

Oklahoma State Fair®
 2018 Creative Arts Program
Needlecraft Competition Guide

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Needlecraft entries
 check-in at the Creative Arts Building.
 Enter at Gate 3 from May Avenue.

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2018 Quick Reference Guide: Creative Arts Important Dates

IMPORTANT REGISTRATION CHANGE! As of 2018, all Creative Arts registrations must be completed online.

Exhibitors without computer access may use the computer provided in the lobby of the Administration Building at State Fair Park. Free computer access is also available at public libraries, many senior services agencies and other sources.

Competition Guides Posted: The guides from the prior year remain available until the new ones are posted.
Friday, June 1, 9:00 a.m.

Registration: Available online at okstatefair.com (see link on last page)
Monday, July 2, 9:00 a.m. - Wednesday, August 15, at 5:00 p.m.
REGISTRATION IS NO LONGER OPEN TIL MIDNIGHT

Delivery of Exhibits: Entry clerks will receive items at the Creative Arts building on the following dates:
Saturday, September 8, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 9, 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Pick up of Exhibits: Entry clerks will release exhibits upon presentation of a claim check at the Creative Arts building on the following dates:
Monday, September 24, 2:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, September 25, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Needlecraft Competition Guide

Rules and Regulations

CREATIVE ARTS DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS

The Oklahoma State Fair reserves the right to reject any exhibit offered if it is objectionable in any way, if it requires an excessive amount of space, or if the capacity of the department has been reached. Any contest may be cancelled for lack of entries.

Your items will be handled with care; however, Oklahoma State Fair, Inc. is not responsible for items that are damaged while on display during the Fair.

Any article entered for exhibition must have been created within the last year by the person in whose name it is entered. Antiques & Photography entries are an exception to this rule. They must be created by the person entering but are not subject to time guidelines.

EXHIBITOR AND EXHIBIT INFORMATION

Who may enter? Only Oklahoma residents.

How many exhibits can be entered? Exhibitors may make only one entry in each class unless otherwise stated. Exhibitors may enter as many classes as they wish.

What is the cost to enter? Creative Arts contests are free to enter unless the entry is late.

What if I am not sure in which class to enter my exhibit? Should an exhibit be entered in the wrong class, the superintendent may make the proper correction for the exhibit at check-in. Judges may also suggest changes for proper classification. NOTE: Entries in a different category MAY NOT BE SUBSTITUTED without a late fee. (Example - Entered a jelly but brought a painting to check-in)

Can I mail in my exhibit? No.

Do I need to register for live contests? Yes.

How do I get into the Fair if I am entered in a live contest? Free parking and gate entry are available to exhibitors who are entered in pre-registered live contests. Exhibitors must follow the current year arrival instructions, which are mailed or emailed to contestants participating in the applicable live contests. Only the exhibitor will receive free entry.

Exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor except in the classes for Antiques and Collections. Antiques and Collections must be the bona fide property of exhibitor. Exhibits that have been entered at a previous Oklahoma State Fair are not eligible for re-entry, except as noted. Exhibits need to have been completed after September 1, 2017, except as noted.

Each exhibit will be evaluated by qualified individuals and the decision of the judge(s) is final. All cash prizes will be paid from the awards as marked by the judges and not from ribbons that may be attached to the exhibits. Judges are instructed not to award cash prizes or ribbons unless the exhibit is deemed worthy of the placing awarded. Premium payouts for the Creative Arts Department will be mailed to exhibitor after the close of the Fair.

Within 90 days from the last day of the 2018 Oklahoma State Fair, it is the responsibility of the Payee to file, in writing, a claim for lost or incorrect awards.

If it is ascertained that an exhibitor has made any false statement in regard to any article or exhibit, or, if any exhibitor attempts to harass or interfere with the judge or judges in the performance of their duties, the exhibitor shall be excluded from competition and forfeit all premiums.

Any protest must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$50, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Said protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be filed with the Manager by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday of the closing week of the Fair. Judges will be encouraged to view exhibits after items have been placed on display with names. If they believe that an exhibitor is not in the correct skill level, that judge will be encouraged to protest the placement.

Every effort will be made to display entries in an attractive arrangement; however, items entered for competition will be displayed only through 3rd place. Other entries will be displayed only as space is available and at the discretion of the superintendents. When appropriate, we will display all items from one division together but this is not guaranteed.

