

DEPARTMENT 16 - HOBBY SHOW – M-4 (OPEN & JUNIOR SHOW COMBINED)

NEW SECURITY MEASURES WILL BE IN PLACE FOR THE 2009 HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR. These measures are to assist us in creating a safer fair for all patrons, exhibitors, guests and performers. Please see page 1 of the General Rules for additional details. YOUR HELP IS NEEDED TO MAKE OUR FAIR A SAFE, FUN PLACE TO BE. THANK YOU.

REGULAR ENTRY DEADLINE: JULY 1, 2009

ENTRY FEE: \$.75
EXHIBITOR TICKETS: \$12.00 FOR (5) DAY

ITEM/S ACCEPTANCE DATES: WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 2009
THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2009
ITEM/S ACCEPTANCE TIMES: WEDNESDAY-BETWEEN 6:00 & 8:00 P.M.
THURSDAY-BETWEEN 8:00 & 10:00 A.M.
JUDGING DATE & TIME: THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2009 AT 10:00 A.M.
BUILDING FOR ITEM DELIVERY: HOBBY BUILDING

PREMIUMS OFFERED: \$872.00 (OPEN SHOW)
PREMIUM OFFERED: \$274.00 (JUNIOR SHOW)

SUPERINTENDENT: ROGER BROYHILL (309) 243-9030

SUPERINTENDENT: VIV BROWNING..... (309) 692-6005

DEPARTMENT AND HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR GENERAL RULES

1. Please refer to the GENERAL RULES section in the front of the premium book.
2. Entries close July 1, 2009, for the regular entry deadline. All entries by mail must be postmarked not later than midnight, July 1, 2009, and must be accompanied by full entry fee. Please use the WHITE entry form for all Hobby Show entries in the OPEN AND JUNIOR SHOW.
3. Entry tags will be mailed to you as soon as your entry is processed, if for some reason you do not receive them by the date you are to bring your item/s **please call the office** as we may be holding them for you to pick-up when you bring your articles. Do not assume that we have not received your entry; please call to check on your entry status.
4. Fees. Remittance of entry fee of \$.75 for each entry and \$12.00 for an exhibitor's ticket for (5) days must accompany all applications for entry. All exhibitors must purchase at least (one) \$12.00 exhibitor ticket, maximum of (two). **NO EXHIBITOR TICKETS WILL BE ISSUED UNTIL ITEMS TO BE EXHIBITED ARE BROUGHT TO THE FAIRGROUNDS.** Exhibitor ticket passes may be picked up in the Hobby Building at the time you bring your item/s.
5. All entries **MUST** remain until the close of the fair. **THEY MAY ONLY BE PICKED UP BETWEEN 1:00 - 3:00 p.m., Sunday, July 19, 2009.**
6. Only amateurs who collect as a hobby are eligible to compete for prizes. All exhibits must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor. Limited to residents of the State of Illinois. No premium money awarded in amateur lots if person is found to be a professional.
7. Exhibitors are limited to **two** entries per lot number. Articles **MUST** be different, **CANNOT** be the same. All final decisions are subject to judges' and superintendents' approval. One particular exhibit may qualify under one lot only. Entries awarded blue ribbons at the 2008 Heart of Illinois Fair are not eligible to be re-entered in 2009.
8. All possible care will be taken to ensure the safety of the exhibits in the department. However, the management of the Heart of Illinois Fair cannot be responsible for loss or damage to article. This building will be under lock, however, at all times when not open to the public. When it is open, hostesses will be on duty at all times to care for the exhibits. The public will not be permitted to touch any item on exhibit as restraining ropes will allow viewing from a safe distance. **No money or stamps in collections allowed.**
9. A rosette will be awarded to the most outstanding entry in each class, chosen from blue ribbon winners.
10. Exhibits not conforming to specifications will be disqualified from judging.
11. **Exhibitors must check with superintendents in each lot before placing exhibit. Superintendent retains right to change entry to another lot if not entered in correct lot.**
12. When you bring your item/s to the fairgrounds, please indicate the number of articles in your entry on each entry tag.
13. This is not a public judging. The superintendents urge you to leave your entries and not to return until the building is reopened to the public.
14. Any person entering the Junior Department will include 2009 high school graduates and under.

