



## 2024 Entry Timeline

Entry Deadline .....	Friday, May 24, by 6 p.m.
Entry Acceptance Email.....	Friday, June 14, by 6 p.m. <i>(check spam folders)</i>
Entry Delivery .....	Friday & Saturday, June 28-29, noon - 6 p.m.
Award Judging Results.....	Viewable in person. Posted Online by the second week of fair.
Fair Dates.....	July 19 - Aug. 18 <i>(closed Mondays and Tuesdays)</i>
Entry Pickup .....	Tuesday, Aug. 20, 9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Entries may be picked up by someone other than the exhibitor.

## Quick Guide

**BY ENTERING YOU ARE AGREEING TO THE TERMS AND RULES PRESENTED IN THIS GUIDEBOOK.**

Entry Fees Per Entry .....	\$10 Adult • \$6 Youth (9-17) • Free for Blue Ribbon Kids ages 5-8
Entry Limit.....	Five (5) per Adult • Three (3) per Youth (5-17)

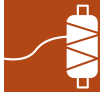
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## RULES & GUIDELINES

1. [Local](#) and [State Rules](#) govern this competition.
2. Exhibitors are responsible for reading and abiding by the guidelines stated herein.
3. If you need assistance determining the Division and/or Class, please contact the Exhibits Office at (714) 708-1553 or email [HobbiesandHandcrafts@ocfair.com](mailto:HobbiesandHandcrafts@ocfair.com).
4. **Causes for disqualification.** Disqualified entries will not be displayed and must be picked up when notified.
  - Non-compliance to the competition and OC Fair guidelines will result in disqualification.
  - Entries over the maximum amount allowed will not be accepted.
  - Articles showing signs of wear or use may be disqualified.
  - Entries must follow the rules of the Division and Class.
  - Items previously shown in the OC Fair will be disqualified.
5. **Entry fees are non-refundable.**
  - There will be no refunds for any reason. By entering the competition, exhibitor is accepting the no-refund policy.
6. Adult Fiber Arts is a juried competition. Not all entries will be accepted.
7. All youth entries are accepted if rules are followed.
8. All entries must have been completed within the last two (2) years.
9. **A photo upload of each entry is required. If a photo is not received, the entry will not be accepted.**
  - Excludes Knots of Love and Quits of Valor.
10. Display and location of entry are at the discretion of the Program Coordinator. No entry will be accepted where an exhibitor describes the conditions under which they will exhibit or how the entry must be displayed.
11. Exhibitors are responsible for entering their items in the correct Division and Class.
12. Work must be finished; no incomplete or work in progress will be accepted.
13. Final acceptance of the entry will be left to the discretion of the Program Coordinator.
14. Due to the family-oriented theme of OC Fair, work dealing with drug use, obscenity, defamatory statements, violence or gang activity, satanic or cult themes or other offensive or objectionable content will not be accepted. This is at the discretion of OC Fair staff.
15. **Hold Harmless**

Although reasonable efforts will be undertaken to safeguard exhibitors' property against loss, damage or theft, neither the State of California nor the OC Fair & Event Center will be responsible for any loss, damage or theft of exhibitors' property brought on the premises during the period of the OC Fair.
16. Entries not picked up on entry pickup day become the property of the OC Fair and will be disposed of promptly.



## ELIGIBILITY

### Adult Divisions:

Open to California residents ages 18 and older.  
Special Interest Divisions are open to all adult U.S. residents.

### Youth Divisions:

Open to youth ages 5-17 (by July 19, 2024) who live in Southern California.

## ENTRY LIMIT

**Adult Divisions .....Five (5) Fiber Arts entries per exhibitor in all classes combined**

**Youth Divisions .....Three (3) entries per exhibitor**

- Sets or ensembles may be entered as one (1) entry.
- Quilts and Afghans are limited to one (1) each.

## ENTRY FEES

**Adult Divisions .....\$10 per entry**

**Youth (9-17) .....\$6 per entry**

**Ages (5-8) .....Free**

- Entry fees are payable online with a credit card (Visa, MasterCard or American Express).
- *No refunds will be issued.*

## OC FAIR EXHIBITOR TICKET

**Exhibitors will receive one (1) OC Fair admission ticket at time of entry delivery.**

If none of an exhibitor's entries were accepted for exhibition, one (1) free admission ticket will be mailed to you.

