

Department M

Creative Arts & Crafts

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IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION

MAIL DELIVERY MUST BE POSTMARKED ON
OR BEFORE MONDAY JULY 31, 2017

HAND DELIVERED ENTRY MUST BE
SUBMITTED TO THE ENTRY OFFICE BY
JULY 31, 2017 2 P.M.

ONLINE ENTRY DEADLINE
AUGUST 7, 2017 A.M.

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that his
or her entry form is received in the Fair Office on or
before the deadline.

BRING IN EXHIBITS

Friday, August 11, 2017, between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.

JUDGING: Saturday, August 12, 2017

REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

Monday, August 21, between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m.
(No exhibits may be removed prior to this time)

GOAL

The purpose of this department is:

1. To encourage participation in creativity through exhibits and demonstrations.
2. To emphasize outstanding accomplishments through awards.
3. To help exhibitors and guests of our fair know how to improve their area of interest by attractively displaying exhibits of Arts and Crafts worthy of their effort, and time. Our judges endeavor to give constructive criticism to help exhibitors improve in selection, techniques and workmanship when possible.

ENTRIES

1. Before making entries, read Standards for Conduct of Fairs.
2. Before making entries, read Rules and Regulations.
3. Exhibits will be accepted from ALL COUNTIES.

4. All exhibits must be entered in the name of the bona fide maker of the article, except club members may enter in the name of the chairperson. (Members are also urged to make entries as individual exhibitors.)
5. **ONE ENTRY PER PERSON, PER LOT.**
6. **ENTRY FEE IS \$1.00 PER LOT.**
7. No article shall be permitted to be exhibited in this department if previously exhibited at the Altamont Fair by the exhibitor, except by invitation.
8. If your article is an original design, please note on entry tag.
9. Only entries worthy of exhibition will be accepted. Soiled, worn, broken, or unfinished work is unacceptable.
10. Exhibits must have been created within the last two years.
11. EXHIBITORS AND SPECTATORS ARE PROHIBITED FROM BRINGING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO THE FAIRGROUNDS. ANYONE IN VIOLATION OF THIS MAY BE ASKED TO LEAVE, FORFEIT THEIR PREMIUMS AND/OR MAY BE REFUSED FUTURE PARTICIPATION IN THE FAIR.

AN ENTRY ELIGIBLE TO BE SENT TO THE STATE FAIR WILL BE CHOSEN BY THE JUDGES FROM THE "BEST OF FAIR" WINNERS. THE WINNER WILL BE NOTIFIED ONCE THE FAIR STARTS BY THE SUPERINTENDENT.

(Note: You cannot "enter" this category)

We are accepting donations of craft magazines and craft supplies. Please contact us if you'd like to make a donation. Thank You.

SEE CLASSES 17 AND 18 FOR SPECIAL CONTESTS

Class 1—Basketry

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

LOT

1. Round
2. Square
3. Oval
4. Rectangular
5. Misc.

Class 2 – Beadwork

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

LOT

1. Necklace, use of pattern
2. Necklace, use of color
3. Necklace, original design
4. Bracelet, use of pattern
5. Bracelet, use of color
6. Bracelet, original design
7. Earrings
8. Pin
9. Anklet
10. Misc. single item
11. Misc. set 2-3 pieces

Class 3 – Crocheting

CROCHETED AFGHANS

Award: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5

LOT

1. Granny Square
2. Blocks
3. Chevron/Ripple
4. Strips
5. Novelty Stitch
6. Crochet w/applied design
7. Afghan Stitch
8. Baby/Child Afghan
9. Misc. Afghan

CROCHETED CLOTHING

Women's or Men's Attire

Award: 1st \$10 2nd \$6 3rd \$4

10. Cardigan sweater
11. Pullover sweater
12. Vest or Shell
13. Shawl or Wrap
14. Jacket or coat
15. Miscellaneous attire

Children's Attire

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

16. Child's cardigan
17. Child's pullover
18. Child's dress
19. Baby bunting
20. Baby jacket
21. Baby set, 2 or 3 piece
22. Baby booties
23. Baby bonnet
24. Miscellaneous child or baby attire

