

## HOME ECONOMICS OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS

*Chairs – Dawn Ellis and Regina Hooks*

### **Registration**

Exhibits will be received at the Home Economics building on:

Sunday, August 7 - 2:00-6:00 p.m.

Monday, August 8 - 9:00 a.m.-Noon and 4:00 and 8:00 p.m.

### **Pick-up**

All exhibits must be picked up at the fairgrounds between 10:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. on Friday, August 12, the last day of the fair. Items not picked up will be available at the Extension Office on Monday.

Exhibitors picking up items prior to 10:00 p.m. will forfeit their eligibility to exhibit next year.

### **General Rules and Regulations**

- A. All classes are open to anyone - men, women and children. There are four categories of participation as described below.
    - Professional Category** - A professional creates and sells a craft for profit. A business card may be displayed with the exhibit. Exhibits may not be sold at the fair.
    - Non-Professional Category** - Anyone not fitting the Professional Category and over 15 years of age.
    - Children** - Anyone 15 years and younger.
    - Silver Stars** – Anyone 65 and older.
  - B. No entrance fee will be charged.
  - C. Every reasonable precaution will be taken to protect entries while they are on the Fairgrounds, but entries are made at the risk of the exhibitor.
  - D. One entry is allowed each exhibitor in each class.
  - E. Each exhibit must be in quantity and number as required.
  - F. Judges' decisions shall be final. They may give or withhold awards at their discretion. Unlimited Honorable Mention in each class may be given to meritorious entries. Each entry is judged on its own merits.
  - G. Ribbons will be awarded to all categories - no cash premiums.
  - H. Judging begins at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday.
    - I. No entry shown at any fair in a previous year will be eligible for competition.
    - J. Each item entered must have an entry form.
  - K. The letter "C" will be used before each classification number to distinguish exhibits entered by children through 15 years of age.
  - M. Best of Show ribbons will be awarded at the discretion of judges & chairperson of the division based on quantity and/or quality of entries.
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