- One (1) ticket per exhibitor, not per entry.
- Ticket is good any day of the OC Fair and does not require a reservation.
- Tickets are provided to participants to view the results of their efforts.
- Tickets must not be re-sold.

## PHOTOGRAPHING YOUR WORK FOR ENTRY

**Digital photo submission of your entry is required. (Except for Knots of Love and Quilts of Valor)**

- Up to three (3) images per entry can be submitted to show different views or angles.

### Image Format

- .jpeg, .jpg, or .png file formats
- iPhone users must change default HEIC camera setting to JPEG, or convert the image.
- RGB color space (CMYK files will be converted to RGB by the system.)
- Be sure that the image is rotated to be in an upright position and orientation.
- Maximum file size: 8 MB (megabytes)

**Tutorial [Photographing Your Work](#)**



## HOW TO ENTER

### **Online Entry Deadline: Friday, May 24, by 6 p.m.**

Click on the link to go to the entry homepage [ocfair.fairwire.com](https://ocfair.fairwire.com)

#### **Step 1. Register**

- Last year's accounts are no longer valid. All exhibitors must create a new account.
- Entries must be made under the name of the individual whose exhibit it is.
- Do not use business or fictitious names.
- There are no team entries.
- Enter the information carefully and proofread the name, title and description of the entry for punctuation, capitalization and spelling to ensure accuracy on exhibit display labels.
- Descriptions are limited to 120 characters and should include a short statement about the work or the methods and techniques used.
- Email will be used to send important information. Check your spam folders and [whitelist](#) emails coming from @ocfair.com.

The numbered steps along top of page are clickable and show the current section you are on



fairwire.com welcome page

#### **Step 2. Entries**

- Input your entry(s) in the proper Department, Division and Class along with other required information.

#### **Step 3. Cart Review**

- Review your entries. You can add, edit, delete, or save your entries.
- When satisfied, click "CHECK OUT" button.

#### **Step 4. Payment**

- Enter your credit card information (Master Card, Visa, or American Express).
- An email notification and confirmation will be sent immediately after the online payment is received.
- Check your spam folder if the email confirmation does not arrive shortly after submitting payment.

#### **Step 5. Confirmation**

- Sign by typing "YES" in the Agreement to Terms box.
- DO NOT click the "SUBMIT" button multiple times as you will be charged.
- On the resulting confirmation page, you can print a receipt. A blue "UPLOAD FILES" button will also appear.

#### **Step 6. Image Upload**

- Click on the "UPLOAD FILES" button to start uploading your images into the system.
- Up to three (3) images per entry may be submitted to allow different views or angles.

***You can log back into your account to see your entries and replace images and description.  
For any other changes, contact us; do not re-enter to make corrections as you will be charged.***





## HELP WITH ENTERING

For additional help, review these detailed step-by-step guides:

- [Entry Tutorial](#)
- [Photographing Your Work](#)

**Phone:** During office hours at (714) 708-1553 **E-mail:** [HobbiesandHandcrafts@ocfair.com](mailto:HobbiesandHandcrafts@ocfair.com)

## PRICING AND SALE OF ENTRIES (ADULTS)

### Pricing

Entries may be marked NFS (Not For Sale) or For Sale by indicating the selling price \$\_\_\_\_. Consider material costs and your time when pricing.

### Prospective Buyers

No sale or acceptance of fees for items will be made by the OC Fair. Prospective buyers may fill out an ***Interested in Purchasing Exhibited Art form*** that will be forwarded to the exhibitor at the close of the OC Fair. The OC Fair does not take commission on items sold as a result of exhibition in the Hobbies & Handcrafts Competition.

## JUDGES

Qualified judges are utilized to judge all exhibits and special contests. Each year the Program Coordinator may choose new judges, or judges may judge different Divisions from year to year. The judges' decisions are final.

