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Entry Fees: \$5.00 first entry, \$1.00 for each additional entry

Entries Taken: Monday, September 28, 2026 10:00am - 6:00pm

All entries must be hand-carried to the Veteran's Building at the Southern NM State Fairgrounds and Lots 1-9 **MUST BE READY FOR HANGING**. Wire and screw eyes are recommended to enable the item to be securely hung. Glued or taped hanging materials are not recommended and the exhibitor takes full responsibility for the integrity of hanging materials. Be aware that items are hung on peg board. Excessively heavy items are entered at owner's discretion. The SNMSF&R will handle with the utmost care but claims no responsibility if item is damaged from a fall.

General EXHIBITS Released: Sunday, October 4, 2026 4:00 - 6:00pm

Those who wish to pick up their entries early will forfeit their ribbons, cash prizes and gift certificates. 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:

1. BEST OF SHOW - Show 1 (FA) \$50.00 & Rosette*
2. BEST OF SHOW - Show 2 (CR) \$50.00 & Rosette*
3. BEST OF SHOW - Show 3 (OC) \$50.00 & Rosette*
4. SECOND BEST OF SHOW - Show 1 (FA) \$30.00 & Rosette*
5. SECOND BEST OF SHOW - Show 2 (CR) \$30.00 & Rosette*
6. SECOND BEST OF SHOW - Show 3 (OC) \$30.00 & Rosette*
7. BEST OF LOT (Lots 1-23) \$35.00 & Rosette
8. SECOND BEST OF LOT (Lots 1-23) \$20.00 & Rosette
9. MERIT \$10.00 & Rosette
10. SUPERINTENDENT AWARDS \$10.00 & Rosette
11. GENERAL AWARDS No Cash Award

First through sixth place ribbons may be given
as merited by the quality of the exhibits in each class.

* Note: Only one rosette ribbon will be given, and this will be the highest rosette earned.
The cash prize for Best of Lot or Second Best of Lot will still be awarded.

FINE ARTS Department General Rules:

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** This show is open to any artists living in the Doña Ana, Bernalillo, Catron, Grant, Hidalgo, Luna, Otero, Sierra, Socorro, Valencia and El Paso Counties.
2. All works must be that of the exhibitor and never before exhibited at the SNMSF&R
3. Any item deemed by the Superintendents to be in bad taste will not be accepted.
4. If an item is accepted and is later determined to be in bad taste, it will be judged but will not be displayed.
5. **JUDGING:** Exhibits will be judged before the Fair Opens on Wednesday. All entries will be judged on creativity, technique, and execution. Judges are **NOT REQUIRED TO AWARD ALL PREMIUMS\OR RIBBONS**. All decisions of the Judges are final. There are no refunds of entry fees. Late entries will be accepted for display only and will not be judged or eligible for awards.
6. New Lots and Classes may be declared, changed or combined at the discretion of the Superintendent or Judges, to aid in the separation and judging of entries.
7. **SALES:** Any artist wishing to sell their entry during the fair will be given the opportunity to do so. 20% of the sale will be charged as a **COMMISSION FEE FOR SALES MADE AT THE FAIR**.
8. Please be courteous to all Veteran Building volunteers. Without their donation of time, this competition would not be possible!
9. Failure to meet or follow any of the above-mentioned rules will result in instant disqualification!
10. **LIABILITY:** The Southern New Mexico State Fair and Rodeo holds no liability for loss or damage to any entry/exhibit during the course of the fair. However, attendants will be present whenever the Veteran's Building is open and due care will be shown to all entries. Entries not picked up during the General Exhibits Release time will become the property of the SNMSF&R to do with as they wish.
11. By entering this competition, you are giving the SNMSF&R permission, without further compensation, to display your entry as well as to use photos of your entry for promotional purposes.

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LOT 1 - OIL & ALKYD PAINTING

- FA 101. Landscape/Scenery Oil Painting
- FA 102. Portrait/Person Oil Painting
- FA 103. Oil Painting of Animal
- FA 104. Oil Painting of Plant/Flower/Tree
- FA 105. Oil Painting of Building/Architecture
- FA 106. Miscellaneous Oil Painting



LOT 2 - ACRYLIC PAINTING

- FA 201. Landscape/Scenery Acrylic Painting
- FA 202. Portrait/Person Acrylic Painting
- FA 203. Acrylic Painting of Animal
- FA 204. Acrylic Painting of Plant/Flower/Tree
- FA 205. Acrylic Painting of Building/Architecture
- FA 206. Fluid Acrylic Poured Painting
- FA 207. Miscellaneous Acrylic Painting



