
- 21. Raspberry
- 22. Strawberry
- 23. Wine
- 24. All other

DIVISION 611 - MARMALADES

Half-pint or pint jar only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure.

One jar only needed in this Division.

- 1. Fruit
- 2. Grapefruit
- 3. Lemon
- 4. Mixture, all other

- 5. Orange
- 6. Orange & Lemon
- 7. All other

DIVISION 612 - PICKLES & RELISHES

All pickles use pint or quart jars. Relishes can be canned in half-pints or pints. No 4 oz. taster jars will be accepted; water bath procedure. Two jars needed: one for judging and one for display. No refrigerated entries will be accepted.

Class

- 1. Barbecue Sauce
- 2. Bean, string
- 3. Beet
- 4. Bread & Butter
- 5. Bread & Butter, zucchini
- 6. Chili Sauce
- 7. Chutney, English
- 8. Chutney, fruit
- 9. Condiments
- 10. Corn Relish
- 11. Cucumber, dill
- 12. Cucumber, Kosher dill
- 13. Cucumber, sweet
- 14. Cucumber Relish, sweet
- 15. Fig
- 16. Garden Mix
- 17. Mixed Pickles

- 18. Novelty Pickles
- 19. Pickled Carrots
- 20. Pickled Peppers
- 21. Pizza Sauce
- 22. Salsa, hot
- 23. Salsa, mild
- 24. Sauerkraut
- 25. Spaghetti Sauce, no meat
- 26. Spanish Relish
- 27. Squash Pickles, mixed
- 28. Tomato Pickle
- 29. Tomato Relish
- 30. Vegetable Relish
- 31. Watermelon Rind
- 32. Zucchini, dill pickle
- 33. All other, pickles34. All other, relishes

DIVISION 613 - PRESERVES

Half-pint or pint jar only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure.

One jar only needed in this Division

Class

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Berry, any (other than strawberry)
- 3. Cherry
- 4. Fruit Conserve
- 5. Nectarine

- 6. Peach
- 7. Plum
- 8. Strawberry
- 9. All other

DIVISION 614 – SYRUPS AND TOPPINGS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. Two jars needed in this Division: one for judging and one for display.

- 1. Curd, any
- 2. Fruit Syrup
- 3. All Other Syrups
- 4. Fruit Topping, any

- 5. Meat Topping, spicy
- 6. Meat Topping, sweet
- 7. Strawberry Topping
- 8. Toppings, all other

Judging Criteria for Jellies, Jams, Preserves & Marmalades

<u>Appearance</u>-Color-characteristic of fruit, clearness - jellies, translucent, container-glass, practical, clean sealed lids no paraffin seals, neatly labeled, specific size. (30%)

<u>Texture</u>-Jelly-tender, should quiver, cut easily and retain shape, no crystals. Preserves-pieces firm and whole. Clear, thick syrup. Marmalades-small, thin pieces. Clear, thick syrup. Butters-fruit that has been pressed through sieve. Jams-crushed fruit, no separation of fruit and juice. (35%)

<u>Flavor</u>-Characteristic, without excessive sweetness or overcooked flavor. (35%)

Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Dried Foods

Attractiveness and container (if applicable) (30%); Color (20%); Texture (20%); Aroma (30%); Total (100%)

Judging Criteria for Preserved Foods, Juices and Syrups

Container and label (20%); Appearance, particularly color (25%); Texture, right thickness, no pieces (15%); Taste, natural flavor (40%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Pickles and Relishes

<u>Container</u>-Tightly sealed, clean jars designed for canning of specific size, neatly and properly labeled. Label: name of product, date of pack, method used. (10%)

<u>Appearance</u>-Color-uniform, attractive, characteristic of kind with no darkening on the top or discoloration of ingredients (15%), Size-whole or pieces suitable, uniform size (15%), Liquid-clear with no scum on top (15%); <u>Texture</u>-Pickled fruits-tender, plump, unbroken skins or flesh. Firm, not shriveled or overcooked. Vegetable pickles or relishes-uniformly firm & crisp, not shriveled from excess salt, acid or sugar. (20%);

<u>Safety & Suitability</u>-Choice of fruits and/or vegetables that is safe and suitable for home pickling. (25%); Total 100%

Canned Fruits and Vegetables

Note: Do not taste non-acid fruit. Should be opened by judge for inspection. Do not taste meats.

Container-Tightly sealed containers of specified size, clean, neatly, and properly labeled. (10%)

<u>Pack-Fullness</u> – all space except proper headspace filled. Neatness and uniformity. Liquid to just cover product with no excess, clear with little or no cloudiness or small particles, free from gas bubbles. Fruit syrups have suitable portions of sugar. (25%)

Product-Absence of defects. Original food high quality, free from indicated spoilage. Color as nearly that of standard cooked products as possible. Free from foreign matter and undue discoloration. Consistency, tender without over cooking, (65%): Total 100%