

## DEPARTMENT 18 JUNIOR CULTURAL ARTS (Arts and Crafts)



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### Premiums:

1st \$3.00 2nd \$2.75 3rd \$2.50 4th \$2.25

### Department Regulations:

- Only 1 entry per item per exhibitor. Exhibitors are limited to no more than 25 articles on the entry form in classes AA-CW. If entering in AA-CW and projects in AX-CZ are rejected, please reach out to Marla Stello, Fair Manager, at [lacrosseinterstatefair@yahoo.com](mailto:lacrosseinterstatefair@yahoo.com).
- Attach a note card to your tag describing methods/materials used on all art projects AA-CW. Cards no bigger than 3"x5" are REQUIRED** to explain art (e.g. – materials used, process to complete project, time spent on project, what you learned doing the project, or other things you want the judge to know about your project.)
- All arts and crafts exhibits should be original unless entry category is specified a kit.
- Drawings, paintings, ceramics, clay and sculpture exhibits, (Class AA-CN), must be dated and signed/initialed unless otherwise indicated.**
- If entry has an identified category in which it can be entered, you cannot enter it in an "OTHER" category.
- All articles should be in an appropriate, finished form, e.g. drawings/paintings matted, needlework hemmed, canvasses able to be hung, etc. Framing optional.
- Drawings and paintings may be stapled for display if there is no other way of hanging them.
- Class AA-CH must be on canvas or paper. Entry cannot be a kit/page that is just colored.
- Maximum size of articles at time of entry is 30"x30" in Classes AA-CW except where listed. There is no minimum size.**
- The following are not to be entered in Department 18:
  - \*\*Small wooden items** (not craft in nature) need to be entered in Dept. 22, Woodworking. Member must also be enrolled in the Woodworking project. It will be the discretion of the superintendents to determine if a wooden item is properly entered as a craft for an Art & Craft exhibit.
  - \*\*Knitting and crocheting items** (not craft in nature) need to be entered in Dept. 27, Knitting & Crocheting. Member must also be enrolled in the Knitting & Crocheting project. It will be the discretion of the superintendents to determine if a knitted or crocheted item is properly entered as a craft for an Art & Craft exhibit.
  - \*\*Tie blankets** belong in Home Furnishings (Dept 28).
  - \*\*Lego items** (not craft in nature) need to be entered in Dept 24, Mechanical Science, Class J or JA Models.
- It is suggested that small paper products be put in Ziploc bag or page protectors. i.e class N, O, R, S. Other fragile projects may be placed in bags, boxes, as needed. NOTE: We cannot prevent damage from breakage, weather, etc.
- Projects must have been completed since June 1 of the previous fair year.
- Some exhibits may be selected for State Fair and/or the Pump House Art Exhibit.
- Projects received after 12:00 noon on Wednesday, the first day of the fair, will be an automatic 4th place.
- Projects will be marked down one place for each requirement missed, i.e. signature, date, matting when required.
- Exhibit must be 4-H appropriate.
- Tags must be securely fastened. Note: Tape often does not stick well with humidity at the fair.

Note coding by grades for better definition. The Grade breakdown will be the first letter and the Class breakdown will be the second letter.

Classes starting with A – Grades 3-5

Classes starting with B – Grades 6-8

Classes starting with C – Grades 9-13

**DRAWING / INK** – (ex. pen and marker)

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AA – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BA – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CA – Grade 9-13**

### Item No.

- Still life
- Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
- Animal(s)
- Human portrait or figure
- Cartoon
- Abstract
- Surreal/Fantasy
- Building (interior/exterior)
- Flowers/plants
- Transportation
- Shape (word art included)

**DRAWING / PENCIL** – (ex. colored pencil, pencil)

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AB – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BB – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CB – Grade 9-13**

### Item No.

- Still life
- Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
- Animal(s)
- Human portrait or figure
- Cartoon
- Abstract
- Surreal/Fantasy
- Building (interior/exterior)
- Flowers/plants
- Transportation
- Shape (word art included)

**DRAWING / PASTEL, CHALK OR CHARCOAL** – (must use spray fixative) Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AC – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BC – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CC – Grade 9-13**

### Item No.

- Still life
- Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
- Animal(s)
- Human portrait or figure
- Cartoon
- Abstract
- Surreal/Fantasy
- Building (interior/exterior)
- Flowers/plants
- Transportation
- Shape (word art included)

