

DIVISION: Handcrafts & Applied Arts**DIVISION NO.: 3100****Total Division Premium Dollars Offered: \$3,334.00 (OSF = \$1,749.00; Sponsors = \$1,780.00)****Sponsor(s):**

1. 1 Stop Bead Shop	\$ 95.00	Division #3105 – Premium Dollars
2. Bakers Village Garden Center	\$ 25.00	Division #3103 – Gift Certificate
3. Heart of Ohio Tole, Inc.	\$970.00	Division #3112 – Premium Dollars
4. Ohio Egg Marketing Program	\$225.00	Division #3101 – Premium Dollars
5. Buckeye Leather Crafters of Central Ohio	\$100.00	Division #3106 – Premium Dollars
6. Velvet Ice Cream Co.	\$150.00	Division #3113 – Gift Certificates
7. Franklin Art Glass	\$100.00	Division #3110 – Premium & Gift Cert.
8. Royalwood Ltd.	\$ 50.00	Division #3114 – Premium Dollars
9. Heart of Ohio Scrollers	\$ 25.00	Division #3107 – Premium Dollars
10. Gary Saunders	\$ 20.00	Materials #3104
11. Janet Peoples	\$ 20.00	Division #3107 – Premium Dollars

Entry Deadline: June 20, 2008**General Delivery Date/Time:** July 19-20, 2008 - 10am – 4pm**Gourds Delivery Date/Time:** July 23, 2008 - 9am - 3pm**Tablescaping Delivery Date/Time:** August 3, 2008 - See division for specific times.**Christmas Tree Delivery Date/Time:** August 1, 2008 - 4:30pm - 6pm**Division Notes:**

- General Guidelines, Delivery Calendar, Events Calendar, and Entry Form are located online.
- Attach the entry tag with a piece of lightweight string or yarn, through the hole in the entry tag and tie it on to the article. If tying is not possible, attach the string with a piece of masking tape to a part of the article that would not be damaged by the tape.

Judging Guidelines:

- Workmanship and technique; finishing and presentation; suitability of materials; originality.
- Refer to specific division(s) for additional guidelines.

DIVISION: Decorated Egg Competition**DIVISION NO.: 3101****Sponsor(s): Ohio Egg Marketing Program \$225.00 Premium dollars****Premium Dollars Offered:** \$225.00**2008 Theme:** Hand-In-Hand**People's Choice Award:**

- August 1-4, 2008 – Vote for your favorite egg
- August 5, 2008 – Winner will be announced and will receive a special rosette

Division Notes:

- All entries become the property of the Ohio Egg Marketing Program.
- Artists entered in the competition sign away all rights to future use of their egg.
- One entry per person.
- Only USDA grade-A large chicken egg (contents removed).
- Small end of egg MUST be facing up.
- Eggs will be displayed on stands provided by the Ohio Egg Marketing Program (no other stands permitted).
- Egg design must coincide with this year's theme.
- One egg from the competition will be selected by Ohio Egg Marketing Program to be sent to the White House during the 2009 Easter season.

Judging Guidelines:

- Workmanship and technique; finishing and presentation; suitability of materials; originality.

Class:

	Awards		
1. Decorated Egg	\$100	\$75	\$50
FIRST PLACE	Rosette		

Sponsor(s): Open Opportunity

Premium Dollars Offered: \$141.00

People’s Choice Award:

- August 1-4, 2008 - Vote for your favorite doll house
- August 5, 2008 – Winner will be announced and will receive a special Rosette

Division Notes:

- All entries are to be built to scale.
- A 5”x8” card MUST accompany the entry giving information about the scale.

Judging Guidelines:

- Dollhouses
 - Construction and scale – 40%
 - Adherence to period and design – 30%
 - Decoration and furnishing – 15%
 - Overall appearance – 15%
- Room Settings and Themes (while we are NOT mandating a specific theme, this year’s overall Fair theme for our youth is “Hand-In-Hand”)
 - Design, decoration and scale – 40%
 - Originality – 30%
 - Adherence to a theme – 15%
 - Overall appearance – 15%

Class:

		Awards		
1. Doll House - complete with furnishings	\$20	\$15	\$12	
2. Theme House with furnishings	\$20	\$15	\$12	
3. Theme Room with furnishings	\$20	\$15	\$12	
BEST OF SHOW				Rosette

