

SECTION C - CLOTHING

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PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS AUGUST 1st, 2010

Exhibits must be delivered on Monday, August 23rd, 2010 from 2PM to 8PM, or on Tuesday, August 24th, 2010 from 9AM to 7PM.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Please read the General Rules for the Home Arts Department, which apply, to all Sections.**
- Articles should be on or pinned to a **PADDED OR WIRE HANGER. PLEASE NO PLASTIC HANGERS. Remove or cover personal name labels.** Judges will be encouraged to write comments.
- Smocked, hand embroidered on French sewn items will be judged primarily on sewing skills.
- Costumes will be judged on originality, construction and uniqueness.
- Preprinted panels may only be entered in C69.
- All special awards given in this section will be \$15.00.**

BASIS FOR JUDGING

General Appearance	§	Clean, no spots or stains.
	§	Well Pressed.
	§	Pleasing combination of colors.
	§	Trim suitable to fabric.
Fabric	§	Suitable for type of garment and pattern.
Workmanship	§	Correct stitch length and tension for fabric weight.
	§	No loose ends.
Seams	§	Even 5/8" or as pattern directs.
	§	Clipped on curves.
	§	Finished according to fabric, i.e., zigzag, overlock, overcast or turned and stitched.
	§	Well pressed.
	§	Top stitching even.
Darts	§	Should not pucker at points.
	§	Should be pressed according to guide sheet.
Thread and Seam Binding	§	Should be comparable to fabric and finished edge.
	§	No iron-on hem facing.
Buttons and Closures	§	Should compliment garment.
	§	Should be attached by thread shank method unless button has manufactured shank.
Hooks and Eyes, Snaps	§	Size and weight should be appropriate for fabric.
	§	Should not show through on right side.
	§	Should be placed so that garment lays flat.
	§	Neckline zipper should have hook and eye at top if zipper is not even with neckline.
Zippers	§	Stitching should be evenly spaced for the appropriate zipper application.
Pleats and Tucks	§	Evenly spaced and properly pressed.
	§	Top stitched if required by pattern instructions.

Awards, All Classes

1st Place \$9.00

2nd Place \$7.00

3rd Place \$6.00

Honorable Mention (ribbon only)

ADULT GARMENTS

C1	Coat, Outerwear
C2	Suit-tailored
C3	Wedding gown
C4	Office or business ensemble, 2 or more pieces
C5	Dressy ensemble, 2 or more pieces
C6	Blazer, lined, any fabric
C7	Sportswear, 2 pc. shorts or slacks and top
C8	Casual wear jacket
C9	Constructed garment with appliqué
C10	Constructed garment, using any quilting technique
C11	Constructed garment with machine embroidery
C12	Skirt, any fabric
C13	Slacks, capris, or shorts, any fabric
C14	Jumper, jumpsuit, any fabric
C15	Dress, dressy daytime, any fabric
C16	Dress, daytime or casual, any fabric
C17	Dress, tailored or business look, any fabric
C18	Dress, evening or cocktail, short or long, any fabric
C19	Lingerie, slip or teddy, any fabric
C20	Sleepwear, any fabric
C21	Shirt – Button Front Closure with or without collar
C22	Blouse or Top – not front button closure
C23	Special Award – FAIR USE ONLY – Best Adult Garment

FRENCH MACHINE SEWING

C24	Infant or toddlers garment
C25	Child's garment, 4 – 14 years
C26	Christening outfit, or 1st Communion dress

SMOCKED ITEMS

C27	Adult garment
C28	Infant, 1 pc Dress or romper, 0 – 18 months
C29	Infant, 2 or 3 pc outfit, 0 – 18 months
C30	Christening or 1st Communion outfit
C31	Toddler, 2 or 3 pc outfit, 19 – 48 months
C32	Toddler, 19 – 48 months, dress or romper
C33	Girls blouse, 4 – 14 years
C34	Girls dressy dress, 4 – 14 years
C35	Girls jumper, jumpsuit or daytime dress, 4 – 14 years
C36	Constructed garment – items not fitting in the above smocking classes
C37	Special Award – FAIR USE ONLY – Best smocked or french garment