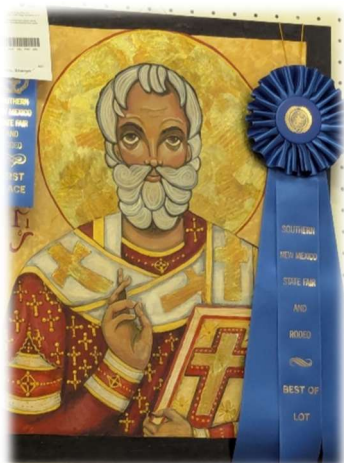
LOT 3 – WATERCOLOR AND GOUACHE PAINTING

- FA 301. Landscape/Scenery Painting
- FA 302. Portrait/Person Painting
- FA 303. Painting of Animal
- FA 304. Painting of Plant/Flower/Tree
- FA 305. Painting of Building/Architecture
- FA 306. Miscellaneous Watercolor/Gouache



LOT 4 - MISCELLANEOUS PAINTING

- FA 401. Encaustic Painting
- FA 402. Sand Painting
- FA 403. Reverse Glass Painting
- FA 404. Egg Tempera or Tempera Grassa
- FA 405. Other Tempera
- FA 406. Combination of 2 or more Types of Paint
- FA 407. Miscellaneous



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LOT 5 - MIXED MEDIA & COLLAGE

- FA 501. Large Mixed Media
- FA 502. Small Mixed Media
- FA 503. Large Collage Piece
- FA 504. Small Collage Piece
- FA 505. Miscellaneous Mixed Media Piece
- FA 506. Miscellaneous Collage Piece



LOT 6 – DRAWING – INK AND PENCIL

- FA 601. Graphite/Pencil - Black & White
- FA 602. Pencil – Color
- FA 603. Water Color/ Acrylic pencil
- FA 604. Ink
- FA 605. Marker

LOT 7 – DRAWING – CHALK AND PASTELS

- FA 701. Pastels/Ground Pigments: Person
- FA 702. Pastels/Ground Pigments: Animal
- FA 703. Pastels/Ground Pigments: Landscape/Plant
- FA 704. Pastels/Ground Pigments: Miscellaneous
- FA 705. Chalk: Person
- FA 706. Chalk: Animal
- FA 707. Chalk: Landscape/Plant
- FA 708. Chalk: Miscellaneous



LOT 8 – DRAWING - OTHER

- FA 801. Lead Stick
- FA 802. Charcoal
- FA 803. Digital Drawing (specify program used)
- FA 804. Calligraphy
- FA 805. Miscellaneous Drawing



LOT 9 – DIGITAL/GRAPHIC DESIGN

- FA 901. Graphic Design: Poster Design
- FA 902. Graphic Design: Icon Design
- FA 903. Graphic Design: Illustration
- FA 904. Graphic Design: Book Cover
- FA 905. Graphic Design: Flyer
- FA 906. Graphic Design: Miscellaneous
- FA 907. Digital Design NOT DRAWING



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LOT 10 – SCULPTURES, POTTERY & MODELS

- CR 1001. Metal/Wire Sculpture
- CR 1002. Clay/Ceramic Sculpture
- CR 1003. Wood Sculpture
- CR 1004. Stone Sculpture
- CR 1005. Paper / Papier Mache
- CR 1006. Miscellaneous Sculpture
- CR 1007. Hand-thrown Pottery
- CR 1008. Hand-Built Pottery
- CR 1009. Miscellaneous Pottery
- CR 1010. Model (car, building, plane, etc.) *from kit*
- CR 1011. Model *not from kit*
- CR 1012. 3D printing
- CR 1013. Diorama
- CR 1014. Miscellaneous Model



LOT 11 – CERAMIC, CHINA AND PORCELAIN PAINTING

- CR 1101. Ceramics: Large Item Glazed
- CR 1102. Ceramics: Small Item Glazed
- CR 1103. Ceramics: Holiday decoration/ornament Glazed
- CR 1104. Ceramics: Large Item Stained
- CR 1105. Ceramics: Small Item Stained
- CR 1106. Ceramics: Holiday decoration/ornament Stained
- CR 1107. Ceramics: Miscellaneous
- CR 1108. Porcelain: Large Item
- CR 1109. Porcelain: Small Item
- CR 1110. Porcelain: Holiday decoration/ornament
- CR 1111. Porcelain: Miscellaneous
- CR 1112. China Painting: Scenes and Pen Work
- CR 1113. China Painting: Person/People/Animals
- CR 1114. China Painting: Cup/Vase/Plate
- CR 1115. China Painting: Miscellaneous
- CR 1116. Painted/glazed Non Ceramic, Non Porcelain object(Examples: Plaster, wood, etc.)