Sponsor(s): Baker’s Village Garden Center \$25.00 Gift Certificate

Premium Dollars Offered: \$94.00

Division Notes:

- The entries in this division are for leisure-time activities done for pleasure, rather than for business.
- The size limitations of 15” deep, 15” high and/or 30” long per exhibit are preferred. Exceptions to these limitations are made at the discretion of the building director. However, prior approval must be obtained by the entry deadline.
- At least three items comprising the hobby must be exhibited; however, more may be displayed as long as they fit within the size limitations.
- The director has the right to display only items of interest and those in good taste.
- All entries MUST be accompanied by a 5”x 8” card (typed or printed on front only) with the following information:
 1. How the hobby was started.
 2. Year the hobby was started.
 3. Size of hobby (number of items or amount of time spent).
- A snapshot of the entire hobby (in color) may accompany the entry.
- Hobbies exhibited from prior State Fair’s are not eligible for entry.
- Coin, currency, or stamp collections are not accepted.
- Electrical hook-ups for displays are not available.

DIVISION: Jewelry

DIVISION NO.: 3105

Sponsor(s): 1 Stop Bead Shop

\$ 95.00

Premium dollars

Premium Dollars Offered: \$95.00

Division Notes:

- All items must be ready for display – entries must arrive mounted in some way for best possible display and viewing.

Class:

		Awards	
1. Bead weaving	\$10	\$5	\$4
2. Bead stringing	\$10	\$5	\$4
3. Metal	\$10	\$5	\$4
4. Anything from nature (i.e. wood, bone, semi-precious stone, pearl, coral, etc.) ...	\$10	\$5	\$4
5. Other than listed above (i.e. polymer, silvercraft, lapidary, etc.)	\$10	\$5	\$4

BEST OF SHOW Rosette

DIVISION: LeatherCraft

DIVISION NO.: 3106

Sponsor(s):

1. Buckeye Leathercrafters of Central Ohio \$100.00

Premium dollars

Premium Dollars Offered: \$231.00

Division Notes:

- On a 5"x 8" card, you must indicate if your entry is from a kit, commercial design, or original design.
- If entry is a picture, it must be ready to hang.

Judging Guidelines:

- Originality; suitability; applied craftsmanship and general appearance of the embellished design; construction; pattern and material used in creating the article.
- Professional is defined as a person who receives \$3,000+ per year, and/or has previously won two Best of Shows.

Class – Beginners (less than two years experience):

		Awards	
1. Any item	\$15	\$10	\$8

Class – Open (two or more years experience)

		Awards	
2. Belts (stamped, carved or plain), pocket items (i.e. billfolds, wallets, clutch purses, card cases, key cases, fobs, eyeglass case, coin purses, etc.).....	\$15	\$10	\$8
2. Cases (i.e. camera, briefcases, handcuff cases, black powder bags, holsters, sheaths, purses, books, book covers, etc.).....	\$15	\$10	\$8
3. Household items, art objects, and other (i.e. molded leather items, sculpted leather items) anything used in the home/office, but does not qualify for any other class	\$15	\$10	\$8
4. Large complex items (i.e. saddles, bridles, breast collars, harness, hobbles, whips, reins, similar items used to control a horse), furniture (i.e. tables, chairs stools, desks, etc.), leather must be visible on at least 50% of the exterior surface, pictures (i.e. uncolored, colored, embossed and 3 dimensional).....	\$15	\$10	\$8

Class – Professional (see above guideline for definition of professional)

		Awards	
6. Belts (stamped, carved or plain), pocket items (i.e. billfolds, wallets, clutch purses, card cases, key cases, fobs, eyeglass case, coin purses, etc.)	\$15	\$10	\$8
7. Large complex items (i.e. saddles, bridles, breast collars, harness, hobbles, whips, reins, similar items used to control a horse), furniture (i.e. tables, chairs stools, desks, etc.), leather must be visible on at least 50% of the exterior surface, pictures (i.e. uncolored, colored, embossed and 3 dimensional).....	\$15	\$10	\$8

BEST OF SHOW (beginners and open classes only) Rosette

Sponsor(s):

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| 1. Janet Peoples | \$ 20.00 | Premium dollars |
| 2. Heart of Ohio Scollers | \$ 25.00 | Premium dollars |

Premium Dollars Offered: \$264.00

Division Notes:

- You MUST designate if your entry is from a kit, commercial design, or if it is an original design.