CROCHETED ACCESSORIES

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

25. Mittens, Adult or Child
26. Gloves Adult or child
27. Hat
28. Scarf
29. Slippers

LOT

30. Socks
31. Purse or bag
32. Misc. accessory

HOUSEHOLD AND MISCELLANEOUS CROCHETED ITEMS

Award: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5

33. Bedspread or Tablecloth

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

34. Pot holders (2)
35. Dresser scarf
36. Doily under 12"
37. Doily over 12"
38. Filet Crochet, doily under 12"
39. Filet crochet, doily over 12"
40. Decorative pillow
41. Rug
42. Toy
43. Animal
44. Doll
45. Outfit on doll
46. Doll clothes, minimum 2 piece
47. Miscellaneous household item

BEST OF FAIR CROCHET LOTS 1-47 \$20 AWARD

Class 4 Decorative Holiday Accessories

CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS

(Lots 1 – 11: MUST include 3 ornaments for each lot)

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

LOT

1. Fabric
2. Ceramic
3. Wood
4. Counted cross stitch
5. Plastic canvas
6. Knitted or crocheted
7. Quilted
8. Painted
9. Needlepoint
10. Beaded
11. Miscellaneous

HANGING HOLIDAY ORNAMENTS

(MUST include 3 items for each lot)

12. Easter
13. Valentine's Day
14. Halloween
15. Thanksgiving
16. Miscellaneous (not Christmas)

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

(These items may be created in any medium)

17. Nativity Scene
18. Angel

LOT

- 19. Santa
- 20. Snowman
- 21. Stocking
- 22. Tree Skirt

HOLIDAY CENTERPIECE

- 23. Christmas
- 24. Easter
- 25. Valentine's Day
- 26. Halloween
- 27. Thanksgiving
- 28. Miscellaneous, other holiday

DECORATIVE HOLIDAY BASKET

- 29. Christmas
- 30. Easter
- 31. Valentine's Day
- 32. Halloween
- 33. Thanksgiving
- 34. Misc., other holiday

HOLIDAY WREATH

- 35. Christmas
- 36. Easter
- 37. Valentine's Day
- 38. Halloween
- 39. Thanksgiving
- 40. Misc., other holiday

HANGING HOLIDAY DECORATION

- 41. Christmas
- 42. Easter
- 43. Valentine's Day
- 44. Halloween
- 45. Thanksgiving
- 46. Misc., other holiday

Class 5 --Decorative Painting

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

LOT

- 1. Still Life
- 2. Landscape
- 3. Floral
- 4. Fruit & Vegetable free fall design
- 5. People-Realistic, Folk Art, or Whimsical
- 6. Animal – Realistic or Whimsical
- 7. Miscellaneous Decorative Painting

**BEST OF FAIR DECORATIVE PAINTING
LOTS 1-7 - \$20 AWARD**

Class 6 -- Dried and Silk Decorations

**DECORATIONS W/ DRIED MATERIALS
(NO SILK)**

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

Please, no holiday entries in this category

LOT

- 1. Wreath
- 2. Swag
- 3. Table centerpiece
- 4. Arrangement
- 5. Miscellaneous, dried

**DECORATIONS W/ SILK MATERIALS
(NO DRIED)**

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

Please, no holiday entries in this category

- 6. Wreath
- 7. Swag
- 8. Table centerpiece
- 9. Arrangement
- 10. Miscellaneous, silk

Class 7 –Knitting

KNITTED AFGHANS

Award: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5

LOT

- 1. Blocks
- 2. Strips
- 3. Reversible pattern
- 4. Knitting with applied design
- 5. Baby/Child's afghan
- 6. Misc. afghan

KNITTED CLOTHING

Women's and Men's Attire

Award: 1st \$10 2nd \$6 3rd \$4

- 7. Cardigan sweater
- 8. Pullover sweater
- 9. Shell or vest
- 10. Jacket or Coat
- 11. Shawl or Wrap
- 12. Miscellaneous attire

CHILDREN'S ATTIRE

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

- 13. Child's cardigan
- 14. Child's pullover
- 15. Child's dress
- 16. Baby bunting
- 17. Baby jacket
- 18. Baby set, up to 3 pieces
- 19. Baby booties
- 20. Baby bonnet
- 21. Miscellaneous children's attire

KNITTED ACCESSORIES

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

- 22. Mittens, adult or child
- 23. Gloves, adult or child
- 24. Hat
- 25. Scarf
- 26. Hat and scarf set
- 27. Slippers
- 28. Socks
- 29. Purse or bag
- 30. Miscellaneous accessory

HOUSEHOLD AND MISCELLANEOUSAward: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5**LOT**

31. Bedspread or Tablecloth

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

32. Dresser scarf
 33. Doily under 12"
 34. Doily over 12"
 35. Decorative pillow
 36. Toy
 37. Animal
 38. Doll
 39. Outfit on doll
 40. Doll clothes, minimum 2 pieces
 41. Miscellaneous Household item

