

YOUTH FINE ARTS, OCCUPATIONAL CRAFTS, PHOTOGRAPHY, ECO ART, MODELS& CRAFTS

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Entry Fees: \$2.00 per exhibitor for every 5 items entered.

As many entries as desired - no restrictions. Entries may be combined with all other Veteran's Building Youth Departments except Baking, Food Preservation and Crazy Hat.

Entries Taken: Monday, September 22, 2025 9:30am - 6:30pm Veteran's Building

EXHIBITS RELEASED: Sunday, September 28, 2025 4pm-6pm with the following exceptions:

Youth exhibitors who also exhibit livestock may pick up their entries in accordance with the following schedule upon presenting a signed Livestock Release Form.

12:00 PM - Catron, Grant, Hidalgo, Valenica, Bernalillo and Socorro Counties

1:00 PM - Sierra, Otero, El Paso and Luna Counties

2:00 PM - Dona Ana County

Those without a signed Livestock Release Form who wish to pick up their entries early will forfeit their ribbons and cash prizes.

Works not picked up at this time shall become the property of the Southern New Mexico State Fair & Rodeo. **ENTRY STUBS ARE REQUIRED FOR RELEASE OF EXHIBITS.**

Awards:

***** ANY CASH PRIZE MAY BE REPLACED WITH A GIFT CERTIFICATE OF EQUAL OR GREATER VALUE AT THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DISCRETION*****

* Note: Only one rosette will be awarded, and this will be the highest rosette earned.

1. **BEST OF SHOW ~ Youth Fine Arts (Lots 20-23) Rosette & Additional \$25.00**
 2. **2nd BEST OF SHOW ~ Youth Fine Arts (Lots 20-23) Rosette & Additional \$20.00**
 3. **BEST OF SHOW – Youth Photography (Lot 27) Rosette & \$40.00**
 4. **2nd BEST OF SHOW – Youth Photography (Lot 27) Rosette & \$35.00**
 5. **3rd BEST OF SHOW – Youth Photography (Lot 27) \$30.00**
 6. **4th BEST OF SHOW – Youth Photography (Lot 27) \$25.00**
 7. **5th BEST OF SHOW – Youth Photography (Lot 27) \$20.00**
 8. **BEST OF SHOW ~ Occupational Crafts (Lot 28-31) Rosette & Additional \$25.00**
 9. **2nd BEST OF SHOW ~ Occupational Crafts (Lot 28-31) Rosette & Additional \$20.00**
 10. **BEST OF SHOW ~ Crafts (Lot 32-33) Rosette & Additional \$25.00**
 11. **2nd BEST OF SHOW ~ Crafts (Lot 32-33) Rosette & Additional \$20.00**
 12. **BEST OF SHOW ~ Eco Art (Lot 34-35) Rosette & Additional \$25.00**
 13. **2nd BEST OF SHOW ~ Eco Art (Lot 34-35) Rosette & Additional \$20.00**
 14. **BEST OF SHOW ~ Models (Lot 36-39) Rosette & Additional \$25.00**
 15. **2nd BEST OF SHOW ~ Models (Lot 36-39) Rosette & Additional \$20.00**
 16. **BEST OF LOT (Lots 20-23 & 28-39) \$25.00 & Rosette**
 17. **2nd BEST OF LOT (Lots 20-23 & 28-39) \$20.00 & Rosette**
 18. **GENERAL AWARDS No Cash Award**
- 1st through 6th place and honorable mention ribbons will be given in each class.
19. **Peter Piper Pizza Awards**

YOUTH General Rules:

1. Exhibitors must live in Doña Ana, Bernalillo, Catron, Grant, Hidalgo, Luna, Otero, Sierra, Socorro, Valencia and El Paso Counties and must be 18 years of age or under to participate.
2. All entries must be the work of the exhibitor and must have been completed after the close of the previous year's Fair.
3. Any item that is entered and deemed by the Superintendent to be in bad taste, will not be accepted.
4. All entries will be judged according to age group. The age of the exhibitor must be on the entry form. **ALL UNLABELED ENTRIES WILL BE JUDGED IN THE SENIOR CLASS.**
 - a. Senior Class - 14 - 18 years old
 - b. Junior Class - 9 - 13 years old
 - c. Beginners Class - 0 - 8 years old
 - d. Special Needs age 18 and under
5. The Superintendent may at his or her discretion, declare a new class in miscellaneous to aid the judges in the separation of entries.
6. The Superintendent may at his or her discretion replace any cash prize with a gift certificate of equal or greater value.
7. Every precaution will be taken to protect exhibits, but the fair will not be responsible for loss or damage. The owner's themselves must take the risk of exhibiting them. Items not picked up in a week become the property of the SNMSF and may be disposed of.

YOUTH FINE ARTS LOTS & CLASSES:

Note: All drawings and paintings must be FRAMED OR MOUNTED and READY TO SECURELY HANG on the wall. NO TAPE, PLEASE!!!