### Reassignment of Entry Division or Class

Judges and/or the Program Coordinator have the option of reassigning an entry to a more appropriate Division or Class or combining Divisions or Classes to create an adequate judging pool.

## FIRST-ROUND JUDGING

**Adult Divisions will be judged first from your uploaded images** to determine if the submitted entry meets the basic requirements for participation in this competition, is entered in the most correct or appropriate category and meets the subjective standards for exhibition set by the judges.

- The judges' decisions are final and cannot be protested.

### Exhibitor will be notified by email with the results of the first-round judging.

An email will be sent for each entry. Please check your spam/junk folder.

Results may also be viewed online at [ocfair.com/results](https://ocfair.com/results).

### Acceptance for Exhibition

Only accepted work is to be delivered on the entry delivery day. First-Round Judging acceptance does not guarantee acceptance for exhibition. The delivered entry may still be judged out for not complying with the competition rules and guidelines.

- Not all entries will be accepted. Due to the high number of entries and limited display space, OC Fair cannot accept all the work submitted.



## ENTRY DELIVERY

### **Delivery Date: Friday & Saturday, June 28-29, noon - 6 p.m.**

- One participation ribbon will be given to each exhibitor on Entry delivery day.
- Late deliveries will not be accepted.

#### **Entry Delivery**

- Enter Gate 8 and follow the marked route.
- Drop off east side of the OC Promenade (building 5 on the map).
- Email alerts will be sent prior to delivery date with detailed information. Check your spam folder for emails.



#### **Claim Checks**

- Will be provided when exhibits are delivered.
- Are required to pick up your entry on entry pickup day.
- Entries may be claimed by someone other than the exhibitor.

## ENTRY PICKUP

### **Pickup Date: Tuesday, Aug. 20, 9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.**

- An email alert will be sent prior to pickup date with detailed information. Check your spam folder for emails.
- Claim check or photo ID is required for pickup.
- If you are unable to pick up your items, please arrange for someone to pick them up for you.
- Unclaimed items and ribbons become the property of the OC Fair and will be discarded.

#### **Entry Pickup**

- Hobbies & Handcrafts Gallery is in the Anaheim Building (building 4 on the map).
- Enter through Gate 1 (Main Gate) and follow directional signs.



## AWARD JUDGING

The judges will select award winners from accepted entries that were confirmed after delivery.

### Adult Divisions

Entries are placed using the American Judging System, where exhibits are ranked one against another.

- First, Second, Third place and Honorable Mention may be awarded in each Class if judges so determine. More than one Honorable Mention per Class may be awarded.
- First place winners will compete for Division Winner.
- Division winners will compete for Best of Show.

### Youth Divisions

Entries are placed using the Danish Judging System, where each entry is judged on how well it meets a standard rather than how it compares to other entries.

- Entries are judged First, Second or Third place awards.
- There may be more than one First, Second or Third place award per Class.
- All First place awards will then compete using the American Judging System, for Division Winner.
- Those chosen for Division Winner will compete for Best of Show when there are two (2) or more Divisions represented in the show.

### Blue Ribbon Kids

- All Blue Ribbon Kids (ages 5-8) receive a special ribbon. The entries are not judged and are not eligible for cash awards.

### Reassignment of Entry Division or Class

Judges and/or the Program Coordinator have the option of reassigning an entry to a more appropriate Division or Class or combining Divisions or Classes to create an adequate judging pool.

### Judging Criteria

- **Adult:** Entries are judged on originality and creativity, workmanship and technique, level of difficulty, color and design, finishing/framing and visual impact.
- **Youth:** Entries are judged on appearance, workmanship, creativity/originality and an overall score.

### Judges' Award

Additional awards may be made at the discretion of each judge for outstanding entries that exhibit special qualities that the judges feel deserve to be recognized.

### Industry Awards

Awarded by a community guild or organization.

### Theme Award

Awarded to an entry that best represents the annual OC Fair theme.

### Disqualified Entries

If an entry is disqualified after judging is complete, the judge will not change the status of awards given for other entries. Judges reserve the right to remove or disqualify any entry in violation of the rules, in poor taste, or not in accordance with the competition standards.





