

FIBRE ARTS 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 11:00am – 7:00pm

ENTRY FEE: \$ 2.00 per class.

Prize Money for each Class **1st-** \$40, **2nd-** \$25, **3rd-** \$10

REMEMBER:

- 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)
- If the entry needs to be hung to be displayed (ie: 2D felted item, mixed fibre art, etc.) ensure it is ready to be safely hung. If it is not, it will not be displayed.
- For a full list of rules and regulations please see page 2-5.

Division - Class - Description

Crochet (Division 30)

Class:

1. **3D STUFFED TOY:** Any crocheted, stuffed item.
2. **BABY BLANKET:** Not to exceed 160 inches outside area.
3. **BLANKET/AFGHAN:** Lap, regular or full size - Minimum 36" x 40", Maximum 50"x70"
4. **GRANNY SQUARE BLANKET:** Lap, regular or full size. Minimum 36" x 40", Maximum 50"x70"



Knitting (Division 31)

Class:

1. **NON-WEARABLE:** A creative knitted item. Examples: tea towels, dish cloths, blanket, pillow.
2. **WEARABLES:** Any wearable knitted article. i.e. mittens, sweaters, scarfs, slippers, hat, etc.

Needlework (Division 32)

Class:

1. **HAND EMBROIDERY:** A piece hand embroidered, displayed in an embroidery hoop.
2. **PUNCH NEEDLE HOOKING:** Any item punched.
3. **RUG HOOKING:** Any item hooked.

Miscellaneous Textile Art (Division 33)

Class:

1. **MACRAME:** Items could include wall hanging, plant hanger, etc.
2. **FELTING:** Any 3D or 2D item felted.
3. **MIXED FIBRE:** one piece of art created using various techniques (such as, but not limited to, felting, hooking, sewing or weaving) and various fibers (material, yarn, animal fiber, ribbon etc.)

Quilting (Division 34)

ENTRY FEE: \$2.00 per class.

Prize Money: Class 1: **1st** - \$200, **2nd** - \$150, **3rd** - \$ 100
Class 2 & 3: **1st** - \$150, **2nd** - \$100, **3rd** - \$ 75
Class 4 & 5: **1st** - \$100, **2nd** - \$75, **3rd** - \$50
*Grand Champion: May proceed to District 13 competition

Rules for Entry:

- Entries must be finished, clean and in good condition.
- *When entering in the Mid and Long Arm technique classes (Class 2 & 4), if you had the Mid or Long Arm work done by someone else, please credit this person when entering by putting their name in the description on ShoWorks.
- **Maximum size not to exceed 500 inches, outside area.**
- Attach a 4" hanging sleeve to the back of all quilts/wall hangings. All entries must be ready to hang, but only prize-winning entries will be hung. Please baste a piece of fabric over any permanent name label on your quilt
- Submit each entry in a clear plastic bag marked with your name, address, phone number and the competition category. Enclose a copy of your entry receipt with your quilt(s)
- Quilt must include the finish date (stitched after 2022).
- Exhibitors may enter all classes but may only submit one entry per class.
- Grand Champion quilt must be **machine quilted** and measure a minimum of 324 inches around the perimeter.
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Class:

1. **Bed Quilt:** Minimum 324 inches, outside area (Hand quilted)
2. **Bed Quilt:** Minimum 324 inches, outside area (Mid and Long Arm technique*)
3. **Bed Quilt:** Minimum 324 inches, outside area (Domestic machine)
4. **Quilted wall hanging:** Minimum 80 inches, outside area, any shape (Mid and Long Arm technique*)
5. **Quilted wall hanging:** Minimum 80 inches, outside area, any shape (Domestic machine)
6. **Lap Quilt:** Approximately 75x50 inches



The exhibitor who wins Grand Champion quilt is eligible to enter their quilt in the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies (O.A.A.S.) competition. To enter this competition the Grand Champion Quilt must compete in the District 13 Quilt Competition in November. The first prize quilt from the District Competition is then entered in the O.A.A.S. Competition which is held at their annual convention in February. The entry judged BEST OF SHOW at the February Convention will be declared the O.A.A.S. Championship Quilt. A \$500.00 grand prize will be awarded and the exhibitor will retain ownership of the quilt. The second place prize money of \$100.00 will be awarded to the runner-up.

- Quilt must be solely made and machine quilted by the exhibitor.
- Quilt to be measured on the perimeter. Total perimeter measurement to be a minimum of 324 inches.