

**DEPARTMENT 18  
JUNIOR CULTURAL ARTS  
(Arts and Crafts)**



Superintendents – Kris Terpstra and Jackie Thingvold

**Department Regulations:**

- Only 1 entry per item per exhibitor. Exhibitors are limited to no more than 25 articles on the entry form in classes A-W.
- Original work is preferred for all arts and crafts exhibits unless entry is specified a kit.
- If entry has an identified category that it can be entered in, you cannot enter it in an "OTHER" category.
- All articles should be in an appropriate, finished form, e.g. drawings/paintings matted, needlework hemmed, etc. Framing optional.
- Drawings and paintings may be stapled for display if there is no other way of hanging them.
- Class A – H cannot be on wood, rocks etc. Art must be on canvas, paper, etc. Cannot be a kit/page that is just colored.
- Drawings, paintings, ceramics, clay and sculpture exhibits, (Class A-L), must be dated and signed or initialed unless otherwise indicated.
- Maximum size of articles at time of entry is 24"x24" in Classes A-W except where listed. There is no minimum size.**
- The following are not to be entered in Department 18:
  - \*\*Small wooden items (not craft in nature) need to be entered in Dept. 22, Woodworking. Member must also be enrolled in the Woodworking project. It will be the discretion of the superintendents to determine if a wooden item is properly entered as a craft for an Art & Craft exhibit.
  - \*\*Knitting and crocheting items (not craft in nature) need to be entered in Dept. 27, Knitting & Crocheting. Member must also be enrolled in the Knitting & Crocheting project. It will be the discretion of the superintendents to determine if a knitted or crocheted item is properly entered as a craft for an Art & Craft exhibit.
  - \*\*Tie blankets belong in Home Furnishings (Dept 28).
- 3"x5" cards are REQUIRED to explain art entered in Mixed Media, Other, or Recycled Craft (i.e. media used, items recycled, etc.--see specific project). If there is something you want the judge to know about any art, feel free to write on the back of your tag or attach a 3"x5" card.
- It is suggested that small paper products be put in Ziploc bag or page protectors. i.e class N, O, R, S Other fragile projects may be placed in bags, boxes, as needed. NOTE: We cannot prevent damage from breakage, weather, etc.
- Projects must have been completed since June 1 of the previous fair year.
- Some exhibits may be selected for State Fair and/or the Pump House Art Exhibit.
- Projects received after 12:00 noon on Wednesday, the first day of the fair, will be an automatic 4th place.
- Projects will be marked down one place for each requirement missed, i.e. signature, date, matting when required.
- Exhibit must be 4-H appropriate.
- N/A means this item is not allowed for this grade level.

**Premiums:**

1st \$2.00 2nd \$1.75 3rd \$1.50 4th \$1.25

**CLASS A – DRAWING / INK (ex. pen and marker)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5 Item No.	6-8 Item No.	9-13 Item No.	
1	12	23	Still life
2	13	24	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)

3	14	25	Animal(s)
4	15	26	Human portrait or figure
5	16	27	Cartoon
6	17	28	Abstract
7	18	29	Surreal/Fantasy
8	19	30	Building (interior/exterior)
9	20	31	Flowers/plants
10	21	32	Transportation
11	22	33	Shape (word art)

**CLASS B – DRAWING / PENCIL (ex. colored pencil, pencil)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5 Item No.	6-8 Item No.	9-13 Item No.	
1	12	23	Still life
2	13	24	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3	14	25	Animal(s)
4	15	26	Human portrait or figure
5	16	27	Cartoon
6	17	28	Abstract
7	18	29	Surreal/Fantasy
8	19	30	Building (interior/exterior)
9	20	31	Flowers/plants
10	21	32	Transportation
11	22	33	Shape (word art)

