


2021 Hill
County Fair

Creative Arts Division

January 25, 2021 – January 29, 2021

Hill County Fairgrounds
Hillsboro, Texas

Rules & Regulations

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Rules and online registration available at

<http://hillcountyfair.org>

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2021 Hill County Youth Fair- Creative Arts Registration Information

ONLINE REGISTRATION – November 30, 2020 through December 18, 2020 for a nonrefundable entry fee of \$5.00 per item.

There will be no class changes or substitutions after registration is submitted. If you have class questions, contact Lana, Monika, Pennie or email hcfcae@gmail.com.

*****No late registrations will be accepted*****

ALL ITEMS MUST BE REGISTERED ONLINE at <http://hillcountyfair.org> or <http://hillcountyfair.com>

PAYMENT MUST BE MADE ONLINE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION

2021 Hill County Youth Fair-Creative Arts Schedule

ITEMS RECEIVED

Monday, January 25 - Starting at **7:30 a.m.- 4 p.m.**

All Items Must be tagged (see next page)

No late registrations will be accepted.

Tuesday, January 26 – Closed to public

CREATIVE ARTS OPENS TO PUBLIC

Wednesday, January 27 - 1:00 p.m.

YOUTH AUCTION SIGN UP

Wednesday, January 27 - 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Thursday, January 28 - 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Each eligible exhibitor is to check with the auction chairperson at the office near the front doors for auction sign up. *It is the exhibitor's responsibility to see that his/her name gets on the auction list during times listed above. If name is not on the auction list by cutoff time, the item will not sell.*

CHAMPION & RESERVE PICTURES

Wednesday, January 27 - 6:30 p.m.

Award winners will need to sign in at the office by 6 p.m.

AUCTION LINE UP

Friday, January 29 – 5:30 p.m.

AUCTION

Friday, January 29 - 6:30 p.m.

Substitution of participant in auction is allowed only with a doctor's excuse or note from principal verifying another school activity. Each participant is responsible for inviting buyers to purchase projects from the auction. ***Participants auctioning a food item must provide a freshly prepared item and deliver it to the buyer the night of the auction.***

ITEMS RELEASED

Thursday, January 28 - 4 p.m. – 7 p.m.

All items must be picked up on Thursday, January 28 by 7 p.m. or will be discarded.

Nothing will be saved.

AUCTION CHECKS

Monday, March 22 all auction checks will be mailed to address provided during online registration.

Exhibitors are responsible for writing and mailing thank you notes to buyers.

To replace lost checks there will be a \$35.00 fee.

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Hill County Fair

GENERAL RULES-

In no case will the coordinator, advisors, chairpersons, or anyone working with the fair in any way be held responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any person, vehicle or article while participating in the Hill County Fair. Care will be taken by the staff to prevent loss or damage to all entry items.

1. Participants must reside in Hill County or be actively enrolled in a Hill County school, public, private or homeschool or be a member of a Hill County 4-H or FFA Club and not be a professional for the duration of the Hill County Fair. A professional is defined as one who maintains his livelihood through marketing his skills or knowledge in any one of the divisions. Entries must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor.
2. Exhibitors may enter only one entry per numbered class.
3. All auction items must remain on the Creative Arts Division site until the auction. Non-sale items will be released on Thursday 4 p.m. – 7 p.m.
4. Chairpersons will have the right to disqualify any entry to comply with rules listed in this catalog. Entries will not be accepted that do not meet standards and qualifications set forth in the general rules and specific class rules.
5. No substitutions will be made. No new class will be made for an entry not meeting class specifications.
6. Items with death related, alcohol, tobacco, inappropriate, explicit or suggestive wording or imagery will be disqualified.
7. All entries are required to be tagged. Food items are to be tagged with both tags on this page.
8. Entries (other than home baked goods) must have been made within the past year.
9. Items entered must not have previously been entered in the Hill County Youth Fair.
10. No names, initials or organization affiliations may be included on or within items.
11. All protests and complaints, in order to be considered, must be submitted in writing to the Creative Arts Division office and be accompanied by a fee of \$100.00 cash, per protest or complaint, before any action will be taken. If the ruling is in the favor of the person protesting or complaining the fee will be refunded.

