ARTS AND CRAFTS

Dover Building Superintendent: Joanne Clark

Assistant Superintendents: Chuck Aldrich, Judy Aldrich, Wendy Lowe, Cate Lyons, Ann Spillane, Joyce Webb, and Bonnie Wilkinson

Entries can only be made online via the Delaware State Fair's website beginning 9:00 AM April 1, 2017 thru 11:59 PM June 1, 2017.

In order for the Delaware State Fair to better prepare for all exhibits, we ask that you only enter those classes which you will be able to complete and show at this year's fair.

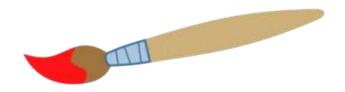
All exhibits will be accepted from 10:00AM until 3:00PM, Saturday, July 15. Late entries will not be accepted.

Judging will begin in the department on Tuesday, July 18. All entries must be removed between 8:00 AM and Noon on Sunday, July 30. Exhibits may not be removed before this time.

Any and all premiums may be adjusted by The Delaware State Fair Board of Directors based on funding sources.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION:

- 1. Read over the premium list carefully and decide what class your article belongs in before you enter it. Items entered in the wrong class or not complying with the entry rules for a particular class will be refused by the superintendents when they are brought to be exhibited.
- 2. Exhibitors may only make one entry in each class. Exhibitor's name must be covered on each entry. Out of state entries will be accepted.
- 3. All entries must be the work of an amateur exhibitor who does not use this as a means of substantial or primary income or teach a class in the section they may be entering within the department.
- 4. If there is a conflict of interest with the judges' decision, it will be left to the discretion of the department superintendent.
- 5. Exhibits which have previously received a prize at this Fair may not be entered.
- 6. If in the opinion of the judge, an entry does not merit a premium, then no premium shall be paid. Further, the judge is empowered to limit the top award in any class to a second, third or lower premium if in his/her opinion the quality of the class so merits. Judges discretion is final. Prize money will be mailed to exhibitors.
- 7. Care will be taken to protect the exhibits from injury, but the Delaware State Fair will not be responsible in any way for accidents, loss and damage by water, fire, theft, or otherwise, whatever may be the cause or extent of the damage or loss sustained. All exhibits are entered at the owner's risk.
- 8. An individual with a disability is a person who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more "major life activities," or has a record of such impairment, or is regarded as having such impairment.



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\$6.50	\$4.50	\$3.25		

FINE ARTS

Rules

- 1. All entries in FINE ARTS must be framed and ready for hanging.
- 2. Tutored works (reproductions of original work) and computer generated art are not accepted. Artwork may not contain digitally professional reproductions, including giclee or other prints of artwork.
- 3. Paint by Numbers will not be accepted.
- 4. Wire Hangers will only be accepted.
- 5. Matted cardboard frames will NOT be accepted.
- 6. Taped-on hangers will not be accepted.
- 7. Entries which are not properly prepared will be refused by the Superintendent.
- 8. Please cover artist's name and hang all entry tags (supplied at check in) on the upper right hand corner.

FINE ARTS

WORK DONE BY EXHIBITORS AGE - OVER 21

CHARCOAL

Class

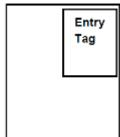
1. Any Subject

MIXED MEDIA/COLLAGE

(Paint, Pencil, Pen, Ink, and Paper or any combination)

Mixed Media is composed of 2 or more Art Media. Any entry in this section should have 2 or more Art Media used in the execution/preparation of the work, if not the entry/exhibit will be disqualified. Medias used should be noted on the back of the picture.

