

## SECTION E – COUNTED THREAD, COUNTED CROSS STITCH & EMBROIDERY

Libby Fox  
Section "E" Superintendent  
Phone: (410) 321-0583

### PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS JULY 31<sup>st</sup>, 2009

Exhibits must be delivered on Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, from 2PM to 8PM, or on Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, from 9AM to 7PM.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Please read the General Rules for the Home Arts Department, which apply, to all Sections.
2. All work must be completed in the current year.
3. Embroidery – hand held needlework only, no machine embroidery.
4. All pictures & samplers must be framed with braided picture wire, securely fastened with screw eyes to the frame for hanging & the back enclosed with paper.
5. ORIGINAL means designed and executed by exhibitor. ADAPTATION means exhibits copied from a picture, print, poster, etc. Photograph or article the exhibit was adapted from must accompany the exhibit.
6. Picture pairs shall be considered as one entry.
7. Afghans should measure 45" to 60" wide and not more than 80" long, including the fringe.
8. All special awards given in this section will be \$25.00.
9. Measurements of needlework items are of the design and not the frame.
10. Sorry, due to space limitations, we cannot accept any piece over 36" high or wide.
11. Anyone who designs, teaches or owns a shop must enter in the professional category. We will display your work giving your name/shop credit.
12. BASIS FOR JUDGING: Workmanship, choice & placement of design, choice of fabrics & colors and their value in relation to use & design in the exhibit.

### AWARDS, All Classes

1st Place \$10.00  
2nd Place \$8.00  
3rd Place \$6.00  
4th Place \$4.00

### CANDLEWICKING

E1 Any item

### EMBROIDERY

E2 Stumpwork, any item  
E3 Brazilian, any item  
E4 Ribbon, any item  
E5 Youth, 6 - 11, any item  
E6 Youth, 12 - 18, any item  
E7 Chicken Scratch, any item  
E8 Swedish/Huck, toweling (2), blanket, wall hanging  
E9 Japanese Embroidery, any item  
E10 Free Hand, any item  
E11 Redwork, any item  
E12 Penny rug, any item  
E13 Punch Needle – any item  
E14 Felt item with blanket stitch finish  
E15 Colonial or French Knot – any item

### STAMPED DESIGN

E16 Picture, up to 20 x 30  
E17 Pillow cases (2), table linens  
E18 Bibs  
E19 Baby blanket, crib cover, etc.  
E20 Miscellaneous item, no picture

### CREWEL

E21 Pillow  
E22 Picture, purchased design up to 20 x 30  
E23 Holiday item  
E24 Miscellaneous item, no picture  
E25 Special Award – FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER

### COUNTED THREAD COUNTED CROSS STITCH

(Pictures, Purchased designs only)

E26 Up to 4 x 4  
E27 Over 4 x 4 up to 5 x 7  
E28 Over 5 x 7 up to 8 x 10  
E29 Sampler, Aida only, up to 20 x 30  
E30 Sampler, mostly cross stitch up to 8 x 10  
E31 Sampler, mostly cross stitch over 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E32 Sampler, mostly cross stitch over 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E33 Sampler, variety of stitches, up to 8 x 10  
E34 Sampler, variety of stitches, over 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E35 Sampler, variety of stitches, over 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E36 Poetry/verses, up to 8 x 10  
E37 Poetry/verses, over 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E38 Poetry/verses, over 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E39 For children up to 20 x 30  
E40 Birth announcement, up to 15 x 18  
E41 Birth announcement, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E42 Wedding announcement, up to 15 x 18  
E43 Wedding announcement, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E44 Landscape, up to 15 x 18  
E45 Landscape, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E46 Fruits/vegetables up to 20 x 30  
E47 Flowers up to 8 x 10  
E48 Flowers 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E49 Flowers 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E50 Water, bay or marine theme, up to 15 x 18  
E51 Water, bay or marine theme, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E52 MD landmarks, State Flower, Bird or Map, up to 20 x 30  
E53 Buildings, up to 8 x 10  
E54 Buildings, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E55 Buildings, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E56 Animals, up to 8 x 10  
E57 Animals, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E58 Animals, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E59 People, up to 15 x 18  
E60 People, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E61 Patriotic, up to 20 x 30  
E62 Other than listed, up to 8 x 10  
E63 Other than listed, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E64 Other than listed, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E65 Christmas theme, up to 8 x 10  
E66 Christmas theme, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E67 Christmas theme, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E68 Holiday theme, up to 15 x 18  
E69 Holiday theme, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E70 Angels, up to 20 x 30  
E71 Fantasy, up to 20 x 30  
E72 Special Award – FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER

**MISCELLANEOUS**

- E73 Picture, adaptation, up to 20 x 30 list changes or provide picture
- E74 Picture, original design up to 20 x 30
- E75 Picture, stitched over 1 thread 25 count or higher up to 4 x 4
- E76 Picture, stitched over 1 thread 25 count or higher 4 x 4 to 8 x 10
- E77 Picture, stitched over 1 thread 25 count or higher 8 x 10 to 20 x 30
- E78 Perforated paper, any item
- E79 Bead work, any item consisting mostly of beads
- E80 Counted thread/counted cross stitch afghan
- E81 Wall hanging, table linens
- E82 Baby blanket, crib cover
- E83 Guest towels, hand or dish towel, bread cloth (2 items)
- E84 Shirt, tote, collar, sweater, shawl
- E85 Pillow
- E86 Bell Pull
- E87 Boxes, trays, baskets
- E88 Christmas stocking
- E89 Holiday decoration, any item – no framed picture
- E90 Home accessory, any item
- E91 Stitcher’s accessory, any item
- E92 Youth, 6 – 11 years, any item
- E93 Youth, 12 – 18 years, any item
- E94 Senior 65 and over, counted thread/cross stitch, any item
- E95 Senior 75 and over, counted thread/cross stitch, any item
- E96 Miscellaneous item other than pictures
- E97 Original design other than framed piece
- E98 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**BLACKWORK**

