

JUNIOR ARTS & CRAFTS

Donna Lenau- Superintendent
Please call the Competitive Exhibits office at 716-649-3900 ext. 6407 with all questions

ONLINE ENTRY STARTS JUNE 1st, 2021
ENTRY DEADLINE: FRIDAY JULY 16, 2021

Entry Fee: \$15 fee for ages 13-17 allows for unlimited entries throughout department (unless otherwise specifically noted). Fee includes one (1) promo code for an admission ticket to the fair, parking included.
\$5 fee for ages 5-12. All kids 12 & Under free admission to the fair.

Entry Arrival: Tuesday, July 27th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM, Wednesday, July 28th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM OR Thursday, July 29th between 12:00 Noon and 8:00 PM

Entry Removal: Tuesday, August 24th between 11:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Prize Checks: Tuesday, August 17th – Sunday, August 22nd between 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

General Junior Arts & Crafts Rules

1. Please read and abide by The Erie County Fair and Creative Arts Department rules and regulations. New details for 2021!
2. All entries must be pre-registered by Friday, July 16, 2021. Entries not pre-registered will not be accepted. For more information see the Important Entry Information page.
3. This section is open to exhibitors ages 5 – 17.
4. One entry per class per exhibitor.
5. A junior exhibitor is limited to a total of two (2) entries in Junior Arts & Crafts.
6. **No entry exceeding in overall size of 36" x 36" will be accepted** unless otherwise specified
7. Note: Size restraints in some classes.
8. Items will be displayed as space allows and at the discretion of the Superintendent.
9. NO items that are soiled will be accepted.
10. All work must have been done by the exhibitor **within the last five (5) years.**
11. To note, the Fair accepts artwork from all individuals, regardless of ability. The category of "Special Children of the Fair" no longer exists. The Fair is an integrated and all-inclusive event and the exhibits exemplify this.

Junior Section Judging Criteria:

- Cleanliness (Free from dirt & stains)
- Originality of items
- Workmanship (ex: needlework-uniformity of stitches, sewing-placement of seams, painting- edges and backs finished, no drips from paint, beading- beads in item should be tight or firm, glued items- no visible glue showing)
- How items are finished (ex: are the back and sides finished? Is the item secure for hanging?)

Premiums for Classes # 1 – 54 Blue-\$5.00 Red-\$4.00 Yellow-\$3.00

ARTS & CRAFTS

1. Item made with Fair theme, within the last 5 year
2. Original designed item that is used as a decoration or for practical use. Made from recyclable material (ex. Paper, plastic or metal)
3. Decorated flip flop (use you own ideas)
4. Handmade jewelry
5. Christmas tree ornament or decoration, one
6. Stuffed toy
7. Hand Painted Item
8. Nature Crafts- Painted (rocks 12" x 14" max, slate 12" diameter, gourds-decorative)
9. Wreath, any type (No larger than 12" - 18" in diameter or standard size)
10. Ceramic piece
11. Sculpting (Figures, pottery, clay items, starched material -dip & drape, etc.), no ceramic pieces allowed
12. Scrap booking- photo books- maximum of 4 pages not to exceed 12"x12" book size, cards/ invitation, gift tags, mini books, mini paper bag
13. Article, wooden any object, not to exceed 12" x 12"
14. Article, wooden toy
15. Article, wood burned not to exceed 12" x 12"

NEEDLE ARTS / KNITTING & CROCHETING/ DECORATIVE HOME ACCESSORIES

16. Knitted or Crocheted Item
17. Pillow

QUILTS

18. Baby/ Crib/ Lap Robe- 33" x 17"-36" x 52"
19. Throw/ Twin/ Twin Long 50" x 35"-70"x95"

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CLOTHING DESIGN& CONSTRUCTION

- 20. Clothing made from fleece (ex: vest, poncho, jacket, hat)
- 21. Accessory (belt, handbag, etc)
- 22. Woven article
- 23. Mask
- 24. Costume- Hand made