Needlecraft Competition Guide

Registration and Calendar of Events

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Deadline for Free Registration: August 15, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.

How to Enter: Competition guides and entry forms will be posted online on June 1, 2018. Registration will be accepted beginning at that time. All registration must be done online. Exhibitors without computer access may use the computer provided in the lobby of the Administration Building at State Fair Park. Free computer access is also available at public libraries, many senior services agencies and other sources.

Online Registration: Online registration will open on July 2, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

Passwords: Passwords from previous accounts WILL NOT be carried over to the next year. All exhibitors will be considered NEW exhibitors. Thus, the first time an exhibitor signs in for 2018 all new information including a password will need to be set.

Late Registration: A \$10 fee will be charged per exhibitor (not per entry) for anyone registering after August 15, but no later than September 2, 2018. Fees must be paid before the entry form will be processed.

On-site Registration: On September 8-9, 2018, exhibitors must register on-site, and they will be charged a \$15 fee per exhibitor (not per entry). On-site registration will be held on September 9, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and September 10, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

CREATIVE ARTS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- June 1** Competition Guides posted online. Entry forms accepted.
- July 2** Online registration opens. Online registration period is July 2 - August 15.
- August 15** Entry deadline for the Oklahoma State Fair Creative Arts competitions and contests. Registrations must be received online by 5:00 p.m. on August 15, 2018.
- August 16** Late registrations processed with a \$10 fee. Late registration paperwork must be mailed, faxed, or hand-delivered to the State Fair Administration Building. Late registrations will be accepted through **September 1, 2018**. Exhibits will still be turned in on the check-in days or on the day of the live contest.
- September 8** Entry clerks will receive items at the Creative Arts Building at the following times:
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m..
- September 9** Entry clerks will receive items at the Creative Arts Building at the following times:
11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m..
- September 8-9** On-site registrations will be processed at the west side of the Administration Building with a \$15 fee.
- September 10** All Creative Arts entries will be judged (excludes live contest entries). This is closed judging. Exhibitors are not permitted to attend. We encourage you to come to the Fair to view results. Judging results will be posted online as soon as they are available.
Do not call or email to ask for results. They cannot be given out prior to posting.
- September 13** 2018 Oklahoma State Fair opens! The Creative Arts Building will host a series of demonstrations, live contests, and special events every day of the Fair.
- September 23** Last day of the 2018 Oklahoma State Fair.
- September 24** Entry clerks will release exhibits upon presentation of a claim check at the Creative Arts Building at the following times: 2:00 to 7:00 p.m..
- September 25** Entry clerks will release exhibits upon presentation of a claim check at the Creative Arts Building at the following times: 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. We will dispose of items not picked up by 2:00 p.m.

B-SEW INN'S HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES
Division 3560

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| 01. Tablecloth, original or unusual design | 11. Throw pillow, not over 18" |
| 02. Table runners | 12. Fleece throw (sewn, knotted, or tied) |
| 03. Place mats (two only) | 13. Miscellaneous, machine sewn |
| 04. Pillow case, crochet trimmed | 14. Miscellaneous, hand sewn |
| 05. Pillow case, embroidery | |
| 06. Hand towels | |
| 07. Doilies, crocheted (unmounted) | |
| 08. Doilies, crocheted (mounted) | |
| 09. Small kitchen accessories (3 items to display) | |
| 10. Rug - yarn hook and other | |



AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW Rosette & \$25

QUILTS AND QUILTED WALL HANGING

Division 3561 and 3562

Quilts have been separated into exhibits quilted entirely by the exhibitor and exhibits quilted by an outside source. Please select the appropriate class for your exhibit.

All quilts must have been completed within the last year (September 1, 2017 - September 13, 2018).

If you have won two or more blue ribbons (1st Place) in the Oklahoma State Fair, other State Fairs, or state, regional, or national quilt shows, you must enter in the Quilting Masters Category (Division 3563-4).

If you are a teacher and/or professional who earns money from quilt making, you must enter in the Quilting Masters Category (division 3563-4). Only one exhibit per class will be accepted.