Section One: Lots 20-23

LOT 20 -

FINE ART : Painting

- Y 2001. Oil painting
- Y 2002. Water color or Gouache painting
- Y 2003. Acrylic painting
- Y 2004. Mixed media painting
- Y 2005. Alcohol Painting
- Y 2006. Tempera
- Y 2007. Tole Painting
- Y 2008. Action Painting/ Rosin
- Y 2009. Miscellaneous

LOT 21 - FINE ART: DRAWING

- Y 2101. Drawing in Ink
- Y 2102. Drawing in Pastel
- Y 2103. Drawing in Oil Pastel
- Y 2104. Drawing in Charcoal
- Y 2105. Drawing in Pencil
- Y 2106. Drawing in Wax Crayon
- Y 2107. Drawing in Ink Marker
- Y 2108. Drawing in Mixed Media
- Y 2109. Digital Drawing (specify Program Used)
- Y 2110. Miscellaneous



LOT 22 FINE ART: CLAY & PLASTER

- Y 2201. Pottery Made on Wheel
- Y 2202. Pottery, Hand Built
- Y 2203. Sculpture in Clay
- Y 2204. Kiln Fired Ceramic from a mold – Glazed
- Y 2205. Kiln Fired Ceramic from a mold - Over glazed
(real gold, silver, pearl, essence, etc.)
- Y 2206. Kiln Fired Ceramic from a mold -Other Finish
- Y 2207. Home Oven Fired Clay Craft (Polymer Clay)
- Y 2208. Non Fired Clay (Sculpy, Play Doh, etc.)
- Y 2209. Plaster of Paris
- Y 2210. Miscellaneous

LOT 23 FINE ART: MISCELLANEOUS

- 2301. Stained Glass
 - 2302. Calligraphy
 - 2303. Batik
 - 2304. Sculpture in Metal -welded
 - 2305. Sculpture in Metal – poured
 - 2306. Sculpture in other material
 - 2307. Wire Art
 - 2308. Wood Burning
 - 2309. Miscellaneous
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Section Two: Lot 27

PHOTOGRAPHY

Note: 1. Due to limited display space, only photos mounted on foam board or poster board will be accepted

2. Total size, including the mounting board must not exceed 8"x10".

3. Photos may be covered in clear plastic wrap, or clear shrink this is not required.

LOT 27: PHOTOGRAPHY

Y 2701. Landscape

Y 2702. Portrait

Y 2703. Animal - Domestic or Wild

Y 2704. Nature

Y 2705. Special Effects

Y 2706. Architectural/ City Living

Y 2707. Flower Close Ups

Y 2708. Miscellaneous



Section Three: Lots 28-31

OCCUPATIONAL CRAFTS

LOT 28: METAL CRAFT, LEATHER CRAFT & WOODCRAFT

(Decorated purchased items should be entered into Misc. Crafts)

- Y 2801. Handmade metal object(s)
- Y 2802. Skill plate
- Y 2803. Small welded item (bowl, wrought iron, etched metal, containers, plaques, etc.)
- Y 2804. Miscellaneous Metal Craft
- Y 2805. Wood carving or whittling
- Y 2806. Baskets
- Y 2807. Woodwork, Kit or pre-cut pieces
- Y 2808. Woodwork, Non-kit
- Y 2809. Wood inlays - 1 article
- Y 2810. Miscellaneous Woodcraft
- Y 2811. 1 Tooled article, Kit
- Y 2812. 1 Tooled article, Non-kit
- Y 2813. Braided Leather Article
- Y 2814. Exhibit Board with **computer labeled** samples of your work.
(Examples: stitches, tooling, shading, beveling, snaps, splicing, etc.)
- Y 2815. Miscellaneous Leather craft

LOT 29: ELECTRONICS

- Y 2901. Electronic Kit
- Y 2902. Electronic, Non-kit

LOT 30: ENTOMOLOGY & MINERALOGY

Samples or insects must be identified with computer-printed labels identifying the genus and species. Display box must be covered with glass or plastic wrap. NOTE: Never pin wings!

- Y 3001. Cigar box display
- Y 3002. General display (one large box w/ several orders presented)
- Y 3003. Life Cycle Display
- Y 3004. Butterfly Display
- Y 3005. Miscellaneous

Mineral collections must be mounted for display on a sturdy board and all mineral samples must be identified with computer-printed labels.