-AWARDS-

All decisions made by the judges will be final. Names of judges will not be revealed. All judging is “blind judging” - names of exhibitors and judges are unknown to each other.

1. Only prizes listed in this catalog will be awarded. Prize money will be awarded to blue ribbon (first place), red ribbon (second place), white ribbon (third place), pink ribbon (fourth place) and yellow ribbon (fifth place). One Champion and one Reserve Champion award per major category (Home Baked, Art, etc.) will be awarded. Prize money will be set as follows: \$5 – first place, \$4 – second place, \$3 – third place, \$2 – fourth place and \$1 – fifth place. Grand Champion will receive \$15 and Reserve Champion \$10. Participants may sell only one Champion, or one Reserve Champion, or one blue ribbon item at the auction.

2021 Hill County Fair Creative Arts Division

Name _____

Age Group _____

Division _____

Class # _____

Class Name _____

School _____

2021 Hill County Fair Creative Arts Division Food Item Name

DIVISION RULES

ALL items must be complete and ready for display upon entering the fair.

-HOME BAKED FOODS-

1. Food requiring refrigeration may not be entered. (Example – Cream Pies, Whipped Cream, Fresh Fruit or Cheesecakes). Fresh fruit cannot be used as a decoration, topping or in icing.
2. Food entries that are displayed as individual servings must consist of exactly 6 pieces. (Example – 6 cookies, 6 candies, 6 cupcakes, 6 muffins, 6 brownies or 6 bars.)
3. **Decorated cakes must be one layer only.**
4. All foods must be displayed in a disposable container with a clear locking lid. Inexpensive hard plastic or metal containers are not considered disposable.
5. The following items cannot be used: Plastic Wrap, colored Plastic Wrap, Cellophane, Decorated Containers, Cardboard Cake Boxes, Glass, or Tupperware.
6. All entries must be tagged. (see general rules page). All foods must be labeled stating name and if nuts are included in the ingredients, (Example Apple Pie, Sugar Cookies, Fudge with Nuts, etc.). Recipes are not required.
7. All baked goods become property of the HCF-CAD.
8. Food will be judged on the following criteria:
A. – Moisture B.–Color C. – Texture D. – Appearance

-CRAFTS-

***ALL CRAFT ITEMS MUST NOT
EXCEED 16" X 16" X 12"!***

***WALL HANGINGS AND WREATHS
MUST NOT EXCEED 18"***

No glass, mirrors, plaster or ceramics are allowed!

1. Items containing glass, mirrors, plaster or ceramics will be disqualified.
2. Names or initials cannot be included on or within any craft item.
3. Hanging items must have hangers.
4. Items such as jewelry or those requiring stands, must be displayed on a sturdy base and all parts must be secured. No glass displays.
5. Recycled items class must be made from recycled materials only. No glass or mirrors
6. Entries will be judged on the following.
A. – Creativity B. – Quality C. – Good use of Materials

-ART-

**ALL ART ITEMS MUST NOT EXCEED 12" X 18"
OVERALL SIZE AFTER MATTING**

1. Art containing glass or mirrors will not be accepted.
2. All entries must be attached to cardboard, poster board, cardstock or matted, with no glass or frames, and ready for hanging with hooks, wire or heavy string. If not ready for hanging, entry will be disqualified.
3. Names or initials cannot be included on or within any art item. Do not sign art or cover name.
4. Art entries must not exceed 12" x 18" overall size after matting.
5. Entries will be judged on the following:
A.– Quality B.– Overall Appearance C. – Creativity

-PHOTOGRAPHY-

1. Color unless specified.
2. Photos **must be uploaded** to <http://hillcountyfair.org> in their appropriate class **at time of entry**.
3. Photographs must be in a .jpeg, .jpg, or .png format.
4. Photo must be a minimum of 300 dpi quality resolution.
5. Photo may not be larger than 5120 KB (5MB)
6. Entries will be judged on the following:
A.– Technical Merit B.– Composition C. – Impact

-TEXTILES-

1. All items must be neat and clean.
2. Clothing items must be on hangers and covered with a clear plastic bag.
3. Quilts must be the minimum of crib size and no smaller than 36" x 60".