AWARDS

*Includes ribbons and/or prize money (premiums)*

**Adult**

Best of Show .....	\$150
Quilt Best of Show .....	\$150
Division Winner .....	\$50
First Place .....	\$25
Second Place .....	Ribbon
Third Place .....	Ribbon
Judges' Award .....	Rosette
Theme Award .....	\$50

**Youth**

Best of Show .....	\$75
Division Winner .....	\$35
Judges' Award .....	Rosette
First, Second, Third .....	Ribbon

- Exhibitors will receive awarded ribbons on entry pickup day.
- Award checks will be made payable to the exhibitor whose name is indicated on the entry form and mailed within thirty (30) business days after the close of the 2024 OC Fair.
- Total premiums of \$600 or more to any individual will be paid only after a completed **Payee Data Record** form has been received.

**Judging Results**

- All accepted entries will be displayed in the Hobbies & Handcrafts Gallery with any awards received.
- Results will be posted online around the second week of the OC Fair at [ocfair.com/results](https://ocfair.com/results).
- *Please do not call or email for competition results.*

AWARDS CEREMONY

**Sunday, Aug. 18, at noon**

- Hosted on the OC Promenade Main Stage.
- Best of Show Award recipients will be invited to attend and be recognized at the ceremony and will receive two (2) tickets to attend.
- Invitations will be sent to the email provided at entry registration.
- All exhibitors and the general public are welcome to attend the ceremony.





## HOW TO PREPARE

### Framed Items

- Maximum size is 36 inches by 36 inches.
- Framed items to be hung must be wired and ready to hang.
- Improperly wired entries will not be hung.
- No sawtooth hangers, masking tape, string, pop-top rings, etc.
- Framing with plastic or plexiglas is preferred.
- OC Fair staff will use extreme care in handling frames containing glass but assume no responsibility for breakage.



multi-strand braided  
galvanized steel wire



NO sawtooth hangers

### Sets or Ensembles

May be entered as one entry. Exhibitor must label each piece in a set: "1 of 2," "2 of 2," etc.

### Finishing Work

Must be done by the exhibitor except blocking, framing and pillow construction, which may be done by a professional. Please note on entry form.

- For "How to Prepare for the Bed Quilts Show," go to page 12.





## Adult Divisions

**Eligibility** ..... Open to California residents ages 18 or older.

**Entry Limit** ..... Five (5) per exhibitor in all classes combined, except one (1) quilt/afghan per exhibitor.

**Entry Fee** ..... \$10 per entry

- Rules & Guidelines on page 1 apply.
- All entries require a photo upload.

### DIVISION 441

#### Felting

Class 01: Any

### DIVISION 444

#### Holiday-themed Items

Class 01: Fiber Arts

Class 02: Tole Painting

Class 03: All Other Craft Items, specify

### DIVISION 446

#### Knitted & Crocheted Art, Dolls, Toys & Animals

Class 01: Dolls

Class 02: Animals

Class 03: All Other, specify

### DIVISION 447

#### Afghans: Crocheted

- Limit: One (1) afghan per exhibitor.

Class 01: Baby Afghan

For baby afghan/sweater sets see Division 449.

Class 02: Granny Squares

Class 03: All Other Crocheted Afghans, Any Size

### DIVISION 448

#### Afghans: Hand-Knitted

- Limit: One (1) afghan per exhibitor.

Class 01: Baby Afghan

For baby afghan/sweater sets see Division 454.

Class 02: All Other Hand-Knitted Afghans

### DIVISION 449

#### Crocheted Clothing

- Hats and other fashion accessories, see Div. 450.

Class 01: Child, Baby & Doll Apparel

Includes baby afghan/sweater sets.

Class 02: Adult Clothing, specify

### DIVISION 450

#### Crocheted Fashion Accessories

Class 01: Poncho, Cape, Shawl, Scarf

Class 02: Hat or Hat & Scarf Sets

Class 03: All Other Items, specify

Includes purses.

### DIVISION 451

#### Crocheted Home Accessories

Class 01: Doilies, Placemats, Table Runners & Tablecloths, specify

Class 02: All Other Items, specify

### DIVISION 452

#### Hand-Knitted Fashion: Wraps

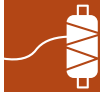
- Includes: ponchos, capes, shawls, and scarfs.