**DRAWING / CRAYON** Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AD – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BD – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CD – Grade 9-13**

### Item No.

- Still life
- Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
- Animal(s)
- Human portrait or figure

5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**PAINTING / WATERCOLORS and GOUACHE**

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AE – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BE – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CE – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life
2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**PAINTING / ACRYLICS AND OILS**

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AF – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BF – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CF – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life
2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**PAINTING / TEMPERA** Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AG – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BG – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CG – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life
2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**PAINTING / MIXED MEDIA** – (ex. a combination of any two or more mixed media, from categories A through G on paper/canvas). Must include information on type of media used on a notecard. Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AH – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BH – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CH – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life

2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**COMPUTER GENERATED ART ORIGINALS**

**(Images/Typography)**

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AI – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BI – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CI – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life
2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)
12. Typography – logo design (business, school, other)
13. Typography – announcements (wedding, birth, etc.-include 5 samples)
14. Typography – certificates (confirmation, awards, etc.)
15. Typography – stationery (personal, business, etc.)
16. Typography – prose and poetry
17. Typography – cover design (book, calendar, album, etc.)
18. Typography – other not listed

**OTHER MIXED MEDIA** (ex. A combination of any two or more mixed media, any items, e.g. yarn, buttons, beads, noodles, mediums from classes A-G, etc., and are not required to be on paper /canvas).

Must include information on type of media used on a notecard. Must be signed, dated and matted (when appropriate).

Must be signed, dated and matted.

**CLASS AJ – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BJ – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CJ – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Still life
2. Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3. Animal(s)
4. Human portrait or figure
5. Cartoon
6. Abstract
7. Surreal/Fantasy
8. Building (interior/exterior)
9. Flowers/plants
10. Transportation
11. Shape (word art included)

**OTHER PAINTING / DRAWING**

**CLASS AK – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BK – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CK – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Glass etching
2. Air brush
3. Design painted on a piece of wood, metal, or glass
4. Tole painting, rosemaling
5. Sketch book, (20 page minimum)
6. Scratch board (no signing, please mat)
7. Paint by number (no signing, please mat)
8. Fuzzy poster kit (no signing, please mat)

- Pour technique
- Alcohol ink technique

**CERAMICS COMMERCIAL MOLD** Must be signed and dated

**CLASS AL – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BL – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CL – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Item with stained finish i.e. Clover College
- Item with stained finish, using air spray method
- Item with reverse stain finish
- Item using dry brushing
- Item using translucents
- Item using crackle
- Item using glaze finish
- Item with underglazes using air spray method
- Item with underglazes with transparent finish
- Item with Mother of Pearl glaze
- Item using decals
- Item using color wash under a glaze
- Item using 3 or more techniques (must list techniques used)

**HAND-BUILT CLAY** Must be signed and dated

**CLASS AM – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BM – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CM – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Item using pinch method
- Item using coil method
- Item using slab, press, or drape method
- Item wheel-thrown
- Item using mixed methods (include card explaining method)
- Item from air dried clay
- Item from oven-baked clay, not kiln fired (eg. femo, scupy)
- Dorodango technique
- Kurinuki technique

**SCULPTURE/THREE DIMENSIONAL ART** – (No jewelry)

Must be signed and dated unless otherwise noted.

**CLASS AN – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BN – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CN – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Paper Mache, animal or human form
- Paper Mache, functional item (bowl, vase, etc)
- Paper Mache, other
- Wire sculpture (no signing)
- Soft sculpture (no signing) (No clay under this category)
- Plaster sculpture
- Any other sculpture / carving

**CREATIVE STITCHERY, MACRAME, LATCH HOOK, FABRIC DESIGN, WEAVING** – (if framed, back must be visible)

**CLASS AO – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BO – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CO – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Decorative stitchery
- Sample of 8 common embroidery stitches (not a drawing)
- Crewel embroidery
- Needlepoint
- Counted cross stitch
- Stamped cross stitch
- Quick Point
- Plastic canvas stitchery
- Punch needle
- Ribbon embroidery
- Candlewicking
- Tatting

- Macramé, sampler showing 4 commonly used knots (not a drawing)
- Macramé, other item (no jewelry)
- Latch hook
- Batik (not on paper)
- Tie dye
- Fabric, painted
- Woven article
- Coiled weaving, any article
- Wool felting
- Applique