- 2. Abstract
- 3. Portrait and/or figures
- 4. Animals and/or birds
- Flowers
- 6. Landscape
- 7. Marine
- 8. Still Life
- 9. Cartoons



- 10. Caricatures
- 11. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 12. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 13. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over

OIL and ACRYLIC PAINTING

Class

- 14. Abstract
- 15. Portrait and/or figures
- 16. Animals and/or birds
- 17. Flowers
- 18. Landscape
- 19. Marine
- 20. Still Life
- 21. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 22. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 23. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over

PASTEL

Class

- 24. Any Subject
- 25. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 26. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 27. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over

WATER COLOR

Class

- 28. Abstract
- 29. Portrait and/or figures
- 30. Animals and/or birds
- 31. Flowers
- 32. Landscape
- 33. Marine
- 34. Still Life
- 35. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 36. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 37. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over
- 38. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in FINE ARTS AGES OVER 21.

FINE ARTS

WORK DONE BY EXHIBITORS AGE 17-21 (Specify age on entry tag during check in)

CHARCOAL

Class

39. Any Subject

MIXED MEDIA / COLLAGE

(Pencil, Pen, Ink, and Paper or any combination)

Mixed Media is composed of 2 or more Art Media. Any entry in this section should have 2 or more Art Media used in the execution/preparation of the work, if not the entry/exhibit will be disqualified.

Class

- 40. Abstract
- 41. Portrait and/or figures
- 42. Animals and/or birds
- 43. Flowers
- 44. Landscape
- 45. Marine
- 46. Still Life
- 47. Cartoons
- 48. Caricatures
- 49. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 50. Any work of an individual with a disability ages 17-21

OIL AND ACRYLIC PAINTING

Class

- 51. Abstract
- 52. Portrait and/or figures
- 53. Animals and/or birds
- 54. Flowers
- 55. Landscapes
- 56. Marine
- 57. Still Life
- 58. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 59. Any work of an individual with a disability ages 17-21

PASTELS

Class

- 60. Any Subject
- 61. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 62. Any work of an individual with a disability ages 17-21

WATERCOLOR

- 63. Abstract
- 64. Portrait and/or figures
- 65. Animals and/or birds
- 66. Flowers
- 67. Landscape
- 68. Marine
- 69. Still Life

- 70. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 71. Any work of an individual with a disability ages 17-21
- 72. Judge's Award -A Rosette and \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in FINE ARTS AGES 17-21.

PHOTOGRAPHY

All entries for the photography section of the Arts & Crafts Department must be submitted using the Delaware State Fair's online entry and photo submission systems. Preliminary evaluation of all entries will be pre-judged using the digital photographs submitted. Preliminary judging does not guarantee acceptance for exhibition. You will be notified by email with results no later than Friday, June 30th regarding the status of your entry. Exhibitors whose photography entries meet show standards will deliver their mounted photograph to the Dover Building on Saturday, July 15. (Bringing your photograph for exhibition does not guarantee you a place or premium from the Delaware State Fair). All other submitted photographs will be displayed on a video monitor during the 2017 Fair.

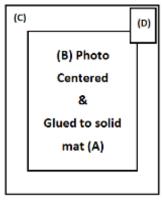
Entry Instructions will be posted to www.delawarestatefair.com no later than April 1st 2017.

General Rules:

- 1. Exhibitors may enter only one photograph in each class.
- 2. Photographs that are accepted for exhibit cannot differ from the submitted uploaded image or the entry will be disqualified.
- 3. Photographs should be the current work of the exhibitor who does not use this as a means of income.
- 4. All photographs must have been executed by the exhibitor whose name appears on the entry tag. The exhibitor's name, address, telephone number and class should also be on the back of the photo (Only those exhibitors that meet show standards).
- 5. Due to the family-oriented theme of the Delaware State Fair, no exhibit dealing with drug use, obscenity, defamatory statements, violence or gang activity, satanic or cult themes, or other offensive or objectionable content will be accepted. This is at the discretion of the department superintendent.
- 6. Sepia tone (brown tones) will not be accepted into color classes.
- 7. Copies made from published sources, copyrighted materials, or non-original photographs will be cause for removal from the show and forfeiture of any awards.

