

## Special Contests – Adult, Junior, Family, & Group

# Over the Moon! Special Fair Contests

**Coordinator:** Charlie Barboni, Fair Office

### **Judges:**

**Robert Abrams**, Ceramic & Sculpture Artist, Art Instructor & Gallery Owner, Emeryville

**Edgar Furlong**, National Award-Winning Fiber Artist & Art Instructor, Novato

**Steve Emery**, Professional Award-Winning Artist, San Anselmo

### Timeline & Rules

**Eligibility** → Open to California residents.

**Entry Forms Due** → On or before Thursday, May 16, 5 pm, Fair Office

**Or:** Enter online at [marinfair.org](http://marinfair.org) through Monday, June 3.

A 2019 Registration Fee of \$2 per person will apply; save \$1 by entering online.

**Entry Limit** → Two Entries per Class, unless otherwise noted

**Entry Fee** → \$5 Per Entry – Adults → \$3 Per Entry – Juniors  
Fee must accompany Entry Form.

**Exhibits Received** → **2 Days** Friday, June 7, 3 pm to 7 pm, Exhibit Hall  
& Saturday, June 8, 10 am to 5 pm, Exhibit Hall

**Exhibits Released** → Monday, July 8, 12 Noon to 7 pm, Exhibit Hall

1. Local and State Rules govern this competition.
2. **Eligibility:** Open to all residents of the USA.
3. **Entry Procedure:** Enter online at [marinfair.org](http://marinfair.org). Entry forms may also be obtained at the Fair Office, 415-473-7048. Entry form must be filed in advance of receiving date.
4. **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.
5. **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.
6. **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 Special Contests ■

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

## Over the Moon! – Adult & Junior Department

# For the Birds!

*Cash awards Courtesy of ~ Butler Amusements*

### Junior Division Rules –

1. **Birdhouses** may be handmade (no kits, pre-built birdhouses, etc.) or purchased and decorated. Judges may reclass entries at their discretion.
2. **Birdfeeders** must be made by exhibitor, and should be functional.
3. **Bird Cages** may be made by exhibitor or purchased and decorated.
4. **Birdbaths** must be made by exhibitor.
5. Any type of materials may be used - wood, metal, etc., or any combination.
6. Hanging models should have an eye hook, loop, hole, etc. on top to enable them to be hung for display at the Fair.

## Junior Division 305 For the Birds!

**Junior Entry Fee – \$3 per entry**

### Class Junior Categories

#### Exhibitor's Age: 5 through 8 Years

- 39 Birdhouse – handmade by exhibitor
- 40 Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 41 Birdfeeder – made by exhibitor
- 42 Bird Cage – made or decorated by exhibitor

#### Exhibitor's Age: 13 through 15 Years

- 48 Birdhouse – handmade by exhibitor
- 49 Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 50 Birdfeeder – made by exhibitor
- 51 Bird Cage – made or decorated by exhibitor
- 52 Birdbath – made by exhibitor

#### Exhibitor's Age: 9 through 12 Years

- 43 Birdhouse – handmade by exhibitor
- 44 Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 45 Birdfeeder – made by exhibitor
- 46 Bird Cage – made or decorated by exhibitor
- 47 Birdbath – made by exhibitor

#### Exhibitor's Age: 16 through 18 Years

- 53 Birdhouse – handmade by exhibitor
- 54 Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 55 Birdfeeder – made by exhibitor
- 56 Bird Cage – made or decorated by exhibitor
- 57 Birdbath – made by exhibitor

### American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class (Junior)

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

#### Junior Awards \$10 each & Rosette Ribbon

- **Best of Show Birdhouse – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdhouse – Decorated by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdfeeder – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Bird Cage – Made or Decorated by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdbath – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Overall Most Creative Entry**
- **Overall Best Fair Theme**

## Adult, Family, Group Division Rules –

- 1. Birdhouses** may be made by exhibitor or purchased and decorated.
  - a.** Functional birdhouses are birdhouses that could be used by a bird.
  - b.** Decorative birdhouses are for decoration only.
- 2. Birdfeeders** must be made by exhibitor, and should be functional.
- 3. Bird Cages** may be made by exhibitor or purchased and decorated.
- 4. Birdbaths** must be made by exhibitor.
- 5.** Any type of materials may be used - wood, metal, etc., or any combination.
- 6.** Hanging models should have an eye hook, loop, hole, etc. on top to enable them to be hung for display at the Fair.

### Adult Division 25 For the Birds!

**Adult Entry Fee – \$5 per entry**

#### Class Adult – Family – Group Categories

- 58** Functional Birdhouse – made by exhibitor
- 59** Functional Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 60** Decorative Birdhouse – made by exhibitor
- 61** Decorative Birdhouse – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 62** Birdfeeder – made by exhibitor
- 63** Bird Cage – made by exhibitor
- 64** Bird Cage – purchased & decorated by exhibitor
- 65** Birdbath – made by exhibitor

#### American System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class (Adult, Family, or Group)

1st Place - \$25 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$20 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - \$15 & Ribbon  
4th Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 5th Place - \$5 & Ribbon  
Honorable Mentions (Awarded at judges' discretion) - Ribbons

#### Adult, Family, or Group Awards \$20 each & Rosette Ribbon

- **Best of Show Birdhouse – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdhouse – Decorated by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdfeeder – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Bird Cage – Made or Decorated by Exhibitor**
- **Best of Show Birdbath – Made by Exhibitor**
- **Overall Most Creative Entry**
- **Overall Best Workmanship**
- **Overall Best Fair Theme**