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LOT 12 – RECYCLED/ECO ART



CR 1201. Large Item (made from things that would normally be thrown away)

CR 1202. Small Item (made from things that would normally be thrown away)

CR 1203. Decorated Found Objects

CR 1204. Repurposed/Upcycled Artwork

CR 1205. Decorated Gourd

CR 1206. Carved Gourd

CR 1207. Painted/decorated Rock

CR 1208. Nature Craft

CR 1209. Miscellaneous



LOT 13 – STRUNG JEWELRY & ACCESSORIES

CR 1301. Seed Beads

CR 1302. Glass and/or Plastic Beads

CR 1303. Metal Beads (purchased)

CR 1304. Wood Beads (purchased)

CR 1305. Turquoise

CR 1306. Pearls

CR 1307. Loom

CR 1308. Multi-Strand

CR 1309. Beaded Hat Accessory

CR 1310. Miscellaneous



LOT 14 – CREATED JEWELRY



CR 1401. Clay

CR 1402. Metal (Soldered, stamped, etc)

CR 1403. Wood (Carved, wood burned, etc)

CR 1404. Gemstone

CR 1405. Kundan

CR 1406. Leather

CR 1407. Lapidary Using precious and semiprecious stones

CR 1408. Chain/Chainmail

CR 1409. Wire Wrapped

CR 1410. Accessory

CR 1411. Miscellaneous

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LOT 15 – STAMPING, SCRAPBOOKING & PAPER CRAFT

- CR 1501. Stamped Cards & Small Items
- CR 1502. Stamped Fabric
- CR 1503. Stamped Miscellaneous
- CR 1504. Cards, Invitations, & Small Items – Using Cricut type Machine
- CR 1505. Completed Scrapbook
- CR 1506. Origami
- CR 1507. Quilling
- CR 1508. Cards, Invitations, & Small Items – Non Stamped or Cricut
- CR 1509. Coloring page Drawing/pattern coloring/Doodling/etc.
- CR 1510. Paper Craft Miscellaneous



LOT 16 – WREATHS & ARRANGEMENTS

- CR 1601. Silk Flowers in Vase
- CR 1602. Silk Flowers Swag
- CR 1603. Silk Flowers in Miscellaneous
- CR 1604. Dried Flowers in Vase
- CR 1605. Dried Flower Wall Hanging
- CR 1606. Dried Flowers Miscellaneous
- CR 1607. Candy Bouquet/arrangement

NO CHOCOLATE

- CR 1608. Center Piece
- CR 1609. Mesh Wreath
- CR 1610. Foam Wreath
- CR 1611. Straw Wreath
- CR 1612. Evergreen Wreath
- CR 1613. Miscellaneous Wreath or Arrangement



LOT 17 - CRAFTS

- CR 1701. Stenciling
- CR 1702. Handmade Dolls
- CR 1703. Hand-made Basket
- CR 1704. Dollar Store Craft
(estimated total materials cost \$15 or less)
- CR 1705. Cricut/Silhouette – Non paper craft
- CR 1706. Candle Making/Decorating
- CR 1707. Decoupage craft on wood or metal
- CR 1708. Wind Chimes or Dream Catcher
- CR 1709. Holiday decoration
- CR 1710. Set of 5 Miniatures/mini figs
- CR 1711. Engraving on wood/metal using Laser
- CR 1712. Print making - Engraving
- CR 1713. Print making - Etching
- CR 1714. Miscellaneous



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LOT 18 – WALKING STICKS & CANES

- OC 1801. Carved Walking Stick
- OC 1802. Carved Cane
- OC 1803. Wood Burned Walking Stick
- OC 1804. Wood Burned Cane
- OC 1805. Miscellaneous Walking Stick
- OC 1806. Miscellaneous Cane



LOT 19 - WOOD DESIGNS

- OC 1901. Turning
- OC 1902. In-lay
- OC 1903. Cabinetry
- OC 1904. Intarsia
- OC 1905. Traditional Wood Burning
(wood burning using laser, enter in Lot 9)
- OC 1906. Miscellaneous



LOT 20 - WOOD CARVING

- OC 2001. In the Round
- OC 2002. Relief Carving
- OC 2003. Model – To Scale
- OC 2004. Model – Not to Scale
- OC 2005. Miscellaneous



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LOT 21 - KACHINAS

- OC 2101. Cradle Doll
- OC 2102. Painted Clothing
- OC 2103. Fabric/leather/fur
- OC 2104. Added jewelry and/or props
- OC 2105. Miscellaneous



LOT 22 - METAL AND LEATHER DESIGNS

- CR 2201. Metal Plate Design
- CR 2202. Hand-made Knife
- CR 2203. Welded Small Object
- CR 2204. Welded Large Object
- CR 2205. Miscellaneous Metal Object
- CR 2206. Large Leather Item
- CR 2207. Small Leather Item
- CR 2208. Leather Exhibit board with labels
- CR 2209. Braided Leather Article – non jewelry
- CR 2210. Miscellaneous Leather

LOT 23 - STAINED GLASS AND MOSAICS

- CR 2301. Leaded
- CR 2302. Copper Foil
- CR 2303. Small Mosaic
- CR 2304. Large Mosaic
- CR 2305. Miscellaneous

