

SECTION D - RUGS & HOOKING  
SANDY HAINES  
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PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS JULY 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026

Exhibits must be delivered on August 23rd, 2026 from 2PM to 8PM, or August 24th, 2026 from 9AM to 7PM

WALK-IN REGISTRATIONS WELCOME

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. Hooked and braided rugs of wool materials are encouraged.
3. All framed pictures **must** have wire attached for hanging. Large size rugs should not expect to be hung, they will be displayed on tables.
4. All special awards given in this section will be \$25.00.
5. **BASIS FOR JUDGING:** Workmanship, design, colors, finishing technique, degree of difficulty. Judges will be asked to provide comments where appropriate.
6. **Two ATHA Mason Dixon Guild awards will be presented for \$50.00 each. One for best Traditional style, one for best Primitive style.**
7. All entries shall be clean and odor free. **ENTRIES MUST BE COMPLETED AFTER AUGUST 2025.** Please pay attention to strip cut size when selecting which class to enter.

**BRAIDED, PUNCH, LATCH, LOCKER RUGS**

**AWARDS, Class D1-D6**

1st Place - \$22.00 2nd Place - \$18.00 3rd Place - \$15.00

- D1 Braided rug
- D2 Punch Hooked
- D3 Latch Hooked, kit, purchased design
- D4 Wall hanging, Screen, Pillow (no rug)
- D5 Original design-rug, any type
- D6 Original design-any item except a rug

**YOUTH, UNDER 18, BRAIDED, PUNCH, LATCH, RYA**

**AWARDS, Class D7-D10**

1st Place - \$16.00 2nd Place - \$12.00 3rd Place - \$10.00

- D7 Latch Hook Rug
- D8 Latch Hook Pillow
- D9 Miscellaneous Item
- D10 First Time Fair Entrant **D1-D9**
- D11 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**TRADITIONAL RUG HOOKING – CUT IN THIN (5 CUT OR SMALLER) WOOL STRIPS**

**AWARDS, Class D12 – D25**

1st Place - \$22.00 2nd Place - \$18.00 3rd Place - \$15.00

**RUGS**

- D12 Geometric Design
- D13 Oriental Design
- D14 Fruit/Floral Design
- D15 Holiday/Seasonal Design
- D16 Pictorial Design
- D17 Landscape
- D18 Crewel Design
- D19 Wildlife/Animal
- D20 Adaptation
- D21 Original Design

**NOT A RUG**

- D22 Original Design
- D23 Wall Hanging, Screen
- D24 Framed Item
- D25 Miscellaneous

**YOUTH UNDER 18, TRADITIONAL HOOKING**

**AWARDS, CLASS D26 – D28**

1<sup>ST</sup> Place - \$16.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – \$12.00 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$10.00

- D26 Rug
- D27 Not a Rug
- D28 First Time Fair Entrant **D12-D27**
- D29 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**PRIMITIVE RUG HOOKING – CUT IN THICK (6 CUT OR WIDER) WOOL STRIPS**

**AWARDS, Class D30 – D42**

1st Place - \$22.00 2nd Place - \$18.00 3rd Place - \$15.00

**RUGS**

- D30 Geometric Design
- D31 Folk Art Design
- D32 Fruit/Floral Design
- D33 Holiday/Seasonal Design
- D34 Pictorial Design
- D35 Landscape
- D36 Wildlife/Animal
- D37 Adaptation
- D38 Original Design

**NOT A RUG**

- D39 Original Design
- D40 Wall Hanging, Screen
- D41 Framed Item
- D42 Miscellaneous

**YOUTH, UNDER 18, PRIMITIVE HOOKING**

**AWARDS, CLASS D43-D45**

1<sup>ST</sup> Place - \$16.00 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$12.00 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$10.00

- D43 Rug
- D44 Not a Rug
- D45 First Time Fair Entrant **D30-D44**
- D46 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**EXPERIMENTAL HOOKING**

Design, form, technique, materials

**AWARDS, Class D47 – D48**

1st Place - \$22.00 2nd Place - \$18.00 3rd Place - \$15.00

- D47 Rug
- D48 Not A Rug

**D49**

**SPECIAL CONTEST**

**I SAW IT AT THE FAIR**

INTERPRET IN YOUR FAVORITE TECHNIQUE

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place
\$30.00	\$20.00	\$10.00

**PLAN AHEAD – 2027 SPECIAL CONTEST**  
**PERFECT PETS**

- D50 Mason Dixon-Traditional Style-**DO NOT ENTER-\$50.00**
- D51 Mason Dixon-Primitive Style-**DO NOT ENTER-\$50.00**
- D52 Judges Choice Award-**DO NOT ENTER-\$50.00**
- D53 Jo Ann Hendrix Award – **DO NOT ENTER \$50.00**