



DEPARTMENT 18 - NEEDLECRAFT

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1. Enter online at entries.huntingdoncountyfair.com or send completed General Entry Form to the Fair Office by July 1.
2. Entries must be entered on Saturday, August 3, from 11-5 p.m. in Neary Hall and removed Saturday, August 10, from 9-noon.
3. One entry per person in each class.
4. All articles must have been completed by the exhibitor since the close of last year's fair. No article accepted from prior years.
5. Articles must be free of stains, discolorations or soiling. Clothing must be laundered and pressed.
6. Pictures must be framed and wired to hang.
7. The judge reserves the right to award the placing that the exhibit merits regardless of the number of entries.
8. Judges Choice Rosette(s) will be awarded at judge's discretion for exhibit(s) on the basis of outstanding appeal to the judge.
9. Reasonable care will be taken to protect all exhibits on display from all injury and damage. The fair is not responsible for accidents, loss, or damage by water, fire, theft, or otherwise, whatever may be the cause or extent of the damage or loss.
10. All labels are to be covered.
11. The exhibitor may include a sleeve on the back of a quilt that is not in a wall hanging class to protect the quilt if it is hung. The sleeve will not affect the quilt judging.

BASIS FOR JUDGING NEEDLECRAFT EXHIBITS:

Worth of article

Design – simplicity of line, harmony of color, appropriateness

Materials and trimmings – appropriateness and suitability for use for which it was made

Workmanship – method of construction, choice and execution of stitches

Section 1 - Clothing

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2

01. CHILDREN'S GARMENTS

02. ADULTS' GARMENTS

03. APRON - BIB

04. APRON - HALF

ART TO WEAR

Garments including hand dyed fabrics, fabric manipulation, pieced, or quilted items

05. Jacket

06. Vest

07. Other

Section 2 – Needlework

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$7	\$5	\$3

BEDSPREADS

08. Crocheted

09. Embroidered

10. Other

PICTURES UNDER 12x12" CLOTH SIZE

(framed, ready to hang)

11. Embroidered

12. Cross Stitch

13. Counted Cross Stitch

14. Needlepoint

15. Other

PICTURES 12" min. - 20" max. CLOTH SIZE

(framed, ready to hang)

16. Embroidered

17. Cross Stitch

18. Counted Cross Stitch

19. Needlepoint

20. Other

PICTURES OVER 20x20" CLOTH SIZE

(framed, ready to hang)

21. Embroidered

22. Cross Stitch

23. Counted Cross Stitch

24. Needlepoint

25. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$5	\$4	\$3

DOILIES/CENTERPIECES/SCARVES – any size

26. Crocheted Edge

27. Solid Crochet

28. Cross Stitch

29. Embroidered

30. Knitted

31. Appliqué

32. Other

PILLOWS AND CUSHIONS

33. Crocheted

34. Embroidered

35. Knitted

36. Counted Cross Stitch

37. Patchwork

38. Hand Quilted

39. Machine Quilted

40. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2
PILLOWCASES			
41. Crocheted Edge			44. Embroidered
42. Appliqué			45. Other
43. Cross Stitch			

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$7	\$5	\$3
TABLECLOTHS/TABLE COVERINGS			
46. Crocheted Edge			50. Appliqué
47. Solid Crochet			51. Hand Quilted
48. Cross Stitch			52. Machine Quilted
49. Embroidered			53. Woven
			54. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2
TABLE RUNNERS			
55. Hand Quilted			
56. Machine Quilted			
57. Woven			
58. Other			
TOWELS			
59. Decorative Edge			
60. Decorated – other than edge			
61. Other			

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$5	\$4	\$3
PURSES/TOTE BAGS			
62. Crocheted			65. Knitted
63. Felted			66. Other
64. Quilted			

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2
POT HOLDERS			
67. Crocheted			70. Knitted
68. Hand Quilted			71. Other
69. Machine Quilted			

