

Department 43: Adult Art, Photography & Crafts

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Rules:

1. Entries will be judged on Saturday, August 20, 2022, the building will be closed to the Public. Judging will be from 12 PM until 5 PM or until ALL judging is completed and the exhibits are in place. No one will be admitted to the exhibition room while judging is in progress.
2. Judges may withhold awards in any class and their decision shall be final.
3. NO late entries will be accepted. NO group entries will be accepted.
4. No piece can compete in more than one class, that is, an article can be judged only once.
5. Original artwork (no copies) not previously shown at the Crawford County Fair will be eligible for prizes. "Original" means not copied.
6. No commercial kits will be accepted.
7. All entries must be done in the past year.
8. No nude, sexually suggestive or violent art, photographs, or crafts will be accepted!
9. It is the responsibility of the individual exhibitor to read the specific details in each section to see that their piece(s) qualify and fulfill the requirements of that class.
10. Violation of any department rules constitutes a disqualification.
11. Due to limited space, entries may not be displayed to their fullest advantage. This will not affect the judging in any way.
12. This Department is intended to show our local amateur talent. PROFESSIONAL WORK WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Individuals are designated as "professional" when receive any income from their exhibited talent

Dept 43 Section 1 - Art

Painting must be done by exhibitor in the past year. Date must appear visually on the front of all artwork where it can be easily seen.

13. No computer or digitalized art or coloring pages of any kind will be accepted.
14. All paintings must be in a sturdy frame and ready to hang with the wire picture hangers or eye screws with wire attached directly to the frame. No masking tape, duct tape, staples, or saw tooth hangers will be accepted. The only exception to this rule is oil or acrylic paintings on a stretched canvas, which do not need to be framed.
15. Only one (1) piece in each media or division will be accepted.
16. Exhibits shall not be over 24" x 36" outside frame measurements.

Premiums \$8, 4, 2, honorable mention

Division 1 - Acrylics

Division 2 - Charcoal

Division 3 - Colored Pencil

Division 4 - Mixed Media - must include 2 different divisions

Division 5 - Oil

Division 6 - Pastel

Division 7 - Pen & Ink Drawing

Division 8 - Pencil Drawing

Division 9 - Watercolors

Division 10 - Any Media

Dept 43 Section 2 - Photographs

Premiums \$8, 4, 2, honorable mention

Rules:

1. Photos must be mounted with 11" x 14" **stiff foam board only**. There will be no exceptions to this rule.
2. If photo is 11" x 14", the full-sized mounting on the stiff foam board is permitted.
3. Photos will be accepted only on photo paper. No Xerox, copy paper, etc.
4. Photos with any type of frame will not be accepted, including plastic covers or shrink wrap.
5. Photos must be taken in the past year by the exhibitor but there are to be **NO dates on the photos**. There will be no exceptions to this rule either as suggested by past professional judges.
6. Exhibitors may enter one (1) photo in each division up to a total of four (4) entries per person in the entire adult photography department.

Division 1 - Black & White or Color

1. Abstract/Experimental Sepia Toned
3. Technology/Mechanics

2. Architecture/Structural Elements/Sculptures
4. Still Life/Pattern Shots

Division 2 - Black & White or Color - Animal

1. Portrait - domestic or zoo, focus on facial features
3. Wildlife - local species in normal habitat

2. Activity - domestic or zoo, typical of species
4. Invertebrates - insects, spiders, larva, crabs, etc.

Division 3 - Black & White or Color - Floral

1. Cultivated

2. Wild

Division 4 - Black & White or Color - Human Interest

1. Portraits - focus on the facial features of the subject

2. Activity - focus on the activity, features incidental

Division 5 - Black & White or Color - Scene

- 1. Popular Crawford County Scenes - identifiable as only Crawford Co
- 2. SSSS - sunrise, sunset, storm, sky

Division 6 - Black & White or Color - Color, Computer Enhanced Photography

Dept 43 Section 3 - Handicrafts

Rules:

- 1. All exhibits must have been done by the exhibitors during the past year.
- 2. Ceramic articles should have identification marks to indicate that they are originals.
- 3. Only one (1) piece in each sub-division will be accepted. This does NOT mean one pair, one grouping, etc. - only one item. No extensions. No add-ons. No exceptions!
- 4. Pieces which are parts of sets, groups, etc. cannot be entered in different classes.
- 5. No group entries will be accepted.
- 6. A piece MUST fulfill the requirements of the class in which it is exhibited.
- 7. A piece will be placed in the class MOST appropriate to avoid duplications.
- 8. Due to limited space, articles may not be displayed to their fullest advantage. This will not affect judging in anyway.
- 9. Craft exhibits maximum size shall NOT be over 24" in height and 18" in width, and 24" in length except where special division requirements are printed.