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Grades PK thru 1

HOME BAKED FOODS

- 1000 – Brownies **6 pcs only**
- 1001 – Cookies (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 1002 – Bars (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 1003 – Fudge **6 pcs only**
- 1004 – All Other Candy including Cake/Cookie Balls **6 pcs only**
- 1005 – Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 1006 – Muffins (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 1007 – Loaf Bread (Any type – do not slice)

ART

**All art must not exceed 12"x 18" overall including matting.
Must have hanger. No glass or frames.**

**Do not sign artwork or cover up name. No names or initials on
or within art items.**

- 1100 – Crayon (Color page – your choice)
- 1101 – Crayon (Freehand)
- 1102 – Marker
- 1103 – Paint
- 1104 – Pencil
- 1105 – Water Color

PHOTOGRAPHY

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- 1200 – Still Life
- 1201 – Animal(s)
- 1202 – Nature/Scene/Landscape
- 1203 – People

CRAFTS

**Craft Items are not to exceed 16"x16"x12"
Wall Hangings & Wreaths must not exceed 18"
No glass, mirrors, plaster or ceramics are allowed!**

- 1300 – Birdhouses (Any type)
- 1301 – Fabric Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 1302 – Jewelry (No recycled material)
- 1303 – Home Accessories
- 1304 – Models (All pieces must be glued.)
- 1305 – Paper Crafts
- 1306 – Personal Accessories
- 1307 – Recycled Items (Recycled materials only)
- 1308 – Ribbon/Yarn Crafts (No string art)
- 1309 – Wall Hangings/Wreaths (Must have hanger)
- 1310 – Wood Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 1311 – String Art
- 1312 – Stuffed Articles/Pillows

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GRADES 2 thru 4

HOME BAKED FOODS

- 2000 – Brownies **6 pcs only**
- 2001 – Cookies (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 2002 – Bars (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 2003 – Fudge **6 pcs only**
- 2004 – All Other Candy including Cake/Cookie Balls **6 pcs only**
- 2005 – Cakes (Any type)
- 2006 – Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 2007 – Muffins (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 2008 – Loaf Bread (Any type – do not slice)

ART

**All art must not exceed 12"x 18" overall including matting.
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or within art items.**

- 2100 – Crayon (Freehand)
- 2101 – Marker
- 2102 – Paint
- 2103 – Pencil
- 2104 – Water Color

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- 2200 – Still Life
- 2201 – Animal(s)
- 2202 – Scene/Landscape
- 2203 – People
- 2204 – Bldgs./Structures
- 2205 – Plant/Flora
- 2206 – Black & White/Sepia – (All subjects)

CRAFTS

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- 2300 – Birdhouses (Any type)
- 2301 – Fabric Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 2302 – Jewelry (No recycled material)
- 2303 – Home Accessories
- 2304 – Leather Craft
- 2305 – Metal Craft
- 2306 – Models (All pieces must be glued.)
- 2307 – Paper Crafts
- 2308 – Personal Accessories
- 2309 – Recycled Items (Recycled materials only)
- 2310 – Ribbon/Yarn Crafts (No string art)
- 2311 – Wall Hangings/Wreaths (Must have hanger)
- 2312 – Wood Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 2313 – Woodwork (Handmade non-furniture)
- 2314 – String Art

TEXTILES

- 2400 – Clothing/Fabric Items (handmade/sewn)
- 2401 – Stuffed Articles/Pillows

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GRADES 5 thru 8

HOME BAKED FOODS

- 3000 – Brownies **6 pcs only**
- 3001 – Cookies (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 3002 – Bars (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 3003 – Fudge **6 pcs only**
- 3004 – All Other Candy including Cake/Cookie Balls **6 pcs only**
- 3005 – Cakes (Any type)
- 3006 – Decorated Cakes (One layer only)
- 3007 – Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 3008 – Decorated Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 3009 – Pies (Scratch or Prepared Crust)
- 3010 – Muffins (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 3011 – Loaf Bread (Any type – do not slice)

