

# DEPARTMENT 9

## CROCHETING



**Superintendent**

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### Schedule of Events

#### **August 5 - Monday**

5 pm Last day for online entry or drop off entry form in Office

#### **August 12 & 13 – Monday & Tuesday**

2 – 7 pm Tag can be picked up and pre-entered items dropped off in Building 19. All new entries go to Building 1.

#### **August 15 – Thursday**

9 am Judging (building closed to public)

#### **August 26 – Monday**

3 – 7 pm Entries can be removed

### WHAT THE JUDGES LOOK FOR WITH CROCHETING

- **GENERAL APPEARANCE:** Visual impact, presentation, clean, neat & well blocked
- **SUITABILITY OF DESIGN, COLOR & YARN:** Choice of yarn & trim type & color appropriate to pattern & function
- **WORKMANSHIP:** Stitches made correctly, uniform tension, correct gauge, no dropped stitches, blocked as needed, yarn ends joined & woven inconspicuously, construction details well executed, carried yarns neat and not too tight
- **DIFFICULTY OF PROJECT**

## CROCHETED CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES

### *Division 09A*

#### CROCHETED CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES, ADULT

##### CLASS

- 01 Cap or hat
- 02 Neck scarf
- 03 Shawl or shrug
- 04 Slippers
- 05 Cardigan sweater
- 06 Pullover sweater
- 07 Sweater shell or vest
- 08 2-piece sweater set
- 09 Edging on hand-made item
- 10 Bag or purse
- 11 Jewelry
- 12 Adult clothing & accessories, other than listed

#### CROCHETED CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES, INFANTS & CHILDREN

##### CLASS

- 13 Infant bonnet or hat
- 14 Infant booties or slippers
- 15 Infant mittens
- 16 Infant dress
- 17 Infant sweater
- 18 Infant layette outfit (2 or more different pieces)
- 19 Infant clothing & accessories, other than listed
- 20 Children's bonnet or hat
- 21 Children's booties or slippers
- 22 Children's mittens
- 23 Children's scarf
- 24 Children's dress
- 25 Children's sweater
- 26 Children's 2-piece sweater set
- 27 Children's clothing & accessories, other than listed

## CROCHETED AFGHANS

### *Division 09B*

#### CROCHETED AFGHANS

##### CLASS

- 28 Block style afghan
- 29 Freestyle (modified pattern or own design) afghan
- 30 Granny square afghan
- 31 Holiday design afghan
- 32 Afghan using single stitch (not embellished)
- 33 Afghan using popcorn stitch
- 34 Afghan using ripple stitch
- 35 Afghan using shell or chevron stitch
- 36 Afghan using pineapple stitch

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### General Rules for Crocheting

- Entries must be the work of the exhibitor, completed since September 2018.
- Limit **one** entry per class per exhibitor
- **Must be 18 or older to enter.**  
**Youth register in Department 18, but enter exhibits in Building 19.**
- Where there is no competition, or entry has been incorrectly entered, judges may award first, second or third premiums or no premium, according to the merits of the entry. Judges shall not award premiums to any entry deemed unworthy; i.e., soiled or incomplete.
- Quality or brand of yarn will not be judged.

**NEW**

We invite all community members to get involved so we want to offer that opportunity without the nerves and intimidation that potential exhibitors may have.

When updating your personal information please make note if you could be considered an exhibitor in the special needs/other circumstances category. We will not request additional information, but trust that exhibitors are mindful and honest when entering. Exhibits will still be entered in classes listed with the limit of one entry per class; however, they will also be judged for top special entry.

- 37 Afghan mile-a-minute or strip style
- 38 Embellished or cross-stitched afghan
- 39 Scrap afghan
- 40 Afghan, other than listed

### **BABY CROCHETED AFGHANS**

#### **CLASS**

- 41 Block style afghan
- 42 Freestyle (modified pattern or own design) afghan
- 43 Granny square afghan
- 44 Holiday design afghan
- 45 Afghan using single stitch (not embellished)
- 46 Afghan using popcorn stitch
- 47 Afghan using ripple stitch
- 48 Afghan using shell or chevron stitch
- 49 Afghan using pineapple stitch
- 50 Afghan mile-a-minute or strip style
- 51 Embellished or cross-stitched afghan
- 52 Scrap afghan
- 53 Afghan, other than listed

## **OTHER MISCELLANEOUS CROCHETED ITEMS**

### *Division 09C*

#### **CROCHETED LINENS**

- Other household items not listed here may be found in "Miscellaneous Crocheted Items" section.