INFANT'S GARMENT TO 18 MONTHS

C38	Christening outfit
C39	2 or more piece Outfit
C40	1 pc. Dress or romper
C41	Holiday outfit
C42	Constructed garment with machine embroidery

TODDLER'S GARMENT, 19 TO 48 MONTHS

- C43 2 or more piece Outfit
- C44 1 pc. Outfit
- C45 Outerwear jacket or coat, any fabric
- C46 Holiday or special occasion outfit, one or more pieces
- C47 Constructed garment with machine embroidery

CHILD'S GARMENT, 4 -14 YEARS

- C48 Coat or jacket, any fabric
- C49 Dress, dressy, daytime
- C50 Dress, special occasion. Flower girl, party type, etc.
- C51 Ensemble, 2 or more pieces
- C52 Dress, general wear
- C53 Jumper or jumpsuit
- C54 Blouse or top
- C55 Skirt, shorts, pants, any fabric
- C56 Constructed garment, using any quilting technique
- C57 Constructed garment with appliqué
- C58 Constructed garment with machine embroidery
- C59 Sleepwear
- C60 Holiday outfit
- C61 Special Award—**FAIR USE ONLY**—Best infant, child or toddler garment

MISCELLANEOUS

- C62 Costume for an infant, toddler or child
- C63 Costume for a teen or adult
- C64 Period Garment
- C65 Miscellaneous constructed, not fitting in any other category
- C66 Garment embellished with beads, sequins, studs etc.
- C67 Constructed garment with hand embroidery
- C68 Vest, men's, women's or children
- C69 Any item made from a preprinted fabric panel
- C70 Doll clothes, 1 garment or outfit, no dolls
- C71 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY** – Garment using quilting technique
- C72 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY** – Best appliqué

ACCESSORIES

- C73 Handbag or tote
- C74 Apron
- C75 Bonnet or hat
- C76 Home accessory, other than pillows
- C77 Pillows-constructed primarily with fabric

YOUTH CLASSES UP TO 11 YEARS

Please place age beside name on entry tag

- C78 2 piece Outfit
- C79 Home accessory
- C80 Blouse, shirt or vest
- C81 Sleepwear
- C82 Jumper, jumpsuit or skirt
- C83 Dress
- C84 Tote bag, Book bag, Back pack or purse
- C85 Shorts, pants or Capri's
- C86 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY** – Best youth item, up to 11 years

YOUTH, AGES 12 – 16 YEARS

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- C87 2 piece Outfit
- C88 Home accessory
- C89 Blouse, shirt or vest
- C90 Sleepwear
- C91 Jumper, jumpsuit or skirt
- C92 Dress
- C93 Tote bag, Book bag, Back pack or purse
- C94 Shorts, pants or Capri's
- C95 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY** – Best youth item, 12-16 years

SENIORS, AGE 65 AND OVER

Exhibits judged on sewing skills and creativity

- C96 Jacket, creative choice
- C97 Skirt, shorts or pants, creative choice
- C98 Child's garment, 1 or 2 pc.
- C99 Dress
- C100 2 or more piece Outfit
- C101 Tote bag or purse
- C102 Shirt, blouse or top
- C103 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY** – Best senior item

C104-Adults C105-Youth CONTEST "RECYCLE CHALLENGE"

Create a garment using only repurposed fabric, trims, embellishments or any other recycled materials.

PRIZES

ADULT

- 1ST Place \$15.00**
- 2nd Place \$14.00**
- 3rd Place \$13.00**
- 4th Place \$12.00**
- 5th Place \$11.00**

PRIZES

YOUTH TO 16 YRS

- 1ST Place \$15.00**
- 2nd Place \$14.00**
- 3rd Place \$13.00**
- 4th Place \$12.00**
- 5th Place \$11.00**

C106 CONTEST "PRAISE THE U.S.A."

Use your creativity and imagination to construct a garment reflecting your American spirit!

PRIZES

- 1st Place \$12.00**
- 2nd Place \$11.00**
- 3rd Place \$10.00**
- 4th Place \$ 9.00**
- 5th Place \$ 8.00**