

CRAFT COMPETITION

Entry Form Closing Date	Delivery Dates	Pick up Date
Wednesday, August 7 th	Monday, August 12 th 11:00am-7:00pm Tuesday, August 13 th 9:00am-5:00pm	Tuesday, September 17 th 10:00am – 6:00pm

A Few Things to Remember

- Read General Rules and Information on pages 2-5.
- Only one entry per class. Exhibitors can enter each class.
- Fill out the entry form completely and submit it online by closing date.
- All articles entered must be the property of the person/persons in whose name they are entered.
- **Any entries not picked up by the pickup deadline will be disposed of.**
- All items must have been created in the last 2 years (since 2022), and be the work of the exhibitor.
- Judges will be looking for uniqueness, creativity, and technique in all classes.
- The Western Fair may combine any Class or Classes where there are not sufficient entries to provide competition.
 - **A competition requires 3 entries per class.** If there are not sufficient entries only a ribbon may be awarded (no prize money)

Youth Craft Competition – (Division 40)

NO ENTRY FEE.

Prize Money for each Class: **1st-** \$20, **2nd-** \$15, **3rd-** \$10

All youth prize winners are given cash upon entry being picked up on pick-up day

Class & Description

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1. **PAPER BAG PIRATE:** Using a paper bag, create a pirate.
2. **PET ROCK:** Create a pet rock by painting and decorating a rock you found outside.
3. **ART:** Any medium on paper or canvas created at home or at school may be entered. Example: Painting, pastel, pen, pencil, crayon, or marker drawing.
4. **PAPER ROLL MONSTERS:** Create a monster using a toilet paper roll. Stick, draw, or paint assorted craft materials on the roll to make your monster. Must be able to stand upright.
5. **POPSICLE STICK SNAKES:** Use markers, paint, and other decor to create a snake out of popsicle sticks.



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- LEGO:** Build a unique sculpture using Lego or Duplo (no kits). *Include a label with a title and short description of your creation.* Must be able to be transported by Western Fair staff.
- TISSUE PAPER COLLAGE BIRDHOUSE:** Decorate a birdhouse using tissue paper, glue, and paint. Birdhouse can be a purchased or homemade with a milk carton, cardboard, or anything else you can think of! Please attach string to hang.
- ART:** Any medium on paper or canvas created at home or at school may be entered. Ex. Painting, pastel drawing, pen, and ink drawing.
- PIPE CLEANER PENCIL TOPPERS:** Create 3 pencil toppers out of colourful pipe cleaners and display them on the top of unsharpened pencils. Maximum 3 toppers. Examples include animals, bugs, favorite characters, etc.
- FINGER KNITTING SNAKES:** Create a finger knitted snake. Video tutorial is available here: <https://www.redtedart.com/finger-knitting-snakes/>



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- LEGO:** Build a unique sculpture using Lego or Duplo (no kits). *Include a label with a title and short description of your creation.* Must be able to be transported by Western Fair staff.
- WACKY SHOES:** Decorate a new or old pair of shoes to show off your personal style or theme!
- PAPIER-MÂCHÉ CACTUS:** Create your own unique cactus with papier-mâché decorated with paint and other materials. Must be in a pot and able to stand on it's own.
- STRING ART:** Using a piece of wood and nails, create a Fair themed string art design. Think cotton candy, ferris wheel, popcorn, a cow, etc. Max size: 8.5" x 11".
- ART:** Any medium on paper or canvas created at home or at school may be entered. Ex. Painting, pastel drawing, pen and ink drawing.



Weird and Crafty – (Division 41) *ALL AGES!*

ENTRY FEE: \$2.00 per class

Prize Money for each Class: 1st- \$25, 2nd- \$20, 3rd- \$15

Class & Description

- MARBLE DIPPED MUG:** Decorate a personalized marbled mug out of nail polish and warm water. Find a tutorial here: [How To Make Nail Polish Marbled Mugs \(youtube.com\)](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...)
- PAPER FLOWER ARRANGEMENT:** Create a flower arrangement out of paper suitable for any occasion. Displayed in a mason jar.
- HARVEST WREATH:** Create a wreath for the upcoming autumn season out of craft materials. Ready to hang.
- UGLY LAMP:** Add your own wacky touch to create an ugly lamp. Lamp must function for judging, may be plugged in during Fair.
- CARD MAKING:** Make a card for any occasion (card only, no envelopes). Any design method EXCEPT digital (can be hand drawn, painted, embellished, etc.). Min size: 4" x 6". Must be able to stand for displaying.
- PECULIAR PURSE:** Repurpose an old purse laying around the house into a work of art!
- JUNK CHIME:** Use items found around your house to create a *musical* wind chime. Ideas can include spoons, forks and even your old pots and pans. Must be ready to hang.
- BUTTON ART:** Make use of all those old buttons you've accumulated over the years, and turn them into art!
- ADULT LEGO:** Create a sculpture using Lego. Must be able to be transported by Western Fair staff. No kits. No items permitted to be glued together.

