



GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

APPLICABLE TO ALL EXHIBITORS:

1. All exhibitors agree to accept these regulations and any regulations pertaining to a department when entering. Please call (928) 899-6056 if you have any questions.
2. All exhibits must conform with special regulations of the proper department. Agriculture, Horticulture, and Floriculture must be grown by the exhibitor. Any entry (except livestock) that has been previously shown at the Yavapai Fair shall be disqualified. A "professional" is anyone who sells said item from his home or business and makes 50% or more of his income from said activity. "Junior" or "Youth" is a person 18 years or younger as of the first day of the fair, unless otherwise specified within the department.
3. Online Entry is available at (www.yavapaifair.com), In Addition to Online Entry we can accept Entries at the Fair office from Aug 1st – Entry Deadline. (Excluding All Livestock)
4. Every entry shall be entered in the name of the owner and/or the person who created the item and be residents of Yavapai County. You also must have planted and grown in Yavapai County for Floriculture/Horticulture.
5. All judges will be selected by the Fair and the awards of the judges will be accepted by entrants. **JUDGES will make no award where, in their opinion, the exhibit is not worthy, regardless of number of exhibits in the Division or Class.** No exhibitor shall interfere in any way, either by making suggestions or arguing with a judge. In any violation of this rule, the exhibitor will be barred from exhibition and will forfeit premiums and entry fees. In the event of a dispute, the decision of the Fair Committee **of Yavapai County Fair** will be final.
6. All exhibitors will be expected to remove their exhibits or plan for removal with the coordinators of the proper department on Sunday of the Completion of Fair **NOT BEFORE 6:00 P.M AND UP TO 7:00 P.M (Picking Up your Item prior to the Pickup Times**
7. THE FAIR WILL TAKE EVERY PRECAUTION TO GIVE PROPER CARE AND PROTECTION OF EXHIBITS BUT WILL NOT ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO ANY EXHIBIT OR PERSON. Any property left over two (2) days after closing of Fair becomes the property of the Yavapai Fair and may be disposed of.
8. **Premiums will be paid by the Yavapai Fair. Unclaimed monies & Checks not cashed within 90 days of the Date of Check Issued will be forfeited.**
9. Online Entries are allowed 1 FREE Yavapai County Fair pass. The pass is to be used only by the exhibitor. One pass only will be issued regardless of how many entries you have.
10. Open School Exhibits will NOT be given a free pass for students, teachers, or Administrators of the School
11. Judging will be in the Danish style. Which means there may be more than 1 blue, red, white, and honorable mention ribbon per class and division. 5 or more entries in one class can be split to a separate Division upon discretion of the Fair Committee of Yavapai County Fair
12. Check-Out – NO EXHIBIT can be picked up or removed prior to 6:00pm on the Sunday of Fair. There is no EXCEPTION – Removal of an exhibit early can cause for future disqualification.
13. Premium Book updates will be made at the discretion of the board as needed. Changes will be reflected on the website. The website most current changes will supersede any printed copy of the Premium book.



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Yavapai County Fair Entry Deadlines and Dates

Department	Details	Date	Time
Floriculture	Online Entry Deadline	Wednesday Sept. 4th	8:00 am
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Wednesday Sept. 4 th	3:00pm – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept. 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Horticulture	Online Entry Deadline	Wednesday Sept. 4th	8:00 am
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Wednesday Sept. 4 th	3:00pm – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept. 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Photography	Online Entry Deadline	Monday August 26th	12:00pm
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Tuesday 27 rd Wednesday 28 th	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Fine Arts	Online Entry Deadline	Monday August 26th	12:00pm
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Tuesday 27 th Wednesday 28 th	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Home Ec Culinary	Online Entry Deadline	Monday August 26th	12:00pm
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Tuesday 27 th Wednesday 28 th	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Collections	Online Entry Deadline	Monday August 26th	12:00pm
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Tuesday 27 th Wednesday 28 th	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept 10 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Home Ec Needlework	Online Entry Deadline	Monday August 26th	12:00pm
	Entry & Drop Off Deadline	Tuesday 27 th Wednesday 28 th	10:00am – 6:00pm
	Pickup Deadline	Sunday Sept 8 th	6:00pm – 7:00pm
Large Livestock	Market Entry Deadline	May 31st	8:00am
	Market Ear Tagging	June 1 st	8:00am – 12:00pm
	All Other Entry Online Deadline	August 1 st	12:00pm
	All Animal Check-In	Sept 4 th	7:00am – 12:00pm
	All Animal Check Out	Sept 8 th	6:00pm
Small Stock	Online Entry Deadline	August 1 st	12:00pm
	Animal Check-In	Sept 4 th	7:00am – 12:00pm
	Animal Check-Out	Sept 8 th	6:00pm
Ag Ed	Online Entry Deadline	Sept 4 th	9:00pm
	Entry Pickup	Sept 8 th	6:00pm



