

HOBBY CRAFTS

Coordinators: **Christine Day**, Petaluma
Laurel Knapp, Mill Valley **Kathie Woolard**, Greenbrae
Judge: **Emily Dvorin**, Kentfield
Origami Judge: **Linda Tomoko Mihara**, San Francisco

Timeline & Rules

- Eligibility** → Open to California residents.
- Entry Forms Due** → On or before Thursday, May 10, 5 pm, Fair Office
Note: You may enter online at marinfair.org through Friday, June 1
- Entry Limit** → Two Entries per Class, unless otherwise noted
- Entry Fee** → \$3.50 per Entry, unless otherwise noted –
Fee must accompany Entry Form.
- Exhibits Received** → **2 Days** Friday, June 8, 3 pm to 7 pm, Exhibit Hall & Saturday, June 9, 10 am to 5 pm, Exhibit Hall
- Exhibits Released** → Thursday, July 5, 12 Noon to 7 pm, Exhibit Hall

1. Local and State Rules govern this competition.
2. **Entry Procedure:** Entry form must be filed in advance of receiving date. Entry forms may be obtained at the Fair Office, 10 Avenue of the Flags, San Rafael, CA 94903. **You may also enter online at marinfair.org.**
3. **Exhibit Reclaim:** Entries must be picked up on release day. Entries will only be released by presenting your claim check, personal identification, or a signed letter of authorization from the exhibitor.
4. **Liability:** Every precaution will be taken in the handling and exhibiting of work; however, the Fair will not be responsible for loss or damage which may occur from any cause. Submission of entries implies acceptance of all conditions stated in these rules.
5. **General:** Accepted works shall NOT BE REMOVED from the show prior to pickup dates as stated in these rules. Works must remain as installed.

■ Score Card for Judging Hobbies/Crafts ■

Appearance - Total Effect (Overall Design and Proportion) ----	30%
Workmanship - How Is It Made? -----	35%
Originality - Creativity -----	35%
Total Score ----100%	

Special Prizes for Hobby Crafts Awarded at the Discretion of the Judges
Courtesy of ~

Ristorante La Toscana, San Rafael, in memory of Paul Mori
Two \$40 Gift Certificates

Division 31 Tangle Art – Zentangle® Style

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Tangle Art is a Zentangle® style abstract, patterned drawing. The artist creates a structured pattern according to his or her whim following the guidelines listed below. No technology, special materials, or educational background are necessary to become a Tangle Art artist. Here are a few characteristics of Tangle Art –



- The art should not have an "up" or a "down" - it is **without orientation**.
- A traditional Tangle Art is 3 1/2" inches square, but your work may be up to 1 foot square.
- It should not be representative of any certain recognizable object; rather, it should be **abstract**.
- A traditional Tangle Art should be completed in **black ink on white paper**, but you may also use colored inks. Example – A Tangle Art drawing may be embellished by needlework or quilting, using black and white or colored threads on fabric, canvas, or any other material.

Class

- 1 Tangle Art – Black and White, any size, up to 1 foot square
- 2 Tangle Art – Colored, any size, up to 1 foot square
- 3 Tangle Art – Black & White or Colored, 13" to 18" square
- 4 Tangle Art – Needlework, any size up to 1 foot square, any needlework technique incorporating Zentangle® style art
- 5 Tangle Art – Quilt, any size up to 18 inches square, any quilting technique incorporating Zentangle® style art
- 6 Tangle Art – Miscellaneous, any other (Zentangle® style art on glass, ceramics, leather, plastic, wood, etc.)

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$25 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$15 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon

Best of Show – \$25 & Rosette Ribbon

Special Prize for Best of Show Tangle Art
Awarded at the Discretion of the Judges *Courtesy of ~*

Marin Golden Threads Stitching Angels – \$25



Division 32 Animals (Handmade) Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Rules - 1. Animals must be handmade and may be dressed in handmade costumes.

2. Crocheted and/or knitted animals may be entered in those divisions.

Class

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| 1 Bear, stuffed or any other, made by exhibitor | 5 Fish, single or more |
| 2 Bears, stuffed or any other, pair or group of 3 or more made by exhibitor | 6 Rabbit, single |
| 3 Chicken(s), single, pair, or group | 7 Rabbits, pair or group |
| 4 Cow(s), single or more | 8 Animal, any other, 12" and over |
| | 9 Animal, any other, under 12" |
| | 10 Animal(s) made from recycled and/or earth-friendly material |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Special Prizes Awarded at the Discretion of the Judges Courtesy of ~

Marin Needle Arts Guild, San Rafael

(For Best Teddy Bear) – \$50

Division 33 Coloring Contest Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

● Fair Theme – *All for One & Fun for All!* Pick up coloring form at Fair Office.

