

# **SCOTT COUNTY FAIR EXHIBITOR HANDBOOK**



***The Place to Be in 2023***

**July 26 – July 30, 2023 JORDAN, MN**

**You do NOT need to live in Scott County to enter projects in the  
Scott County Fair.**

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# SCOTT COUNTY FAIR -- DEPARTMENT A: CREATIVE ARTS, EDUCATION, & HORTICULTURE

Superintendents: Pat Will 952-447-1652

**OPEN CLASS REGISTRATION:** Registration forms must be in the fair office by July 14<sup>th</sup>

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE **PRE-REGISTERED** BY JULY 14TH

**ENTRY FEE:** \$0.50 per entry **LATE ENTRY FEE:** \$1.00 per entry

**Only one entry per lot, except where noted**

**Advanced registration is strongly encouraged.** If you pre-register, your entry tags will be ready when you bring in your exhibits and you will avoid long lines. If you change your mind after pre-registration and do not intend to show an item, let us know when you arrive, and we will remove it from our records.

## Exhibiting at the fair is as easy as 1-2-3!

- 1 **Decide what you want to exhibit.**
- 2 **Register—Do one of the following:**
  - \***Download PDF form** <https://scottcountyfair.org/creative-arts-registration/>  
(Get Involved -> Premium List) Print, fill out, and mail the form to: 7151 190<sup>th</sup> St. W. Jordan, MN 55352
  - \***Online registration:** Those who enter online will be charged an extra \$1 convenience fee when they pay for their projects on drop off days. The link to the online entries site will be located on the Scott County Fair website. **(Get Involved/ Premium List/Online Entries/ Create login and follow instructions on the website)**  
<http://www.scottcountyfair.org/forms/creative-arts-education-horticulture-registration/>)
- 3 **Bring Exhibits to the Fair at the specified times listed below:**
  - **Bring all NON-PERISHABLE items to the Creative Arts Building #8 on the Scott County Fairgrounds on THURSDAY, July 20 from 6-8 pm or SATURDAY, July 22 from 11 am – 2 pm.** This includes health care residents, special needs students and adults, children's exhibits, needlecraft, sewing, crafts, pictures and wall hangings, artwork, and photography.
  - **Bring all PERISHABLE items to the Creative Arts Building # 8 on the Scott County Fairgrounds on TUESDAY, July 25 from 1-5 pm.** This includes baking, candy, canning, garden vegetables, herbs, fruit, flowers, beer, wine and miscellaneous.
- 4 **Pick up projects/checks: All exhibits must remain in place until 6:00 PM Sunday, July 30 and be removed by 7:00 PM Sunday, July 30.** The building will be closed at 5:30 pm on Sunday night and will reopen at 6:00 pm for release. **Premium checks will be available when entries are released.** All left over exhibits will be brought to the Fair Office. **Fair Board Directors and Staff will take every precaution for the preservation of articles but will not be responsible for loss or damage beyond our control. Note: If you would like to donate your premium check to the fair, you can request a receipt for tax purposes**

When there is one entry of a kind, the judge is not to award a premium unless one is deserved. Any premium may be withheld at the discretion of the judge. Premiums shall not be awarded to articles that are unworthy. Judges may award a maximum of 1 blue, 1 red, and 1 white in each lot. Grand and Reserve Awards are given at the discretion of the judge. All items must correspond in number and kind with the premium list in order to obtain a premium. **"Any Other or Not Specified" lots are intended only for articles that have no regular lot listed.**

Exhibitors are responsible for correct labeling of their exhibits. No premiums shall be paid to any article that has previously received a premium at the Scott County Fair. Exhibitors may exhibit in one or more lots in the same class, with only one entry per lot except where noted.

**A07 QUILTS****Cheryl Schmeig 952-492-2727****Lorraine Barta 952-758-4966****Item Drop Off: Thursday, July 20, 6-8 pm or Saturday, July 22, 11 am – 2 pm****Premiums: \$5.00; \$4.00; \$3.00****One entry per lot**

All articles must be the work of the exhibitor. Articles that have been previously entered in the competition will not be judged.

