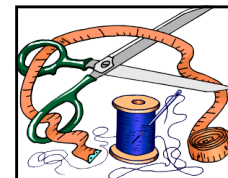


DEPARTMENT 11 ~ TEXTILE

Director in Charge
Sharen Cope
330-247-8557

ENTRY DEADLINE: Saturday, July 15, 2023
ENTRY FEES: .50¢ per entry
ENTRY DAYS: Saturday, July 22 Noon - 5:00 pm
 Sunday, July 23 Noon - 5:00 pm



THE ARTS & CRAFTS BUILDING WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL 9:00 A.M. TUESDAY FOR JUDGING

PLEASE NOTE:

DUE TO INCREASED COST, ENTRY TAGS WILL NO LONGER BE MAILED. TAGS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP IN THE ARTS & CRAFTS BUILDING ON SATURDAY, JULY 23 OR SUNDAY, JULY 24 FROM NOON TO 5:00 PM

Rules

- All entries must be at the Arts & Crafts Building between NOON - 5:00 pm, Saturday, July 23 and Sunday July 24
- Entry tags must be attached to exhibit BEFORE delivery to the Arts & Crafts Building.
- Place entry tag on right corner of material.
- Each article shown must be the work of the exhibitor.
- Entries limited to three entries per exhibitor per class.
- Any item designed to be hung must be equipped with a wire hanger. No sawtooth hangers.
- NO SOILED, WORN OR UNFINISHED ARTICLE, OR ANY ARTICLE THAT HAS BEEN SHOWN PREVIOUSLY WILL BE CONSIDERED.
- New work is given preference, and no article considered unworthy by the judge will be given a premium.
- Judge's decision is final.
- This department is NOT for professionals.
- NO PROFESSIONALS ALLOWED. A PROFESSIONAL is a person following an occupation as a means of livelihood or for gain.
- The Fair will use reasonable care, but will not, under ANY circumstances, be responsible for any loss or breakage which occurs.



LOT 1 - QUILTS AND BED COVERINGS

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

- | Class No. | Description |
|-----------|------------------------------|
| 1. | Any Hand Quilted Covering |
| 2. | Appliqued Quilt - Machine |
| 3. | Embroidered Quilt - Machine |
| 4. | Pieced Quilt - Machine |
| 5. | Baby Quilt - Machine |
| 6. | Wall Hanging Quilt - Machine |
| 7. | Quilt by a Group - Machine |
| 8. | Knotted Comforter |
| 9. | Knotted Baby Comforter |
| 10. | Table Runner - Table Cover |
| 11. | Christmas Tree Skirt |
| 12. | Mini Quilt under 24" square |
| 13. | Quilted Garment |
| 14. | Any Other - Specify |



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PREMIUM PAYMENT POLICY
 All premium monies will be paid out as follows:

**** Open Class Livestock & Junior Fair Premiums - Sunday (last day of fair) in the Fair Administration Office from 2 - 6 pm**

**** Open Class Departments 7-15 Premiums - in the Arts & Crafts Building during exhibit pick-up times**

NO CHECKS WILL BE MAILED: ALL PREMIUM MONIES WILL BE ISSUED IN CHECKS. PLEASE CASH ASAP; CHECKS ARE VOID AFTER 90 DAYS.

All checks not cashed within the 90-day time period and unclaimed within the designated times listed above will be considered a donation by the payee to the Columbiana County Fair.

LOT 2 - AFGHAN

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

- | Class No. | Description |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. | Crocheted Ripple |
| 2. | Crocheted Granny Square |
| 3. | Crocheted Shell or any variation |
| 4. | Crocheted Afghan Stitch Afghan |
| 5. | Crocheted Baby Afghan |
| 6. | Crocheted Afghan, any other |
| 7. | Knitted Afghan |
| 8. | Knitted Baby Afghan |
| 9. | Most Unique Use of Left Over Yarn |



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LOT 3 - NEEDLEWORK

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Needlepoint
2. Embroidery
3. Sampler
4. Stamped Cross Stitch
5. Beaded Item
6. Candlewicking
7. Ribbon Embroidery
8. Any Other - Please Specify