#### **CLASS**

- 54 Bedspread any size
- 55 Centerpiece or doily
- 56 Decorator pillow
- 57 Tablecloth, any size
- 58 Table runner
- 59 Linens, other than listed

#### **CROCHETED DOLLS, TOYS & PET ITEMS**

#### **CLASS**

- 60 Doll
- 61 Doll outfit, with doll, plain or beaded
- 62 Toy or animal, one
- 63 Toy or animal set, two or more
- 64 Pet sweater
- 65 Doll, toy or pet item other than listed, specify

#### **CROCHETED BEADING**

#### **CLASS**

- 66 Beaded necklace
- 67 Other Beaded item

#### **MISCELLANEOUS CROCHETED ITEMS**

#### **CLASS**

- 68 Bookmark
- 69 Coasters, set of four
- 70 Edging (only crochet will be judged)
- 71 Electronic device cover (e.g., Kindle, Ipad, laptop, etc.)
- 72 Holiday or seasonal item other than afghan, specify
- 73 Pot scrubber
- 74 Pot holder, single or set
- 75 Toilet paper cover
- 76 Wash cloth or dish cloth, specify
- 77 Miscellaneous household item, other than listed, specify

### **TATTING**

NOTE: Do NOT frame tatted items

#### **What the Judges look for in Tatting**

- **APPEARANCE & OVERALL EFFECT:** Design selection & presentation, thread compatibility, use of color (if applicable)
- **WORKMANSHIP & TECHNICAL SKILLS:** Proper tension, neatness, finishing

- **DIFFICULTY FACTOR**

#### **CLASS**

- 78 Tatted bookmark
- 79 Tatted purse
- 80 Tatted jewelry, earrings
- 81 Tatted jewelry, necklace
- 82 Tatted jewelry, 2 piece set
- 83 Tatted trim & edging (only tatting will be judged)
- 84 Tatted centerpiece or doily
- 85 Tatted ornament
- 86 Tatted, other than listed

### **RUGS & MISCELLANEOUS HOUSEHOLD ITEMS**

#### **What the Judge looks for in Rugs**

- **GENERAL APPEARANCE:** Neat & clean
- **WORKMANSHIP:** stitches correct, tension even, finishing techniques correct & neat
- **SUITABILITY OF DESIGN, COLOR, THREAD:** Choice of thread type and color appropriate to pattern & function, finishing techniques appropriate, choice of background fabric type & color appropriate to pattern & function
- **DIFFICULTY OF PROJECT**

### **OTHER**

#### **CLASS**

- 87 Rugs, any article, specify item
- 88 Hooked or latch hooked item, any article, specify item



**FROM OLD  
TO NEW**



- This section illustrates what can be done with old or used material that might end up in the trash or otherwise discarded.
- Entry can be any item that is described in this department but cannot be entered in any other class.
- Entry must be prepared according to the General Instructions listed at the beginning of this department as well as any other instructions contained within.
- Entry must have an index card (measuring no larger than 4" x 6") securely attached that explains in 100 words or less the material's previous life. Explanation must be typed or legibly printed. Do NOT put your name on this card.

#### **CLASS**

- 89 Crocheted item created using recycled yarn
- 90 Crocheted item created using material other than recycled yarn

## NOVICE CROCHETING

### *Division 09D*

#### **NOVICE CROCHETER**

- "Novice" refers to anyone who is just starting out in crocheting.
- Exhibitor can enter in this or any other section in this department.
- Anyone who has entered in prior Fairs in this or any other section is not considered a novice and should not enter in this section.
- Any technique can be used.

#### **CLASS**

- 91 Crocheted adult clothing or accessory
- 92 Crocheted infant or child clothing or accessory
- 93 Crocheted linens
- 94 Crocheted afghan, any size
- 95 Crocheted doll, doll clothes or toy
- 96 Miscellaneous crocheted item

## 2019 THEMED CONTEST

### **Best Themed Item - *Division 09E***

"The Fair Necessities"

- Create an item and describe how it fits the theme.
- Entry must be completely hand made
- No cross entries into any other class
- Be creative and have fun!

#### **CLASS**

- 97 Best Themed item, hand made

