SECTION L – CROCHETING Elizabeth Schweiger

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PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS JULY 31, 2023

Exhibits must be delivered on August 20th, 2023 from 2PM to 8PM, or August 21st, 2023 from 9AM to 7PM.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

ONLY ONE ENTRY PER PERSON, PER CLASS ALLOWED

- 1. Please read the General Rules for the Home Arts Department, which apply, to all sections.
- 2. Animal fibers include wool, mohair, silk, or any fiber coming from an animal.
- **3.** Other fibers or blends include vegetable fibers, man-made fibers or man-made fibers combined with animal or vegetable fibers. (Fiber used should be appropriate for item made)
- **4.** All doilies (Classes L60 and L61) and snowflakes (Class L62) must be mounted on colored poster board. No foam board. Items should be sewn to mounting board if possible.
- 5. Wall hanging (Class L63) should be mounted on poster board, framed, or have hanging rods included.
- 6. Special awards (Best in Show) given in this section will be \$10.00.
- 7. Afghans larger than specified sizes will be moved to next larger class.
- **8.** Please cover your name if it appears on your item. Use muslin stitched on or the blue low tack painters tape.

BASIS FOR JUDGING: General appearance, neatly finished with no loose threads, appropriate yarns & hooks, workmanship, tension, stitches, & degree of skill required. Dye lots should match and items should be clean. Judges may disqualify items they consider are not clean and free of odor.

AWARDS ALL CLASSES: 1ST PLACE \$12.00 2ND PLACE \$10.00 3RD PLACE \$8.00

CROCHETING

Infant & Child's Clothing & Accessories		Adult Cl	Adult Clothing & Accessories	
L1	Infant sweater	L19	Sweater - Cardigan	
L2	Infant sweater and accessory	L20	Sweater – Pullover	
L3	Infant sweater, hat & booties	L21	Jacket, Coat or Poncho	
L4	Infant dress – (incl. christening dress)	L22	Vest or Tanktop	
L5	Infant garment other than listed	L23	Shrug	
L6	Infant accessory – booties, bib, hat, etc.	L24	Shawl - Lace	
	(incl. preemies)	L25	Shawl – other than lace	
L7	Receiving Blanket –Max perimeter 145"	L26	Hat	
L8	Baby Afghan – Max perimeter 170"	L27	Scarf	
L9	Child's Cardigan	L28	Cowl or Infinity Scarf	
L10	Child's Pullover	L29	Hat and Scarf set	
L11	Child's Vest – no sleeves	L30	Purse	
L12	Child's Dress	L31	Bag	
L13	Child's Garment – other than listed	L32	Fingerless Gloves	
L14	Child's Hat	L33	Boot cuffs or legwarmers	
L15	Child's Hat & Scarf set	L34	Felted item	
L16	Child's Mittens or slippers	L35	Jewelry	
L17	Child's Afghan – Max perimeter 240"	L36	Adult Miscellaneous – other than listed in	
L18	Infant or Child miscellaneous – other than		L19 – L35	
	listed In L1-L17			

Toys & Dolls

- L37 Toy, animal or doll greater than 10"
- L38 Toy, animal or doll Less than 10"
- L39 Doll clothing, with or without doll, with or without beads, using yarn or thread

Other Crochet

- L40 Original design (other than listed)
- L41 Any item, incorporating beads
- L42 Any item, crocheted w/recycled material other than yarn or thread
- L43 Youth up to Age 16 any item
- L44 Golden Age over age 75 any item
- L45 First entry to Maryland State Fair any item
- L46 Unattached edging 24"
- L47 Crochet attached to non-crocheted item
- L48 Featured stitch, Bullion (or roll) stitch—any item

Home Accessories

- L49 Table topper
- L50 Table runner not to exceed 80" in length
- L51 Table cloth or bedspread large items (crocheted with thread)
- L52 Placemats set of 4
- L53 Pin Cushion
- L54 Rug
- L55 Pillow
- L56 Christmas Stocking
- L57 Christmas Ornament
- L58 Holiday item any holiday
- L59 Lace Motif Framed
- L60 Doily 8" or less center to edge, *see rule 4
- L61 Doily Greater than 8" center to edge, *see rule 4
- L62 Snowflakes set of 3, *see rule 4
- L63 Wall hanging *see rule 5
- L64 Miscellaneous home accessory other than listed in L49 L63

Afghans (Max perimeter 280")

- L65 First Afghan any style
- L66 Lapghan/wheelchair blanket, max 36"x48"
- L67 Afghan Aran Isle Pattern
- L68 Afghan Blocks (No Granny Squares)
- L69 Afghan Granny Squares
- L70 Afghan Tunisian Crochet, with or without embroidery
- L71 Afghan Medallion one piece, center out design
- L72 Afghan Medallion-multi sided, (NOT SQUARES)
- L73 Afghan Ripple
- L74 Afghan Lace effect
- L75 Afghan Shell Stitch
- L76 Afghan Straight strips sewn together
- L77 Afghan Straight strips one piece
- L78 Afghan other, Afghan style or stitch type, Other than listed in L66 – L77
- L79 Afghan More than one color (no variegated yarn, no self- striping yarn)
- L80 Afghan Throws Max perimeter 200"
- L81 Bedspread sized afghan perimeter larger than 280"
- L82 Special Award Classes L1-L81 DO NOT ENTER

L83 SPECIAL NEEDS ENTRANT

This category is open to anyone with physical or mental disabilities who need support with activities of daily living (ADL). Any item, any technique listed in Section "L".

L84 CROCHET "SPACE"

Go where no crocheter has gone before. Space, the final frontier...

This can include planets, stars, rockets, and other vehicles, aliens(?). Use your imagination and create something unexpected. Any crochet technique.

1st Place 2nd Place 3rd Place \$25.00 \$20.00 \$15.00

4th Place 5th Place 6th Place \$12.00 \$10.00 \$5.00