

# The Nashville Fair - Fine Arts & Paper Arts Divisions

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Fair Theme: "We Got a Good Thing Growing"

Entry Fee	Adult-\$2.00 per entry	Registration:	Online by Fri., Aug. 25, 2023 10:00 p.m.
Receiving Date:	Tues., Aug. 29 <sup>th</sup> 11 a.m. – 8 p.m. & Wed., Aug. 30 <sup>th</sup> 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.		
Exhibits Released:	Mon., Sept. 18 <sup>th</sup> 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.		
<b>Please review the TNF and Creative Arts General Rules</b>			
Premiums Offered:	\$1,401		
Premiums: unless indicated	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Adult Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
Youth Show	\$10	\$8	\$5

## Guidelines:

1. All art exhibits in Fine Arts Classes, both Adults and Youth must be framed and wired for hanging, except Youth Division Category A (Pre-K - 2nd Grade) which must be matted. All others, Adult and Youth must be framed. Metal saw tooth hangers are not acceptable. No pictures unsuitably framed will be accepted. Pictures must be dry and not previously exhibited in The Nashville Fair. Gallery wrap accepted if properly executed and wired for hanging. No plastic frames, please.
2. Numbered Paintings are not acceptable.
3. Nothing larger than 48 inches in length or height will be accepted. This includes the frame.
4. No Painting on wood or photographs will be accepted.
5. Scrapbook layout entries must be in a protective plastic cover and mounted on mat board or other material to keep the layout from bending.
6. Single page layout may not exceed 12x12 inches, double layout may not exceed 12x24 inches. Greeting card sets should be mounted on 12 x 12 inch sturdy mat board or in a decorative box.

<b>301 - Adult Show</b>	
Class	Description
<b>A. Fine Arts</b>	
01	Fair Theme Art- May be any size up to 40" including frame. Work may be any subject incorporating a FAIR THEME ( <b>Fair Theme at top of Page</b> )
02	Oil or acrylic (figure, landscape or composition).
03	Watercolor (figure, landscape or composition)
04	Pastel or Colored Pencil (figure, landscape or composition)
05	Printmaking (Woodcut, Linocut, Silkscreen, Engraving, Etching)
06	Line Drawings, Pen and Ink, Colored or Graphite Pencil
07	Mixed Media.
08	Sculpture (molded, cast, carved or constructed). <u>Must be a finished piece of work. No soft sculpture accepted.</u> Sculptures may not exceed 18" x 18" x 18" when mounted
09	Computer Generated Art
10	Illustration (Whimsical, Manga, Cartoons, Comics)
11	Miniatures; Any subject- Representational art must be 1/6 (or less) the size of object painted. Maximum size 5"x7" (excluding mat and frame). Frame & mat should not exceed 2 inches, for a total size of 7" x 9".
<b>B. Scrapbooking</b>	
12	Single or double layout, The Nashville Fair theme Does not have to use photos of the Fair but project needs to be the pre-set Fair Theme ( <b>Fair Theme at top of Page</b> )

13	Emphasis on Photography
14	Emphasis on Journaling
15	Project Life-Style *double page layout only
16	Subject: Babies & Young Children (birth to pre-k)
17	Subject: School Age Children (K-8)
18	Subject: Teens (9-12 & college)
19	Subject: Weddings
20	Subject: Holidays or Special Events (including Christmas)
21	Subject: Heritage
22	Subject: Everyday Moments
23	Subject: Travel

**C. Greeting Card Sets** (4 cards/envelopes optional but coordinating envelopes may be included)

24	Emphasis: rubber stamping (a minimum of one (1) stamped, non-text image per card)
25	Emphasis: on paper crafts (supplies other than rubber stamps)
26	Mini book (no larger than 8x8 finished size)

**D. Home Décor**

27	Home Decor item using paper crafting supplies. Finished size no larger than 36" x 36" x 36"
28	Quilled Item (card, page, or wall art), no larger than 36" x 36"
29	Paper Art (folding, cutting), no larger than 36" x 36" x 36"

**Special Awards**

Best of Show Fine Art	Rosette& \$15
Best of Show Paper Art	Rosette& \$15
People's Choice Award	Rosette

**Youth**

<b>302A</b>	<b>Pre-K—2nd Grade</b>
<b>302B</b>	<b>3rd-5th Grade</b>
<b>302C</b>	<b>6th-8th Grade</b>
<b>302D</b>	<b>9th-12th Grade</b>

Class	Description
01	Line Drawing, Black & White (pencil, charcoal, ink)
02	Pastel or Colored Drawing (color pencil, ink, marker)
03	Oil or Acrylic
04	Watercolor
05	Mixed Media
06	Sculpture
07	Shoebox Float-Must be made from a traditional cardboard shoe box no larger than 9" x 13" and limited only by your imagination

**Special Awards**

Best of Show for each age group	Rosette& \$15
People's Choice Award	Rosette