


DEPARTMENT HN - ARTS AND CRAFTS - 4-H
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1. All General Rules and Regulations must be followed.
2. All reasonable precautions will be taken for the protection of exhibits, but the fair shall not be responsible for any loss or damage. The Fair does not carry insurance on exhibits and will not be responsible for items lost, damaged or stolen. The owners may insure their exhibits before bringing them to the Fair.

SECTION 1: CRAFTS

Open Chairpersons: Alice Mason & Bonnie Messix

4-H Chairpersons: Terri Price & Shannon Yerkie

1. Silk Screening
2. Basketry
3. Ceramics - original mold
4. Dough
5. Clay
6. Plaster
7. Paper Mache
8. Spattering
9. Leather Work
10. Yarn Craft
11. Felt Craft
12. Candle - Original Mold
13. Jewelry - kit
14. Jewelry - original
15. Macramé
16. String art
17. Wood Craft
18. Mosaics (glass, seeds, tiles, etc.)
19. Stained Glass
20. Decoupage/Mod Podge
21. Wood Carving
22. Quilling
23. Sand Art (picture)
24. Sand Terrarium (no plants)
25. Mobiles
26. Metal Craft
27. Holiday Decoration
28. Holiday Ornament
29. Eggery
30. Weaving (loom only)
31. Collage (cloth, paper, etc. ready to hang)
32. Sculpture - stone, metal or wire.
33. Nature Craft (i.e. cornsilk dolls - no terrariums accepted)
34. Fabric Painting
35. Rock or Shell Craft
36. Liquid Embroidery
37. Stenciled Item
38. Driftwood Art
39. Model - Original
40. Model - kit - no model rockets or Legos
41. Tie Dyed Tee Shirts - on hanger
42. Other Tie Dyed Article
43. Heritage Crafts (include history)
44. Bead Craft
45. Calligraphy
46. Paper Craft
47. Painted item - Judged on painting quality only
48. Recycled Craft 
49. Other Craft - no kit used
50. Other Craft - kit used
51. Collection* at least 15 or more samples arranged for display by 4-H'er - stamps, buttons, etc. (must add 10 new items each year. Collections of insects, forestry, rocks, shells, weeds and flowers are to be entered in 4-H Science Division).



SECTION 2: ART

Open Chairpersons: Alice Mason & Bonnie Messix

4-H Chairperson: Doris Reedt

1. Entries limited to original works in all media.
2. All work must be ready to hang, but not framed to be accepted.
3. Size limit 36".
4. Copyrighted figures such as Snoopy, Nintendo, Sponge Bob, etc. may not be used.

Classes:

1. Acrylic painting
2. Black and white pencil line drawing
3. Black and white pencil drawing
4. Charcoal drawing
5. Color pencil drawing
6. Crayon drawing
7. Pastels painting
8. Pen and Ink drawings
9. Print making (Block printing, must include block)
10. Scratch Art
11. Water color painting
12. Mixed Media - 2 or more medias from any class listed here
13. Oil Painting
14. Marker Drawing/Painting
15. Other art project
16. Collage



*Give a short description of your collection on a 3 x 5 card.

NOTE: FOR FIRST YEAR 4-H ARTS AND CRAFTS MEMBERS ONLY!

52. Any Arts & Crafts (no Kits used)
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SECTION 3: PHOTOGRAPHY

Open Chairpersons: Alice Mason & Bonnie Messix

4-H Chairperson: Chrissy Nelson

1. All General Rules and regulations must be followed.
2. All photos must be a minimum of 5" x 7" and not larger than 11" x 14". Exceptions to this rule are the Sequence Category, Photo Story, and First Year Photographer. In these categories, photos should be a minimum of 4" x 6" to maximum of 5" x 7".
3. All photos should be mounted on mat board or illustration board, no foam core, using spray adhesive, heat seal, or other permanent mounting medium. Do not frame photos or use clips of any kind.
4. Photos may be mounted horizontally or vertically. Mat size should correspond to photo size as listed below:

Photo Size	Mat Size
5x7 inches	8x10 inches
8x10 inches	11x14 inches
11x14 inches	16x20 inches
5. No lettering will be permitted on the front of the mount or on the picture. Each exhibitor's name, age, and phone number must be written on the upper left hand corner of the back of the mount.
6. A white, 3 x 5 card should be attached to the lower front right corner of the mount. The following information should be typed or neatly printed on the card:
 1. Title of Picture
 2. Date Picture Taken
 3. Name of Camera
 4. Type of Camera
 5. Kind of Film Used (if applicable)
7. The following categories will be used to judge photography entries (point system may be used):

Composition	40 points
Story Telling Ability	30 points
Photographic Quality	20 points
Developing & Printing	5 points (Except those developed by 4-H'er)
Mounting	5 points

COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS:

1. Building
2. Landscapes/Seascape
3. Flowers or Plants
4. People - Individual
5. People - Two or more
6. Animals
7. Birds
8. Insects
9. First Year Photographer
10. Picture Maryland - a photo that captures the spirit of our state
11. Photograph developed by the Exhibitor
12. Sequence of two to four related pictures matted on one board
13. Photo story - 4 or more than four pictures/collage telling a story, mounted on one board
14. Experimental Photography (pinhole camera pictures, photograms, special effects)
15. Miscellaneous (Other pictures which have merit but do not conform with the other classes)
16. Digitally altered image



BLACK and WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS

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