

Class 41 - ART AND CRAFTS

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IMPORTANT – ALL Entries must be submitted ONLINE via Assist Expo at <https://assistexpo.ca/milton-fall-fair> by Friday September 18, 2026. If you need assistance registering online, please call or visit our office before the deadline date. Late entries WILL NOT BE accepted.

- **ENTRY FORMS:** Please complete all online entries for exhibits early. The office will be open Monday to Friday from 9:00am – 4:00pm daily.
- **ENTRY SUBMISSION:** Entries MUST be submitted online *prior* to Friday Sept. 18th at 4:00pm to receive an entry number. If you need assistance, you can contact the office for help via E-mail office@miltonfair.com or phone: 905-878-5689
- **ENTRY TAGS:** You may pick up your entry tags at the office ahead of time. If not, they will be available Wed. Sept 23rd until 8:30pm or Thurs Sept 24th until 10am.
- **EXHIBITS:** Bring your exhibits (with attached entry tag) to Hall #1 on Wed. Sept 23rd from 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm or Thurs. Sept 24th from 9:00 am -10:30am.
- **JUDGING:** The halls will be closed at 10:30am and judging will commence at 11:00 am.
- **PICK UP:** Exhibits MUST remain in the halls until closing Sunday, September 27th, 2026. Halls close at 4:30 pm. Pick-up will begin at 5:00 pm and close at 6:00 pm.

All exhibits must be removed between 5:00 pm and 6:00 pm Sunday, September 27th. Halls close promptly at 6:00 pm. The Halton Agricultural Society is not responsible for exhibits not picked up by 6:00 pm. You must present your exhibitor pass in order to pick up your entry.

Prize money for adult classes will be mailed.

RULES AND INFORMATION:

1. All Exhibits must be framed, with the exception of stretched canvas or will be disqualified
2. Maximum size for entries is 20" X 24" (50 cm X 60 cm) including frame
3. Name on the artwork must be covered for judging, (tape, paper, etc.)
4. Entry tags to be securely attached to exhibits
5. Judges may withhold an award if, in their opinion, an exhibit lacks merit
6. The committee reserves the right to disqualify and refrain from hanging any piece of artwork which, in their opinion, appears to be based on pornography
7. No mechanical reproductions

Note: Judges are authorized by the Directors of this Society to discard all soiled, defaced, or old work and are instructed to award prizes to new and up-to-date work. The decision of the judge will be final and the judge may withhold any award if, in their opinion, the exhibit is not worthy.

All exhibits in this class must not have been exhibited at a previous Milton Fair and must be the bona fide work of the exhibitor. Any Group Organization may compete as an individual in this class. Prize money to go to Group Treasurer.

Entry tags must be securely fastened to the entry. **Entries must include a sample of materials used where applicable or entry may be disqualified.**

Prize money will be: 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$4, 3rd - \$3.

ART

1. Oil/Acrylic - on stretched canvas - any subject
**maximum size 20" X 24"
2. Oil/Acrylic - framed - any subject
3. Water Colour - any subject
4. Pastels - any subject

CRAFTS

5. Seed Art - any theme (8 ½" X 11")



6. Handmade Jewelry (any medium) - necklace and earrings
7. Hair accessory (any medium)
8. Quick Craft - a craft from a kit that can be completed in a weekend - please include package
9. Paper Craft (e.g. quilling, origami, etc.)
10. Any Hardware Craft - made with tradesman's materials
11. String Art
12. Create a garden ornament using clay pots - height not to exceed 30"
13. "Celebrate the Year of The Horse" - any medium
14. Article of Painted Fabric
15. Beachcomber - make something using items found at the beach (or on a nature walk)
16. **MEN ONLY** - Any craft not listed. Judged on level of appeal, difficulty and quality of workmanship - please include name of craft
17. Decorate a cell phone case, any medium
18. Garden stepping stone, maximum size 18"
19. Handmade case for eye glasses - any medium
20. Hanging Garden Ornament - any medium
21. Handmade Greeting Card, any medium include inside verse and envelope - Not Christmas
22. Picture using pressed flowers - framed - maximum size 8" X 10"
23. Book Art – any technique
24. Three handmade bazaar items - different techniques, on a tray
25. Recycle something useless into something *useful* - **Identify Items Used**
26. Recycle something useless into something *decorative* - **Identify Items Used**
27. Create a fairy garden, maximum size 18"
28. Metal Art
29. Craft not listed in any of the categories above, **under 12"**, no knitting or crocheting. Judged on level of appeal, difficulty and quality of workmanship - **include Name of Craft**
30. Craft not listed in any of the categories above, **over 12"**, no knitting or crocheting. Judged on level of appeal, difficulty and quality of workmanship – **include Name of Craft**
31. "The Procrastinator": 90-99% almost complete craft
32. Floating Teacup

FAIR THEME - "Urban Agriculture"

SPECIAL: \$10 awarded to the exhibitor with the most points in Fair Theme (sections 33-38) given by Dublin Women's Institute.

The following items are to be made incorporating designs depicting the fair theme:

33. Painted Rock depicting fair theme – maximum size 12"
34. Fridge Magnet - any medium
35. Table Centerpiece - Fair Theme
36. Collage depicting fair theme - no larger than 18" x 18" - Not Computer Generated
37. Front porch or garden decoration - maximum base size 14"
38. Best Handmade Sign - maximum 12" X 12"

CHRISTMAS CORNER

39. Handmade Christmas Wreath using non-traditional materials (i.e. not greenery based) - any shape
40. Item made from recycled Christmas cards
41. Handmade Christmas Card, any medium, including an inside verse and an envelope - **Not Computer Generated**
42. Decorated Handmade Christmas Gift Decoration with Gift Tag, any medium
43. Christmas Table Centerpiece. **Additional \$5.00 prize donated by Ashgrove Women's Institute**
44. Create a Christmas Candle Holder, any medium - include candle
45. Christmas Tree Ornament, any medium
46. Create a Christmas snow globe
47. **SPECIAL - Community Service Challenge** - A pair of handmade mittens. **Gift certificates donated by Troy's Diner for 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$5, 3rd - \$5. All entries will be retained and donated to Halton Women's Place**
48. **SPECIAL - Community Service Challenge** - A handmade scarf. **Gift certificates donated by Troy's Diner for 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$5, 3rd - \$5. All entries will be retained and donated to Halton Women's Place**

Halton Agricultural Society, Homecraft Section - Offers a special \$10 award to the exhibitor winning the highest score by points in Arts and Crafts Class. Score: 1st - 3 points, 2nd - 2 points, 3rd - 1 point. **Last year's winner ineligible.**

Best in Show – Ribbon