

DIVISION P – NEEDLEWORK – Rugs, Pillows, Household Linen, Other Needlework/Machine Needlework, Machine Embroidery, Any Holiday

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Entry information for 2024 County Fair

Entries accepted:

Sunday, July 28, 4 - 6 PM
Monday, July 29, 4 – 9 PM
Tuesday, July 30, 9 AM – 1 PM

Exhibits released:

Sunday 8 PM
Pick-up exhibits and premium checks
Sunday 8 – 9 PM or
Monday 9 AM – 5 PM

To save time on entry day, please pre-register by July 26. Your entry tags will be ready to pick up in Building B when you bring your exhibits.

- All entries in this division must be needlework handwork of and owned by the exhibitor.
- Articles must have been completed in preceding two years.
- The age of the exhibitor MUST appear on the entry tag of all Class A entries.
- Only 1 entry per lot.
- Soiled articles will not be judged.
- Articles which have previously won a premium are not eligible.
- Any article having exhibitor's name displayed must have it securely covered by stitched cloth, tape, etc. for entry day and judging. Building staff WILL NOT complete this task for exhibitors. Covers will be removed after judging for public viewing.
- The department cannot be held responsible for loss or breakage of exhibits.
- Kit items will not be eligible for Grand or Reserve Champion awards.
- For all "Not otherwise specified" lots, briefly describe item on entry form.

EXHIBITORS – For your safety, when bringing exhibits to the fair, please park and enter the south end of the exhibit building.

Classes below Premium Code B

CLASS 33 — RUGS - OVER 3 FT. IN SIZE (16-65 years)
CLASS 33A — RUGS - OVER 3 FT. IN SIZE (under 16 years)
CLASS 33B — RUGS - OVER 3 FT. IN SIZE (over 65 years)

Classes below Premium Code C

CLASS 34— RUGS - 3 FT. AND UNDER (16-65 years)
CLASS 34A — RUGS - 3 FT. AND UNDER (under 16 years)
CLASS 34B — RUGS - 3 FT. AND UNDER (over 65 years)

Classes below Premium Code D

CLASS 35 — RUGS - MINIATURE (16-65 years)
CLASS 35A — RUGS - MINIATURE (under 16 years)
CLASS 35B — RUGS - MINIATURE (over 65 years)

- Maximum size 12 inches

Lots:

1. Braided
2. Crocheted
3. Knitted
4. Hooked
5. Latch Hooked
6. Loom woven
7. Coil
8. Rag
9. Wool
10. Penny
11. Not otherwise specified*

The judges will select one rug from Classes 33 or 34 (any age) to represent Washington County in the Minnesota State Fair County Rug Contest.

GRAND CHAMPION Any Rug - Ribbon Only
RESERVE CHAMPION Any rug - Ribbon Only

Rug from Class 33A, 34A or 35A (under 16 years) will be selected as the "Judges Choice" exhibit, receiving **\$10** from an **Anonymous Donor**

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CLASS 36 — PILLOWS (16-65 years)

CLASS 36A — PILLOWS (under 16 years)

CLASS 36B — PILLOWS (over 65 years)

- If item not listed, enter under “not otherwise specified” lot.

Lots below Premium Code D

1. Knit
2. Crochet
3. Latch hooked
4. Smocked
5. Hand Embroidered
6. Machine embroidered/thread/freeform
7. Hand Quilted
8. Machine Quilted
9. Counted Thread/Cross Stitch
10. Needlepoint
11. Applique`
12. Patchwork
13. Novelty
14. Hardanger
15. Woven
16. Christmas
17. Halloween
18. Other holiday
19. Not otherwise specified

GRAND CHAMPION Any Pillow - Ribbon Only

RESERVE CHAMPION Any pillow — Ribbon Only

Pillow from Class 36A (under 16 Years) will be selected as the “Judges Choice” exhibit, receiving **\$10** from an **Anonymous Donor**

CLASS 37 — HOUSEHOLD LINEN (16-65 years)

CLASS 37A — HOUSEHOLD LINEN (under 16 years)

CLASS 37B — HOUSEHOLD LINEN (over 65 years)

- No painted articles.
- If item is not listed, enter under “not otherwise specified” lot.

