# **Homecraft**

# **Theme: Country Christmas**

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#### **HONOURARY MEMBERS:**

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#### **Rules for Entries:**

All adult exhibitors must pay a \$5 membership fee to the Stirling Fair.

There is no charge for Junior or Youth exhibitors unless exhibiting in an adult class.

All entries are accepted in the Arena between (a) 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Thursday evening and (b) 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Friday morning. Doors close promptly at 10:00 a.m.

Judging begins at 10:30 a.m. Friday morning.

Only one entry per section of each class permitted.

All entries must be the exhibitor's own work.

All entries must be of prize-worthy condition appearing NEW, CLEAN and UNWORN.

Any exhibit, even though it may be the only entry in its class, will be awarded a prize only if it possesses sufficient merit.

Make sure all collections are uniform. Attach or package collections of craft and sewing securely together.

Entries must NOT have been shown in the Stirling Fair previously to this year.

Print entry tag numbers carefully. See sample tag for details

The judges are experienced in their fields of interest and are not members of this fair board.

Entries may not be removed until after 5:00 P.M. Sunday afternoon,.

Note: Men may enter any adult category in this prize book!

Please Note: At 3:00 pm Sunday the Arena will be closed. At 5:00 pm the building will re-open for exhibitors to pick up their items.

\*\*\*\*Check for changes and/or updates at www.stirlingfair.com\*\*\*\*

## 120. Culinary Arts

#### Rules:

Square and cookies are to be place on a white styrofoam or paper plate in plastic bags. Cakes are to be placed on a white styrofoam tray or paper plate and pies in not bigger than an 8" tray or plate in plastic bags. Please be sure that all entry tags are filled out and attached securely to your entry. Inside the bag is preferred.

Note: Only one entry per household in each section

No exhibitor food will be sold on premises due to health regulations.

#### **THEME: Country Christmas**

Pie entries - 1/2 a pie,

Muffins - 3 on a tray or plate

Loaves - 1/2 a loaf

Cookies & Squares - 5 on a tray or plate

Tarts - 3 on a tray or plate

Cakes - 1/2 a cake, Cupcakes - 3 on a tray or plate

Breads - 1/2 a loaf, Buns - 3 on a tray or plate

Treats - 3 on a tray or plate

#### **Pies**

Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Mincemeat Pie
- 2. Strawberry/Rhubarb Pie
- 3. Cherry Pie

#### **SPECIAL**

4. TBD

#### **Muffins**

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 5. Banana Chocolate Chip Muffins
- 6. Chocolate Chip Muffins
- 7. Pumpkin Muffins
- 8. Blueberry Muffins

#### **SPECIAL**

9. TBD

### Loaves

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 10. Banana Loaf
- 11. Lemon Loaf
- 12. Date Loaf
- 13. Cherry Loaf

#### **SPECIAL**

- 14. TBD
- 15. TBD

#### **Cookies & Squares**

- 16. Peanut Butter Cookies Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5
- 17. Chocolate Chip Cookies
- 18. Molasses Crinkle Cookies
- 19. Oatmeal Jam-Jams
- 20. Brownies-decorated for the holidays
- 21. Your favourite Christmas Square

#### **SPECIAL**

- 22. Shortbread Cookies **Prizes:** 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$4 Homecraft Committee
- 23. Thumbprint Cookies
- 24. TBD
- 25. TBD

#### **Tarts**

- 26. Raspberry-coconut Tarts Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6
- 27. Butter Tarts with raisins
- 28. Your favourite Christmas Tart

#### **SPECIAL**

- 29. TBD
- 30. TBD
- 31. O.A.A.S. BUTTER TART COMPETITION
  - 3 Butter Tarts (no fruit, no nuts) on a white Styrofoam tray or paper plate in a plastic bag

#### **Cakes and Cupcakes**

- 32. White Cake decorated for Christmas Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6
- 33. Gingerbread cake, iced
- 34. Hummingbird Cake, iced
- 35. Angel Food Cake, iced and decorated
- 36. Confetti Cupcakes

#### **SPECIAL**

- 37. Chirstmas Cake
- 38. TBD

#### **Breads and Buns**

- 39. Basic White Bread Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5
- 40. Monkey Bread
- 41. Cinnamon Buns, iced
- 42. Chelsea Buns

#### **SPECIAL**

- 43. Irish Soda Bread
- 44. TBD
- 45. TBd

#### **Treats**

- 46. Chocolate covered Cherries Prizes: 1st: \$6, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4
- 47. Peanut Butter Balls
- 48. Your favourite Fudge
- 49. Your favourtie Bark

#### **SPECIAL**

50. TBD

## **HOME CANNING**

All exhibits MUST be displayed in sealed mason jars with a snap lid. No PARAFFIN WAX.

Only one entry per household in each section

Jar Size is 250 ml unless otherwise stated for all Home Canning sections

Attach entry tag to jar with an elastic band please.

Check on www.stirlingfair.com for information regarding Bernardin Specials.