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LOT 4 - CROCHET WORK

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Doily or Centerpiece
2. Tablecloth
3. Adult Wearable Item
4. Child's Wearable Item
5. Baby Set
6. Scarf or Accessory
7. Toy
8. Animal
9. Doll Clothes
10. Any other, not afghan



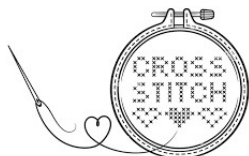
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LOT 5 - COUNTED CROSS STITCH

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Under 8x10 Picture, 11-14 ct
2. Over 8x10 Picture, 11-14 ct
3. Under 8x10 Picture, 22 ct
4. Over 8x10 Picture, 22 ct
5. Sampler
6. Animal
7. Mini Picture - under 3.5x5
8. Any Other - Specify



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LOT 6 - KNITTING

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Adult Wearable Item
2. Child's Wearable Item
3. Baby Set
4. Scarf or Accessory
5. Knitted Toys
6. Kitchen Accessories
7. Any other, not listed



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LOT 7 - PILLOWS

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Patchwork
2. Holiday
3. Crochet
4. Embroidered
5. Quilted
6. Applique
7. Machine Embroidery
8. Two or More Techniques
9. Any Other - Specify



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LOT 8 - SEWING

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Tops, any style
2. Bottoms, any style
3. Dress
4. Jacket
5. Youth Clothing
6. Sleepwear
7. Costume
8. Aprons
9. Pillowcase
10. Any Other - Specify



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Quilts by Cope
Sharen M. Cope, Owner
 31500 Winona Road
 Salem, OH. 44460
 330-247-8557

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LOT 9 - TOTE BAGS

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

- Size is not to exceed 15" x 24"
- Embroidery, yarn, etc. can be used to embellish.
- Hand constructed bag must be completely built by exhibitor

Class No. Description

1. Embellished Tote Bag
2. Hand Constructed Tote Bag
3. Quilted Tote Bag/Purse



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LOT 10 - RUGS

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

Class No. Description

1. Crocheted
2. Braided - Any Material
3. Loom Woven - Any Material
4. Any Other - Not Listed



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LOT 11 - JUNIOR DIVISION (Ages 8 & under)

LOT 12 - JUNIOR DIVISION (Ages 9-13)

LOT 13 - JUNIOR DIVISION (Ages 14-17)

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00
(Open to Juniors 17 and under - No Entry Fee)

Class No. Description

1. Quilt & Bed Covering
2. Needlework
3. Crotchet Work
4. Counted Cross Stitch
5. Knitting
6. Pillows
7. Sewing
8. Tote Bag
9. Rugs



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LOT 14 - JR DIVISION VETERAN'S BLANKET

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00
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LOT 15 - SR DIVISION VETERAN'S BLANKET

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

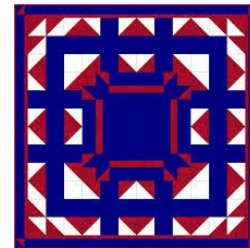
All entries will be judged and premiums awarded as they normally would. After judging, all entries will be displayed hanging from the ceiling of the Arts & Crafts Building at the fair. They will then be presented to county veterans September 10th, 2023 at the ceremony and dinner.

Requirements:

- Quilts & Afghans must be at least 40" x 60" (lap robe) size but no larger than twin.
- Items must be Red, White & Blue in color.
- All exhibitors will be required to sign the waiver form that acknowledges their agreement that their item will be gifted to the organizations listed and that they are receiving no compensation for their donation. Please remit the waiver to the fair office along with your entry form.

Class No. Description

1. Any Hand Quilt
2. Appliqued Quilt - Machine
3. Embroidered Quilt - Machine
4. Patchwork Quilt - Machine
5. Knotted Comforter
6. Afghan - Crocheted
7. Afghan - Knitted
8. Cross Stitch
9. No Sew Blankets
10. Any Other - Specify
11. Created by a Group



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LOT 16 - BLANKETS FOR BABIES

Premiums 1st \$4.00 2nd \$3.00 3rd \$2.00

In 2021 two large boxes of baby blankets were delivered to Akron Children's Hospital in Boardman. We received a beautiful "Thank-You" letter from them. In the letter, they also informed us that newborn blankets are no longer included with the handmade blankets, but children from one year and over will continue to receive them.