3561 - QUILTS

Quilts - Made and Quilted Entirely by the Exhibitor

01. Original design
02. Whole cloth quilt hand quilted
03. Whole cloth quilt machine quilted
04. Sampler quilt (each block different)
05. Machine applique quilt
06. Hand applique quilt
07. Pieced cotton quilt
08. Cross stitched quilt
09. Machine quilted quilt
10. Hand quilted quilt
11. Hand embroidered quilt
12. Machine embroidered quilt
13. Comforter, tacked
14. Novelty quilt (eg: crazy quilt)
15. Crib quilt
16. T-shirt quilt

Quilts - Made by the Exhibitor but Quilted by an Outside Source

17. Original design
18. Pieced cotton quilt
19. Hand applique or hand embroidered quilt
20. Machine applique quilt
21. Machine embroidered quilt

Miscellaneous - Can be made and quilted entirely by exhibitor or made by exhibitor and quilted by an outside source

22. Throw pillow, quilted
23. Quilted clothing
24. Denim quilt
25. Miscellaneous quilted items
26. Miscellaneous quilt

3562 - QUILTED WALL HANGINGS

Can be made and quilted entirely by exhibitor or made by exhibitor and quilted by an outside source

01. Original
02. Mixed technique
03. Miniature
04. Hand applique
05. Machine applique
06. Pieced
07. Holiday
08. Machine embroidered

AWARDS

BEST OF SHOW, Quilts (3561)	Rosette & \$25
2nd Place Overall, Quilts (3561)	Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall, Quilts (3561)	Rosette & \$10
BEST OF SHOW, Quilted Wall Hanging (3562)	Rosette & \$15

**MASTER CATEGORY:
QUILTS AND QUILTED WALL HANGINGS
Division 3563 and 3564**

A Master quilt maker is someone who has won two or more blue ribbons (1st Place) in the Oklahoma State Fair, other State Fairs, or state, regional, or national quilt shows. A person is also considered a master quilt maker if he or she is a professional who has earned money from quilt making or teaching quilt making.

Quilts have been separated into exhibits quilted entirely by the exhibitor and exhibits quilted by an outside source. Please select the appropriate class for your exhibit.

All quilts must have been completed within the last year (September 1, 2017 - September 13, 2018).

3563 - QUILTS

Quilts - Made and Quilted Entirely by the Exhibitor

- 01. Original design
- 02. Sampler quilt (each block different)
- 03. Machine applique quilt
- 04. Pieced cotton quilt
- 05. Whole cloth quilt
- 06. Machine quilted quilt
- 07. Hand quilted quilt
- 08. Machine embroidered quilt
- 09. Crib quilt
- 10. T-shirt quilt
- 11. Novelty quilt

Quilts - Made by the Exhibitor but Quilted by an Outside Source

- 12. Original design
- 13. Pieced cotton quilt
- 14. Hand applique quilt
- 15. Machine applique quilt
- 16. Machine embroidered quilt
- 17. Novelty quilt (eg: crazy quilt)
- 18. Crib quilt

Miscellaneous - Can be made and quilted entirely by exhibitor or made by exhibitor and quilted by an outside source

- 19. Quilts created by a group (5 or more people)
- 20. Throw pillow, quilted
- 21. Miscellaneous quilted items
- 22. Quilted clothing
- 23. Denim quilt

3564 - QUILTED WALL HANGINGS

Can be made and quilted entirely by exhibitor or made by exhibitor and quilted by an outside source

- 01. Original
- 02. Mixed technique
- 03. Miniature
- 04. Hand applique
- 05. Machine applique
- 06. Pieced
- 07. Holiday
- 08. Machine embroidered

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW, Quilts (3563).....Rosette & \$25

BEST OF SHOW, Quilted Wall Hanging (3564).....Rosette & \$15

**B-SEW INN'S INFANT, CHILDREN, AND ADULT CLOTHING
Division 3565, 3566, and 3567**

3565 INFANT'S CLOTHING

- 01. Christening dress
- 02. Dress, other
- 03. Garment not specified
- 04. Infant accessories

3566 CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

- 01. Girl's dress, 2-6 years
- 02. Girl's dress, 7-11 years
- 03. Girl's play clothes
- 04. Boy's clothes
- 05. Sleeping garment
- 06. Garment not specified
- 07. Costume

3567 ADULT CLOTHING

- 01. Lingerie
- 02. Casual skirt
- 03. Dressy skirt
- 04. Blouse
- 05. Ladies' casual clothes
- 06. Dress, cotton
- 07. Dress, other material