Premiums \$8, 4, 2, honorable mention

Division 1 - Handicrafts

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| 1. Artificial Floral Arrangements | 2. Basketry - hand woven only | 3. Bead Work - not jewelry |
| 4. Button Art - pins, necklaces, bracelets or pictures completely buttons, no sets, 1 | 5. Ceramic
a. Item not to exceed 12" any direction
b. Item over 12" up to 24" any direction | 6. Cone and/or Nut Work |
| 7. Creative Christmas Articles - for crafts with no sub-division | 8. Creative Holiday Articles - not Christmas, for crafts without sub-division | 9. Creative and/or Traditional Dolls - doll is crafted created, not sewn |
| 10. Creative Flowers - each flower must be created | 11. Decorative Wreath - not holiday | 12. Decorative Wreath - holiday |
| 13. Decorative Painting - not framed, realistic, animal, landscapes, flowers, etc.
a. Item not to exceed 12" any direction
b. Item over 12" up to 24" any direction | 14. Decoupage | 15. Folk Art/Tole Painting - not framed, traditional designs using comma strokes, S-strokes & C-strokes, limited color palette, based on primary colors
a. Item not to exceed 12" any direction
b. Item over 12" up to 24" any direction |
| 16. Gift Wrappings - max 12"x12"x12" item
a. Christmas
b. Any Holiday - not Christmas
c. Any Special Occasion | 17. Glass Etching | 18. Hand Built or Thrown Pottery/Stoneware |
| 19. Hand Made Candles | 20. Hand Made Duct Tape Objects | 21. Hand Woven Pieces |
| 22. Hat Decorating - embellished with silk and/or dried flowers, may include other adornments | 23. Jewelry Work - no sets, one piece only, no macramé or button art | 24. Macramé |
| 25. Metal Craft | 26. Mosaic - small pieces of colored glass, stone or other material ot to exceed 24" any direction | 27. Paper Crafts - must be quilling, origami or scherenschitte |
| 28. Polymer or Model Clay Craft | 29. Scrap-Boxing - hybrid medium of scrap-book & glass enclosed shadow box. Each box must be enclosed in glass and not exceed 10"x12", must contain mixed media collage heralding a special or everyday occasion. May include photos, snapshots, sovenirs, postcards, trinkets, etc. | 30. Sculpture - for crafts without a sub-division |
| 31. Seed Work and/or Natural Dried Arrangement | 32. Shell Work | 33. Stain Glass Work - pieces of glass held with metal strips |

34. Wall Hangings - not wreaths, crafts with- out separate sub-division
35. Wood Crafts - must be carved, whittled or segment turned, no wood burning
 - a. Item not to exceed 12" any direction
 - b. Item over 12" up to 24" any direction

Best of Show awards will be presented in respective divisions.

Dept 43 Section 4 - Special Needs Adult - Art - Photography - Crafts

Rules:

1. This department recognizes the special needs of citizens who are intellectually disabled, communication or physically handicapped and who would qualify as residents of long-term care or nursing-home facilities. This section is for these individuals only.
2. All exhibits must have been done by the exhibitors no commercial articles, kits or coloring pages will be accepted.
3. All exhibitors must follow the same rules as listed for Adult Art-Photography- Crafts.
4. Ceramic articles should have identification marks to indicate that they are originals.
5. Only one (1) piece in each sub-division will be accepted.
6. All paintings must be in a sturdy frame, ready to hang with wire picture hangers or eye screws attached directly to the frame only. No masking tape, duct tape, staples, or saw tooth hangers will be accepted. All work must have proper backing to be accepted. No exceptions to this rule!
7. Craft exhibits shall not be over 24" in height, 18" in width, and 24" in length except when otherwise printed.
8. Photos must be mounted on 11"x 14" foam board or mat board only without any type of decoration. No other type of paper will be accepted. Photos in any type of frame will not be accepted. Photos will be accepted only on photo paper; no Xerox, copy paper, etc.
9. No group entries will be accepted.

Premiums \$4, 3, 2, honorable mention

Division 1 - Art

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| 1. Acrylics, Oil or Acrylic Crayon | 2. Chalk, Pastel, Pencil or Charcoal | 3. Pencil Drawings - color or black & white | 4. Watercolor - Tempera or Marker |
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Division 2 - Handcrafts

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| 1. Bead Work - not jewelry, crafts no separate sub-division | 2. Ceramic - not to exceed 24" any direction | 3. Decorative Entry - crafts without a separate sub-division | 4. Decorative Wreath |
| 5. Holiday Article - Christmas, not plastic canvas | 6. Holiday Article - not Christmas, not plastic canvas | 7. Household Item - not plastic canvas, crafts no separate subdivision | 8. Jewelry Piece - no sets, 1 piece, no beadwork, not listed in another category |
| 9. Plastic Canvas <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Decorative - not holiday b. Holiday c. Useful Article | 10. Polymer or Model Clay | 11. Wall Hangings - not wreaths, items without a separate subdivision | 12. Wood Crafts - not to exceed 24" any direction, items without separate subdivision |

Division 3 - Photography

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| 1. Color or Black & White - animal | 2. Color or Black & White - human interest | 3. Color or Black & White - scene |
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Best of Show Award will be chosen from all blue ribbon winners in this section

Dept 43 Section 5 - French Creek Conservancy 2022 Photo Contest

40th Anniversary Photo Contest

Two Categories:

Landscape - Pictures must include French Creek

Watershed - Pictures representing flora, fauna and fun in the French Creek Watershed

Rules:

1. Exhibitors limited to one entry per category.
2. If photo is 11" x 14", the full sized mounting on the stiff foam board is permitted.
3. Photos will be accepted only on photo paper; no Xerox, copy paper, etc.
4. Photos with any type of frame will not be accepted, including plastic covers, etc
5. Photos must be taken in the past year by the exhibitor.
6. Nudity, violence or suggestive photos are not permitted for entry.