Lots below Premium Code B

DINNER CLOTH (72 inches & over)

1. Applique
2. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
3. Hardanger
4. Hand Embroidered
5. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
6. Christmas
7. Halloween
8. Other holiday
9. Not otherwise specified*

Lots below Premium Code C

LUNCH CLOTH (30 inches – 72 inches)

10. Applique
11. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
12. Hardanger
13. Hand Embroidered
14. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
15. Christmas
16. Halloween
17. Other holiday
18. Not otherwise specified*

DRESSER SCARF/TABLE RUNNER (2 X as Long as Wide)

19. Applique
20. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
21. Hardanger
22. Hand Embroidered
23. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
24. Hand quilted
25. Machine quilted
26. Woven
27. Christmas
28. Halloween
29. Other holiday
30. Not otherwise specified*

Lots below Premium Code D

PILLOW CASES, 1 pair or Single Pillowcase

31. Applique`
32. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
33. Hardanger
34. Hand Embroidered
35. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
36. Monogrammed
37. With trim - knit, crochet or tatted
38. Christmas
39. Halloween
40. Other holiday
41. Not otherwise specified*

Lots below Premium Code E

PLACEMATS, 2

42. Applique
43. Woven
44. Hand quilted
45. Machine quilted
46. Hand Embroidered
47. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
48. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
49. Other method
50. Christmas
51. Halloween
52. Other holiday
53. Not otherwise specified*

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TOWEL/NAPKIN (1 Guest or Dish Towel, or 2 Napkins)

54. Applique`
55. Hand Embroidered
56. Machine Embroidered/Thread/Freeform
57. Cross Stitch/Counted Thread/Cutwork
58. Monogram
59. Tatted
60. Christmas
61. Halloween
62. Other holiday
63. Not otherwise specified*

GRAND and RESERVE CHAMPION ribbons will be given to worthy entries.

CLASS 38 — OTHER HAND SEWN NEEDLEWORK (16-65 years)

CLASS 38A — OTHER HAND SEWN NEEDLEWORK (under 16 years)

CLASS 38B — OTHER HAND SEWN NEEDLEWORK (over 65 years)

- If item not listed, enter under “not otherwise specified” lot.

Lots below Premium Code D

1. Hardanger doily, 14 inches or larger
2. Hardanger doily, under 14 inches
3. Hardanger coasters set of 4
4. Hardanger Bell Pull
5. Needlepoint item
6. Needlepunch item
7. Huck Weaving item
8. Beaded Embroidery on garment
9. Other Beaded Article
10. Tatted article
11. Tatted Beaded article
12. Tatted doily, 14 inches or larger
13. Tatted doily, under 14 inches
14. Doily, other method, not Crochet or Knitted
15. Hand embroidery, garment, adult
16. Hand embroidery, garment, youth
17. Hand embroidery, garment, infant
18. Any Cross Stitch Item

Lots below Premium Code E

19. Hand embroidery, Bib, child/infant
20. Hand embroidery, accessory
21. Hand embroidery, decorative item
22. Hand embroidery, Redwork, Blackwork etc.
23. Sewn and Stuffed Doll
24. Sewn and Stuffed Toy/Animal
25. Doll Clothes
26. Bride Doll Outfit
27. Doll Clothes, Ethnic or Historical

28. Bell Pull
29. Door Hanging
30. Ribbon embroidery on garment
31. Loom woven article other than rug
32. Pin Cushion
33. Wrapped Coil Coaster
34. Wrapped Coil Hot Pad
35. Wrapped Coil Basket
36. Wrapped Coil Purse or Bag
37. Not otherwise specified

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Item from Class 37A or 38A (under 16 Years)

will be selected as the “Judges Choice” exhibit, receiving **\$10** from an **Anonymous Donor**

CLASS 39 — OTHER MACHINE SEWN NEEDLEWORK OTHER THAN GARMENTS (16-65 years)

CLASS 39A — OTHER MACHINE SEWN NEEDLEWORK OTHER THAN GARMENTS (under 16 yrs)

CLASS 39B — OTHER MACHINE SEWN NEEDLEWORK OTHER THAN GARMENTS (over 65 years)