Mounting Rules (for accepted photographs only):

- 1. Photographs must be 8" x 10", except panoramic photos must be 4" x 12".
- 2. Photographs must be mounted on 11 x 14 inch hard mat board (no foam board
- 3. Photographs must be centered on the mat.
- 4. Photographs in frames will not be accepted.
 - (A) 11 x 14 mat board bottom layer
 - (B) Photo centered & glued to solid mat board
 - (C) Top mat layer will be an open mat glued to A & B
 - (D) Entry tag attached on the upper right front corner (Supplied at check in)
 - (E) Add address and phone # to the back of the mounted photo



Judging Process:

- 1. Acceptance The uploaded entry images will be viewed online by qualified judges. If the submitted photo entry meets the subjective standards set by the judges, you will receive an email notification to hand deliver your mounted photo on entry delivery day.
- 2. Awards Judges will view the delivered photo entry and select award winners. Judges may, at their discretion, disqualify any photograph that does not comply with the competition guidelines, including mounting, or the quality of the delivered photo does not meet the subjective standards set by the judges. Entries will be placed using the American Judging System where exhibits are ranked one against another. 1st, 2nd, 3rd place and honorable mention may be awarded in each class if judges so determine.
- 3. All other submitted photographs will be displayed on a video monitor throughout the duration of the fair.

PHOTOGRAPHY

BLACK and WHITE

Work done by exhibitors age 22 and above.

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- 74. Still Life
- 75. Landscape or scenic with buildings
- 76. Landscape or scenic without buildings
- 77. Landscape or scenic with reflections
- 78. Landscape or scenic with shadows
- 79. Birds
- 80. Farm animals
- 81. Pets cats
- 82. Pets dogs
- 83. People and their pets
- 84. Pets (other than above)
- 85. Sunsets/Sunrises
- 86. Night shots
- 87. Insects (close ups)
- 88. Marine (water or boating scenes)
- 89. Action (creating or stopping)
- 90. Portrait (people only)
- 91. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 92. Creative (digital effect)
- 93. Delaware State Fair Theme
- 94. Sepia
- 95. Color tinting (any subject)
- 96. Sporting events
- 97. Architectural Buildings
- 98. Wildlife other than birds
- 99. Panoramic views (4"x12")
- 100. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 101. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over

PHOTOGRAPHY

COLOR

Work done by exhibitors age 22 and above.

- 102. Flowers
- 103. Still Life
- 104. Landscape or scenic with buildings
- 105. Landscape or scenic without buildings
- 106. Landscape or scenic with reflections
- 107. Landscape or scenic with shadows
- 108. Birds
- 109. Farm animals
- 110. Pets cats
- 111. Pets dogs

- 112. People and their pets
- 113. Pets (other than above)
- 114. Sunsets/Sunrises
- 115. Night shots
- 116. Insects (close ups)
- 117. Marine (water or boating scenes)
- 118. Action (creating or stopping)
- 119. Portrait (people only)
- 120. Delaware scenes (open to Delaware residents only)
- 121. Creative (digital effect)
- 122. Delaware State Fair Theme
- 123. Eating at the Fair
- 124. Senior Citizen at the Fair
- 125. Kids at the Fair
- 126. Animals at the Fair
- 127. Miscellaneous Fair scene
- 128. Sporting Event
- 129. Architectural Buildings
- 130. Wildlife other than birds
- 131. Rainbows
- 132. Panoramic views (4"x12")
- 133. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 134. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over
- 135. **Judge's Award** A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to outstanding exhibit in PHOTOGRAPHY Ages 22 and above.

PHOTOGRAPHY

COLOR

Work done by exhibitors age 17 – 21 only.

Class

- 136. Landscape
- 137. Pets
- 138. Portrait (people only)
- 139. Delaware State Fair Theme
- 140. Action (creating or stopping)
- 141. Sunset/Sunrises
- 142. Flowers
- 143. Insects (close ups)
- 144. Architectural Buildings
- 145. Wildlife other than birds
- 146. Rainbows
- 147. Panoramic views (4"x12")

BLACK & WHITE

Work done by exhibitors age 17 - 21 only.

