

DEPARTMENT 5—HOUSEHOLD ARTS
Superintendent—Amy Cull
RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Judging will start at 8:30 p.m. on **Monday, August 7**
- All items must be placed for display on Monday, August 7th, from 5-8 p.m.
- Official release time is on Sunday, August 13th from 7-8 p.m.
- All articles must be the work of the exhibitor.**
- All articles must be clean and in good condition.
- All articles must be made in current year.
- If you have been a dealer or professional in the past or have earned 50% of your annual income by such means, you must enter as a Dealer/ Professional
- Exhibitors may enter two entries for each category in Classes I and II (apparel). Exhibits are limited to one entry per category for Class III through XIII
- No unfinished work will be judged.
- No premium will be awarded by the judge if exhibit is considered unworthy.
- Judging Criteria will be as follows:

A. Coordination of Color	10 pts.
B. Originality & Suitability	20 pts.
C. General Appearance	30 pts.
D. Workmanship	40 pts.
TOTAL	100 PTS.

CLASS I—MACHINE SEWING—Children's Wear

- Dress
- Sleepwear
- Pants/Shorts
- Blouse/Shirt/Vest
- Costume
- Coat/Jacket
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS II—MACHINE SEWING—Adult Apparel

- Dress
- Sleepwear
- Pants/Shorts
- Blouse/Shirt/Vest
- Costume
- Coat/Jacket
- Other

CLASS WINNER CLASS III—MACHINE SEWING—ACCESSORIES

- Apron
- Hat, Scarf or Shawl
- Purse
- Wallet or Clutch
- Totebag
- Baby Bib
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS IV—NEEDLEWORK (May be handwork on commercial items)

- Counted Cross Stitch
- Stamped Cross Stitch
- Crewel
- Embroidery
- Needle Point
- Punch Needle
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS V—HOUSEHOLD DÉCOR OR ITEM

- Casserole carrier or basket liner
- Placemats, Coaster or Potholder
- Table Runner
- Pencil Pouch, Makeup Bag or Zippered Pouch
- Gift Bag or Fabric Basket
- Pillow or Pillow Case
- Stuffed Toy
- Tree Skirt or Stocking
- Other Christmas or Holiday Decoration (any Holiday)
- Sewn Blanket or Sleeping Bag
- Pet Toy or Clothing
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS VI—RECYCLED ITEM (Must be made from fabric previously used for a different purpose—attach a picture of the original item)

- Apparel
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS VII—NO-SEW ITEMS

- Blanket
- Pillow
- Clothing Item or Accessory
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS VIII—CROCHET ITEMS

- Afghans/Bedspread
- Apparel, Infant or Child
- Apparel, Adult
- Doilies, Dresser Scarves
- Tablecloths
- Placemats
- Scarf or Shawl
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS IX—KNITTED ITEMS

- Hand Knitted Afghan
- Machine Knitted Afghan
- Hand Knitted Apparel—Child or Adult
- Machine Knitted Apparel—Child or Adult
- Hand Knitted Scarf or Shawl
- Machine Knitted Scarf or Shawl
- Hand Knitted Other
- Machine Knitted Other

CLASS WINNER

ERIE COUNTY FAIR

3110 Columbus Ave
 Sandusky, OH 44870

Phone: 419-625-1000; Fax: 419-621-1400

E-Mail: Eriecountyfairsecretary15@gmail.com

Website: www.ErieFair.com

FAIR DATES: August 8-13, 2017

ENTRIES CLOSE: July 28, 2017

OPEN CLASS ENTRY FORM

Please Print Clearly and Fill In Completely

NAME: _____ EXHIBITOR NO. _____ BY FAIR BD. OFC

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ COUNTY: _____

Email Address _____

Please Indicate Open Class Level: Amateur _____ Professional _____

Dept.	Class	Cat.	Description of Entry

Payment must accompany entry.
 Return Form and Payment Payable to:
Erie County Agricultural Society
 P.O. Box 2436
 Sandusky, OH 44870

TICKETS: For admission to Fair - all week and entry fee for Open Classes

Youth under 18:	\$5.00
Season:	\$25.00
Membership*:	\$25.00

*A voting membership ticket for Erie County residents, ONLY. Ticket must be picked up in the Fair Board Office

Signature _____

**OPEN CLASS SHOW
RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE
ERIE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY**