**CLASS C – DRAWING / PASTEL, CHALK OR CHARCOAL (must use spray fixative)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5 Item No.	6-8 Item No.	9-13 Item No.	
1	12	23	Still life
2	13	24	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3	14	25	Animal(s)
4	15	26	Human portrait or figure
5	16	27	Cartoon
6	17	28	Abstract
7	18	29	Surreal/Fantasy
8	19	30	Building (interior/exterior)
9	20	31	Flowers/plants
10	21	32	Transportation
11	22	33	Shape (word art)

**CLASS D – DRAWING / CRAYON**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5 Item No.	6-8 Item No.	9-13 Item No.	
1	12	23	Still life
2	13	24	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3	14	25	Animal(s)
4	15	26	Human portrait or figure
5	16	27	Cartoon
6	17	28	Abstract
7	18	29	Surreal/Fantasy
8	19	30	Building (interior/exterior)
9	20	31	Flowers/plants
10	21	32	Transportation
11	22	33	Shape (word art)

**CLASS E – PAINTING / WATERCOLORS**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5 Item No.	6-8 Item No.	9-13 Item No.	
1	11	21	Still life
2	12	22	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)
3	13	23	Animal(s)
4	14	24	Human portrait or figure
5	15	25	Cartoon
6	16	26	Abstract
7	17	27	Surreal/Fantasy

8	18	28	Building (interior/exterior)
9	19	29	Flowers/plants
10	20	30	Transportation

**CLASS F – PAINTING / ACRYLICS AND OILS**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	11	21	Still life		
2	12	22	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)		
3	13	23	Animal(s)		
4	14	24	Human portrait or figure		
5	15	25	Cartoon		
6	16	26	Abstract		
7	17	27	Surreal/Fantasy		
8	18	28	Building (interior/exterior)		
9	19	29	Flowers/plants		
10	20	30	Transportation		

**CLASS G – PAINTING / TEMPRA**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	11	21	Still life		
2	12	22	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)		
3	13	23	Animal(s)		
4	14	24	Human portrait or figure		
5	15	25	Cartoon		
6	16	26	Abstract		
7	17	27	Surreal/Fantasy		
8	18	28	Building (interior/exterior)		
9	19	29	Flowers/plants		
10	20	30	Transportation		

**CLASS H – PAINTING / MIXED MEDIA (ex. a combination of any two or more mixed media). Must include information on type of media used.**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	11	21	Still life		
2	12	22	Outdoor scene (land, water, city)		
3	13	23	Animal(s)		
4	14	24	Human portrait or figure		
5	15	25	Cartoon		
6	16	26	Abstract		
7	17	27	Surreal/Fantasy		
8	18	28	Building (interior/exterior)		
9	19	29	Flowers/plants		
10	20	30	Transportation		

**CLASS I – OTHER PAINTING / DRAWING**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	9	17	Glass etching		
2	10	18	Air brush		
3	11	19	Design painted on a piece of wood, metal, or glass		
4	12	20	Tole painting, rosemaling		
5	13	21	Sketch book		
6	14	22	Scratch board (no signing)		
7	15	23	Paint by number (no signing)		
8	16	N/A	Fuzzy poster kit (no signing)		

**CLASS J – CERAMICS COMMERCIAL MOLD**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	31	61	Item with stained finish i.e. Clover College		