Class Note: Adults only; see Junior Arts & Crafts for Junior Coloring Contest

- 1** Coloring Contest

Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st through 5th Place and Honorable Mention - Ribbon

Special Award (up to 2 awarded) - \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Best of Show – \$20 & Rosette Ribbon

Division 34 Decorated Hats Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Rules - 1. Decorate your hat with dried or silk or fresh flowers, ribbons, vegetables, or any imaginative item of your choice.

2. You may bring your hat on a hat or wig stand.

Class

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| 1 Baseball Cap or Visor | 5 Western - Cowboy Hat |
| 2 Fantasy - Out of this World Hat | 6 Second Time Around - Any Recycled Hat |
| 3 Garden Hat | 7 Any other Decorated Hat, please specify on entry form. |
| 4 Fair Themed Hat, any hat celebrating <i>All for One & Fun for All!</i> | |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$8 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$25 & Rosette Ribbon

Division 35 Dolls

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Class

- 1 Doll, Antique Reproduction, Combination Porcelain & Composition
- 2 Doll, Antique Reproduction, Porcelain
- 3 Doll, Character, Single, Pair or Group
- 4 Doll, Cloth, Primitive
- 5 Doll, Cloth, Sculptural
- 6 Doll, Cloth, Toy
- 7 Doll, Cloth, Raggedy Ann & Andy
- 8 Doll, Cloth, any other
- 9 Doll, Contemporary
- 10 Doll, "Flat" (Using paper, cloth, trim, etc.)
- 11 Doll, Mixed Media (Polymer, Paper Clay, Ceramic, Cloth, etc.), up to 12"
- 12 Doll, Mixed Media (Polymer, Paper Clay, Ceramic, Cloth, etc.), 12" and over
- 13 Doll, Assemblage (Dolls with tins as bodies, found objects, etc.)
- 14 Doll, Soft Sculpture, Kit or Pattern
- 15 Doll, Soft Sculpture, Original Design, Animal
- 16 Doll, Soft Sculpture, Original Design, Person
- 17 Dolls, Soft Sculpture, Pair or Group
- 18 Dolls, Soft Sculpture, any other
- 19 Doll, any other

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$25 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$15 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon
Honorable Mention – Ribbon

Overall Best of Show Dolls – \$50 & Rosette Ribbon

Special Award for Outstanding Creativity – \$25

Special Award for Best Workmanship – \$25

Special Prize Awarded at the Discretion of the Judges *Courtesy of ~*

Marin Needle Arts Guild, San Rafael
(For Soft Sculpture or Cloth Dolls) – \$50

Division 36 Doll Houses & Miniatures

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Class

- 1 Doll Houses, furnished, not to exceed 36" x 36"
- 2 Doll House Rooms - Miniatures, furnished, not to exceed 18" x 18"
- 3 Miniature Furniture, Food Art, or any other handmade items that may be used for a doll house or miniature setting.

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$20 & Rosette Ribbon

For the Birds! Birdhouses, Birdfeeders, Bird Cages & Birdbaths – Refer to Special Contests Department

Division 37 Gourd Art

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Rules -

1. Decorate a clean (remove surface dirt & membrane) gourd. Gourd may be any size or shape.
2. Any technique or combination of techniques may be used – Examples: Beading, Weaving, Mosaic, Inlay, Coloring (Paint, Stain or Dye), Carving, Pen & Ink, Woodburning, Decoupage, Etc.
3. Any combination of applied materials may be used – Examples: beads, flowers, pebbles, pine needles, seeds, grains, etc.
4. The first twenty-five adult exhibitors to enter may pick up a free gourd to decorate from the Fair Office beginning April 1.

Note: Adult, Family, or Group classes below; refer to Junior Arts & Crafts for the Junior Gourd Art Division.