General Information

- BE SURE TO READ:** (1) All rules imposed by the Erie County Agricultural Society; (2) All rules imposed by the State of Ohio; (3) All specific instructions under the department in which you wish to enter; (4) The summary of rules on the entry form.
- Questions which arise will be answered by the department superintendents.
- The Erie County Fair Board reserves the sole and absolute right to construe its own rules and regulations and to determine arbitrarily on matters and differences in regard thereto, from which there is no appeal.
- Security and Police officers are on duty on the grounds during the continuance of the Fair. The Erie County Fair Board is not and will not be responsible for damage, loss, or accident that may occur. Exhibitors are requested to give attention to their items during the Fair.**
- Disrespect by an exhibitor or agent toward officials, or any misrepresentation, in regard to entries in any department either by statements made or facts omitted, will render the entry ineligible to compete, and no premium will be paid.
- Competition is open to all counties in Ohio.
- All open class exhibitors must hold a membership ticket, season ticket, or youth wristband.**
- All entries must be made in the name of the owner of the article.
- Entries should be recorded on forms provided and mailed to the Erie County Agricultural Society, PO Box 2436, Sandusky, Ohio, 44870.
- The closing date of all entries for each department will be 6 p.m., July 28, 2017.
- All mail in entries in all departments must be postmarked no later than July 28, 2017. There will be no exceptions to this rule.**
- The **exhibitor** must fill out the entry form completely. This includes designating the department; class; and description of the item. **The entry form must be signed by the exhibitor.**
- When the entry of an item is recorded in the books of the Secretary, tags will be given a number and class which are to be placed on the item. Once the item has been entered, no changes in the entry will be permitted, unless it can be shown that a mistake has been made.
- Superintendent has the right to change entry to a more appropriate category.

- Every item for competition must be placed on display On Monday, August 7, 2017 between 5-8 p.m. except for Antiques and Collectibles starting at 11:00am. The following divisions: Farm & Garden, Floriculture, and Baked Goods. Items for these departments must be placed on display on Tuesday, August 8, 2017 Between 8-9 a.m.
- Release time will be from 7-8 p.m. on Sunday, August 13, 2017. **ANY EXHIBITOR REMOVING ITEMS BEFORE RELEASE TIME WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ENTER ANY OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS THE FOLLOWING YEAR. Not responsible for items after 8 p.m.**
- Exhibitor must provide receipt to remove item from display area.
- No interference or communications with the judges will be allowed and any person who by letter or otherwise attempts to influence the decision of the judge, shall forfeit any and all premiums which may be or have been awarded and be ruled out of competition.
- Premiums for all classes are: 1st - \$5.00; 2nd - \$3.00; 3rd - \$1.00.
- PREMIUMS CAN BE PICKED UP ON SUNDAY OF THE FAIR AT THE SR. FAIR BOARD OFFICE.**
- Rosettes and ribbons will be awarded at time of judging or may be picked up in the Sr. Fair Board Office.
- The judges are instructed not to award premiums, unless the items are deemed of worthy merit.
- No person other than members of the Board, who are not competitors, will be allowed to see the entries, or to have access to the judges books after the awards are made.
- If there is any question as to the regularity of any entry, or of the right of any item to compete in any given class, the judges shall report the same to the Superintendent of the Department for adjustment.
- The Fair Board is not responsible for notifying winning exhibitors.
- FOR SPECIFIC RULES—
SEE INDIVIDUAL DEPARTMENTS**

Registration Deadline—July 28, 2017

Interested in entering the 7 other Departments—Antiques & Collections, Floriculture, Photography, Art & Woodcrafts, Baked Goods, and Farm & Garden

Contact the Erie County Fair Board office at 419-625-1000.

CLASS X—QUILTING

- Hand Quilted Infant or Child Quilt Appliqué
- Hand Quilted Infant or Child Quilt Pieced
- Hand Quilted Full, Queen or King Appliqué
- Hand Quilted Full Queen or King Pieced
- Hand Quilted Wall Hanging
- Machine Quilted Infant or Child Quilt
- Machine Quilted Full, Queen or King
- Machine Quilted Wall Hanging
- Tied Quilt Any Size
- T-Shirt Quilt, Any Size
- Other

CLASS WINNER

CLASS XI—PLASTIC CANVAS NEEDLEPOINT

- Holiday Item (Any holiday)
- Door or Wall Decoration
- Tissue Box Cover

CLASS WINNER

CLASS XII—DOLL CLOTHES

- American Girl Costumes—Machine Sewn
- American Girl Costumes—Hand Sewn
- American Girl Costumes—Knitted or Crochet
- Bitty Baby Costumes—Machine Sewn
- Bitty Baby Costumes—Hand Sewn
- Bitty Baby Costumes—Knitted or Crochet
- Barbie Doll Costumes—Machine Sewn
- Barbie Doll Costumes—Hand Sewn
- Barbie Doll Costumes—Knitted or Crochet
- Barbie Doll Costumes—Knitted

CLASS WINNER

CLASS XIII—MISCELLANEOUS

- Wool Felting—wearable
- Wool Felting—Totes/Purses
- Rugs—Latch Hook, Hooked or other
- Other

CLASS WINNER

—BEST OF SHOW

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Open Class

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