CLASS A - ANTIQUES

In this class, A MINIMUM OF ONE ITEM TO A MAXIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS per lot must be exhibited.

Antiques are to be 50 years old and older

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Originality of Display - 50%

Variety, this includes size & type within collection - 50%

PREMIUM AWARDS

	1st	2nd	3rd
	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Lot

1. PRIMITIVES—wood, pewter, copper, brass, pottery, tin, granite ware or stoneware
2. GLASSWARE—any style
3. TOOLS
4. BOTTLES, JARS, CONTAINERS
5. PHOTOGRAPHS, POST CARDS, GREETING CARDS
6. CHINA—any style
7. PERFUME BOTTLES, LADIES VANITY ITEMS, JEWELRY
8. BOOKS/ALBUMS
9. SMALL KITCHEN ITEMS/UTENSILS
10. SEWING NOTIONS/CLOTHING ACCESSORIES
11. LINENS—dish towels, tablecloths, dresser scarves, etc.
12. MILITARY ITEMS—NO items of weaponry
13. MISCELLANEOUS—**must be collection of like objects that you are unable to enter in above lots.**

CLASS B - COLLECTIONS

In this class, A MINIMUM OF TEN ITEMS OR SETS TO A MAXIMUM OF FIFTEEN ITEMS OR SETS per lot must be exhibited.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Originality of Display - 50%

Variety, this includes size & type within collection - 50%

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

Lot

1. TOOTHPICK HOLDERS
2. MUGS/STEINS/PLATES
3. BEANIE BABIES
4. SALT & PEPPER SHAKERS
5. SOUVENIRS
6. MINIATURES
7. BASKETS
8. PITCHERS/VASES
9. COOKIE CUTTERS
10. ANIMALS/DOLLS
11. KEY CHAINS/KEY RINGS
12. WESTERN ITEMS
13. MINIATURE VEHICLES
14. MAGNETS
15. COOKBOOKS
16. SHELLS/NATURE ITEMS
17. LICENSE PLATES
18. MILK BOTTLES
19. MISCELLANEOUS—must be collection of like objects that you are unable to enter in the above lots.

CLASS C - CREATIVE ARTS

In this class, A MINIMUM OF ONE ITEM TO A MAXIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS per lot must be exhibited, unless otherwise specified. ALL ITEMS EXHIBITED MUST BE THE WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR. Ceramics must be made by exhibitor from greenware.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Lot

1. PAPER CRAFTS/GREETING CARDS/RUBBER STAMPING ON PAPER
2. BIRD HOUSES
3. JEWELRY—handmade
4. BASKETS—handmade
5. MODEL BUILDING—planes, ships, cars, etc.
6. WREATHS—1 unit
7. CHRISTMAS DECORATION—1 unit
8. HOLIDAY DECORATION—not Christmas
9. DOLLS/STUFFED ANIMALS
10. MISCELLANEOUS—must be collection of like objects that you are unable to enter in the above lots.

CLASS C - CREATIVE ARTS (Scrapbook Page)

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%

All items exhibited must be the work of the exhibitor.

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Lot

11. JUNIOR EXHIBITORS ONLY—create a scrapbook page (1) only, any size, any theme, any technique.
12. ADULT EXHIBITORS ONLY—create a scrapbook page (1) only, any size, any theme, any technique

CLASS C - CREATIVE ARTS (Woodworking)

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%

PREMIUM AWARDS (Per Lot)

1st	2nd	3rd
\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Lot

13. WOODWORKING

In this class, A MINIMUM OF ONE ITEM TO A MAXIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS per lot must be exhibited, unless otherwise specified. All items exhibited must be the work of the exhibitor.