- 148. Landscape
- 149. Pets
- 150. Portrait (people only)
- 151. Delaware State Fair Theme

- 152. Action (creating or stopping)
- 153. Sunset/Sunrises
- 154. Flowers
- 155. Insects (close ups)
- 156. Architectural Buildings
- 157. Wildlife other than birds
- 158. Panoramic views (4"x12")
- 159. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to outstanding exhibit in PHOTOGRAPHY Ages 17-21.

CERAMICS

Class

- 160. Glaze, any article
- 161. Stain, any article
- 162. Glaze and Stain Combo, any article
- 163. Any work of an individual with a disability
- 164. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over
- 165. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to outstanding exhibit in CERAMICS.

POTTERY

Class

- 166. Hand Built, Any Article
- 167. Wheel Built, Any Article
- 168. Judge's Award- A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to outstanding exhibit in POTTERY.

CRAFTS ANGEL CRAFT- JEWELRY - WAX CRAFT

Class

- 169. Angelic Christmas ornament, small
- 170. Angelic Christmas decoration, large
- 171. Angel craft, any other
- 172. Handmade jewelry necklaces Beads
- 173. Handmade jewelry earrings Beads
- 174. Handmade jewelry pins Beads
- 175. Handmade jewelry necklaces Metal
- 176. Handmade jewelry earrings Metal
- 177. Handmade jewelry pins Metal
- 178. Handmade jewelry, any other (unusual)
- 179. Hand painted jewelry, any other
- 180. Handmade Paper Bead Necklaces
- 181. Handmade Paper Bead Bracelets
- 182. Handmade Paper Bead Earrings
- 183. Handmade jewelry, presented as a set

CALLIGRAPHY

- 184. Invitation
- 185. Certificate

- 186. Announcements
- 187. Poems, nursery rhymes or Biblical inscriptions
- 188. Birthday card
- 189. Sympathy card
- 190. Get Well card
- 191. Home Décor item
- 192. Any work of an individual with a disability

TILE WORK-Creative, Decorative or Unusual

Class

- 193. Small item (6" x 6")
- 194. Medium item (12" x 12")
- 195. Large item (18" x 18")

MISCELLANEOUS

Class

- 196. Snow Globes
- 197. Stencil on wooden item
- 198. Stencil on any other material
- 199. Stained glass-No plastic
- 200. Seashell Craft, any item
- 201. Decorative hand painted candle holders
- 202. Decorative painting on canning jar
- 203. Decorative painting on glass, sun catcher
- 204. Hand painted light bulb, Christmas
- 205. Hand painted light bulb, any other
- 206. Handmade dolls/figures, original
- 207. Handmade dolls/figures, pattern
- 208. Country wooden cutout craft
- 209. Clothes pin craft
- 210. Primitive metal craft tin or copper
- 211. Dream Catchers, small
- 212. Egg art
- 213. Ship in a bottle
- 214. Garden stepping stone craft, mosaics
- 215. Decorated bird house, not tole painted
- 216. Cloth covered photo album
- 217. Any type of craft done with paper cutting
- 218. Any type of creative Origami, paper folding work
- 219. Yard Art, any article large or small
- 220. Any work of a Senior Citizen, age 65 or over
- 221. Any craft not mentioned above

NO-SEW WEARABLES - EMBELLISHED

- 222. No sew sweatshirt art (painted or iron-on decoration)
- 223. No sew shirt or jacket (painted or iron-on decoration)
- 224. No sew wearable art (any other item)

- 225. No sew decorated tote or bag (painted or iron-on decoration)
- 226. No sew decorative apron (painted or iron-on decoration)
- 227. Creative Handmade Belts

RECYCLED CLASS

Class

- 228. Ecology class, made of natural material
- 229. Recycled paper
- 230. Recycled glass
- 231. Recycled plastic
- 232. Recycled metal
- 233. Recycled jewelry
- 234. Recycled, any other
- 235. Go Green Items, Any Article