Class 01: Cobweb/Lace Weight Yarn

Class 02: Fingering/Sport Weight Yarn

Class 03: DK/Aran Weight

Class 04: Chunky/Bulky Weight



## Adult Divisions

**Eligibility** ..... Open to California residents ages 18 or older.

**Entry Limit** ..... Five (5) per exhibitor in all classes combined, except one (1) quilt/afghan per exhibitor.

**Entry Fee** ..... \$10 per entry

- Rules & Guidelines on page 1 apply.
- All entries require a photo upload.

### DIVISION 454

#### Hand-Knitted Clothing & Other Accessories

- For fashion wraps, including capes and shawls, see Div. 452.

**Class 01: Child, Baby & Doll Clothing**

Includes baby afghan/sweater sets.

**Class 02: Adult Clothing, specify**

**Class 03: Accessories, personal**

Including cowls.

**Class 04: Home**

### DIVISION 456

#### Lace-Making & Tatting

**Class 01: Tatting**

**Class 02: Bobbin Lace**

**Class 03: Other Lace Techniques**

### DIVISION 457

#### Needlepoint

- Stitched through an open, even-weave canvas or mesh fabric.
- Framed items maximum size 36 inches by 36 inches.

**Class 01: Petit Point**

Industry award: The Helen Brooks Petit Point Award In Memory of Helen, a founding member of the Long Beach chapter of the Embroiderers' Guild of America. \$50 award.

**Class 02: Framed Picture - Geometric Design**

**Class 03: All Other Framed Pictures**

**Class 04: All Other Items, specify**

### DIVISION 458

#### Embroidery: Counted Thread/Cross-Stitch

- Framed items maximum size 36 inches by 36 inches.

**Class 01: On Linen, any item**

**Class 02: Framed Picture, Cross-Stitch 11 & 14-count fabric.**

**Class 03: Framed Picture, Cross-Stitch 16, 18 & 20-count fabric.**

**Class 04: Hardanger**

**Class 05: All Other Items, specify**

### DIVISION 459

#### Embroidery

- Bed quilts accepted; will be judged on embroidered elements only. Limited to one (1) per exhibitor.
- Wall hangings larger than 36 inches are limited to one (1) per exhibitor.
- Framed items maximum size 36 inches by 36 inches.

**Class 01: Traditional Embroidery**

**Class 02: Silk & Metal Thread**

**Class 03: Ribbon Embroidery**

**Class 04: All Other Items, specify**

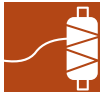
### DIVISION 460

#### Machine Embroidery

- Bed quilts accepted; will be judged on embroidered elements only. Limited to one (1) per exhibitor.
- Wall hangings larger than 36 inches are limited to one (1) per exhibitor.

**Class 01: Wall Hangings**

**Class 02: All Other Items, specify**



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**Eligibility** ..... Open to California residents ages 18 or older.

**Entry Limit** ..... Five (5) per exhibitor in all classes combined, except one (1) quilt/afghan per exhibitor.

**Entry Fee** ..... \$10 per entry

- Rules & Guidelines on page 1 apply.
- All entries require a photo upload.

### DIVISION 461

#### Sewing

- For Clothing see, Div. 463.

**Class 01: Handbag, Tote & Other Fashion Accessories**

**Class 02: Home Décor & Accessories, specify**  
e.g. pillow, table runners, aprons, wall hanging, etc.

**Class 03: Dolls**

**Class 04: Animals & Toys**

**Class 05: Doll Clothes**

**Class 06: Pet Apparel & Accessories**

### DIVISION 463

#### Sewing: Clothing

- Sewn articles must have finished seams (i.e. pinked, zigzag, French or flat felted).

**Class 01: Casual**

**Class 02: Dressy**

**Class 03: Costume or Period Clothing**

Cosplay costumes see Hand Crafts Guide, Div 439.