DISHCLOTHS			
72. Crocheted			
73. Knitted			
74. Other			

PLACEMATS			
75. Crocheted			77. Machine Quilted
76. Hand Quilted			78. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$5	\$4	\$3
WEARING APPAREL – CROCHETING			
79. Accessory			85. Scarf
80. Shawl			86. Gloves, with fingers
81. Adult’s Garment			87. Gloves, without fingers
82. Child’s Garment			88. Mittens
83. Hat			89. Cowl
84. Baby Layout (<i>hat, sweater, booties</i>)			90. Ensemble

WEARING APPAREL – KNITTING			
91. Accessory			96. Hat
92. Adult’s Garment			97. Gloves, with fingers
93. Child’s Garment			98. Gloves, without fingers
94. Shawl			99. Mittens
95. Scarf			100. Cowl
			101. Ensemble

WEARING APPAREL – DECORATED CLOTHING			
102. Applique			104. Embroidered – Machine
103. Embroidered – Hand			105. Other (must include needlework)

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2
MISCELLANEOUS			
106. Toy – Handmade			109. Holiday Item
107. Doll – Handmade			110. Other
108. Useful Article			

Section 3 – Afghans and Quilts

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$6	\$5	\$4
BABY AFGHANS - 36x36” and smaller			
111. Crocheted			
112. Knitted			
113. Other			

AFGHANS - 47x60” and smaller			
114. Crocheted			
115. Knitted			
116. Other			

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$8	\$7	\$6
AFGHANS - 48x60” and larger			
117. Crocheted			
118. Knitted			
119. Other			

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$15	\$12	\$10

QUILTS

Handquilted

120. Appliqué	124. Mixed Methods
121. Embroidered	125. Pieced
122. Whole Cloth	126. Printed
123. Kits	127. Other

Machine Quilted – Short Arm

128. Appliqué	132. Pieced
129. Preprinted	133. Kits
130. Embroidered	134. Mixed Methods
131. Whole Cloth	135. Other

Machine Quilted – Long Arm

136. Appliqué	140. Pieced
137. Embroidered	141. Kits
138. Preprinted	142. Mixed Methods
139. Whole Cloth	143. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$8	\$7	\$6

QUILTS - CHILD

Hand Quilted

144. Appliqué	147. Pieced
145. Embroidered	148. Other
146. Kits	

QUILTS - CHILD

Machine Quilted

149. Appliqué	152. Pieced
150. Embroidered	153. Other
151. Kits	

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$10	\$8	\$6

RUGS – base size no larger than 4x6'

170. Braided	174. Knitted
171. Crocheted	175. Latch hook
172. Wool/felt appliqué	176. Woven
173. Hooked	177. Other

Section 4 – Rugs

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$4	\$3	\$2

FELTED WOOL - NEEDLE FELTING

178. Pin	182. Hat
179. Candle mat over 12"	183. Purse
180. Candle mat under 12"	184. Other
181. Wall Hanging	

NEEDLE PUNCH

185. Pin	189. Hat
186. Candle mat over 12"	190. Purse
187. Candle mat under 12"	191. Recycled/Repurposed
188. Wall Hanging	192. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$8	\$6	\$4

COMFORTERS - Knotted/Tied

154. Pieced
155. Embroidered
156. Other

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$15	\$12	\$10

GROUP MADE QUILTS

Senior Citizens, Nursing Homes, Granges, Churches, etc.