TOLE and/or DECORATIVE PAINTED/DECOUPAGE

- 236. Tole Painting for Christmas, any flat item
- 237. Tole Painted Christmas ornament
- 238. Tole Painted door decoration
- 239. Tole Painted box
- 240. Tole Painted serving tray
- 241. Tole Painting on metal, rustic or plain
- 242. Tole Painted bird house
- 243. Tole Painting, any other article
- 244. Tole Painted Nutcracker / figure / character
- 245. Tole Painting on rocks
- 246. Painted Gourd, animal
- 247. Painted Gourd, character
- 248. Painted Gourd, decorative bird house
- 249. Painted Gourd, holiday
- 250. Painted Gourd, any other
- 251. Clay Pot, decorative, any holiday
- 252. Clay Pot, decorative, any other
- 253. Clay Pot, character
- 254. Clay Pot, wind chimes
- 255. Decoupage, flat item
- 256. Decoupage, box
- 257. Decoupage, any other item
- 258. Stamping and Embossing, raised
- 259. Decorative painting on small furniture
- 260. Decorative painting on large furniture
- 261. Decorative slate
- 262. **Judge's Award** A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to an outstanding exhibit in CRAFTS- ANGEL CRAFT, JEWELRY, & WAX CRAFT, CALLIGRAPHY, TILE WORK, MISCELLANEOUS, NO-SEW WEARABLES (EMBELLISHED), RECYCLED GLASS, & TOLE AND/OR DECORATIVE PAINTED/DECOUPAGE

WOODWORK, NO KITS

Class

- 263. Small wood furniture, 2' and under
- 264. Large wood furniture, over 2'
- 265. Lighthouse, small decorated, wooden
- 266. Lighthouse, any other material
- 267. Wooden spools project
- 268. Wood Bowls
- 269. Wood Clocks
- 270. Holiday woodcraft for Christmas
- 271. Holiday woodcraft other than Christmas
- 272. Wooden toy or puzzle
- 273. Wooden yard craft, small item
- 274. Miscellaneous, items not mentioned above, no larger than 2' in size
- 275. Duck, hand carved-not from a kit
- 276. Duck, decorative painted
- 277. Carving, small item
- 278. Carving, large item
- 279. Carving, any large item not animal or bird
- 280. Carving, any small item not animal or bird
- 281. Carving, any animal not from a kit
- 282. Carving, Fish
- 283. Carving, Animal
- 284. Carving, Bird
- 285. Wood burning, any article
- 286. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in CRAFTS-WOODWORKING.

WREATHS and DOOR / TABLE DÉCOR

- 287. Dried flower wreath
- 288. Grape vine wreath, not holiday
- 289. Grape vine wreath, Christmas only
- 290. Grape vine wreath, any holiday, not Christmas
- 291. Christmas wreath, any type, not grape vine
- 292. Tulle Wreath
- 293. Holiday pine cone wreath
- 294. Decorative hat for door, holiday
- 295. Decorative hat for door, any other
- 296. Decorative fan / heart / broom for door
- 297. Christmas decorations for table
- 298. Holiday decoration for table, not Christmas
- 299. Table decorations, any other
- 300. Christmas decorations for door, other than wreath
- 301. Holiday decoration for door, other than wreath and not Christmas
- 302. Door decoration, any other
- 303. Handmade Christmas tree ornament
- 304. **Judge's Award -** A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in CRAFTS WREATHS AND DOOR/TABLE.