# 121. Home Canning - Pickles & Relishes

Prizes: 1st: \$6, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4

- 1. Dill Pickles
- 2. Icicle Pickles
- 3. Bread and Butter Pickles
- 4. Pickled Beats
- 5. Pickled Beans Green or Yellor
- 6. Any relish

#### **SPECIAL**

7. TBD

# 122. Home Canning - Jam & Jelly

Prizes: 1st: \$6, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4

- 1. Raspberry Jam
- 2. Strawberry Jam
- 3. Blueberry Jam
- 4. Grape Jelly
- 5. Green or Red Pepper Jelly
- 6. Any other Jam or Jelly not mentioned

#### **SPECIAL**

- 7. TBD
- 8. TBD
- 9. TBD

# 123. Home Canning - Canned Fruit

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 1. Pears
- 2. Peaches
- 3. Pineapple
- 4. Cherries

# 123A. Home Canning - Butters

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 1. Apple Butter
- 2. Maple Butter
- 3. Cinnamon Butter

# 123B. Home Canning - Amateur Liquid Honey

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 1. Amber Honey
- 2. Dark Honey

## 123C. Home Cannig - Amateur Maple Syrup

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

1. Amber Maple Syrup

2. Dark Maple Syrup

## **NEEDLE CRAFTS**

**THEME:** Country Christmas

Please consider the theme as you make your entries.

NOTE: Samples of material(s) used MUST be included with all entries.

Size classifications: Baby - newborn to 24 months, Child - 3 to 12 years, Adult - 14 year +

## 124. Needle Crafts - Hand Knitting

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4

- 1. Mittens/gloves, any size/style
- 2. Potholder
- 3. 4 washcloths different patterns
- 4. Hat/toque
- 5. Gift bag, any size
- 6. Any type socks
- 7. Any other knitted article not listed in Class 124

#### **SPECIAL**

8. Three piece set - Baby Layette

### 125. Needle Crafts - Crochet

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4 - Unless otherwise noted

- 1. Headband adult or child
- 2. Scarf, any type
- 3. Stuffed toy
- 4. Throw Pillow Cover
- 5. Adult Slippers
- 6. 4 Coasters same or different design
- 7. Any other crochet item not listed in Class 125

#### **SPECIAL**

- 8. Three piece baby layette
- Most outstanding crocheted article **Prize**: \$10
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## 125A. Sweater Prizes - Knitted or Crocheted

Prizes: 1st: \$9, 2nd: \$7, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Sweater short or long sleeves child or adult
- 2. Shrug or shawl adult size

# 126. Needle Crafts - Sewing

Prizes: 1st: \$7, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4 - Unless otherwise noted

- 1. Placemat
- 2. Child nightwear
- 3. Casserole carrying cover
- 4. Purse or tote bag
- 5. Apron using theme
- 6. Any other sewn item not listed in Class 126

#### **SPECIAL**

Best article that matches the theme Prize: \$10
In each class 124, 125 & 126
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## 127. Needle Crafts - Afghans

Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Bedspread, at least twin bed size or larger
- 2. Afghan for baby, Knitted, minimum 36" x 45"
- 3. Afghan for baby, Crocheted, minimum 36" x 45"
- 4. Afghan, crocheted
- 5. Afghan, knitted
- Lapghan approximately 36" x 42" knitted or crocheted
   Can be donated to local seniors in need, after the fair. Please indicate on entry tag if you wish to donate

## 128. Needle Crafts - Quilts

#### Rules:

- A. Entries must be new work made by the Exhibitor and be CLEAN and UNWORN.
- B. Entries must NOT have been previously shown at Stirling Fair.
- C. Quilts eligible for either the hand quilted or home machine quilted Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies Annual Championship Quilt Competition must be a minimum of 72" x 90". (See specific Rules & Regulations). If you wish your quilt to be entered in the competition, state yes on your entry tag.
- D. All Quilts must be hand quilted unless otherwise specified.
- E. Quilt pattern or title must be written on entry tag.

Prizes: 1st: \$15, 2nd: \$12, 3rd: \$10

- 1. Crib quilt, pieced, approx. 36"x 54".
- 2. Crib quilt made from a purchased panel hand or machine quilt

- 3. Child's quilt, hand or machine quilted
- 4. Quilt pre-stamped top (note: this does not qualify for the OAAS Competition)
- 5. Quilt tied (note: thi sdoes not qualify for the OAAS Competition) hand or machine quilted
- 6. Quilt pieced and quilted by a group (two or more people)
- 7. Quilt machine quilted (by home sewer, not professional), 72" x 90" or larger
- 8. Quilt TOP only hand or machine quilted
- 9. First Quilt a quilt made by a 'first time' or 'new to qulting' sewer. hand or machine quilted Please note on entry tage circumstances ie. taught in a class, etc.
- 10. Quilt pieced and hand qulted, 72" x 90" or larger
- 11. Quilt pieced & appliqued hand or machine quilted Please note on entry tag circumstances ie. taught in a class, etc.