### DIVISION 465

#### More Fiber Art Techniques

**Class 01: Upcycled Fiber Arts**

**Class 02: Traditional Hooked Items, specify**  
e.g. rugs, wall hangings, etc.

**Class 03: Weaving**

**Class 04: All Other Items, specify**

### DIVISION 466

#### Quilting Other Than Bed Quilts

- Includes but is not limited to: Wall Hangings, Art Quilts, Clothing, Pillows and Accessories.
- No bed or crib quilts.
- Wall Hangings – each side must be 60 inches or smaller.
- Wall hangings larger than 36 inches are limited to one (1) per exhibitor.

**Class 01: Wall Hanging, Patchwork or Pieced**

**Class 02: Art/Innovative Wall Hangings**

**Class 03: Other Quilted Articles, specify**

#### Industry Awards:

- Flying Geese Quilt Guild Award of Excellence - Quilting.
- Orange County Modern Quilt Guild Award of Best Modern Design - Quilting.



## BED QUILTS SHOW – HOW TO PREPARE

### Info Card

Include with accepted entry a 3-inch x 5-inch info card with the following information:

- Source of design pattern name.
- Dimensions of quilt (length & width).
- Date of completion.

### Entry Limit

- One (1) bed quilt per exhibitor due to the popularity of the Quilt Competition and limited display space.
- Entire quilt may not be displayed due to space limitations.

### How to Categorize

- To qualify for a Class, more than 50 percent of the construction and techniques in the entered Class must be used.
- "Mixed Techniques" means that two (2) or more techniques are used where the additional techniques are more than embellishment, e.g., Sampler Quilts.
- When a quilt top has been professionally/commercially machine quilted by another person, it must be entered into Division 472: Quilt Top by Exhibitor, Quilting by Another.
- Quilting must go through all layers of fabric.
- Quilts made by groups (two [2] or more persons) must be entered into Group Quilts. Include names of all parties involved in the description.

### Hanging Materials

Please include a 4-inch sleeve (rod pocket attached to backing of quilt) for hanging. The sleeve is not required and is not included in the judging.

### Thank you to our Industry Awards donors:



Flying Geese Quilters Guild

[flying-geese.org](http://flying-geese.org)



Orange County Quilters Guild

[orangecountyquiltersguild.com](http://orangecountyquiltersguild.com)



Orange County Modern Quilt Guild

[ocmodernquiltguild.com](http://ocmodernquiltguild.com)





## Bed Quilt Divisions

**Eligibility** ..... Open to California residents, ages 18 or older

**Entry Limit** ..... One (1) bed quilt per exhibitor or group

**Entry Fee** ..... \$10 per entry

### Industry Awards

Orange County Quilters Guild..... Award of Excellence to Best of Show Quilts

Flying Geese Quilt Guild..... Award of Excellence - Quilting

Orange County Modern Quilt Guild..... Award, Best Modern Design - Quilting

- Entries require a photo upload.
- Any bed quilt, machine or hand-quilted, specify in description when entering.
- Twin - width or length limit: 75 inches or less.
- Larger than Twin - width or length limit: Larger than 75 inches.

### DIVISION 470

#### Bed Quilt: Patchwork or Pieced

- For quilts professionally/commercially machine quilted by another, see Div. 472.

Class 01: Group Quilts, two (2) or more people

Class 02: Twin Size or Smaller

Class 03: Larger Than Twin

### DIVISION 471

#### Bed Quilt: Mixed Techniques

- For quilts professionally/commercially machine quilted by another, see Div. 472.

Class 01: Group Quilts, two (2) or more people

Class 02: Twin Size or Smaller

Class 03: Larger Than Twin

### DIVISION 472

#### Quilt Top by Exhibitor, Quilting by Another

- Quilt is professionally/commercially machine quilted by another.

Class 01: Group Quilts, two (2) or more people

Class 02: Twin Size or Smaller

Class 03: Larger Than Twin

### DIVISION 473

#### Free Motion Quilting

Class 01: All Quilts, specify

### DIVISION 474

#### Modern & Art Quilts

Class 01: All Quilts, specify



## Knots of Love. Adult Special Interest

**Eligibility** ..... Open to ALL adult United States residents

**Entry Limit** ..... No entry limit

**Entry Fee** ..... No entry fee required

- Does not require a photo upload.
- All entries become the property of the OC Fair and will be donated to Knots of Love at the close of the OC Fair.
- Award ribbons will be mailed.