Creative Arts and Craftsmanship

Department Information:
Coordinator:

Entry Fee \$3.00 per Pre-Online entry (\$5.00 Day of Drop-Off Entry Fee)

OFFICIAL RULE

The Fair assumes no responsibility for items left after this time.

Entries must have been completed during the Fair year. **ITEMS WHICH ARE SOILED, STAINED, PET HAIRS, OR UNSANITARY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

The Department Superintendent reserves the right to reclassify and or the right to interpret rules and regulations to amend or add to these rules.

Awards: Judging will be in the Danish style. The Danish Judging System is Judged on Merit of Standards. So, all Blue-Ribbon quality will receive a Blue Ribbon, Red Ribbon quality will receive a Red Ribbon, White Ribbon quality will receive a White Ribbon. Then a Best of Class will be award for Each Class, Best of Division for Division Winners, then a Best of Show for Common Areas. 5 or more entries in one class can be split to a separate Division upon discretion of the Fair Committee of Yavapai County Fair

- Premiums Paid: Best of Show \$15.00**
- Reserve Best of Show \$10.00**
- Best of Division \$8.00**
- Reserve Best of Division \$4.00**
- Best of Class \$3**
- Reserve Best of Class \$2**
- Special Award per Department \$25.00.**

CERAMICS POURED MOLDS

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Glazed
- 2. Acrylics/Stains
- 3. Unfired Sandstones
- 4. Other Fired-on Glaze
- 5. Other, Unfired Finish

HAND-BUILT CERAMICS

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Slab - Glazed
- 2. Coiled - Glazed
- 3. Freeform - Glazed
- 4. Wheeled
- 5. Pinched - Glazed
- 6. Slab, Coil, Etc. - Unfired Finish
- 7. Other, specify

POLYMER AND AIR-DRIED CLAY

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Jewelry
- 2. Vessels
- 3. Sculpture
- 4. Other, specify

METAL CRAFT

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Hand Hammered
- 2. Embossed
- 3. Welded, Specify Item
- 4. Casted
- 5. Scroll Saw Work
- 6. Other, specify

WOODWORK

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Turned
- 2. Carved
- 3. Burned
- 4. Boxes, Inlaid
- 5. Scroll Saw
- 6. Other, specify

LEATHERCRAFT

- Division: Child 4 - 8**
- Division: Youth 9 - 12**
- Division: Teen 13 - 19**
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice**
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced**

Class

- 1. Carved
- 2. Tooled
- 3. Sewn
- 4. Braide
- 5. Other, specify



HAND MADE JEWELRY

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division 1933: Adult 20+ Novice
Division 1934: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Metal, gold, silver, Copper, etc.
- 2. Wood
- 3. Precious Metal Clay
- 4. Bead Weaving
- 5. Other Specify

BEAD WORK

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Loom
- 2. Off Loom
- 3. Strung Bead Weaving
- 4. Other, specify

MODELS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Radio Controlled
- 2. Airplane
- 3. Train
- 4. Boat
- 5. Auto
- 6. Military
- 7. Wood
- 8. Plastic
- 9. Lego- must be on solid base
- 10. Lego Original Design – must be on solid base
- 11. Other, specify

CHINA PAINTING

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 – 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Bisque
- 2. Conventional, Stylized
- 3. Creatures
- 4. Delft
- 5. Dresden
- 6. Eggs
- 7. Enamel
- 8. Etching
- 9. Modernistic, Contemporary
- 10. Pen Work
- 11. Portraits
- 12. Scenes
- 13. Scrolling
- 14. Vegetables
- 15. Miscellaneous