BASKETWEAVING

(Work done by exhibitors age 22 and above)

Class

- 305. New Weaver, less than 19 months
- 306. Woven Flat Reed
- 307. Woven Round Reed
- 308. Flat Oval
- 309. Cane Woven on a mold, Nantucket Style
- 310. Traditional or Split, can be woven or on a mold
- 311. Dyed and/or decorative painted
- 312. Woven of natural materials
- 313. Coiled, looped, knotted or folded
- 314. Miniatures
- 315. Any work of a Senior Citizen age 65 or over
- 316. Any work of a Delaware Resident

BASKETWEAVING

(Work done by exhibitors age 17-21 only)

Class

- 317. New Weaver, less than 19 months
- 318. Woven Flat Reed
- 319. Woven Round Reed
- 320. Flat Oval
- 321. Cane Woven on a mold, Nantucket Style
- 322. Traditional or Split, can be woven or on a mold
- 323. Dyed and/or decorative painted
- 324. Woven of natural materials
- 325. Coiled, looped, knotted or folded
- 326. Miniatures
- 327. Any work of a Delaware Resident
- 328. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in CRAFT BASKETWEAVING.

SCRAPBOOKING

Any color or size paper may be used. Enter only one page per class (except classes 365-381). Any stickers, die-cuts or embellishments are allowed. Must use page protectors, three (3) ring or staple bound for display purposes.

- 329. Amusement Park Page
- 330. Armed Forces Page
- 331. Barn Page
- 332. Beach Page
- 333. Birthday Page
- 334. Child Page, Age 0-1
- 335. Child Page, Age 1-2

- 336. Child Page, Age 2-3
- 337. Child Page, Age 3-4
- 338. Child Page, Age 4-5
- 339. Collage Page
- 340. Collector/Hobby Page
- 341. Delaware Scene Page
- 342. Delaware State Fair Page
- 343. Design Your Own Title Page, 1st Page Inside Your Album
- 344. Digital Page
- 345. Fair Animals
- 346. Family Fun Page
- 347. Farm Page
- 348. Father's Day Page
- 349. Friendship Page
- 350. Heritage Page, Black & White Only
- 351. Landscape Page
- 352. Lighthouse Page
- 353. Memory of a Loved One Page
- 354. Mother's Day Page
- 355. Pet Page
- 356. Pool Page
- 357. Prom Page
- 358. School Page
- 359. Sports Page
- 360. Travel Page
- 361. Wedding Album Page
- 362. Zoo Page
- 363. Any Work of an Individual with a Disability
- 364. Any Work of a Senior Citizen (Age 65 or Over)
- 365. Full Album (12"x12")
- 366. Full Album (Any size under 8½"x11")
- 367. Full Album All about the Delaware State Fair (12"x12")
- 368. Full Album All about the Delaware State Fair (Any size under 8½"x11")
- 369. Collector/Hobby Album
- 370. Full Digital Album (12"x12")
- 371. Full Digital Album (Any size under 8½"x11")
- 372. Boat, two page layout
- 373. Elementary School, two page layout
- 374. Fantasy, two page layout
- 375. Fourth of July, two page layout
- 376. Grandparents, two page layout
- 377. Halloween, two page layout
- 378. High School, two page layout
- 379. Middle School, two page layout
- 380. New Years, two page layout
- 381. Party, two page layout
- 382. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to outstanding exhibit in CRAFTS-SCRAPBOOKING.

RUBBER STAMPING

Class

- 383. Rubber Stamp Art on an Announcement
- 384. Rubber Stamp Art on a Greeting Card
- 385. Rubber Stamp Art on a Holiday Card
- 386. Rubber Stamp Art on a Sympathy Card
- 387. Rubber Stamp Art on an Invitation
- 388. Rubber Stamp Art, Miscellaneous
- 389. Non Stamp Greeting Card Other Than Stamping
- 390. Die Cut Card
- 391. 3-D Card
- 392. Judge's Award A Rosette & \$15.00 will be awarded to the outstanding exhibit in CRAFTS-RUBBER STAMPING.

Fair Theme Contest

Class 393: Any craft item that expresses the 2017 Fair Theme, "A July Tradition".

1st Place: \$10.00 2nd Place: \$8.00 3rd Place: \$6.00

Superintendent's Award

A Rosette and \$50.00 will be awarded on Governor's Day to the Exhibitor entering the most unusual or interesting exhibit.

