## **AMERICANA: ARTS & CRAFTS**

## (State Fair Eligible)

**Exhibit Introduction**: Restore an antique item by refinishing, painting, rewiring, etc. to be in "like new" form

State Fair Eligibility: See page 11 for more information

General Exhibit Guidelines & References: See page 47 for more information

**Manual Information**: See page 11 for more information.

**Overall Exhibit Guidelines:** Exhibits will be entered into the following classes for judging: Beginner: Grade 3-5; Intermediate: Grade 6-8; Advanced: Grade 9-12 **Excludes furniture, which belongs in Home Environment.** 

## **Exhibitions Suggestions:**

- Accompanied with a complete description of the article being exhibited.
- Notebook or poster should contain pictures highlighting restoration process.
- Pictures should have captions that explain how you were involved.
- Before and After pictures
- Any work not completed by the 4-H member must be noted.

Exhibits on display at the county fair will be on display at the 4-H member's own risk. It is recommended for large or valuable items that the poster or notebook should be used instead of bringing actual items.

## **Examples of Exhibits:**

- Restored antique farm equipment (wagon wheel, single row plow, etc.)
- Restored antique toys
- Restored pre 1940's clothing