DOLL HOUSE FURNITURE

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. All Originals
- 2. Kit or Model, specify
- 3. Other, specify

DOLL HOUSE

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Original Design
- 2. Pattern or Kit Design

MINIATURES

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. All Originals
- 2. Kit or Model, specify
- 3. Room Box
- 4. Other, specify

GLASS WORK

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Art Beads
- 2. Lamp work Beads
- 3. Fused Glass
- 4. Stained Glass - Original Design
- 5. Stained Glass - Kit or Pattern
- 6. Slumped
- 7. Other, specify

SCRATCH ART

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Kits
- 2. Original Designs
- 3. Other, specify

PLASTIC CANVAS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Kits
- 2. Original Designs
- 3. Other, specify

METHOD PAINTING

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Tolle
- 2. Decorative
- 3. Folk Art
- 4. Paint by Number
- 5. Other, specify

PAINTINGS & DRAWINGS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Pen & Ink
- 2. Oil
- 3. Watercolor
- 4. Acrylic
- 5. Chalk
- 6. Pencil (Black & White)
- 7. Colored Pencil
- 8. Charcoal
- 9. Mixed Media
- 10. Digital
- 11. Other, specify

BASKETRY

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced
Class

- 1. Woven
- 2. Pine Needle
- 3. Other, Specify



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MIXED MEDIA

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class

1. Collage
2. Assemblage
3. Textiles (other than dolls)
4. Wall Hangings
5. Art Dolls (Not China, Porcelain, Ceramics)
6. Altered Books & Journals
7. Styrofoam
8. Floral
9. Mosaics
10. Other, specify

PAPER ARTS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class

1. Collage
2. 3-Dimensional Art
3. Rubber Stamping
4. Scrap Booking
5. Paper Folding
6. Paper Mache

HOUSEHOLD & MISC

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Lamp & Lamp shades
2. Wall Hangings
3. Baskets
4. Lace & Ribbon
5. Textile Creation (other than dolls)
6. Rugs
7. Macrame
8. Holiday Items
9. Other, specify

GOURDS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class

1. Painted
2. Wood Burned
3. Carved
4. Woven
5. Dyed
6. Mixed Media
7. Other, specify

EGGS

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class

1. Painted
2. Carved or Etched
3. Mixed Media
4. Other, specify

Epoxy Art / Resin

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Cups
2. Wall Art
3. Household Item
4. Toys
5. Coasters
6. Key Chain
7. Jewelry
8. Other

Sublimation

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Textiles
2. Housewares
3. Jewelry
4. Other

Laser Engraved Wood

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Jewelry
2. Signage
3. Puzzle and Games
4. Building and Structures
5. Cutting Board and Other Serving Items
6. Other

Laser Engraved Other Material

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Plastic
2. Aluminum
3. Stainless Steel
4. Cardboard
5. Stone
6. Glass
7. Other

3D Printing

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Buildings
2. Toys
3. Jewelry
4. Models
5. Household Items
6. Figurines Statues
7. Other

Vinyl

Division: Child 4 - 8
Division: Youth 9 - 12
Division: Teen 13 - 19
Division: Adult 20+ Novice
Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

1. Wall Art
2. Textiles
3. Tumblers
4. Household Items
5. Signs
6. Others



COLLECTIONS

Department Information:

Coordinator:

Entry Fee \$3.00 per Pre-Online entry (\$5.00 Day of Drop-Off Entry Fee)

GENERAL DISPLAY RULES

Please Read instructions carefully:

Entries must be created by the exhibitor.

All Entries must have name and contact information on or in Entry.

Please Enter into the Proper Division and Class. To avoid Confusion, we may move your item to the proper place.

Entries must be Presentable and Display Ready (**Entries stained or unsanitary will not be accepted**)

Exhibits consisting of one or more pieces must be mounted or securely fastened together.

The Yavapai County Fair is not responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit.

(Failure to comply w/ these rules may result in disqualification.)