**STENCILING/BLOCK PRINTING/STAMPING** – (Put in plastic Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item)

**CLASS AP – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BP – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CP – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- On paper, using pencils or crayons
- On paper using paints
- On fabric, using paints
- On wood or metal, using paints
- Other stencil not listed
- Stamp prints (from found objects, vegetable, potato, eraser, etc.) Describe stamp used for exhibit
- Carved block print (cardboard, linoleum, wood) NOTE: Bring items used to print in a Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item.
- Constructed block print (string, glue, collage etc.) NOTE: Bring items used to print in a Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item.
- Decorative art made from commercial rubber stamp(s)
- Greeting card or stationery made with commercial rubber stamp(s)
- Other paper project made with commercial rubber stamp(s)

**BASKETRY and DOLLS**

**CLASS AQ – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BQ – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CQ – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Basketry – natural fibers
- Basketry – coiled
- Basketry – synthetic fibers
- Basketry – paper twist
- Basketry – other
- Doll – corn husk/Paper twist
- Doll – mop
- Doll – clothespin
- Doll – fabric
- Doll – wooden
- Doll – spool
- Doll – other
- Shadowbox of room for a doll
- Miniature dollhouse furniture item
- Miniature dollhouse accessory

**EGG ART** – On whole eggs or shells (except sugar eggs). Must be in a display container. (Eggs have to be blown out.) One egg per container.

**CLASS AR – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BR – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CR – Grade 9-13**

Item No.

- Wax resist dyed (Ukrainian egg)
- Natural dyes, (must list natural ingredient(s) used)
- Synthetic dyes
- Covered eggs (quilled, beaded, etc.)
- Painted eggs
- Shadow box eggs
- Sugar Eggs

8. Cascarones, Latino art
9. Other egg art not listed

**PAPER CRAFT/CALLIGRAPHY** – (Put in plastic Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item)

**CLASS AS – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BS – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CS – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Quilling
2. Origami/Kirigami stationery/cards-original
3. Origami/Kirigami single-original
4. Origami multiple original figures in a display
5. Origami kit
6. Silhouettes/Scherenschnitte
7. Homemade paper sampler (2 different samples of paper, 5"x7", with description of materials and methods used attached to tag board)
8. Decorative art made from Homemade paper
9. Embossed paper (not rubber stamped)
10. Paper molding
11. Memory page (must include date) 4-H record page
12. Memory page (must include date) trip/vacation
13. Memory page (must include date) important life event (i.e. graduation / wedding)
14. Memory page (must include date) sports related
15. Memory page (must include date) page about self
16. Memory page (must include date) 2 color only page
17. Memory page (must include date) page using at least 4 scrapbooking details (grommets, die cuts, stickers, etc., list details)
18. Memory page (must include date) 2 or 3 pages from scrapbook, coordinated by theme, color scheme, etc.
19. Memory page (must include date) Page totally self created (photos you took, embellishments you made, shapes you cut, only the background paper purchased)
20. Memory page, digitally made (must include date)
21. Paper embroidery
22. Paper weaving
23. Other paper craft not listed
24. Calligraphy - logo design (business, school, other)
25. Calligraphy - announcements (wedding, birth, etc.-include 5 samples)
26. Calligraphy - certificates (Confirmation, awards, etc.)
27. Calligraphy - stationery (personal, business, etc.)
28. Calligraphy - prose or poetry
29. Calligraphy - cover design (book, calendar, album, etc.)
30. Calligraphy – other not listed

**JEWELRY** – Secured in small box or on tag board or in a bag (NOTE entry card or notecard) of appropriate size. (Do not cover clasp)

**CLASS AT – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BT – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CT – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Bead jewelry item
2. Clay jewelry item
3. Paper jewelry item
4. Metal jewelry item (no purchased metal beads)
5. Natural material jewelry item
6. Fabric jewelry
7. Thread/yarn jewelry
8. Macramé jewelry
9. Rubberband jewelry
10. Other jewelry item not listed

**BEADIE BUDDIES / BEAD ART** (no jewelry)

**CLASS AU – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BU – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CU – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Pony beads
2. Small Pony beads
3. E beads
4. Seed beads
5. 3 Dimensional
6. Bead painting (e.g. Diamond Dots/Diamond Art) (kit) must be finished for display
7. Bead painting (e.g. Diamond Dots/Diamond Art) (original) must be finished for display
8. Perler beads

