

New Jersey State Fair®

Creative Arts for Home and Hobby Division

(formerly Home Economics)

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1. The exhibit will be held in the Blue Exhibition Building at the Fair Grounds on Plains Road in Augusta, NJ

2. All handiwork, canned goods, and wine must be presented Saturday July 30, 2011 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and Sunday July 31, 2011 from 12 noon to 5:00 p.m. See *separate directions for beer entries.*

New for 2011!
Remote drop off and pick available for entrants from Essex County area.
C&W Aero Services, 19 Wright Way/Essex Co. Airport, Fairfield, NJ
973-227-5750
Drop Off Dates: Monday 7/25 – Friday 7/29 7AM – 5PM
Pick Up Dates : Monday 8/15 – Friday 8/19 7AM – 5PM
Must be accompanied by entry forms and fees.

3. Baked goods exhibits must be presented on disposable crockery by 9:00 a.m. Thursday, August 11, 2011 and must enter the grounds via GATE 1 **or you will be required to pay entrance fee.** Recipes must be included for all items. Judging to begin at 10:00 a.m. Pre-registration recommended.

4. **No exhibit shall be removed before 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 14th, 2011, but must be removed before 7:30 p.m. SHARP!** All entries that remain after 7:30 p.m. become the property of the **Creative Arts for Home and Hobby Division.** Only in case of adverse conditions forcing the legal closing of the entire Fair will earlier return of entries be permitted.
NO EXCEPTIONS!

5. Entry is open to all residents of New Jersey; all ages are welcome. **All entries must be in specific categories. If under 18, please indicate on entry blank so entry may be judged**

within age group Teen 13-17, Adolescent 9-12, Child under 9

6. A \$2 entry fee PER PERSON will be required in Handicrafts, Canning, and Baking, Categories. Classes 33, 34 & 35 are exempt from fee. ANY ENTRY IN ANY CATEGORY BY A TEEN, ADOLESCENT, OR CHILD IS ALSO EXEMPT.

7. Acceptance of entries will be at the discretion of the Committee.
8. No exhibit will be accepted with the exhibitor's name exposed.
9. All entries must be in the number required. Three entries are allowed each **exhibitor** in each class with the exception of baked goods in which one entry is allowed in each class.
10. Canned goods preserved since August 2010 are eligible.
11. Canned goods must be exhibited in identical, standard-sized jars with two-piece lids and must have the ring on each jar. Jars must not be sealed with paraffin. Include recipes and processing methods used on file card, attached to one jar. **(No meat products in any submission)**
12. Labels on canned goods should have the name of the contents first, then the date; no exhibitor's names.
13. The Committee designates a professional as one whom:
 - a. teaches or judges in a specific craft now or in the past,
 - b. sells, designs or has sold a specific craft or item,
 - c. exhibits commercially and/or is published.

Professionals will not be judged with non-professionals. - **ONE MUST NOTE PROFESSIONAL STATUS ON THE ENTRY BLANK!**

14. Articles previously entered may not be exhibited again.
15. Only articles completed within the last three (3) years will be accepted. Articles must be clean and presentable.
16. No article for which there is an existing class may be exhibited in the Miscellaneous class. Four or more like items may be judged as a separate group within the Miscellaneous class.
17. Exhibitor must have picture or other appropriate articles securely framed and prepared for hanging. All items will be accepted and arranged for display at the discretion of the Committee.
18. ALL ribbons will be awarded at the discretion of the judges.

19. Special ribbons to be awarded in the following classes:

Section /Class

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I. 3.a. Tomatoes, whole

I. 10. Fruit Butter

II. 2. a. Quick bread, fruit or fruit&nut

II.11. c. Cookies, rolled

II.14. b. Gluten-free, other than yeast item

III.3.f. Counted cross stitch, over 11X14, other fabric

III.7. Crewel Embroidery

III. 13.c. Felting, accessories/wearable

III. 16. b. Home sewn childrens' clothing

III. 20. h. Group Quilt

III. 24. b.i. Wheel thrown pottery

III. 27. c. Folk art toys

III. 31. a. Rubber stamping, holiday design

III. 32.d. Scrapbooking, wedding

III. 36. b. Christmas corner/snowflakes

III, 38. d. Garden art, recycled piece

III. 40. b. Hunting Gear, Fishing fly

20. The Peter's Valley Craft Education Center will award a Best of Show in the Handicrafts Category for Adults and Children. The award will consist of a Three-day Scholarship to the Education Center chosen by Peter's Valley Staff.
For additional information on Peter's Valley Craft Education go to:www.petersvalley.org

21. Contact the Chairperson or committee member in your area for additional information, if needed or see our website at newjerseystatefair.org

22. Send the completed **entry form** and **entry fee** to:

Mrs. Elaine Raffino
20 Cottage Lane,
Sparta, NJ 07871.

***Checks made payable to NJ State Fair, SCF&HS,
Entries must be received by Monday, July 25, 2011***

Baking, Canning, Gingerbread, and Grandma's Cookie Categories



Quilting Categories sponsored by



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						7/30 Entries accepted 9-5
7/31 Entries accepted 12-5					8/5 Fair Opens at 10aM	8/6 Wine 2PM
8/7 Chili Contest 1PM	8/8 Grandma Cookie contest 1PM Professional Baking Challenge 7PM	8/9 Cupcake Deco- rating Contest for Kids 11:30AM Ginger- bread Contest 2PM Favorite Doll Look- alike Fashion Show 6PM	8/10 Blue- berry Contest 5PM	8/11 Baking Contest 10AM	8/12 Fleisch- mans' Bread Noon Cheesecake Contest 5PM	Hobby Expo Weekend Sat 8/13 Sunday 8/14

Creative Arts for Home and Hobby
 Exhibit closes 5PM Sunday August 14, 2011
 Items returned 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM ONLY.

ENTRY BLANK- Creative Arts for Home and Hobby
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DUPLICATE AS NEEDED, USE SEPERATE FORM FOR EACH SECTION ENTERED

Entrants Name(s) _____

Teen (13-17)_____ Adolescent (9-12)_____ Child (under 9)_____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Town _____ New Jersey Zip _____

Email Address _____

Section I-Canning	Section II-Baking	Section III-Handicrafts
Section IV Wine	Section V-Chili	Section VI-Gingerbread
Section VII-Grandma's Cookie		Section VIII-Blueberry Contest
Section IX-Fleischmann's Bread		Section X – Cheesecake
	Section XI – Professional Baking Challenge	
	Section XII – Favorite Doll Look-alike Fashion Show	

Section Number	Class Number <small>see rules</small>	Name of article (Description)	Pro.? Y N

May we reprint your recipe for future use? Y__N__
 May we call you to help us protect your entry as a "Home & Hobby Monitor?" Y__N__

The exhibitor releases the Sussex County Farm and Horse Show Association, Inc. from any and all responsibility or liability for loss or damage to any entry and the releasee also agrees to indemnify the Sussex County Farm and Horse Show Association, Inc. against any damage claim, legal proceedings or judgment, arising out of the handling for entry, or exhibition of, the listed entries and further agrees to hold said Sussex County Farm and Horse Show Association, Inc. harmless from the transportation, handling for entry or exhibition of the listed entries, or storage for the same after the show, until exhibitor removes entries from the premises. The Exhibitor agrees not to remove items before 6:00 PM August 14, 2011. NO EXCEPTIONS!

Signed _____ Phone# _____

Send **SIGNED** entry blank and **ENTRY FEE** (made payable to **NJ State Fair, SCF&HS**) to:
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 973-300-9568
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