2	32	62	Ceramic, over 50% w/underglaze
3	33	63	Ceramic, w/under glaze, under 50%
4	34	64	Ceramic, glazed, over 8"
5	35	65	Ceramic, glazed under 8"
6	36	66	Ceramic, glazed w/special effects, over 8"
7	37	67	Ceramic, glazed w/special effects, over 8"
8	38	68	Ceramic, unfired stain, over 8"
9	39	69	Ceramic, unfired stain, under 8"
10	40	70	Ceramic, unfired stain, special effect, over 8"
11	41	71	Ceramic, unfired stain, special effect, under 8"
12	42	72	Ceramic, unfired stain, with more than one piece to project
13	43	73	Ceramic, more than 2 special effects
14	44	74	Ceramic, dry brush, over 8"
15	45	75	Ceramic, dry brush, under 8"
16	46	76	Ceramic, any finish (glazed, under glazed or unfired stain) or size that lights up; ex, Christmas village, jack-o-lantern, lamps
17	47	77	Ceramics, wildlife, over 8"
18	48	78	Ceramics, wildlife, under 8"
19	49	79	Wall decoration which is at least 75% ceramic, over 10" wide
20	50	80	Wall decoration which is at least 75% ceramic, under 10" wide
21	51	81	Ceramic Christmas decoration, over 8"
22	52	82	Ceramic Christmas decoration, under 8"
23	53	83	Ceramic Halloween decoration
24	54	84	Ceramic, any other holiday decoration
25	55	85	Ceramic, any seasonal decoration
26	56	86	Ceramic, any other not mentioned

**CLASS K – HAND-BUILT CLAY**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	8	15	Item using pinch method		
2	9	16	Item using coil method		
3	10	17	Item using slab, press, or drape method		
4	11	18	Item wheel-thrown		
5	12	19	Item using mixed methods (include card explaining method)		
6	13	20	Item from air dried clay		
7	14	21	Item from oven-baked clay, not kiln fired (eg. femo, scupy)		

**CLASS L – SCULPTURE/THREE DIMENSIONAL ART (No jewelry)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5		6-8		9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>
1	8	15	Paper Mache, animal or human form		
2	9	16	Paper Mache, functional item		

3	10	17	(bowl, vase, etc)
4	11	18	Paper Mache, other
5	12	19	Wire sculpture (no signing)
6	13	20	Soft sculpture (no signing)
7	14	21	Plaster sculpture
			Any other sculpture / carving

**CLASS M – CREATIVE STITCHERY, MACRAME, LATCH HOOK, FABRIC DESIGN, WEAVING (if framed, back must be visible)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	22	43	Decorative stitchery
2	23	44	Sample of 8 common embroidery stitches (not a drawing)
3	24	45	Crewel embroidery
4	25	46	Needlepoint
5	26	47	Counted cross stitch
6	27	48	Stamped cross stitch
7	28	49	Quick Point
8	29	50	Plastic canvas stitchery
9	30	51	Punch craft
10	31	52	Ribbon embroidery
11	32	53	Candlewicking
12	33	54	Tatting
13	34	55	Macramé, sampler showing 4 commonly used knots (not a drawing)
14	35	56	Macramé, other item (no jewelry)
15	36	57	Latch hook
16	37	58	Batik (not on paper)
17	38	59	Tie dye
18	39	60	Fabric, painted
20	41	62	Woven article
21	42	63	Coiled weaving, any article

**CLASS N – STENCILING (Put in plastic Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item))**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	6	11	On paper, using pencils or crayons
2	7	12	On paper using paints
3	8	13	On fabric, using paints
4	9	14	On wood or metal, using paints
5	10	15	Other stencil

**CLASS O – BLOCK PRINTING/STAMPING**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	7	13	Stamp prints (from found objects, vegetable, potato, eraser, etc.) Describe stamp used for the exhibit.
<b>Carved and Constructed Items - Bring items used to print in Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item.</b>			
2	8	14	Carved block print (cardboard, linoleum, wood)
3	9	15	Constructed block print (string, glue, collage, etc.)
4	10	16	Decorative art made from commercial rubber stamp(s)
5	11	17	Greeting card or stationery made with commercial rubber stamp(s)
6	12	18	Other paper project made with commercial rubber stamp(s)

**CLASS P – BASKETRY and DOLLS**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	16	31	Basketry – Natural fibers
2	17	32	Basketry – Coiled
3	18	33	Basketry – Synthetic fibers
4	19	34	Basketry – Paper twist
5	20	35	Basketry – Other
6	21	36	Doll – Corn husk/Papertwist
7	22	37	Doll – Mop
8	23	38	Doll – Clothespin
9	24	39	Doll – Fabric
10	25	40	Doll – Wooden
11	26	41	Doll – Spool
12	27	42	Doll – Other
13	28	43	Shadowbox of room for a doll
14	29	44	Miniature dollhouse furniture item
15	30	45	Miniature dollhouse accessory