Class

- 1 Gourd Art, Painting
- 2 Gourd Art, Staining or Dyeing
- 3 Gourd Art, Woodburning/Pyrography
- 4 Gourd Art, Carving/Filigree
- 5 Gourd Art, Coiling
- 6 Gourd Art, Decoupage
- 7 Gourd Art, Mixed Techniques
- 8 Gourd Art, Any other Technique
- 9 Gourd Art – by either a family or a group of two or more adults

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$5 & Ribbon
4th Place, 5th Place, Honorable Mention - Ribbon

**Best of Show Gourd Art (Adult, Family, or Group) –
\$50 & Rosette Ribbon**

**Special Awards for Gourd Art (Adult, Family or Group) –
Three \$10 Gift Certificates Courtesy of ~ The Caning Shop,
Berkeley, Your Source for Gourd Art, Chair Caning, and Basketry**

Division 38 Holiday Crafts

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Your Holiday Craft or Decoration may be made entirely by hand, or assembled and decorated. Please specify kind on entry form.

Class

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| 1 Fourth of July Craft | 6 Holiday Wall Hanging |
| 2 Holiday Dolls | 7 Holiday Wreath |
| 3 Holiday Ornaments, Kit | 8 Holiday Crafts, any other, Original Design |
| 4 Holiday Ornaments, Original Design | 9 Holiday Crafts, any other, Kit |
| 5 Holiday Table Decoration | |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Division 39 Jewelry

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Class

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| 1 Bracelet | 8 Necklace, Glass or Gem |
| 2 Earrings, Seed Bead | 9 Necklace, Seed Bead |
| 3 Earrings, any other | 10 Necklace, any other |
| 4 Hair Accessory | 11 Pin/Brooch |
| 5 Jewelry Set, Glass or Gem | 12 Ring |
| 6 Jewelry Set, Seed Bead | 13 Jewelry made from Recycled Material |
| 7 Jewelry Set, any other | |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Special Award for Jewelry – Strung Beads

Courtesy of ~ Cindi Dauenhauer, San Rafael – \$25

Division 40 Masks

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Create a mask(s) out of ceramic, paper maché or any materials of your choice.

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| 1 Animal Mask | 5 Mardi Gras Mask |
| 2 Ethnic Mask | 6 Mask made out of Recycled material |
| 3 Digital Mask (Artwork created on a computer) | 7 Swimming Mask/Goggles |
| 4 Fantasy/Futuristic Mask | 8 Mask, any other |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Division 41 Miscellaneous Crafts

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

Class

- 1 Artist Trading Cards – 2½" x 3½" (Painted, Stitched, Mixed Media, etc.)
- 2 Basket, Natural Materials
- 3 Basket, Artificial Materials
- 4 Beadwork, Glued (Refer to Clothing & Textiles Dept. for Sewn Beadwork)
- 5 Bookmarks
- 6 Book Jackets
- 7 Ceramics, Molded & Fired & Hydrocal
- 8 Ceramics, hand-built
- 9 Decorative Painting, Folk Art
- 10 Decorative Painting, Furniture
- 11 Decorative Painting, Rosemaling/Strokework
- 12 Decorative Painting, Wearable Art, (Also refer to Division 71 – Art to Wear)
- 13 Decorative Painting, Other Textile Painting
- 14 Decorative Painting, any other
- 15 Decoupage
- 16 Egg Decorating, Real Eggs
- 17 Egg Decorating, Artificial Eggs, Wood, Styrofoam, Glass, Ceramic, etc.
- 18 Envelope Design & Decorating
- 19 Flowers, made out of Beads, Cloth, Paper, etc., please specify on entry form
- 20 Herbal Soaps
- 21 Lamps
- 22 Leathercraft
- 23 Magnets
- 24 Metal Punch
- 25 Models
- 26 Mosaics
- 27 Paper Art
- 28 Rubber Stamp Art
- 29 Scrapbooking, Baby
- 30 Scrapbooking, Heritage
- 31 Scrapbooking, Special Occasion/Anniversary/Birthday etc.
- 32 Scrapbooking, Travel/Vacation/Outdoors
- 33 Scrapbooking, Wedding
Note: Scrapbooks must have been made within the last two years.
- 34 Sculpey, Fimo, Oven Baked Clay, Animals
- 35 Sculpey, Fimo, Oven Baked Clay, People
- 36 Sculpey, Fimo, Oven Baked Clay, any other (Scenes, Fruit, etc.)
- 37 Stained Glass
- 38 Straw Art
- 39 Textile Painting
- 40 Wheat Weaving
- 41 Woodburning
(see Division 46 for Woodworking)
- 42 Yarn or String Art
- 43 Miscellaneous Crafts, any other, up to 12"
- 44 Miscellaneous Crafts, any other, 12" to 24"
- 45 Miscellaneous Crafts, any other, over 24"

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Courtesy of ~ **Anne Davis, Sausalito**

(Up to 4 Best of Show Awards may be awarded for Miscellaneous Crafts)

Division 42 Origami

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

- Rules - 1.** Create a work of art using the traditional Japanese art of paper folding.
2. Use geometric folds and crease patterns without gluing or cutting the paper, and use only one piece of paper.
 3. You may also create modular origami by using several identical units combined to form a figure.