CLASS C - CREATIVE ARTS (Ceramics)
 In this class, A MINIMUM OF ONE ITEM TO A MAXIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS per lot must be exhibited.
SCORECARD FOR JUDGING
 Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%

All items exhibited must be the work of the exhibitor.

PREMIUM AWARDS		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

- Lot**
 14. CERAMICS
 15. JUNIOR CERAMICS—NOTE THIS CLASS/LOT IS FOR JUNIOR EXHIBITORS THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES.
 Please see class D & E for additional Junior Lots.

CLASS C - CREATIVE ARTS (Porcelain Art)
SPONSORED BY: ILLINOIS VALLEY CHINA GUILD
SCORECARD FOR JUDGING
 Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%
 All items exhibited must be the work of the exhibitor.

PREMIUM AWARDS		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Exhibitors are limited to two entries per lot number

- Lot**
 16. HAND PAINTED PORCELAIN ART (1) item only-floral
 17. HAND PAINTED PORCELAIN ART (1) item only-all other

HOBBY DEPARTMENT (OPEN & JUNIOR SHOW)
CLASS D - ART ITEMS

In this class, A MAXIMUM OF ONE ITEM per entry must be exhibited. Display must be wired and ready to hang (except sculpture)
 Exhibitors are allowed to enter 2 entries per lot number.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING
 Workmanship - 50%, Beauty and Originality of Design - 25%, Quality - 25%

PREMIUM AWARDS		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

- Lot**
 1. Amateur Oil/Acrylic painting
 2. Amateur Watercolor painting
 3. Amateur Drawing—pen, ink, pencil, etc.
 4. Amateur Mixed Media Art
 5. Amateur 3 Dimensional Art—sculpture, pottery, etc.
 6. High School, any style art
 7. Grade School, any style art, grades 5 thru 8
 8. Grade School, any style art, grades 1 thru 4

HOBBY DEPARTMENT (JUNIOR SHOW)

CLASS E - JUNIOR COLLECTIONS

In this class, A MINIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS OR SETS TO A MAXIMUM OF TEN ITEMS OR SETS per lot must be exhibited, unless otherwise specified. Display must be sturdy and well anchored, small items should be secured to display.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Originality of Display - 50%

Variety, this includes size & type within collection - 50%

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

Lot

1. DOLLS
2. ROCKS, MINERALS, SHELLS
3. SOUVENIRS/KEY RINGS
4. ACTION FIGURES
5. BEANIE BABIES, OR SIMILAR
6. PATCHES, BUTTONS, PINS, and/or BADGES
7. PENCILS, PENS, ERASERS
8. SPORTS ITEMS
9. COLLECTABLE CARDS
10. ANIMALS
11. MATCHBOX, HOTWHEELS TOYS
12. MISCELLANEOUS—**must be collection of like objects that you are unable to enter in the above lots.**

HOBBY DEPARTMENT (JUNIOR SHOW)

CLASS E - JUNIOR COLLECTIONS

In this class, A MINIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS OR SETS TO A MAXIMUM OF TEN ITEMS OR SETS per lot must be exhibited, unless otherwise specified. Display must be sturdy and well anchored, small items should be secured to display.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Originality of Display - 50%

Variety, this includes size & type within collection - 50%

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

13. TOY VEHICLES

HOBBY DEPARTMENT (JUNIOR SHOW)

CLASS E - JUNIOR COLLECTIONS

In this class, A MINIMUM OF FIVE ITEMS OR SETS TO A MAXIMUM OF TEN ITEMS OR SETS per lot must be exhibited, unless otherwise specified. Display must be sturdy and well anchored, small items should be secured to display.

SCORECARD FOR JUDGING

Originality of Display - 50%

Variety, this includes size & type within collection - 50%

PREMIUM AWARDS

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

14. "LEGO" PROJECT
15. "KNEX" OR SIMILAR PROJECT