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

42. Hat
 43. Slippers
 44. Bag
 45. Miscellaneous

BEST OF FAIR KNITTING
LOTS 1-45 \$20 AWARD

Class 8 --Plastic Mesh Canvas CraftAward: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3**LOT**

1. Basket
 2. Box
 3. Coasters
 4. Tissue box cover
 5. Wall hanging
 6. Picture frame
 7. Doorstop
 8. Eyeglass case
 9. Miscellaneous plastic canvas item, not a set
 10. Refrigerator magnets (3)
 11. Tote bag
 12. Photo album cover
 13. Village, 3 or more pieces

Class 9 -- Quilting, Piecing, and Appliqué

Attendees will be invited to vote for their favorite quilt or wall hanging. The quilt or wall hanging with the most votes will be designated "Viewer's Choice Quilt" and will be given a special award.

Work on the entire quilt or quilted item must be completed by the entrant, except lots 37 and 38.

Please read lot descriptions carefully to ensure your work is entered correctly. Call the Superintendent with questions prior to submitting your entry, if unsure.

BED SIZED, HAND QUILTEDAward: 1st \$20 2nd \$15 3rd \$10**LOT**

1. Original design
 2. Hand pieced
 3. Machine pieced
 4. Hand Embroidered
 5. Machine Embroidered
 6. Hand appliqué
 7. Machine appliqué
 8. All over quilted, not pieced
 9. Mixed techniques

CRIB, YOUTH BED OR LAP QUILT**HAND QUILTED**

10. Original design
 11. Pieced
 12. Embroidered
 13. Appliqué

BED SIZED, TIED

14. Original design
 15. Pieced
 16. Embroidered
 17. Appliqué

CRIB, YOUTH BED OR LAP QUILT, TIED

18. Original design
 19. Pieced
 20. Embroidered
 21. Appliqué

MACHINE QUILTED I

NOTE: QUILT IS PIECED AND FREE MOTION QUILTED BY EXHIBITOR

22. Wall hanging
 23. Bed sized quilt
 24. Crib or youth bed
 25. Pillow
 26. Garment
 27. Miscellaneous
 28. Lap Quilt

MACHINE QUILTED II

NOTE: QUILT IS EXHIBITOR PIECED/PROFESSIONALLY QUILTED

29. Wall Hanging
 30. Crib or Youth Bed
 31. Bed Size
 32. Lap Quilt

MACHINE QUILTED III

NOTE: QUILT IS EXHIBITOR PIECED AND LONG ARM QUILTED BY EXHIBITOR

33. Wall hanging
 34. Crib or youth bed
 35. Bed size
 36. Lap quilt

GROUP PROJECT

37. Quilt designed or quilted by a group
 38. Quilt assembled from old fabrics or blocks

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

WALL HANGINGS

LOT

39. Wall hanging, pieced
40. Wall hanging, appliquéd
41. Wall hanging on pre-printed fabric
42. Wall hanging fusible appliquéd
43. Wall hanging, tied

QUILTED ARTICLES

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

44. Tote bag or Handbag
45. Garment
46. Placemats (2)
47. Pot holders (2) or Hot pads (2)
48. Table runner
49. Miscellaneous

**BEST OF FAIR QUILTING
LOTS 1-49 \$20.00 AWARD**

Class 10 -- Sewmanship

Age Classifications:

Adult- Over 14 years of age

Child- 2 to 14 years of age

Infant- Up to 2 years of age

CLOTHING

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

Infant

LOT

1. One piece outfit
2. Dress
3. Set, or 2-3 piece outfit
4. Bunting
5. Bonnet or hat
6. Bib, set of 3

Children's Wear

7. Long pants
8. Shorts
9. Sweatpants
10. Sweatshirt
11. Shirt or blouse
12. Vest
13. Skirt
14. Dress or jumper
15. Set or 2-3 piece outfit
16. Nightwear
17. Miscellaneous children's wear

Women's Wear

18. Pants
19. Shorts
20. Skirt
21. Sweatpants
22. Sweatshirt
23. Blouse
24. Lounge pants
25. Dress

LOT

26. Jumper
27. Misc. women's wear

Men's Wear

28. Pants
29. Shorts
30. Sweatpants/lounge pants
31. Sweatshirt
32. Shirt
33. Vest
34. Misc. men's wear

Award: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5

Outerwear

35. Woman's or Man's Jacket
36. Child's Jacket
37. Infant's Jacket

Formalwear

38. Christening outfit
39. Boy's suit, 2-3 pieces
40. Girl's formal gown or dress
41. Tailored suit 2-3 pieces
42. Casual suit, 2-3 pieces
43. Woman's formal gown
44. Garment for special occasion, name occasion
45. Wedding gown