#### **SPECIAL**

12. Quilt incoproating the Theme, Any technique Prize: Gift Certificate

### 129. Needle Crafts - Quilt Crafts

Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Cushion any technique, quilted
- 2. Wall Hanging, any size, featuring theme
- 3. Quilted table runner
- 4. Any Other Article, quilted, not a quilt or named above any technique

### 130. Needle Crafts - Needlework

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4

- 1. Hand embroidered item
- 2. Needlepoint item
- 3. Cross stitch item

#### SPECIAL

4. New Exhibitor's Award Prize: \$15

For the most points in Class 124 through Class 130 inclusive

Entry tags must be marked "New Exhibitor".

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### **ARTS & HOBBIES**

**THEME:** Country Christmas

Please consider the theme as you make your entries.

#### Rules:

Please refer to rules at beginning of this book.

- 1. Only one entry per section of each class (e.g. Class 131 a. one entry only b., one entry only)
- 2. All entries must be submitted suitable for hanging in Class 131
- 3. Previously submitted entries are not eligible: a) in the same section b) in a different section.
- 4. No copies allowed. Original work only, please.

### 131. Art

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$7, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Oil or acrylic any subject
- 2. Watercolur any subject
- 3. Paint by numbers
- 4. Page from adult colouring book
- 5. Diamond art piece
- 6. Stained glass
- 7. Painted rock
- 8. Artwork using Theme
- 9. Any other art not listed above

#### **SPECIAL**

10. Class 131 - Best in

## 132. Woodworking

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$7, 3rd: \$6 - Unless otherwise noted

- 1. Charcuterie or cutting board
- 2. Useful item for home
- 3. Front Door Sign
- 4. Any article

#### **SPECIAL**

Barn Quilt **Prize:** \$50Firewood by Jared Klompmaker

#### **Special**

6. Class 132 - Best in

### 133. Creative Crafts

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5 - Unless otherwise noted

- 1. Necklace any style or material displayed ona foam tray or plate
- 2. Craft with yarn not knitted/croacheted
- 3. Handcrafted bookmark
- 4. Any item made from recycled material attach sample or information about original article
- 5. Handcrafted card
- 6. Table decoration
- 7. Macrame item
- 8. Craft created using a Cricuit
- 9. Clothing with circuit design
- 10. Craft that incorporates a mason jar
- 11. Any other craft suitable for creative crafts, not listed

#### **SPECIAL**

- 12. Scrapbook or Memory Book, one page only Prizes: 1st: \$12, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$5
- 13. Most original craft related to the theme Prize: \$15

### 134. Christmas Corner

**Prizes:** 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

- 1. Christmas lantern
- 2. Christmas stocking
- 3. Christmas Oornaments
- 4. Christmas tree topper
- 5. Christmas wreath
- 6. Christmas item made from recycled materials
- 7. Handmade Christmas Card
- 8. Christmas scene
- 9. Santa
- 10. Snowman
- 11. Gnome
- 12. Christmas center piece
- 13. Wrapped Christmas gift (box)
- 14. Any other Christmas craft, not listed

### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

For Amateurs only

**THEME:** Country Christmas

Rules: refer to rules at the beginning of this book.

- 1. Only one entry per section of each class (e.g. Children having fund, Class 138, #1 one entry only).
- 2. All entries must be submitted suitable for hanging.
- 3. Snapshots are to be no larger than 5" x 7" mounted on black bristol board 8"x 10". Entries mounted on less than 8" x 10" will not be judged. No other coloured mount allowed. All exhibitor's tags must be attached securely in the upper right-hand corner of the photograph mount. Take care that the tag does not cover the photograph.
- 4. Place the name of the section for the photograph on the bristol board, e.g. Children having fun.
- 5. Enlargements are to be no larger than 8" x 12" mounted on black bristol board with a boarder no larger than 2". Entry tags and labels are to mount the same as for snapshots.
- 6. Previously submitted entries are not eligible: (a) in the same section (b) in a different section.

## 135. Snapshots

Prizes: 1st: \$6, 2nd: \$5, 3rd: \$4 - Unless otherwise noted

- 1. Old farmhouse or barn from the Stirling area
- 2. Sunrise/Sunset
- 3. Fences, Bridges, or Doorways
- 4. Stormy
- 5. Water in Any Season
- 6. Country Charm
- 7. Wildlife
- 8. Flowers in a Garden
- 9. A Single Flower in Bloom
- 10. Quiet Time
- 11. Canadian scenery include where on background
- 12. The Fair's Theme
- 13. Artist's Choice

#### **SPECIAL**

- 14. Family Pet(s) **Prizes:** 1st: \$12, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$5 GAME HILL STABLES
- 15. Class 135 Best in Snapshots

# 136. Enlargements

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$7, 3rd: \$6

Nature
 Gardens
 Sunshine

# 137. Open Class

Prizes: 1st: \$10, 2nd: \$8, 3rd: \$6

- 1. Black and white photo
- 2. Collection of no more than 6 photographs mounted on paper no larger than 18" x 18". include name of collection on paper
- 3. Collection of a photograph for each season mounted on paper no larger than 18" x 18" included name "Seasons" on paper

#### **SPECIAL**

4. Best - Class 135, 136, 137

## 138. 4-H Section

Prizes: 1st: \$8, 2nd: \$6, 3rd: \$5

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