

Needleworks

- Each exhibitor is allowed to enter only one division, i.e. Youth, Adult Open, or Golden
- Each exhibitor is allowed one entry per class with a maximum of 6 total entries.
- All needlework must be original and produced by the entrant.
- Entries may be made by Chattooga County residents and surrounding counties.
- Any handiwork entered in the CCAF in 2025 will not be eligible for future CCAF contests. Entries entered in previous Chattooga County Agricultural Fair competitions are not eligible for re-entry.
- Utmost care will be taken in hanging and displaying of handiworks. The CCAF and associates are not responsible for mishaps or damages.
- Entries will be received on Monday, August 24, 2026 from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm and Tuesday, August 25, 2026 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Chattooga County Agriculture Building. There are no exceptions.
- Names on entered pieces must not be visible. Can be covered with masking tape for judging purposes.
- Exhibitors must have legible name and contact information somewhere on their entry.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to bring their entries in labeled pillow cases.
- Upon registration, each contestant will be required to fill out entry tags for each entry.
- Needlework judging will take place on August 26, 2026 and will not be open to the public.
- Three placings will be awarded in each category, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd with one Grand Champion per division per judge's discretion (all classes combined in Needleworks and Quilting categories). One Best in Show will be awarded (all divisions and classes combined in Needleworks and Quilting). Honorable mentions will be awarded at judging panel's discretion.
- **Any entry that does not meet the rules and regulations as specified for the category entered will not be eligible for judging and will be displayed as exhibition only.**
- CCAF reserves the right to refuse entry if the artwork entered is offensive or does not represent the CCAF in a positive manner. This decision is to the discretion of the CCAF Council and Blue Ribbon Committee.
- Entries will remain on display at the CCAF for the duration of the fair. Any alterations or removal will result in forfeiture of premiums/awards forfeited and exhibitors will be ineligible to participate in future CCAF contests/exhibits.
- Entries and premiums will be available for pick up on August 31, 2026, from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm. Receipt for your exhibits **MUST** accompany pick up. Any entries not picked up will become property of the CCAF and will be donated as the CCAF determines.

Divisions: One division entry allowed per exhibitor (Quilting has its own Division, this is an Open division Q)

- Youth: 17 years and under;
- Adult Open: 18 years and over
- Golden: Age 65

Classes:

- Crochet: ,
 - Household items. This includes doilies, table runners, potholders, dresser scarfs etc.
 - Garments: Including baby wear and outer wear
 - Afghans and bedspreads
 - Scarves
 - Ornaments
 - Kitchen items
 - Baby Items

- Knitting:
 - Household items. This includes doilies, table runners, potholders, dresser scarfs etc.
 - Garments: Including baby wear and outer wear
 - Afghans and bedspreads
 - Scarves
 - Ornaments
 - Kitchen items
 - Baby Item

- Weaving:
 - Scarves
 - Garment
 - Household Items such as pillows, placemats, etc.

- Quilting - Division Q is open to individual or team competition and there are no age categories in this class
 - Individual: Quilt was made only by the entrant
 - Team: Quilt was made by 2 or more

Classes for Quilting: This includes pieced, applique and machine quilts.

- Large- Quilts – Generally 60”-110” in width and 80” or more in length
 - Hand Pieced/ Hand Quilted
 - Hand Pieced/ Machine Quilted
 - Machine Pieced/ Hand Quilted
 - Machine Pieced/ Machine Quilted

- Small Quilted Item- Generally 30"-80" in width and 80" or more in length
 - Hand Pieced/ Hand Quilted
 - Hand Pieced/ Machine Quilted
 - Machine Pieced/ Hand Quilted
 - Machine Pieced/ Machine Quilted

- Cross Stitch:
 - Cross-stitch -Home Decor– Includes pillow tops, decorative items, household items etc.
 - Cross-stitch- Wall hanging

- Cruel Embroidery:
 - Cruel Embroidered Piece- Includes pillow tops, decorative items, household items etc.
 - Cruel Embroidered – Wall hanging

- Sewing:
 - Clothing Items
 - Scarves
 - Decorative items: such as pillows, wall hangings
 - Dolls/Toys
 - Ornaments
 - Purses/bags