- Y 3006. Small Collection (6-10 samples)
- Y 3007. Large Collection (11 or more samples)

LOT 31 FINE ART: JEWELRY

(Will be displayed in Adult Fine Art Glass Case)

- 3101. Wire Wrap
- 3102. Silver smithed
- 3103. Lapidary Using precious and semiprecious stones
- 3104. Strung Beads
- 3105. Loom/Seed Beads
- 3106. Using Metal Ornaments

- 3107. Using Cord / Braiding (Parachute, leather, etc.)
 - 3108. Rubber Band Jewelry
 - 3109. Mixture of Techniques
 - 3110. Miscellaneous
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Section Four: Lots 32-33
MISCELLANEOUS CRAFTS
LOT 31 - CRAFTS

- Y 3201. Yarn Art includes Ojos de Dios
- Y 3202. String craft
- Y 3203. Bead and Jewel Craft – not jewelry
- Y 3204. Decoupage on wood or metal
- Y 3205. Pipe Cleaner Art
- Y 3206. Wind Chimes
- Y 3207. Dream Catcher
- Y 3208. Sand Art
- Y 3209. Collage
- Y 3210. Mosaic Art
- Y 3211. Home made Candle
- Y 3212. Candle Decorated
- Y 3213. Craft Foam
- Y 3214. Paper Craft or Papier Mache’
- Y 3215. Mask
- Y 3216. Plastic Craft
- Y 3217. Shrinky Dink Art
- Y 3218. Sun Catcher
- Y 3219. Popsicle Stick Craft
- Y 3220. Parachute Cord Crafts not jewelry
- Y 3221. Rubber Band Crafts not jewelry
- Y 3222. Rosin Art
- Y 3223. Paint by Number
- Y 3224. Scratch art drawings
- Y 3225. Decorated Store Bought Item
- Y 3226. Miscellaneous



LOT 33: HOLIDAY CRAFTS

- Y 3301. Christmas Tree decoration
- Y 3302. Christmas Decoration
- Y 333. Valentine Decoration
- Y 3304. Valentine Box
- Y 3305. Halloween Decoration
- Y 3306. Thanksgiving Decoration
- Y 3307. Independence Day Decoration
- Y 3308. Easter Decoration
- Y 3309. Decorated Easter Basket
- Y 3310. Other Holiday Decoration

Section Six: Lots 34-35

ECO ART

LOT 34: RECYCLED ARTWORK

Recycled art is made from things that would normally be thrown away.

Y 3401. Can or Plastic Bottle

Y 3402. Cardboard Tube

Y 3403. Egg Carton

Y 3404. Styrofoam

Y 3405. Lids

Y 3406. Glass Jar

Y 3407. Boxes

Y 3408. Miscellaneous

LOT 35: REPURPOSED/ UPCYCLED ARTWORK

This artwork is finding a new use of an existing item

Y 3501. Parts of furniture (drawers, fan blades, etc.)

Y 3502. Accessory (examples: Purse, belt, scarf etc.) (Sewn clothing items go in Fiber Art)

Y 3503. Kitchen utensils, dishes and pans

Y 3504. Terra Cotta or other planters

Y 3505. Tools

Y 3506. Yard Tools (rake heads, shovel heads, etc.)

Y 3507. Combinations

Y 3508. Miscellaneous



Section Seven: Lots 36-39

HOBBIES: MODELS

Judges Note: Neatness is very important. Models (plastic, wood, metal, etc.) must be stable and/or mounted on a sturdy board. If not solidly assembled, they will be removed from the display. Items identified as "Non-kit" are original or are built from scratch using original plans.

LOT 36: LAND AND WATER VEHICLES

- Y 3601 Auto, Truck or Hot Rod, Kit (includes Pinewood Derby cars)
- Y 3602. Auto, Truck or Hot Rod, Non-kit
- Y 3603. Boat or Ship, Kit
- Y 3604. Boat or Ship, Non-kit
- Y 3605. Train, Kit
- Y 3606. Train, Non-Kit
- Y 3607. Tractor or Construction Equipment, Kit
- Y 3608. Tractor or Construction Equipment, Non-kit
- Y 3609. Miscellaneous

LOT 37: OTHER MODELS

- Y 3701. Animals, Kit
- Y 3702. Animals, Non-kit
- Y 3703. Diorama
- Y 3704. Building, Kit
- Y 3705. Building, Non-kit
- Y 3706. Train Lay Out Section
- Y 3707. 3D & 4D Puzzles
- Y 3708. Miscellaneous

LOT 38: MODEL ROCKETS

- Y 3801. Rocket, Kit
- Y 3802. Rocket, Non-kit
- Y 3803. Airplane Kit
- Y 3804. Airplane Non-kit
- Y 3805. Helicopter Kit
- Y 3806 Helicopter Non-Kit
- Y 3807 Hot Air Balloon or Dirigible Airship Kit
- Y 3808 Hot Air Balloon or Dirigible Airship Non-Kit

LOT 39: CONSTRUCTED MODELS

Legos, K-Nex, Lincoln Logs, etc.

- Y 3901. Vehicle, Kit
- Y 3902. Original Vehicle
- Y 3903. Building, Kit
- Y 3904. Original Building
- Y 3905. Diorama, Kit
- Y 3906. Original Diorama
- Y 3907. Animal, Kit
- Y 3908. Original Animal

Y 3909. Miscellaneous - please indicate if Kit or Original