Project Title: Needle Craft

Description:

Allows youth to learn life skills and grow in project knowledge while expressing creativity in needle crafts.

State Fair Entries:

2 entries per county as determined by the county 4-H educator and fair officials.

Exhibit Guidelines:

An Allen County 4-H General Record Sheet must be completed, signed and turned in at the beginning of check-in for All Exhibit Building Projects. One record sheet regardless of number of projects.

All arts and craft exhibits must include a 4-H Craft Information Card, 4-H 618A. This information card is to describe work completed so the judge can more accurately evaluate the exhibit. Craft information cards are for judging purposes only and will not be returned to the exhibitor.

Hand crafted knitting, embroidery, crocheting, needlepoint, crewel, candle wicking, chicken scratching, hand quilting, tatting, huck embroidery, and hemstitching are suggested exhibits. Entries may also include pulled, drawn and counted thread work and punch needle work. Needle craft exhibits do not include latch hook, plastic canvas, machine knitting, machine quilting, or arm knitting/crocheting.

Judges evaluating exhibits should recognize individual differences and creativity, therefore using information in this document as a guide rather than a requirement.

Exhibit Class Guidelines:

Beginner (grades 3-5 suggested)

Create and exhibit one age/grade appropriate needle craft. Allen County allows each 4-H'ers to enter a maximum of 3 different project exhibits as long as they are all a different material

Intermediate (grades 6-8 suggested)

Create and exhibit one age/grade appropriate needle craft. Allen County allows each 4-H'ers to enter a maximum of 3 different project exhibits as long as they are all a different material

Advanced (grades 9-12 suggested)

Create and exhibit one age/grade appropriate needle craft. Allen County allows each 4-H'ers to enter a maximum of 3 different project exhibits as long as they are all a different material