3567 ADULT CLOTHING (cont.)

- 08. Ensemble (dress and jacket, etc.)
- 09. Dress (for "After Five")
- 10. Ladies' suit
- 11. Ladies' pants
- 12. Ladies' coat or jacket
- 13. Men's shirt
- 14. Men's miscellaneous clothing
- 15. Costume
- 16. Fashion accessories
- 17. Fabric purse
- 18. Machine embroidered clothing



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AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

- BEST OF SHOW, Infants Clothing (3565) Rosette & \$15**
- BEST OF SHOW, Children's Clothing (3566)Rosette & \$25**
- BEST OF SHOW, Adult Clothing (3567)..... Rosette & \$50**

HAND KNITTING AND CROCHET

Division 3569

HAND KNITTING

01. Sweater or vest - knitted
02. Cardigan
03. Jacket or coat
04. Cape or shawl
05. Fashion accessories - scarves
06. Fashion accessories - other
07. Purses
08. Socks
09. Child's sweater
10. Child's dress
11. Three-piece baby set
12. Baby blanket
13. Home accessories
14. Knitted afghan
15. Knitted afghan, original design
16. Article using both knitting and crochet
17. Miscellaneous clothing

21. Purses
22. Child's sweater
23. Child's dress
24. Three-piece baby set
25. Cape or shawl
26. Home accessories
27. Afghan - crocheted
28. Afghan - Granny squares
29. Afghan - ripple
30. Afghan - shell stitch
31. Afghan - Navajo
32. Afghan - original design
33. Baby blanket - crocheted
34. Baby blanket - ripple
35. Baby blanket - shell stitch
36. Toys - entirely crochet
37. Toys - amigurumi
38. Toys - toddler
39. Toys - infant

CROCHET

18. Sweater or vest - crocheted
19. Fashion accessories - scarves
20. Fashion accessories - other

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

- BEST OF SHOW APPAREL, Knitting** Rosette & \$25
- BEST OF SHOW AFGHAN, Knitting** Rosette & \$25
- BEST OF SHOW APPAREL, Crochet** Rosette & \$25
- BEST OF SHOW AFGHAN, Crochet** Rosette & \$25



NEEDLECRAFT AND LACE

Division 3570

No pictures exceeding 30" x 24" will be accepted. Pictures must be ready to hang.

MISCELLANEOUS NEEDLEWORK

01. Crewel embroidery
02. Needlepoint
03. Petit point (whole design)
04. New embroidery (pop, quick or other)
05. Foreign embroidery (German, Finnish or other)
06. Embroidery, cross stitch, printed pattern
07. Embroidery, cross stitch or outline
08. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area under 11" x 14", indoor scenes
09. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area 11" x 14" or larger, indoor scenes
10. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area under 11" x 14", outdoor scenes
11. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area 11" x 14" or larger, outdoor scenes
12. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area under 11" x 14", phrases or quotations
13. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area 11" x 14" or larger, phrases or quotations
14. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area under 11" x 14", figures
15. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area 11" x 14" or larger, figures
16. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area under 11" x 14", animals
17. Counted cross stitch, from a graph, design area 11" x 14" or larger, animals
18. Counted cross stitch, original design
19. Counted cross stitch, sampler
20. Counted cross stitch, linen or other fabric
21. Counted cross stitch, other
22. Embroidery, mixed types
23. Punch embroidery
24. Ribbon embroidery
25. Stuffed toys
26. Cloth doll
27. Miscellaneous needlework
28. Latch hook, original design
29. Counted thread, other than cross stitch (hardanger, etc.)
30. Smocking
31. Dress-me doll, acrylic yarn
32. Dress-me doll, cotton thread
33. Dress-me, stuffed animal (animal not judged)

HOLIDAYS

Christmas

34. Stocking, needlepoint
35. Stocking, crochet
36. Stocking, counted cross-stitch
37. Miscellaneous

Other Holidays

38. All other holiday items

HANDMADE LACE

39. Hair pin lace
40. Bobbin lace
41. Needle lace
42. Miscellaneous lace, handmade
43. Tatting

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

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| BEST OF SHOW, Miscellaneous Needlework | Rosette & \$50 |
| 2nd Place Overall, Misc. Needlework | Rosette & \$25 |
| 3rd Place Overall, Misc. Needlework | Rosette & \$15 |
| BEST OF SHOW, Holidays | Rosette & \$15 |
| BEST OF SHOW, Handmade Lace | Rosette & \$25 |

**HAND WEAVING
Division 3571**

All articles must be handwoven, having warp and weft thread structure.

