



AFGHANS

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ENTRY DEADLINE: FRIDAY, JULY 12th, 2024

Entry Fee: \$25.00 allows entries throughout the Erie County Fair. A promo code redeemable for three (3) admission passes will be emailed to the exhibitor on Tuesday, July 30th.

Entry Arrival: Tuesday, July 23rd or Wednesday, July 24th between NOON and 8PM

Entry Removal: Wednesday, August 21st or Thursday, August 22nd between 11:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Prize Checks: Available Tuesday, August 13th – Sunday, August 18th between 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM at the Creative Arts Info Desk along with satin ribbons earned. Checks remaining after this time will be mailed.

General Afghan Rules

1. Please read and abide by all The Erie County Fair and Creative Arts Department rules and regulations.
2. All entries must be pre-registered by Friday, July 12th, 2024. Entries not pre-registered will not be accepted. For more information see the Rules and Regulations.
3. **Afghans must have been made by the exhibitor.**
4. **Only Afghans, which are free from soil and stain, will be judged.**
5. Each entry will be judged on its own merit.
6. Size requirements:
Minimum size: 40" x 60" excluding fringe
Maximum size: 63" x 86" excluding fringe
7. All entries must be clean and free of dirt, pet hair and stains.

Judging Criteria

1. Afghans must be clean and free from odor from pets and smoking.
2. Sizes must adhere to the General Afghan rule #6.
3. Color must be harmonious and pleasant to the eye. No variation in color due to mixing of dye dots.
4. Pattern and Design, the more challenging the pattern the better. Loose stitching is not acceptable.
5. Finishing- There should be no knots, loose yarn tails, the Afghans should be blocked.
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Premiums for Classes # 1-15: Blue-\$10.00 Red-\$5.00

1. Crocheted Squares
2. Knitted Squares
3. Crocheted Panels
4. Knitted Panels
5. Crocheted Ripple
6. Knitted Ripple
7. Crocheted Afghan made by a person over 70 years old
8. Knitted Afghan made by a person over 70 years old
9. Crocheted – one piece
10. Knitted – one piece
11. Afghan Stitch – with pattern worked in
12. Afghan Stitch – with embroidered design
13. Crocheted - other than listed above
14. Any method above done in a Holiday Theme
15. Any method above, representing the Fair theme

AWARDS FOR AFGHANS:



SHARON P. SHEDLER MEMORIAL AWARD

*An award of \$25.00 for an afghan made of yarns to represent your hometown
Color or Design*



SHARON P. SHEDLER MEMORIAL AWARD

*An award of \$25.00 for an afghan made with pink
In honor of Breast Cancer Survivors*