- If item not listed, enter under “not otherwise specified” lot

Lots below Premium Code D

1. Sewn and stuffed doll
2. Pair of Sewn and Stuffed Dolls, (boy & girl)
3. Sewn and Stuffed Toy/Animal
4. Pillowcase Doll
5. Bride Doll Outfit
6. Baby Taggy
7. Applique` on garment
8. Technology bag/cover/sleeve (ex: Cell Phone/iPad, Kindle, etc.)
9. Purse, quilted, maximum size 150 square inches
10. Purse, other method, maximum size 150 square inches
11. Bag, quilted, over 150 square inches
12. Bag, other method, over 150 square inches
13. X-Large Bag (garment, etc.)
14. Fabric Baskets
15. Wrapped Coil Basket
16. Wrapped Coil Purse or Bag

Lots below Premium Code E

17. Wrapped coil coaster
18. Wrapped coil hot pad
19. Door hanging
20. Casserole carrier
21. Microwave bowl
22. Coasters

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23. Mug rug
24. Hot dish mat
25. Pot holders, (2) other than crochet or knit
26. Oven mitt, other than crochet or knit
27. Puppet
28. Pin Cushion
29. Bibs
30. 18-inch doll clothes
31. 18-inch doll clothes, ethnic or historical
32. 11-1/2 inch doll clothes
33. 11-1/2 inch doll clothes, ethnic or historical
34. Outfit - for other than dolls
35. Wheel chair caddie
36. Animal Garment, no knit or crochet
37. Not otherwise specified

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CLASS 40 — MACHINE EMBROIDERY (16-65 years)

CLASS 40A — MACHINE EMBROIDERY (under 16 years)

CLASS 40B — MACHINE EMBROIDERY (over 65 years)

- Articles in this class to be embroidered by home sewing machine. If item not listed, enter under "not specified" lot.

Lots below Premium Code D

1. Garment Adult
2. Garment Child
3. Garment Infant
4. Purse or bag
5. In the hoop project
6. Accessory
7. Holiday Item
8. Redwork/Blackwork
9. Mug rug
10. Tree skirt
11. Bed runner
12. Bib
13. Animal Garment
14. Cutwork
15. Freestanding lace
16. Decorative Item
17. Not otherwise specified*

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Item from Class 39A or 40A (under 16 Years) will be selected as the "Judges Choice" exhibit, receiving **\$10** from an **Anonymous Donor**

CLASS 41 — ANY HOLIDAY (16-65 years)

CLASS 41A — ANY HOLIDAY (under 16 years)

CLASS 41B — ANY HOLIDAY (over 65 years)

- Any medium of yarn, fabric or thread
- If item not listed, enter under "not otherwise specified" lot

Lots below Premium Code D

1. Table runner/Bed runner
2. Tree skirt, hand embroidery
3. Tree skirt, other

Lots below Premium Code E

4. Christmas Stocking (no knitted or crocheted)
5. Valentine's door hanging, ready to hang
6. St. Patrick's door hanging, ready to hang
7. Easter door hanging, ready to hang
8. 4th of July door hanging, ready to hang
9. Halloween door hanging, ready to hang
10. Thanksgiving door hanging, ready to hang
11. Hanukah door hanging, ready to hang
12. Christmas door hanging, ready to hang
13. Holiday item, hand embroidery
14. Holiday decoration, stuffed
15. Valentine's Day decoration
16. St. Patrick's Day decoration
17. Easter decoration
18. 4th of July decoration
19. Halloween decoration
20. Thanksgiving decoration
21. Hanukah decoration
22. Christmas decoration
23. Table decoration (if more than one piece it must be mounted on a board no larger than 12 x 20 in.)
24. Tree ornament, counted thread
25. Tree ornament, tatted
26. Tree ornament, beaded
27. Tree ornament, crocheted
28. Tree ornament, knitted
29. Tree ornament, hand embroidered
30. Tree ornament, machine embroidered
31. Tree ornament, other
32. Bell Pull
33. Plastic canvas, any holiday
34. Not otherwise specified*

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JoAnne Olson Memorial Award for Outstanding

Youth Needlework – Two youth exhibits from any Under 16 Years Needlework Class (classes 1A thru 46A) selected by the Needlework Judges will receive \$25.

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Item from Class 41A (under 16 Years)
will be selected as the “Judges Choice” exhibit,
receiving **\$10** from an **Anonymous Donor**

Premium Codes:

Placing	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
A	\$6.00	\$5.50	\$5.00	\$4.50	\$4.00	\$3.50
B	\$5.00	\$4.50	\$4.00	\$3.50	\$3.00	\$2.50
C	\$4.00	\$3.50	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
D	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$0.50
E	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$0.75	\$0.50	\$0.25