**CLASS Q – EGG ART-On whole eggs or shells (except sugar eggs). Must be in a display container. (Eggs have to be blown out.) One egg per container.**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	9	17	Wax resist dyed (Ukrainian egg)
2	10	18	Natural dyes, (must list natural ingredient(s) used)
3	11	19	Synthetic dyes
4	12	20	Covered eggs (quilled, beaded, etc.)
5	13	21	Painted eggs
6	14	22	Shadow box eggs
7	15	23	Sugar Eggs
8	16	24	Other

**CLASS R – PAPER CRAFT (Put in plastic Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item)**

**Member's Grade:**

3-5	6-8	9-13	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	21	41	Quilling
2	22	42	Origami/Kirigami stationery/cards-original
3	23	43	Origami/Kirigami single-original
4	24	44	Origami multiple original figures in a display
5	25	45	Origami kit
6	26	46	Silhouettes/Scherenschnitte
7	27	47	Homemade paper sampler (2 different samples of paper, 5"x7", with description of materials and methods used attached to tag board)
8	28	48	Decorative art made from Homemade paper
9	29	49	Embossed Paper (not rubber stamped)
10	30	50	Paper Molding
11	31	51	Memory page (must include date) 4-H record page
12	32	52	Memory page (must include date) trip/vacation
13	33	53	Memory page (must include date) important life event (i.e graduation / wedding)
14	34	54	Memory page (must include date) page about self
15	35	55	Memory page (must include date) 2 color only page

16	36	56	Memory page (must include date) page using at least 4 scrapbooking details (grommets, die cuts, stickers, etc., list details)
17	37	57	Memory page (must include date) 2 or 3 pages form scrapbook, coordinated by theme, color scheme, etc
18	38	58	Memory page (must include date) Page totally self created (photos you took, embellishments you made, shapes you cut, only then background paper purchased)
19	39	59	Paper Embroidery

**CLASS S – CALLIGRAPHY**

**Suggested styles: Gothic, Roman, Oriental, Mood Lettering, Original** (Put in plastic Ziploc bag or as appropriate to protect the item)

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	8	15	Logo design (business, school, other)
2	9	16	Announcements (wedding, birth, etc.-include 5 samples)
3	10	17	Certificates (Confirmation, awards, etc.)
4	11	18	Stationery (personal, business, etc.)
5	12	19	Prose or poetry
6	13	20	Cover design (book, calendar, album, etc.)

**CLASS T – JEWELRY - Secured in small box or on tag board (NOT entry card) of appropriate size. (Do not cover clasp)**

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	10	19	Bead jewelry item
2	11	20	Clay jewelry item
3	12	21	Paper jewelry item
4	13	22	Metal jewelry item (no purchased metal beads)
5	14	23	Natural material jewelry item
6	15	24	Fabric jewelry
7	16	25	Thread/yarn jewelry
8	17	26	Macramé jewelry
9	18	27	Other jewelry item

**CLASS U – BEADIE BUDDIES**

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	6	11	Pony Beads
2	7	12	Small Pony Beads
3	8	13	E Beads
4	9	14	Seed Beads
5	10	15	3 Dimensional

**CLASS V – SAND ART / CANDLES**

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	8	15	Sand art, container, original
2	9	16	Sand art, picture, kit
3	10	17	Sand art, picture, original
4	11	18	Candles, kit
5	12	19	Candles, original
6	13	20	Candles, molded
7	14	21	Candles, dipped