No more than two entries per category will be accepted from each exhibitor.

Judging Criteria:

Color and Design:	40%
Competency of weaving:	40%
Suitability:	20%

Entries scoring less than 80% will be placed on exhibition only at the discretion of the Superintendent. Piece goods exhibited must consist of at least two yards.

Finished articles will not be accepted if piece goods from which it was made have already been judged at a previous Oklahoma State Fair. Open to everyone, amateur and professional.

- 01. Fabric yardage
- 02. Constructed garment
- 03. Tapestries and wall hangings
- 04. Rugs
- 05. Household linens, place mats, towels, etc., all linen fibers
- 06. Household linens, other than linen fibers
- 07. Accessories, aprons, handbags, hats and scarves
- 08. Afghans, baby blankets, throws and coverlets
- 09. Ponchos, capes, shawls or stoles
- 10. Article not otherwise specified
- 11. Pillows

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW Rosette & \$50

***BEST OF SHOW cash award provided by:
The Weaver's Guild of Oklahoma City***

HANDSPINNING
Division 3572

No more than ONE entry per category will be accepted from each exhibitor.

Handspun skein must be 100% handspun and not a commercial yarn.

Skein must consist of 50 yards of the handspun yarn, tied in four places.

Fiber may be a natural color, white, or dyed with any type of dye.

Skeins

- 01. Sheep's wool - single ply
- 02. Sheep's wool - two ply
- 03. Sheep's wool - novelty
- 04. Mohair - single ply
- 05. Mohair - two ply
- 06. Mohair novelty
- 07. Mohair blends - single ply
- 08. Mohair blends - two ply
- 09. Mohair blends
- 10. Camelid - single ply
- 11. Camelid - two ply
- 12. Camelid - novelty
- 13. Silk - single ply
- 14. Silk - two ply
- 15. Silk blend - single ply
- 16. Silk blend - two ply
- 17. Cellulose (includes eco friendly or green fibers like flax, bamboo, hemp, cotton raimie) - single ply
- 18. Cellulose (includes eco friendly or green fibers like flax, bamboo, hemp, cotton raimie) - two ply
- 19. Cellulose (includes eco friendly or green fibers like flax, bamboo, hemp, cotton raimie) - novelty
- 20. Exotic (dog, buffalo, angora, etc.) - single ply
- 21. Exotic (dog, buffalo, angora, etc.) - two ply
- 22. Exotic (dog, buffalo, angora, etc.) - novelty
- 23. Novelty (must consist of at least 50% handspun) - single ply
- 24. Novelty (must consist of at least 50% handspun) - two ply

Finished Articles

- 25. Knitted article
- 26. Crocheted article
- 27. Felted article
- 28. Woven article
- 29. Other methods of construction article (note method)
- 30. Novice (one year of experience or less) in the construction method

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

A special ribbon will be awarded to each exhibitor.

BEST OF SHOWRosette

BEST OF SHOW Rosette & \$25

**INFANT CRISIS SERVICES CONTEST
Division 3573**

Every year, Creative Arts participants enter beautiful hand-made artwork, crafts, and sewn items to be displayed during the Fair. Now, you have an opportunity to donate your exhibits to an Oklahoma organization that helps children in need.

Infant Crisis Services provides life-sustaining formula, food, and diapers to babies and toddlers in time of crisis, because no baby should go hungry.

Exhibitors may enter up to three items per class. If you would like to enter more than three items in a particular class, please call 405.948.6731.

All items entered into this division will be displayed together during the annual Oklahoma State Fair and then donated to Infant Crisis Services after the Fair ends. Award ribbons will be returned to exhibitors at the close of the Fair.

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| 01. Quilt | 07. Infant/child clothes (0 month to 5T) - knitted or crochet |
| 02. Comforter - tacked | 08. Infant cap - knitted or crochet |
| 03. Sewn blanket | 09. Infant booties - knitted or crochet |
| 04. Fleece throw - sewn, knotted or tied | 10. Toys - sewn |
| 05. Afghan - knitted or crochet | 11. Toys - knitted or crochet |
| 06. Infant/child clothes (0 month to 5T) - sewn | |

AWARDS

A special ribbon will be awarded to each exhibitor.