**Judging Criterion**

General appearance, cleanliness and pressing, beauty of finished article

Value of Article in relation to work done and material used

Suitability of materials and thread used

Workmanship (stitches, seams, hems, neatness)

Difficulty of Project

Design and Color (appropriateness of design to material used and beauty of design and color combination)

**A07 070 LAP QUILTS**

Lap Quilt must have a minimum perimeter of 200" and a maximum perimeter of 240".

Hand quilted by entrant

- 1 Appliqué
- 2 Pieced
- 3 Child's
- 4 Crazy
- 5 Combination Techniques
- 6 Pre Printed Fabric, hand quilted
- 7 Special Occasion-anniversary, wedding, etc.
- 8 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics
- 9 Group Quilt, more than one quilter
- 10 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by entrant

- 12 Pieced
- 13 Combination Techniques

14 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics

15 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by other

16 Pieced

17 Combination Techniques

18 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics

19 Any other not listed above

**"Daystitchers of Prior Lake" will award \$25 to the Grand Champion Lap Quilt**

**A07 071 BED QUILTS**

**BED SIZE QUILT:**

**Must be at least 60" x 80" or larger except "Child's Quilt" which can be single bed size (not crib).**

**Approximate quilt sizes:**

**Crib: 28 x 52                      Full/Double                      54 x 75**

**Toddler 28 x 52                      Queen                      60 x 80**

**Twin 39 x 76                      King                      78 x 80**

Hand Quilted by entrant

- 1 Appliqué
- 2 Pieced
- 3 Child's
- 4 Tied
- 5 Combination Techniques
- 6 Pre Printed Fabric, hand quilted
- 7 Special Occasion-anniversary, wedding, etc.
- 8 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics
- 9 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by entrant

- 10 Pieced
- 11 Child's
- 12 Combination Techniques
- 13 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics
- 14 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by other

- 15 Appliqué
- 16 Pieced
- 17 Child's
- 18 Combination Techniques
- 19 Scrap-must use at least 20 different fabrics
- 20 Any other not listed above

Group Quilts—Must be made by at least 3 people

- 21 Commemorative quilt, pieced, appliqued, or mixed; hand or machine quilted
- 22 Pieced, appliqued, or mixed; hand or machine quilted
- 23 Any Other

**Prior Lake Quilters will award \$50 for grand champion bed quilt.**

The GRAND CHAMPION QUILT will be eligible to enter the Minnesota County Fair Sweepstakes Quilt Contest at the Minnesota State Fair. It will be the responsibility of the winner to enter their quilt at the State Fair. Winning quilt must be full size quilt (60 x 80 or larger).

**CRIB SIZE QUILT:**

Hand quilted by entrant

- 45 Applique
- 46 Pieced
- 47 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by entrant

- 48 Pieced
- 49 Pre-Printed Fabric
- 50 Any other not listed above

Machine quilted by other

- 51 Pieced
- 52 Pre-Printed Fabric
- 53 Any other not listed above

Group Quilts—Must be made by at least 3 people

- 54 Commemorative quilt, pieced, appliqued or mixed; hand or machine quilted
- 55 Pieced, appliqued or mixed; hand or machine quilted
- 56 Any Other

**Youth Quilt Listing, Age 16 & Under**

- 101 Child's Quilt
- 102 Tied Quilt
- 103 Any other not listed above

**A07 072 WALL QUILT**

**Must be ready to hang with sleeve and dowel**

Hand Quilted by entrant

1. Larger than 164" added on all sides
2. Smaller than 160" added on all sides
3. Miniatures, less than 60" added on all sides
4. Any other Holiday

Machine quilted by entrant

5. Larger than 164" added on all sides
6. Smaller than 160" added on all sides
7. Miniatures, less than 60" added on all sides
8. Any other Holiday

Machine quilted by other

9. Larger than 164" added on all sides
10. Smaller than 160" added on all sides
11. Any other Holiday

**Prairie Quilters will award \$25 for grand champion wall quilt.**