Judging Criteria

Degree of Difficulty

Overall Impression

Workmanship

Presentation / Display

All exhibits in this Department will be judged using the American System

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Reserve Best of Division \$4.00
Best of Class \$3
Reserve Best of Class \$2
Special Award per Department \$25.00.**

Consignment Sale:

All Items Entered into the Fair are eligible to be consigned. Pieces will be displayed w/ sale price during fair. Items will be sold thru the fair and the fair will keep 10% as a consignment fee. NO piece will be allowed to be taken prior to check out time. No other private sales will be allowed.

COLLECTIONS

(On a 3 x 5 card tell how your collection was formed. All collection displays may be limited to a maximum of 10 items as space permits, w/ a picture of the whole collection provided if the exhibitor wishes to show off their whole collection.

(To qualify for **re-entry**, a collection must have had at least 3 items added in the past year, 2 of which will be the new display items, w/ a new picture of the growing collection & a picture of the old collection from the last year if desired.)



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Minerals and Fossils

- Division: Child 4 – 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 – 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Minerals, Cabinet specimens, maximum 60
2.	Minerals, Miniatures, maximum 60
3.	Minerals, Miniatures personally collected in the field by exhibitor, maximum 60
4.	Minerals, Thumbnail collection
5.	Minerals, Thumbnail collection, personally collected in the field by exhibitor
6.	Minerals, Single specimen, state dimension of specimen
7.	Minerals, Other than classified
8.	Fossils, plant and/or animal life
9.	Fossils, Single specimen
10.	Fossils, Other than classified

Lapidary

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Cabochons by intermediate individuals; 10 cabs (one kind or assorted)
2.	Single Cabochons, any material, any shape
3.	Cabochons, 10 cabs, one material, assorted shapes
4.	Cabochons, 10 cabs, assorted materials, and shapes
5.	Cabochons, 10 cabs, all Arizona material, assorted materials, and shapes
6.	Novice: Faceted stones, minimum 2, maximum 5. Assorted materials and cuts
7.	Intermediate: Faceted stones, minimum 5, maximum 10. Assorted materials and cuts
8.	Advanced: Faceted stones, minimum 10, maximum 60. Assorted materials and cuts
9.	Intarsia
10.	Stone carved for jewelry
11.	Stone carved freestanding

Miscellaneous Collectibles

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Miscellaneous collections: up to 10 items

Antique Collections Before 1930

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Banks
2.	Bottles
3.	Buttons
4.	Ceramic Objects
5.	China
6.	Cloth
7.	Dolls
8.	Glass Objects
9.	Hat Pins
10.	Holiday
11.	Jewelry
12.	Metal Objects
13.	Nature
14.	Paper Objects
15.	Sports
16.	Topical (common subject)
17.	Toys
18.	Transportation
19.	Wearable
20.	Wooden Objects
20.	Other collection

Vintage Collections 1930 - 1960 *An Item of a period of origin or manufacture

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Banks
2.	Bottles
3.	Buttons
4.	Cards
5.	Ceramic Objects
6.	China
7.	Cloth
8.	Cookbooks
9.	Dolls
10.	Farm Equipment
11.	Glass Objects
12.	Holiday

- 13. Jewelry
- 14. Metal Objects
- 15. Paper Objects
- 16. Sports
- 17. Topical (common subject)
- 18. Toys
- 19. Transportation
- 20. Wearable
- 21. Wooden Objects
- 22. Other Collection

Modern Collections 1961 - 2018

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Class	Description
1.	Banks
2.	Ceramic
3.	China Object
4.	Dolls, Barbie
5.	Dolls, Other
6.	Earned Sports Awards – Medal, Ribbon, Trophies
7.	Glass Objects
8.	Holiday
9.	Key Chains
10.	Metal Objects
11.	Miniatures
12.	Nature (objects of nature)
13.	Paper Objects
14.	Plastic Objects
15.	Sports
16.	Stuffed Animals
17.	Stuffed Bears
18.	Topical (common subject)
19.	Toys
20.	Transportation
21.	Wearable
22.	Wooden Objects
23.	Other collection

Currency, Seals & Stamps

- Division: Child 4 - 8
- Division: Youth 9 - 12
- Division: Teen 13 - 19
- Division: Adult 20+ Novice
- Division: Adult 20+ Experienced

Miscellaneous collections: up to 10 items

Class	Description
1.	Foreign or U.S. Currency
2.	Foreign or U.S. Stamps
3.	Miscellaneous Old and New Mixed
4.	Seals