SEWING WITH A CREATIVE EMPHASIS

46. Matching outfits, minimum of 2 people
47. Costume, Child
48. Costume, Adult
49. Holiday outfit

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

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

50. Window treatment
51. Pillow
52. Pillow cover
53. Bedspread
54. Totebag or handbag
55. Book or Duffle Bag
56. Potholders (3)
57. Apron
58. Misc. household item

MACHINE EMBROIDERY

Award: 1st \$10 2nd \$8 3rd \$7

59. Bed sized quilt, machine embroidered and quilted
60. Bed sized quilt, machine appliqued and quilted
61. Baby or child sized quilt, machine embroidered and quilted
62. Baby or child sized quilt, machine appliqued and quilted
63. Wall hanging
64. Household item
65. Accessory item
66. Tote bag or handbag
67. Ornaments (3)
68. On commercially made clothing
69. On commercially made towels

LOT

- 70. On commercially made bag
- 71. Miscellaneous item

**BEST OF FAIR SEWMANSHIP
LOTS 1-58 - \$20 AWARD**

**BEST OF FAIR MACHINE EMBROIDERY
LOTS 59-71 \$20.00 AWARD**

Class 11 –Stitchery

All framed needlework classed according to size of the stitched area, not the frame size.
Picture sized by longest side.
No plastic canvas will be accepted in stitchery lots.

PLEASE NOTE: All pictures must be ready to hang with appropriate hardware on the back.

COUNTED CROSS-STITCH

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

LOT

- 1. Picture, 12" and under
- 2. Picture, 12" and over
- 3. Sampler
- 4. Motto

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

- 5. Tablecloth
- 6. Dresser scarf
- 7. Book cover
- 8. Bookmark
- 9. Pillow
- 10. Wall hanging
- 11. Bell pull
- 12. Miscellaneous counted cross-stitch item

Miscellaneous Stitchery

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

- 13. Drawn Thread Item
- 14. Hardanger Item
- 15. Smocking
- 16. Crewel Embroidery
- 17. Tatting
- 18. Embroidery Item
- 19. Petit Point or Needlepoint Item
- 20. Blackwork
- 21. Miscellaneous stitchery

**BEST OF FAIR STITCHERY
LOTS 1-21 – \$20 AWARD**

Class 12 --Toy Craft

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

DOLL OR ANIMAL CONSTRUCTION

LOT

- 1. Animal
- 2. Doll
- 3. Puppet
- 4. Miscellaneous construction technique

DOLL OR ANIMAL/CLOTHES

(Judging emphasis on clothes)

LOT

- 5. Animal
- 6. Doll
- 7. Reproduction doll
- 8. Miscellaneous animal or doll clothes

Class 13 – Weaving

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

WEAVING

LOT

- 1. Clothing
- 2. Accessory
- 3. Household Article up to 15"
- 4. Household Article over 15"
- 5. Miscellaneous Item

Class 14 --Wood Craft

Award: 1st \$12 2nd \$8 3rd \$5

WOOD FINISHING

LOT

- 1. New Wood
- 2. Refinished Wood

WOODWORKING

- 3. Table
- 4. Chair
- 5. Cradle
- 6. Clock
- 7. Lamp Base
- 8. Doorstop
- 9. Tray or Bowl
- 10. Toy
- 11. Miscellaneous

WOODCARVING

- 12. Person
- 13. Animal
- 14. Figure under 6"
- 15. Figure over 6"
- 16. Relief carving
- 17. Chipped carving
- 18. Walking cane
- 19. Miscellaneous

**BEST OF FAIR WOODCRAFT
LOTS 1-19 - \$20 AWARD**

Class 15 -- Miscellaneous Crafts

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

LOT

1. Candle Making
2. Decoupage
3. Rug Hooking
4. Lamp or Shade
5. Macramé
6. Metal craft
7. Quilling
8. Rubber Stamping
9. Scrapbook
10. Seat Weaving
11. Shell Craft
12. Soap Making
13. Stained Glass
14. Stenciling
15. Latch Hook Article
16. Glass etching
17. Ceramics
18. Miniatures
19. Leathercraft
20. Miscellaneous Craft

Class 16 --Youth Under 19

NO ENTRY FEE

Arts & Crafts

The specific entry lot in this class is determined by age. Use the age that you are as of August 1. The age groups will be separated as follows:

- Group A: Youth ages 10 and under
- Group B: Youth ages 11-14
- Group C: Youth ages 15-19

On your Entry Form, please write the lot number first, followed by the age group designation.