- Minimum size 36" x 48"

Class No. Description

1. Jr Division (ages 8 & under)
2. Jr Division (ages 9—13)

Class No. Description

3. Jr Division (ages 14—17)
4. Senior Division

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IT'S A GRAND OLD FLAG!



George M. Cohan wrote in 1906, over 100 years ago, the song “Grand Old Flag”, and it refers to the feeling we all get when the flag passes before us – whether it’s in the local parade in front of the high school marching band or at the beautiful Memorial Flag Pole area during the Veterans Recognition Ceremony held right here on the fairgrounds every September. I am one of those who gets choked up when the Stars & Stripes unfurls. As many of you are aware, we began the special category for recognizing our area Veterans in 2010 at a special ceremony held in front of the grandstand on Sunday morning, the final day of the fair. It was a beautiful sunny day and the ceremony was very special, emotional – yes, but special nonetheless. We were pleased to be able to recognize 14 Purple Heart Veterans at that time.

That afternoon after everything had settled down, Ex-Officio board member, Don Humphrey, the “Voice of the Fair”, said to me, “Sharen, I don’t see how we could ever top that – it was wonderful!” Well, here we are, all these years later and after we have presented many, many gorgeous red, white and blue quilts to those who have been nominated, and with the support of our gracious and supportive exhibitors, ready to do it again.

Our special category for the Arts & Craft department has always been to pay tribute to our Veterans, but after the first few years, it was decided that we also needed to recognize our First Responders, those who support our communities on a daily basis- Police, Fire, and EMT’s. And we have been able to present those nominees with patriotic quilts as well. However, after the first event, we realized that due to the fact that it had grown to such proportions, it would no longer be able to be held during the fair. So we decided that the appropriate time would be the weekend of September 11, a time of reflection for our nation due to the events of 9/11. In 2014, we were honored to host the Moving Wall, a tribute to those who perished in the Vietnam War. It was at that time that I petitioned our local County Commissioners to proclaim that weekend “Vietnam Veterans Weekend in Columbiana County”, which they graciously did.

Our ceremony for 2023 will take place on Sunday, September 10 at 1 p.m. For the past few years, we have been fortunate to be able to host a catered meal for those in attendance, thanks to the wonderful support of several of our local Veterans organizations. If you would like to nominate a Veteran or a First Responder to receive one of our quilts for this year, the nominees will receive notification of their nomination by mail from me, explaining the entire process.

Thanks to all those who have been a part of this program over the years and I look forward to being able to continue it for years to come. My deepest appreciation goes out to all of you who have assisted in this effort.

Sharen Cope, Director, Columbiana County Fair Board

CEREMONY OF RECOGNITION & PRESENTATION

Sunday, September 10, 2023 at 1:00 p.m.

Our Recognition Ceremony will be held at the Memorial Flag Pole on the South end of the racetrack. Seating will be provided. We will adjourn to the Arts & Craft building for the Quilt Presentation and dinner which follows.

Reservations are desired ~ 330-247-8557

★ If you know of a Veteran/First Responder that should be nominated, please forward their contact information ★
★ (Name, mailing address, phone number, if possible) ★
★ to :Columbiana County Fair ★
★ P.O. Box 356 ★
★ Lisbon, Oh. 44432 ★
★ c/o Sharen M. Cope, Director ★

WAIVER FORM

I/We understand that by entering the “*It’s a Grand Old Flag!*” category in the Arts and Crafts Department of the Columbiana County Fair, my entry will be donated to the charitable organization listed, after the Fair. The staff of Arts and Crafts will see that entries are delivered to the organization; no compensation will be made to me for my gift, although premiums and ribbons will be awarded to the winners.

Name/Group: _____ Exhibitor Number _____