

# NEEDLEWORK & TEXTILES

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Registration forms may be sent by email to **[home-arts-2021@mrpmcountryfest.com](mailto:home-arts-2021@mrpmcountryfest.com)** and payment can be made through PayPal (see the Registration tab on the website), please tick the 'Friends and Family' box.

Alternatively, you can bring your registration form(s) to the office on July 3rd.

**ENTRY FEE:** \$0.75 per class

**REGISTRATION FORM & PAYMENT DEADLINE:** Saturday, July 3rd between 10am and 2pm

**PRIZES:** 1st - \$4; 2nd - \$3 – 3rd - \$2

## Home Arts & Garden Rules

1. EACH EXHIBITOR MUST HAVE THEIR OWN REGISTRATION FORM.
2. REGISTRATION FORMS AND PAYMENT DEADLINE IS JULY 3RD
3. NO NEW ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY THAT ARTICLES ARE BROUGHT INTO THE FAIR THAT HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED AS AT THE JULY 3RD DEADLINE.
4. ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON.
5. ALL ENTRIES MUST NOT HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY ENTERED IN MAPLE RIDGE FAIR/COUNTRY FEST.
6. ALL ENTRIES ARE LEFT AT EXHIBITOR'S OWN RISK.

### 2021 Country Fest dates:

**July 16th - 22nd:** 4-H Week

**July 24th & 25th:** Live Streamed Concert

**July 26th - 29th:** Home Arts & Garden Competitions

**Monday July 26th:** Photography, Needlework, Arts, Crafts & Hobbies entries in

ALL Day using front and back doors of building

**Tuesday July 27th:** Garden Produce & Cooking entries in ALL Day using front door for garden and back door for cooking

**Wednesday July 28th:** Judging and videoing

**Thursday July 29th:** Pick up entries

To avoid extra work load for volunteers we need everyone to pick up their articles after the fair, i.e. July 27th. Prior written permission is to be provided to us for those who are unable to pick up their articles or if you require someone other than yourself to pick them up for you. We have limited time in the building and security in the building for any articles left after the pickup deadline is not guaranteed.

## Theme Classes – "HOME IS WHERE YOUR HEART IS"

This year, the theme of the Home Arts, and Garden building is "HOME IS WHERE YOUR HEART IS". Using your creativity, imagination and decorative skills, show us your vision using the theme; have fun

and allow your imagination to go wild. You are permitted to use any interpretation of the theme you would like.

**PLEASE SEE GENERAL RULES AT THE BEGINNING OF PRIZE BOOK**

- 1) Please provide dimensions of all quilts.
- 2) Persons who earn 50% or more of their income from the sales of needlework are not permitted to enter those classes.
- 3) **All decisions by judges are final.**

**JUDGING SPECIFICATIONS:**

**Crochet/Knitting**

Evenness of stitches  
Colour co-ordination

Beginnings and ends worked in/hidden

**Quilting/Sewing**

Neatness of seams and seam finishing  
Matching of collars, buttons, etc.  
Zippers lying flat and neat  
Creativity and design of work  
Generally pleasing overall  
All knots hidden inside work  
Even Stitches

Appliqué stitches hidden  
Amount of quilting  
Colour co-ordination  
Flatness of work, matching of points  
Bindings  
Neatness of sewing  
Creativity and design of work

**Embroidery**

Cross Stitch – all stitching worked in same direction

**Quilts – (to be quilted by the exhibitor)**

- 604.** Beginners Quilt, first project **NEW**
- 605.** Hand Appliqué quilt
- 606.** Lap size quilt, appliqué or patchwork
- 607.** Patchwork, single to double
- 608.** Patchwork, queen to king
- 609.** Cushion
- 610.** Quilted clothing or bag
- 611.** Wall hanging, under 36"x 36"
- 612.** Scene quilt, any size
- 613.** Traditional quilt, miniature up to 18" total
- 614.** Baby quilt, no panel, less than 40"x50"
- 615.** Quilted set, tablecloth/runner and 2 placemats

- 616.** Crazy quilt, any other technique, stained glass technique etc.
- 617.** Two potholders, quilted
- 618.** Hand quilting, wall hanging, less than 36" x 36"
- 619.** Hand quilting, bed quilt, twin, queen or king
- 620.** Professional machine quilting, small or twin
- 621.** Professional machine quilting, queen or king
- 622.** Any other quilted item not listed