CANNED GOODS

- 25. Any Variety Freezer Jam- (2 jars- one to taste, one to display (will be refrigerated)) **Do It Yourself**- parents guidance is acceptable but an explanation of how your parent/ guardian helped should be brought on entry day

FLOWERS & HORTICULTURE

- 26. Succulent Terrarium- Be creative! **Do It Yourself**- parents guidance is acceptable but an explanation of how your parent/ guardian helped should be brought on entry day

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JUNIOR BUCKET OF JUNK CONTEST

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ENTRY DEADLINE: MONDAY JUNE 28, 2021



Reservations
go FAST!!

The specifics –

We will provide a gallon bucket of unique pieces, probably otherwise known as “junk”. All the buckets will include the same number of items and be as close to identical as possible. You can clean, sand, glue, cut, bolt, fasten, bend, shape, paint or finish the items that were provide BUT no pieces can be added. Create whatever you want with the contents of your bucket. The goal is to use all the items in the bucket (but not the bucket). The projects will be displayed inside.

Once all reservations have been claimed, you will be contacted as to when you may come pick up your bucket of junk!

Bucket of Junk Contest 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 Monday June 28, 2021.** Entries not pre-registered will not be accepted. For more information see the Important Entry Information page.
3. There will be ten (10) bucket of junk reservations available starting May 1st. The first 10 reservations will be informed by mail when they can pick up their buckets. Please register online early, reservations go fast!
4. If for any reason, you will not be completing the contest, please return the bucket and items inside as soon as possible, possibly giving another exhibitor a chance.
5. Sculptures are to be brought to the Creative Arts Exhibit Area (lower grandstand) on the Fairgrounds on Tuesday, July 27th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM, Wednesday, July 28th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM OR Thursday, July 29th between 12:00 Noon and 8:00 PM
6. When you bring your creation to the Fairgrounds please bring back the empty bucket.

Judge’s Criteria

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| 1. The contestant used only the materials that were provided (required). | 25% |
| 2. The contestant used the materials in a new way to create something different. | 25% |
| 3. The contestant’s ideas are recognizable. (Clarity of the idea) | 25% |
| 4. The contestant’s overall finished appearance of the sculpture.
(This includes the difficulty of the piece & how well it was made) | 25% |


BUCKET OF JUNK

Premiums for Classes # 1 & 2 Blue - \$15, Red - \$10, Yellow - \$5

1. Bucket of Junk, ages 12 and younger
2. Bucket of Junk, ages 13 – 17

LEGO® MODEL CONTEST

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The specifics –

Ever wonder what you could make out of Legos®? Let your imagination take over. Anything goes! Your creation can be any shape or form using Legos®. NO STORE OR ONLINE KITS.

Lego® Model Contest 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 16, 2021.** Entries not pre-registered will not be accepted. For more information see the Important Entry Information page.
3. One entry per exhibitor.
4. There will be a limit of fifteen (15) entries PER AGE GROUP.
5. All model sizes should be **no larger than 12” in length x 12” wide x 15” high.**
6. ALL entries MUST have a **BASE** that they are SECURED to.
7. Sculptures are to be brought to the Creative Arts Exhibit Area (lower grandstand) on the Fairgrounds Tuesday, July 27th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM, Wednesday, July 28th between 12:00 Noon and 6:00 PM OR Thursday, July 29th between 12:00 Noon and 8:00 PM
8. All models will be judged based on **ORIGINALITY**, detail, and design.
9. No store-bought kits are to be submitted. An exhibitor may use pieces from purchased kits, to create an original design.

<p>AGES 5 & 6 AGES 7 – 9 AGES 10 – 12 AGES 13 -17</p>

NO entries larger than 12” in length x 12” wide x 15” high, BASE REQUIRED!

Premiums for Class # 1 Blue - \$15, Red - \$10, Yellow - \$5

1. **Original** Design Lego® Model