Example: If you are 15 years old and want to enter a Holiday article, the lot that you will use on your Entry Form is "1C." If you also want to enter a Quilt, the lot that you will use is "14C."

Award: 1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$3

CRAFT ARTICLES

LOT

1. Holiday article
2. Cross-stitch article
3. Beadwork article
4. Woodworking article
5. Crocheted article
6. Knitted article
7. Macramé article
8. Latch hook article
9. Toycraft article
10. Basket of soap
11. Scrapbook or scrapbook pages
12. Rubber stamping project

LOT

13. Woven potholders (3)
14. Origami (3 items)
15. Plastic Canvas article
16. Friendship bracelets (3)
17. Your best school project (craft related)
18. Miscellaneous craft item

SEWMANSHIP ARTICLES

19. Quilt
20. Pillow/Pillowcase
21. Doll or Doll Clothes
22. Gym or tote bag
23. Apron
24. Pot holders (3)
25. Shirt
26. Pants or Shorts
27. Skirt
28. Dress
29. Jacket or coat
30. Nightwear/Bathrobe
31. Miscellaneous, sewing item

BEST OF FAIR YOUTH LOTS 1-31 - \$20 AWARD

Please read all contest rules carefully and note the deadlines for making entries and bringing exhibits to the Fair. Your care in filling-out entry forms will be greatly appreciated.

Class 17 --SPECIAL CONTEST #1 AWARD RIBBON CRAFT

No entry fee -- one entry per person.

LOT

1. Altamont Fair Award Ribbon Craft
 - a. Adult (19 and over)
 - b. Youth (11-18)
 - c. Youth (up to age 10)

Do you have a box full of fair award ribbons? Have you always thought, "I should really do something with those...?" Do you know someone with an award ribbon stash? Are you feeling crafty? Even if you have just a few ribbons to show off, could you feature them in a new project? If you can answer "yes" to these questions, it's time to get creative and bring those ribbons back out into the light!

Make a craft with that stash of ribbons, and you could earn some quick cash! You choose how to use the ribbons to make a creative display or project. Search online for inspiration! The ribbons do not need to be Altamont Fair ribbons to be considered. Recycle those ribbons into any type of project you can dream up, quilt, pillow, framed masterpiece, clothing, etc.

Entries must be pre-registered, please see deadline dates for registration on page one of this department listing. Entry drop off and pick up information is also listed on page one, Department M. On your entry form, please write the Lot number followed by the age group designation of A, B, or C.

There will be a champion (\$50.00) and reserve champion (\$25.00) award for each of three age categories listed.

**Class 18 –SPECIAL CONTEST #2
SPRING HAS SPRUNG**

No entry fee -- one entry per person.

LOT

1. Spring Has Sprung

Create any arts and crafts related project featuring butterflies and you could win a prize. All of the entered items will be gathered in one place and displayed together. A panel of judges will choose one entry to receive a \$25.00 award.

ALTAMONT FAIR ENTRY FORM

**USE THIS FORM FOR DEPARTMENT M
CREATIVE ARTS & CRAFTS**

File with or mail to: ENTRIES, Altamont Fair, P.O. Box 506, Altamont, NY 12009. Entry fee(s) must be enclosed with entry form. There will be no confirmation of entries and/or fees received.

Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Email address (please print legibly): _____

Also entered in 4-H? Yes ___ No ___

DEPT.	CLASS	LOT	NAME OF ARTICLE PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN NAME OF LOT	ENTRY FEE
			Total Entry Fee this side	
			Total Entry Fee reverse side	
			Total Entry Fee	

I hereby agree to abide by all rules, regulations and conditions described in the Altamont Fair’s Entry & Prize Catalog and to be solely responsible for any loss or injury to or damage done, occasioned by or arising from any animal, equipment, exhibit or person on exhibition and to indemnify the Albany, Schenectady, Green County Agricultural and Historical Societies, Inc. and the management thereof against all claims and liability in regard thereto. Entries will only be accepted upon these conditions. In view of the indemnity agreement appearing therein, exhibitors may find it advisable for their own protection to carry appropriate liability insurance, if not already covered.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