Judging Guidelines:

- Each of the following will be considered equally: shape and form, decorative value, construction, workmanship, and finishing.

Class:

		Awards		
1. Inlay wood item	\$15	\$10	\$8	
2. Small wood item (i.e. bird house, jewelry box, toy, shelf, clock, etc.)	\$15	\$10	\$8	
3. Small furniture (i.e. chair, stool, etc. – not to exceed 4’x 3’wide x 5’)	\$15	\$10	\$8	
4. Turned wood item	\$15	\$10	\$8	
5. Wood carving (other than decoys)	\$15	\$10	\$8	
6. Intarsia	\$15	\$10	\$8	
7. Scroll saw	\$15	\$10	\$8	
8. Pyrography (woodburning)	\$15	\$10	\$8	
 BEST OF SHOW				Rosette

Sponsor(s): Open Opportunity

Premium Dollars Offered: \$304.00

Division Notes:

- This division is for crafts not included in other divisions, which are categorized by technique. All materials used in class 11, except stem and container, must be silk.
- Polymer (plastic) based clay – oven baked or air cured brand names (FIMO, Ovocraft, Sculpey, Primo, Kato, etc.). Does not include paper mache, casting resins or plaster products. Items must be hand formed and one of a kind. Use your imagination, embellish with surface treatments like texturing, carving, sculpting, antiquing, staining and painting. Add found objects or bury inclusions within translucent clay. Commercially available molds, rubber stamps, transfers and clip art are allowed if the use of any one of these does not constitute the essence or “heart” of the work. For example, you cannot submit a teddy bear made from a commercially produced teddy bear mold.

Judging Guidelines:

- Originality of design; workmanship; tasteful and creative use of materials.

Class:

		Awards		
1. Ohio Craft (6” – 15”)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
2. Soap art	\$10	\$5	\$4	
3. Decorated photograph frame (max. size 8x10) – include photo in frame	\$10	\$5	\$4	
4. Decoupage, any item	\$10	\$5	\$4	
5. Candles	\$10	\$5	\$4	
6. Box with lid	\$10	\$5	\$4	
7. Recycle craft (max. size 12” x 12”)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
8. Scherenschnitte (paper cutting)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
9. Silk flower arrangement (under 20” height)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
10. Stenciling (i.e. fabric, canvas, wood)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
11. Polymer clay box (see above notes)	\$10	\$5	\$4	
12. Rubber stamp art	\$10	\$5	\$4	
13. Handmade basketry (4” – 12” diameter/height, any technique)	\$10	\$5	\$4	

14. Origami	\$10	\$5	\$4
15. Button art	\$10	\$5	\$4
16. Paper Mache	\$10	\$5	\$4
BEST OF SHOW			Rosette

DIVISION: Scrapbooks

DIVISION NO.: 3109

Sponsor(s): Open Opportunity

Premium Dollars Offered: \$94.00

Division Notes:

- The Ohio State Fair will not be responsible for loss of picture or items attached to page.
- Exhibitors must submit a two page layout per class (in a protective sleeve).
- Entry can be no larger than 12"x 24".
- Photos and items must be permanently attached to the page.

Judging Guidelines:

- Creative use of materials, originality, design, and neatness.

Class:

		Awards	
1. Family (i.e. baby, birthday, vacation, holiday, pets, family event)	\$20	\$15	\$12
2. Social (i.e. friends, school, church, parties, etc.)	\$20	\$15	\$12

BEST OF SHOW Rosette

DIVISION: Stained Glass

DIVISION NO.: 3110

Sponsor(s):

- 1. Franklin Art Glass** **\$100.00** Premium dollars & Rosette

Premium Dollars Offered: \$94.00

Division Notes:

- See below for sizes

Judging Guidelines:

- Originality – 50%
- Use of color – 25%
- Craftsmanship – 25%

Class:

		Awards	
1. Free standing item	\$20	\$15	\$12
2. Hanging piece (max. 12" x 18")	\$20	\$15	\$12

BEST OF SHOW Rosette & Gift Certificate

DIVISION: Tablescaping Competition

DIVISION NO.: 3111

Sponsor(s): Open Opportunity

Premium Dollars Offered: \$94.00

Delivery Date/Time: August 3, 2008 (set-up for class 1 ... 9am – 10:30am)
 August 3, 2008 (set-up for class 2 ... 11:45pm – 1:15pm)