BEST OF SHOWRosette



Organization Information:

It is hard to imagine anything more stressful than sending your baby to bed hungry, yet it happens every day in central Oklahoma. Infant Crisis Services strives to make a difference in the life of a hungry baby. They provide formula, food, diapers, clothing and other essential items to babies during a very critical stage in a baby’s development. Infant Crisis Services also serves as a link to connect families with other helping agencies and programs leading to self-sufficiency. They believe each individual should be treated with compassion and respect.

Statistics:

- One in four Oklahoma babies go to bed hungry.
- 85% of brain development occurs during the first 3 years of life.
- There are close to 38,000 babies and toddlers living in poverty in Central Oklahoma.
- In 2017, Infant Crisis Services gave away: 223,748 bottles and 663,846 diapers.
- In 2017, Infant Crisis Services served more than 16,000 babies and toddlers.

THREADS OF COMPASSION SCARVES
Division 3574

This Creative Arts contest will benefit survivors of sexual violence. When these survivors seek emergency treatment, the *Threads of Compassion* organization provides scarves to hospitals to be given to them.

Scarves must be knitted or crocheted and they can be any color or pattern, using acrylic yarn. Scarves must be 5 - 8" wide and 65" long to ensure anyone can enjoy wearing one.

All items entered into this division will be displayed together during the annual Oklahoma State Fair then donated to *Threads of Compassion, Oklahoma City* to bring joy to survivors of sexual violence. Award ribbons will be returned to exhibitors at the close of the Fair.

- 01. Knitted Scarf
- 02. Crocheted Scarf

AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class. A special ribbon will be awarded to each exhibitor.

BEST OF SHOW**Rosette**



Organization Information:

Threads of Compassion is an opportunity to comfort recent survivors of sexual violence. The idea is simple - anyone whose life has been affected by sexual assault or abuse (either through a direct experience or through supporting a survivor) is welcome to knit or crochet a scarf that will be given to a survivor of sexual violence when the survivor enters a hospital for emergency treatment.

Starting in 2010, *Threads of Compassion* began working with the Oklahoma City YWCA to provide this service. The Oklahoma City chapter is following the precedence of other *Threads* chapters around North America.

**QUILTS OF VALOR
Division 3575**

Now in its second year, this contest offers an opportunity for quilters to create quilts that will be donated to the Quilts of Valor Foundation, which supports veterans who have been touched by war.

The basic requirements will be emailed to exhibitors following their registration but can be viewed at any time at <http://www.qovf.org/quilters-questions/basic-requirements>.

All items entered into this division will be displayed during the annual Oklahoma State Fair then donated to the Quilts of Valor Foundation. Award ribbons will be returned to exhibitors at the close of the Fair and premiums will be processed and mailed normally.

AWARDS

A special ribbon will be awarded to each exhibitor.

BEST OF SHOW	Rosette & \$25
2nd Place Overall	Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall	Rosette & \$10



Organization Information:

Founded in 2003, the mission statement of the foundation is “to cover all service members touched by war with comforting and healing Quilts of Valor.”

FASTEST HOOK IN THE WEST

Division 3576

Tuesday, September 18, 2018

Check-in: 1:15 - 1:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 2:00 p.m.

Location: Demonstration Stage in Upper Bay

Participants will be timed as they crochet a simple piece. The pattern will be emailed to registered exhibitors following the close of registration. All participants must bring the following materials:

- Yarn: 4-ply, worsted weight yarn. 1 skein
- Hook: J
- Tapestry Needle

When we say "GO", exhibitors will begin to crochet. Judging will be done by speed as well as quality. Pre-registration is required and exhibitors will receive free gate admission and free parking.

Winning pieces will be displayed for the remainder of the Fair and may be picked up at reclaim on September 24 or 25.

AWARDS

1st Place	Rosette & \$75
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$50
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$25

FIBER TO FASHION

Division 3577

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Check-in: 9:00 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: Judging begins at 3:30 p.m.

Location: Middle Bay

Are you a spinner or weaver? We invite your team (up to 5 people) to show Oklahomans the process that takes wool to wearables. Exhibitors will spin fiber then weave it into fabric and create a fashion item in a matter of hours. Looms will be warped with the same fiber used to make the item.

Pre-registration is required and exhibitors will receive free gate admission and free parking.

Note: The team captain will register for the entire team and premiums will be paid to that exhibitor.

AWARDS

1st Place	Rosette & \$150
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$75
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$50