Class

- 1 Origami made by an adult, 19 years or older
- 2 Origami made by a family or group of two or more adults

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$25 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$10 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$8 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon

Best of Show Origami (Adult, Family, or Group) – \$75 & Rosette

Courtesy of ~ Lou & Marge Bartolini, Novato

in honor of Charlie Barboni

Division 43 Rock Art

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

- Rules - 1.** Create a work of art using rocks, stones, etc. Examples – Paint animals, scenes, vehicles, etc., and/or glue items on the rock(s).
2. You may use one rock or a group of rocks glued or tied together.

Class

- 1 Painted Rock(s)
- 2 Embellished Rock(s) –affixed material(s)
- 3 Rock Sculpture – two or more rocks (may be embellished)
- 4 Rock Carving

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 3rd Place to 5th Place - Ribbon

Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

Division 44 Snapshots

Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry

- Rules - 1.** Enter a snapshot following descriptions in classes below.
2. Photo must be a snapshot 5" x 7" or any size smaller.
 3. Please do not frame. Photo to be mounted on stiff paper or in a picture mat.

Class

- 1 **My Pet** - Snapshot of My Dog
- 2 **My Pet** - Snapshot of My Cat
- 3 **My Pet** - Snapshot of My Pet, any other
- 4 **Having Fun!** – Snapshot of the subject(s) having fun, individual or group
- 5 **Hometown Heroes** – Snapshot of my Hometown Heroes, individual or group
- 6 **Selfies!** – Individual Selfie snapshot (only photographer in picture)
- 7 **Selfies!** – Group Selfie snapshot (photographer and other(s) in picture)

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$8 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon

Best of Show– \$10 & Rosette Ribbon

(one each for My Pet, Having Fun!, Hometown Heroes, & Selfies! Snapshots)

Division 45 Trash to Treasure **Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry**

Rules -

1. Recycle any material to make a new item, which may be functional or decorative. Examples - recycled wood furniture, recycled plastic bottle bird feeder, recycled paper greeting cards, etc.
2. Any combination of material may be used, fabric, styrofoam, plastic, wood, etc.
3. Be Creative!

Note: Adult, Family, or Group classes below; refer to Junior Arts & Crafts for the Junior Trash to Treasure Art Division.

Class

- 1 Trash to Treasure, up to 24" in any direction – made by an adult
- 2 Trash to Treasure, 25" to 48" in any direction – made by an adult
- 3 Trash to Treasure, over 48" in any direction – made by an adult
- 4 Trash to Treasure, functional furniture – made by an adult
- 5 Trash to Treasure, any made by a family or a group of two or more adults

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$25 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$10 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$8 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon

**Best of Show Trash to Treasure (Adult, Family, or Group)
\$75 & Rosette Ribbon**

Courtesy of ~ Marion Boyd, San Rafael

Division 46 Woodworking **Entry Fee – \$3.50 per entry**

Rules -

1. This division is for hobbyists.
2. Entries to be made from scratch (no kits.)
3. Enter Woodburning items in Miscellaneous Hobby Crafts: Division 41, Class 41.
4. Wood Turning may be an open Form Spindle, Segmented, etc.

Class

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| 1 Bowl | 10 Whittling |
| 2 Box | 11 Wood Carving, Animal |
| 3 Clock | 12 Wood Carving, Bird |
| 4 Lamp | 13 Wood Carving, Duck |
| 5 Picture Frame | 14 Wood Carving, Person |
| 6 Riding Toy | 15 Wood Carving, Relief |
| 7 Toy or Board Game | 16 Wood Carving, any other |
| 8 Vase | 17 Wood Turning |
| 9 Wall Plaque | 18 Woodworking, any other |

American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$15 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$10 & Ribbon
4th Place - \$8 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon

Best of Show – \$25 & Rosette Ribbon