

DEPARTMENT C-FIBER ARTS

Department C-Fiber Arts *Division 225-Knitting*

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General Rules:

1. All knitted exhibits must include the following information on a half sheet of 8 ½" x 11" paper placed with the entry tag or exhibit will be lowered one ribbon placing.
 1. What was your goal(s) in making this exhibit? (Example: Learning how to block a garment or learning how to use two different yarn(s))
 2. What steps did you take as you worked toward your goal(s)?
 3. What were the most important things you learned as you worked toward your goal(s)
 4. Gauge-Number of rows per inch, number of stitches per inch.
 5. Size of needles.
 6. Kind of yarn-weight and fiber content.
 7. Names of stitches used.
 8. Copy of directions.
2. Criteria for judging knitting: Design and Color, Neatness, Knitting Mechanics, Trimmings, and Construction Finishes.
3. Premiums for Fiber Arts are pay level 5.

CLASS 5 LEVEL 2 KNITTED CLOTHING or HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM

Knitted items using pattern stitches such as diamond, block, twist or seed/moss stitches.

CLASS 10 LEVEL 2 KNIT ONE/ADD ONE

Knitted garment made using Level 2 stitches (see above) combined with a sewn or purchased garment to make a complete wearable outfit.

CLASS 15 LEVEL 3 KNITTED CLOTHING or HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM

Knitted item made from advanced knitting stitches such as pass slip stitch over, double-pointed needle knitting, cable, Turkish, tamerna, plait, germaine, feather and fan or knitting with one or more patterns such as Aran or Fair Isle.

CLASS 20 LEVEL 3 KNIT ONE/ADD ONE

Knitted garment made using Level 3 stitches (see above) combined with a sewn or purchased garment to make a complete wearable outfit.

*** FOLLOWING CLASSES ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR STATE FAIR CONSIDERATION***

- CLASS 901* KNITTED CLOTHING OR HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM-BEGINNING UNIT**
Little purse, hair scrunchie, holiday bell, ribbed hat, ski band, covered hangers, dish cloth, teddy bear sweater)
- CLASS 902* OTHER BEGINNING KNITTED ITEM**
- CLASS 903* OTHER NONTRADITIONAL KNITTED ITEM**

Department C-Fiber Arts Division 226 - Crochet

General Rules:

1. All crocheted exhibits must include the following information on a half sheet of 8 ½" x 11" paper placed with the entry tag or exhibit will be lowered one ribbon placing.
 1. What was your goal(s) in making this exhibit? (Example: Learning how to block a garment or learning how to use two different yarn(s).
 2. What steps did you take as you worked toward your goal(s)?
 3. What were the most important things you learned as you worked toward your goal(s)?
 4. Gauge and size of hook.
 5. Kind of yarn-weight and fiber content or other materials used.
 6. Names of stitches used.
 7. Copy of directions.
2. Criteria for judging crochet: Design and Color, Neatness, Crochet Mechanics, Trimmings, and Construction Finishes.

CLASS 5 LEVEL 2 CROCHETED CLOTHING or HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM
Using pattern stitches such as texture, shell, cluster or mesh stitches.

CLASS 10 LEVEL 2 CROCHET ONE/ADD ONE
A crocheted garment made using pattern stitches (see above) combined with a sewn or purchased garment to make a complete wearable outfit.

CLASS 15 LEVEL 3 CROCHETED CLOTHING or HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM
Using advanced crochet stitches such as afghan, broomstick, hairpin lace, design motifs or pattern stitches.

CLASS 20 LEVEL 3 CROCHET ONE/ADD ONE
A crocheted garment made using advanced crochet stitches (see above) combined with a sewn or purchased garment to make a complete wearable outfit

*** FOLLOWING CLASSES ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR STATE FAIR CONSIDERATION***

- CLASS 901* CROCHETED CLOTHING OR HOME ENVIRONMENT ITEM-BEGINNING UNIT**
All star slippers, simply slippers
- CLASS 902* OTHER BEGINNING CROCHETED ITEM**