**CLASS W – OTHER CREATIVE WORKS**

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	28	55	Collage any media or combination of material
2	29	56	Art/craft promoting 4-H
3	30	57	Decoupage/Mod Podge
4	31	58	Casting (any article or object cast)
5	32	59	String Art
6	33	60	Article using wood burning technique
8	35	62	Handmade artificial flowers (corn husk, silk, etc.)
9	36	63	Natural material craft
10	37	64	Mobile, any material
11	38	65	Stained glass, original (no plastic or painting on glass)
12	39	66	Metal enameling/cloisonné
13	40	67	Creative shape design (no drawings)
14	41	68	Other art/craft, kit
15	42	69	Other art/craft, original
16	43	70	Leather craft, from a kit
17	44	71	Leather craft, original
18	45	72	Homemade or decorated picture frame
19	46	73	Computer generated art, original
20	47	74	Computer generated art, clip art
21	48	75	Book – evaluated on visual appearance
22	49	76	Tin punch
23	50	77	Mosaic art
24	51	78	Suncatcher
25	52	79	Holiday Ornament
26	53	80	Holiday Decoration
27	54	81	Recycled craft (decorative; Attach card telling what items were used and what the item will be used for.)

**CLASS X – PERFORMING ARTS-for members enrolled in Theatre Arts, Music and/or Clowning**

**Member's Grade:**

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	25	49	Scrapbook on music
2	26	50	Scrapbook on drama
3	27	51	Scrapbook in puppetry
4	28	52	Scrapbook on clown project
5	29	53	Scrapbook on topic related to music
6	30	54	Scrapbook on topic related to drama
7	31	55	Scrapbook on topic related to puppetry
8	32	56	Scrapbook on topic related to clowning
9	33	57	Script for musical
10	34	58	Script for play
11	35	59	Script for skit
12	36	60	Script for puppet show
13	37	61	Homemade musical instrument (include statement of how to play it)
14	38	62	Homemade puppet
15	39	63	Homemade clown costume or accessories, with card explaining use
16	40	64	Poster or display about costuming or make-up (drama)

17	41	65	or clowning) Written review of 2 or more performances related to the performing arts.
18	42	66	Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a play
19	43	67	Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a musical
20	44	68	Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a puppet show
21	45	69	Sketch, photo, or drawing and explanation of a set for a clown act
22	46	70	Any other project related to the performing arts
23	47	71	Poster showing different kinds of clowns or clown faces
24	48	72	Written record of your theater trunk. Include a photo of your trunk and a listing of what is inside, where you got it and what it could be used for.

There is a first come, first serve sign-up sheet beginning at 6:00 Wednesday evening at the Arts & Crafts area.

**CLASS Y – POSTER ART-for members enrolled in Project 314-Posters. All posters are to be 14"x22". (All posters should be taken to the stage of New Youth Building.)**

Member's Grade:

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	6	11	Poster that promotes 4-H
2	7	12	Poster that promotes the Fair
3	8	13	A three dimensional poster
4	9	14	A poster using an effective technique you have learned (label technique on attached 3"x5" card)
5	10	15	An ugly poster using wrong techniques (label wrong techniques on attached 3"x5" card)

**CLASS Z – COLLECTIONS (Exhibitor must be enrolled in collection project.)**

Member's Grade:

<u>3-5</u>	<u>6-8</u>	<u>9-13</u>	
<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
1	2	3	Collection (at least 10 items). May be any collection, baseball cards, coins, stamps, etc. <b>Must include written report on the collection, its history, where it came from, why collected, what it means to you, what you have learned from it.</b> A different exhibit must be made each year. A collection may be added to (at least 10 new items), but indicate starting point of new information.

Collections Note – For display and judging purposes, the following are required:

Minimum of 10 items from your collection.

**Photo and a brief description of your collection on poster board (no larger than 11"x14"). Collection will not be displayed**

Only picture and description will be left for display at the fair. Collections will be judged face to face. Bring collections to the New Youth Building on Wednesday between 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to meet with the judge.