ART

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OIL/ACRYLIC

- 3100 – Still Life
- 3101 – Animal(s)
- 3102 – Scene/Landscape
- 3103 – Portraits/People

WATER COLOR/PASTEL

- 3120 – Still Life
- 3121 – Animal(s)
- 3122 – Scene/Landscape
- 3123 – Portraits/People

PENCIL/MARKER

- 3130 – Still Life
- 3131 – Animal(s)
- 3132 – Scene/Landscape
- 3133 – Portraits/People

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- 3200 – Still Life
- 3201 – Animal(s)
- 3202 – Scene/Landscape
- 3203 – People
- 3204 – Bldgs./Structures
- 3205 – Plant/Flora
- 3206 – Black & White/Sepia – (all types)

CRAFTS

Craft Items are not to exceed 16"x16"x12".

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- 3300 – Birdhouses (Any type)
- 3301 – Fabric Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 3302 – Jewelry (No recycled material)
- 3303 – Home Accessories
- 3304 – Leather Craft
- 3305 – Metal Craft
- 3306 – Models (All pieces must be glued.)
- 3307 – Paper Crafts
- 3308 – Personal Accessories
- 3309 – Recycled Items (Recycled materials only)
- 3310 – Ribbon/Yarn Crafts (No string art)
- 3311 – Wall Hangings/Wreaths (Must have hanger)
- 3312 – Wood Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 3313 – Woodwork (Handmade non-furniture)
- 3314 – String Art

TEXTILES

- 3400 – Clothing/Fabric Items (handmade/sewn)
- 3401 – Needlework (No string art)
- 3402 – Quilts (Minimum size 36" x 60")
- 3403 – Stuffed Articles/Pillows

GRADES 9 thru 12

HOME BAKED FOODS

- 4000 – Brownies **6 pcs only**
- 4001 – Cookies (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 4002 – Bars (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 4003 – Fudge **6 pcs only**
- 4004 – All Other Candy including Cake/Cookie Balls **6 pcs only**
- 4005 – Cakes (Any type)
- 4006 – Decorated Cakes (One layer only)
- 4007 – Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 4008 – Decorated Cupcakes (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 4009 – Pies (Scratch or Prepared Crust)
- 4010 – Muffins (Any type – **6 pcs only**)
- 4011 – Loaf Bread (Any type – do not slice)

ART

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OIL/ACRYLIC

- 4100 – Still Life
- 4101 – Animal(s)
- 4102 – Scene/Landscape
- 4103 – Portraits/People

WATER COLOR/PASTEL

- 4120 – Still Life
- 4121 – Animal(s)
- 4122 – Scene/Landscape
- 4123 – Portraits/People

PENCIL/MARKER

- 4130 – Still Life
- 4131 – Animal(s)
- 4132 – Scene/Landscape
- 4133 – Portraits/People

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- 4200 – Still Life
- 4201 – Animal(s)
- 4202 – Scene/Landscape
- 4203 – People
- 4204 – Bldgs./Structures
- 4205 – Plant/Flora
- 4206 – Black & White/Sepia – (all types)

CRAFTS

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- 4300 – Birdhouses (Any type)
- 4301 – Fabric Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 4302 – Jewelry (No recycled material)
- 4303 – Home Accessories
- 4304 – Leather Craft
- 4305 – Metal Craft
- 4306 – Models (All pieces must be glued.)
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- 4308 – Personal Accessories
- 4309 – Recycled Items (Recycled materials only)
- 4310 – Ribbon/Yarn Crafts (No string art)
- 4311 – Wall Hangings/Wreaths (Must have hanger)
- 4312 – Wood Items Decorated (Ready-made)
- 4313 – Woodwork (Handmade non-furniture)
- 4314 – String Art

TEXTILES

- 4400 – Clothing/Fabric Items (handmade/sewn)
- 4401 – Needlework (No string art)
- 4402 – Quilts (Minimum size 36" x 60")
- 4403 – Stuffed Articles/Pillows

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