**SAND ART / CANDLES**

**CLASS AV – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BV – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CV – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Sand art, container, original
2. Sand art, picture, kit
3. Sand art, picture, original
4. Sand painting
5. Candles, kit
6. Candles, original
7. Candles, molded
8. Candles, dipped

**OTHER CREATIVE WORKS**

**CLASS AW – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BW – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CW – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Collage any media or combination of material, no digital
2. Art/craft promoting 4-H
3. Decoupage/Mod Podge
4. Casting (any article or object cast; includes resin/epoxy molds)
5. String Art (e.g. design with nails and thread)
6. Article using wood burning technique
7. Handmade artificial flowers (corn husk, silk, etc.)
8. Natural material craft
9. Project made with natural dye made by you
10. Mobile, any material
11. Stained glass, original (no plastic or painting on glass)
12. Metal enameling/cloisonné
13. Creative shape design (no drawings)
14. Other art/craft, kit (not listed elsewhere)
15. Other art/craft, original (not listed elsewhere)
16. Leather craft, from a kit
17. Leather craft, original
18. Homemade or decorated picture frame
19. Yarn art (e.g. god's eye. NO DOLLS)
20. Book – evaluated on visual appearance
21. Tin punch
22. Mosaic art
23. Suncatcher
24. Holiday ornament
25. Holiday decoration, not an ornament
26. Recycled art, decorative; (Include on card materials recycled and purpose of item)
27. Fused glass
28. Wax resist
29. Dodecahedron, geometric model / shaped item
30. Any Latino art item not listed
31. Duct tape art

**PERFORMING ARTS** – for members enrolled in Theatre Arts, Music and/or Clowning

**CLASS AX – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BX – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CX – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Scrapbook on topic related to music
2. Scrapbook on topic related to drama
3. Scrapbook on topic related to puppetry
4. Scrapbook on topic related to clowning or juggling
5. Scrapbook on topic related to dance
6. Script for musical
7. Script for play
8. Script for skit
9. Script for puppet show
10. Homemade musical instrument (include statement of how to play it)
11. Homemade puppet
12. Homemade clown costume or accessories, with card explaining use
13. Poster or display about costuming or make-up (drama or clowning)
14. Written review of 2 or more performances related to the performing arts.
15. Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a play
16. Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a musical
17. Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a puppet show
18. Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a clown act
19. Any other project related to the performing arts
20. Display showing different kinds of clowns or clown faces
21. Written record of your theater trunk. Include a photo of your trunk and a listing of what is inside, where you got it and what it could be used for.
22. Play character biography
23. DVD or CD cover design
24. Poster or display promoting a movie, TV show, concert, band, plat etc.
25. Booklet/Notebook of instructions for drama games related to any performing art.

Collections will be judged face to face. Bring collections to the New Youth Building on Wednesday between 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to meet with the judge.

There is a first come, first serve sign-up sheet beginning at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday evening at the Arts & Crafts area. We are flexible if being judged in another area during that time.

**MY FAVORITE PROJECT** – Must be different item than was entered in AA-CX and will be judged promptly at 9:00 AM. The exhibitor must be present and stay for the conference judging.

**CLASS AY – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BY – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CY – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. One favorite art/craft project. Judged face to face, at 9:00 AM on Thursday morning.

**COLLECTIONS**

**CLASS AZ – Grade 3-5**

**CLASS BZ – Grade 6-8**

**CLASS CZ – Grade 9-13**

**Item No.**

1. Collection (at least 10 items). May be any collection, baseball cards, coins, stamps, etc. **Must include written report on the collection, its history, where it came from, why collected, what it means to you, what you have learned from it.** A different exhibit must be made each year. A collection may be added to (at least 10 new items), but indicate starting point of new information.
2. A display on poster board (no larger than 11"x14") about a collection you have researched including information about popularity, websites, value, history, etc.). You do not need to collect the item yourself.
3. Report of your involvement with collections this year.

**Collections Note** – For display and judging purposes, the following are required:

Minimum of 10 items from your collection.

**Photo and a brief description of your collection on poster board (no larger than 11"x14"). Collection will not be displayed**

Only picture and description will be left for display at the fair.