Open Judging: August 3, 2008 Class 1 - 10:30 DiSalle Auditorium
 August 3, 2008 Class 2 - 1:15 DiSalle Auditorium

5. Folk Art/Primitive	\$25	\$15	\$10
6. Holiday	\$25	\$15	\$10
7. People/portraits (include photo of subject)	\$25	\$15	\$10
8. Still/life fruits and vegetables	\$25	\$15	\$10
9. Strokework Rosemaling	\$25	\$15	\$10

BEST OF SHOW Rosette

Class – Professional:

	Awards		
10. Animals/birds (realistic)	\$25	\$15	\$10
11. Floral (realistic – free flowing)	\$25	\$15	\$10
12. Landscape/seascape	\$25	\$15	\$10
13. Fabric or wearable	\$25	\$15	\$10
14. Folk Art/Primitive	\$25	\$15	\$10
15. Holiday	\$25	\$15	\$10
16. People/portraits (include photo of subject)	\$25	\$15	\$10
17. Still/life fruits and vegetables	\$25	\$15	\$10
18. Strokework Rosemaling	\$25	\$15	\$10

BEST OF SHOW Rosette

Class – The Artist’s Challenge (professional or non-professional):

	Awards		
19. Functional item (excludes canvases, wall hangings, class projects)	\$40	\$20	\$10

DIVISION: Velvet Buckeyes

DIVISION NO.: 3113

Sponsor(s):

1. Velvet Ice Cream Co., Utica, Ohio **\$150.00** Ice Cream – 24 Half Gallon Coupons
Distributed to the 1st/2nd/3rd place winners

Premium Dollars Offered: \$33.00

2008 Theme: Hand-In-Hand

Division Notes:

- Exhibit must include a decorative cardboard backdrop (no larger than 8.5 x 11).
- The number of buckeyes required is 6-30 (no less than six / no more than 30).
- An index card explaining the theme is required.
- Be creative!!!

Judging Guidelines:

- Creativity
- Adherence to the above notes

Class:

	Awards		
1. Unique decorative use of buckeyes utilizing this year’s theme	\$15	\$10	\$8

FIRST PLACE Rosette

DIVISION: Gourds – Open

DIVISION NO.: 3114

Sponsor(s):

1. Royalwood Ltd. **\$ 50.00** Premium dollars

Premium Dollars Offered: \$266.00

Delivery Date/Time: July 23, 2008 - 9am - 3pm

Judge: Terry Sipple, Greenville, Oh.

Division Notes:

- Gourds must be predominant in all entries.
- Waxing allowed in all classes.
- No plastic accessories permitted.
- Paint or varnish allowed in all classes.
- Entries that have been exhibited at previous Ohio State Fairs will not be permitted to compete for prizes.

Judging Guidelines:

- Gourds – fresh, stems present
 - 50% cultural perfection, quality, cleanliness, maturity
 - 50% trueness to type, color, size
- Craft – gourds predominate
 - 40% workmanship
 - 30% creative design
 - 30% conformance to show schedule

Class:

		Awards	
1. A useful article made from one or more gourds	\$10	\$5	\$4
2. A novel article from one or more gourds	\$10	\$5	\$4
2. Most artistic painted gourd (uncut)	\$10	\$5	\$4
3. Most artistic decorated gourd, carved, tooled, or wood burned (uncut, may be stained; however, paint is not allowed)	\$10	\$5	\$4
4. Decorated gourd vase or bottle (must be cut open)	\$10	\$5	\$4
5. Two animals or reptiles made from gourds	\$10	\$5	\$4
6. Birdhouse made from a gourd (undecorated and ready to use)	\$10	\$5	\$4
7. Most artistic decorated birdhouse made from a gourd(s)	\$10	\$5	\$4
8. Undecorated gourd container with live plant(s)	\$10	\$5	\$4
9. Artistic arrangement of dry natural color material using an undecorated gourd container	\$10	\$5	\$4
10. Holiday arrangement (gourds dominant)	\$10	\$5	\$4
11. Decorated bowl or basket	\$10	\$5	\$4
12. Undecorated gourd pitcher	\$10	\$5	\$4
13. Dry undecorated handle dipper, as used in early times	\$10	\$5	\$4
BEST OF SHOW		Rosette	