**BEST IN SHOW - Hand Quilting (larger than 48"x48") - Rosette**

## BEST IN SHOW - Machine Quilting - Rosette

### Modern Quilting

627. Quilt

628. Bag

629. Beginner's Quilt, first project **NEW**

630. Wall hangings (within 80" perimeter)

631. Any other modern quilting item not listed

### Embroidery

635. Counted Cross Stitch

636. Counted Cross Stitch greater than 16" x16"

637. Surface embroidery, crewel, redwork etc.

638. Beginner's embroidery, first project **NEW**

639. Any other embroidery item not listed

### Crochet and Tatting

642. Crochet - large item

643. Tatting - any technique

644. Crochet blanket, any size

645. Crochet toy/3D item

646. Crochet hat/scarf

647. Beginner's crochet or tatting, first project **NEW**

648. Any other crochet or tatting item not listed

### Knitting – Hand

651. Baby Sweater

652. Baby Blanket

653. Slippers

654. Adult or Child's sweater

655. Matching toque, scarf or mitts, 2 pieces

656. Beginner's knitting, first project **NEW**

657. Any other knitted item not listed

## BEST IN SHOW - Crochet, Tatting, Knitting, Embroidery, Cross Stitch - Rosette

### Sewing – Traditional

660. Child's clothing for an infant to 12 years

661. Teen clothing for a young adult aged 13 to  
19 years

662. Adult clothing

663. Beginner's sewing, first project **NEW**

664. Any other sewn item not listed

## BEST IN SHOW – Sewing Traditional, etc. - Rosette

### Rugs

665. Hooked

666. Any other technique not listed

### Miscellaneous

667. Stuffed Toy

668. Any other miscellaneous item not listed  
using any technique

### Seasonal

672. Christmas Stocking

673. Any textile or needlework technique

not listed

### **Agricultural**

**677.** Agriculture, any needlework or textile using your interpretation and imagination

### **Recycling/Upcycling**

**680.** Recycled item something new from something old, identify original source

**681.** Beginner's recycling/upcycling, first project **NEW**

**682.** Any other recycling/upcycling item not listed

### **Theme Class - "HOME IS WHERE YOUR HEART IS"**

**685.** Soft toy, knit or crochet – Special Prize

**686.** Needlework item – Special Prize

**687.** Quilted item – Special Prize

**688.** Stuffed animal– dressed on the theme

**\*\* – Special Prize**

**\*\* To enter Class #688 you must use the stuffed animal provided by Country Fest.**

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### **Prime Timers Classes (Age 55+)**

**692.** Knitting

**693.** Crochet

**694.** Sewn Article

**695.** Quilting

**696.** Embroidered article

**697.** Other textile item (weaving, rug hooking, etc.)

**Please note: The winning entries from Classes 665 - 697 will be entered into the BEST IN SHOW Rosette classes listed above**

## **JUNIOR NEEDLE WORK & TEXTILES**

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**ENTRY FEE:** \$0.25 each

**PRIZES:** 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1

**PLEASE SEE GENERAL RULES AT THE BEGINNING OF PRIZE BOOK & ADULT SECTION**

**NOTE: PLEASE BE SURE TO HAVE AGE WRITTEN ON EACH REGISTRATION FORM**

### **Ages 6 and Younger**

**1400.** Any yarn article e.g. knitting, crochet, tatting and rug hooking etc.

**1401.** Any needlework e.g. sewing, crewel, recycling,

**1402.** Dressed stuffed animal theme **\*\***

upcycling, cross stitch, embroidery etc.

**\*\* To enter Class #1402 you must use the stuffed animal provided by Country Fest.**

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### **Ages 7 to 9 years**

**1405.** Any yarn article e.g. knitting, crochet, tatting and rug hooking etc.

**1406.** Any needlework e.g. sewing, crewel, recycling, upcycling, cross stitch, embroidery etc.

**\*\* To enter Class #1407 you must use the stuffed animal provided by Country Fest.**

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### **Ages 10 to 12 years**

**1410.** Any yarn article e.g. knitting, crochet, tatting and rug hooking etc.

**1411.** Any needlework e.g. sewing, crewel, recycling, upcycling, cross stitch, embroidery etc.

**\*\* To enter Class #1412 you must use the stuffed animal provided by Country Fest.**

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### **Ages 13 to 16 years**

**1436.** Sewn garment

**1437.** School sewing project

**1438.** Sewing - small accessories, (purse, bag, etc.)

**1439.** Any yarn article— e.g. Cross stitch, embroidery, knitting, crochet etc. **NEW**

**1440. SEASONAL THEME** – any article, any fabric art, yarn article or needlework technique

**1441. AGRICULTURE THEME** – any article, any needlework, yarn article or fabric art technique

**1442.** Stuffed animal – dressed on the theme **\*\***

**1443.** Recycling/Upcycling – something new from something old

**1444.** Any other type of needlework, crewel, rug hooking etc.

**\*\* To enter Class #1442 you must use the stuffed animal provided by Country Fest.**

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### **THEME CLASS - "HOME IS WHERE YOUR HEART IS"**

**1450.** 6 years & younger - Any themed needle work or textile article -**Special Prize**

**1451.** 7 to 9 years - Any themed needle work or textile article -**Special Prize**

**1452.** 10 to 12 years - Any themed needle work or textile article-**Special Prize**

**1453.** 13 to 16 years - Any themed needle work or textile article- **Special Prize**

## **BEST IN SHOW –Junior Needlework – Rosette**

**Stuffy Choices - Cat, Rabbit or Dog**

**Stuffy dimensions -17" height 15" waist 6" from neck to end of arm**