157. Group Made Quilts

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$5	\$4	\$3

MINIATURE QUILT – under 30"

158. Hand quilted
159. Machine quilted

QUILTED WALL HANGING - hand quilted

160. Pieced	163. Stained Glass
161. Appliqué	164. Other
162. Kit	

QUILTED WALL HANGING - machine quilted

165. Pieced	168. Stained Glass
166. Appliqué	169. Other
167. Kit	

Section 5 - Wool

WOOL FELT APPLIQUÉ

193. Pin	197. Hat
194. Candle mat over 12"	198. Purse
195. Candle mat under 12"	199. Recycled/Repurposed
196. Wall Hanging	200. Other

WOOL APPAREL (100% wool fabric, home sewn)

201. Coat/Jacket	205. Dress
202. Suit	206. Vest/Poncho
203. Pants	207. Accessory
204. Skirt	208. Other

WOOL APPAREL - KNITTED

(100% wool yarn, hand or commercial spun)

- 209. Sweater
- 210. Vest
- 211. Cowl
- 212. Scarf
- 213. Shawl
- 214. Mittens
- 215. Goves, with fingers
- 216. Gloves, without fingers
- 217. Socks
- 218. Hats
- 219. Ponchos
- 220. Other

WOOL APPAREL - CROCHETED

(100% wool yarn, hand or commercial spun)

- 221. Sweater
- 222. Vest
- 223. Cowl
- 224. Scarf
- 225. Shawl
- 226. Mittens
- 227. Goves, with fingers
- 228. Gloves, without fingers
- 229. Socks
- 230. Hats
- 231. Ponchos
- 232. Other

WOOL - WEAVING (at least 75% wool)

- 233. Shawl
- 234. Table Runner
- 235. Placemat
- 236. Coverlet or Throw
- 237. Other

Section 6 - Junior Division (8 to 19 years)

Description, Class Number, and Premiums — same as listed in Sections 1 through 5.

Section 7 – 2024 Quilt Block Contest

The theme for the 2023 Quilt Block contest is “Down on the Farm.” This block design will be quilter’s choice in design and color but must contain something related to farm life. Each block will become the property of the Huntingdon County Fair. The blocks will be made into a quilt for the 2025 Huntingdon County Fair and subsequently displayed in the Needlework area. In 2026, the completed quilt will be on display and chances will be sold during the fair. The winning name will be drawn on Saturday night of the fair. Proceeds will benefit an area non-profit organization.

- a. Each block must be 12½ x12½ ” including the seam allowance.
- b. Each block must be made of 100% cotton, prewashed and treated to prevent bleeding.
- c. No buttons, charms or paint may be included.
- d. One entry per exhibitor for judging.
- e. Blocks may not include batting or backing and may not be quilted.

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$8	\$6	\$4

- 01. Quilt Block Contest - pieced
- 02. Quilt Block Contest - appliqued

Section 10 - Homespun Yarn

- 1. Each skein needs to be spun by the entrant alone and wound neatly with the two ends of the skein tied together. Secure a tag on each skein indicating the fiber content.
- 2. Skeins should be at least 2 ounces and securely tied in 3 places.

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$10	\$8	\$5

SKEINS, fiber dyed and prepared by spinner (1)

- 01. Fine singles yarn
- 02. Medium to thick singles yarn
- 03. Fine plied yarn
- 04. Medium plied yarn
- 05. Thick plied yarn

	<i>1st</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>3rd</i>
<u>CLASS</u>	\$10	\$8	\$5

SKEINS, commercially prepared fiber (1)

- 06. Fine singles yarn
- 07. Medium to thick singles yarn
- 08. Fine plied yarn
- 09. Medium plied yarn
- 10. Thick plied yarn

- 11. Handspinners dyed yarn basket - a minimum of one pound of yarn spun in any manner for use in one project displayed in a basket. Include a description of the fiber techniques used to spin the yarn and its intended use.
- 12. Huntingdon County Homespun Yarn - Huntingdon County residents may exhibit one skein of yarn of their choice. Judged on overall quality.

Section 8 – Needlecraft Champions

Best of Show – Clothing	Rosette	Best of Show – Wool	Rosette
Best of Show – Needlework and Rugs	Rosette	Best of Show – Junior Division	Rosette
Best of Show – Quilts	Rosette	Judge’s Choice - Afghans and Quilts	Rosette
Best of Show – Afghan	Rosette		