### Mail-in entries are accepted for this competition.

In order to be considered for awards, entries must be received by June 28, 2024

**Mail to:** OC Fair, Entries Dept. - 88 Fair Dr., Costa Mesa, CA 92626



### Founder, Christine Fabiani

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Ashland, WI 54806

Dedicating our hands and hearts to spread warmth, comfort, and hope, our mission is to knit and crochet beanies for people facing a cancer diagnosis and blankets for newborns in the ICU. All our gifts of love are given away free of charge nationwide. Knots of Love has helped over 650,00 people since 2007.

For more information and ideas visit [knotsoflove.org](https://knotsoflove.org)

### DIVISION 480

#### Knots Of Love Chemo Caps & Cap and Scarf Sets

- Please label each entry.
- All caps may not be displayed or shown in their entirety.
- Because chemotherapy makes patients' heads very tender and sore, please use only yarns from the approved list below. These yarns are extremely soft and are available at large retail craft stores as well as specialty yarn stores.

#### Approved List of Yarns:

- Premier Anti-Pilling Everyday® Worsted, Solids, Heather, Plaid, Medley, Multis, & Marls.
- I Love This Cotton.
- Caron Simply Soft.
- Yarn Bee Soft and Sleek.
- Lion Brand Feels like Butta.

**Class 01:** Everyday Beanie or Daywear Beanie

**Class 02:** Dressy or Night on the Town Caps

**Class 03:** Slouchy Caps

**Class 04:** Bucket/Floppy/Brimmed Caps

**Class 05:** Character Caps

**Class 06:** Veteran Caps

Men's or women's caps to be donated to VA hospitals across the country.



## Quilts Of Valor. Adult Special Interest

**Eligibility** ..... Open to ALL adult United States residents

**Entry Limit** ..... No entry limit

**Entry Fee** ..... No entry fee required

- Does not require a photo upload.
- All entries become the property of the OC Fair and will be donated to Quilts of Valor at the close of the OC Fair.
- Award ribbons will be mailed.

### Mail-in entries are accepted for this competition.

In order to be considered for awards, entries must be received by June 28, 2024

**Mail to:** OC Fair, Entries Dept. - 88 Fair Dr., Costa Mesa, CA 92626



The mission of the Quilts of Valor Foundation is to cover all service-members and veterans touched by war with quilts called Quilts of Valor.

For more information go to [www.qovf.org](http://www.qovf.org).

### DIVISION 482

#### Quilts Of Valor Quilt Blocks

- Please label each entry.
- Fabric: 100 percent cotton. Patriotic or red, white or blue fabrics.
- Size Limit: Quilt block must measure exactly 12½ inches x 12½ inches.
- Judging Criteria: Correct size, uniqueness, creativity and workmanship.

**Class 01: Patchwork or Pieced**

**Class 02: All Other**



## Youth Divisions

**Eligibility** ..... Open to youth ages 5-17 (by July 19, 2024) who live in Southern California

**Entry Limit** ..... Three (3) per exhibitor

**Entry Fee** ..... \$6 per entry ages 9-17. No fee for Blue Ribbon Kids (ages 5-8)

- Rules & Guidelines on page 1 apply.
- All entries require a photo upload.
- No paintings or drawings.
- No Legos or Bionics

### DIVISION 101

NEW

#### Blue Ribbon Kids, ages 5-8

- All Blue Ribbon Kids (ages 5-8) receive a special ribbon.
- The entries are not judged and are not eligible for cash awards.

Class 01: Any Item

### DIVISION 318

#### Youth Fiber, ages 9-12

Class 01: Sewing

Class 02: Needlework

Class 03: Weaving, all other

### DIVISION 319

#### Youth Fiber, ages 13-17

Class 01: Sewing

Class 02: Needlework

Class 03: Weaving, all other

### DIVISION 333

#### Special Needs, up to age 25

Class 01: Fiber Arts

Class 02: Handcrafts & Jewelry