- E99 Picture/sampler up to 20 x 30
- E100 Combination of blackwork and cross stitch, any item
- E101 Miscellaneous item – other than picture

**DRAWN THREAD/PULLED THREAD**

- E102 Picture/sampler up to 20 x 30
- E103 Combination of drawn thread/pull thread and cross stitch, any item
- E104 Miscellaneous item – other than picture

**HARDANGER**

- E105 Picture/sampler up to 20 x 30
- E106 Combination of hardanger & cross stitch, any item
- E107 Miscellaneous item – other than picture
- E108 Special Award – **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**PROFESSIONAL**

- E109 Any item

**E110  
CONTEST**

**COUNTED THREAD  
COUNTED CROSS STITCH  
& EMBROIDERY**

Theme: Any item or object that begins with the letter “L”, such as lighthouses, log cabins, lambs, letters, etc.

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Place</b>
<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$18.00</b>	<b>\$16.00</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$12.00</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>

**E111  
CONTEST**

**COUNTED THREAD  
COUNTED CROSS STITCH  
& EMBROIDERY**

**Christmas Ornament**

Stitch a Christmas ornament that includes some form of embroidery, stitchery, counted thread, cross stitch, crewel, etc.

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Place</b>
<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$18.00</b>	<b>\$16.00</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$12.00</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>

## SECTION E - NEEDLEPOINT

Libby Fox  
Section "E" Superintendent  
Phone: (410) 321-0583

### PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS JULY 31<sup>st</sup>, 2009

Exhibits must be delivered on Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, from 2PM to 8PM, or on Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, from 9AM to 7PM.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Please read the General Rules for the Home Arts Department, which apply, to all Sections.
2. Needlepoint entered in classes E111-E160 must be executed on Mono, Interlock, Penelope Canvas, or Congress Cloth.
3. Needlepoint stitched on plastic canvas must be entered in classes E161-E188.
4. All pictures must be framed with braided picture wire securely fastened with screw eyes to the frame for hanging. Backs must be covered with brown paper.
5. ORIGINAL means designed and executed by the exhibitor. ADAPTATION means exhibits copied from a picture, print, poster, etc. Photograph or article the exhibit was adapted from must accompany the exhibit.
6. Measurements of needlepoint items are of the work and not the frame.
7. **Sorry, due to space limitations, we cannot accept any piece over 36" high or wide.**
8. **All special awards given in this section will be \$25.00.**
9. **Anyone who designs, teaches or owns a shop must enter in the professional category. We will display your work giving your name/shop credit.**
10. **BASIS FOR JUDGING:** General appearance and workmanship neatness, stitch tension, canvas coverage, and choice of stitches appropriate for the design. Judges will be asked to mark the back of the entry tag with comments for the benefit of the exhibitors.

### AWARDS, ALL CLASSES

**1st Place \$10.00**  
**2nd Place \$8.00**  
**3rd Place \$6.00**  
**4th Place \$4.00**

### MISCELLANEOUS CANVAS WORK (cont.)

E153 Pettipoint, any item using canvas size 20 and above  
E154 Stitcher's accessories  
E155 Miscellaneous item  
E156 Door stops  
E157 Christmas any item  
E158 Special Award- **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

### CANVAS WORK – FRAMED ITEMS

E112 Purchased design primarily using one stitch, up to 8 x 10  
E113 Purchased design primarily using one stitch, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E114 Purchased design primarily using one stitch, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E115 Purchased design using four or more stitches, up to 15 x 18  
E116 Purchased design using four or more stitches, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E117 Original design, up to 20 x 30  
E118 Design worked from a graph, up to 8 x 10  
E119 Design worked from a graph, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18  
E120 Design worked from a graph, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E121 Kit design, up to 20 x 30  
E122 Adaptation, up to 20 x 30  
E123 Bargello, up to 20 x 30  
E124 Patriotic, up to 20 x 30  
E125 Needlepoint sampler, up to 15 x 18  
E126 Needlepoint sampler, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30  
E127 Item stitched as a class project, up to 20 x 30

### PROFESSIONAL

E159 Any item

### CANVAS WORK, PILLOW

E128 Pillow, purchased design  
E129 Pillow, original design  
E130 Pillow, worked from graph  
E131 Pillow, bargello

### MISCELLANEOUS CANVAS WORK

E132 Original design, any item not framed  
E133 Bag or purse  
E134 Belt  
E135 Furniture (bench, stool, chair, etc.)  
E136 Home accessory  
E137 Wall hanging or rug  
E138 Table accents – trays, tea cozies, etc.  
E139 Bell pull  
E140 Boxes  
E141 Baby items  
E142 Miniatures for doll house (rugs, cushions, etc.)  
E143 Any item stitched on Congress cloth  
E144 Silk gauze, any item  
E145 Shaped stuff dolls and animals, etc.  
E146 Pulled or open canvas work  
E147 Holiday, any item  
E148 Longstitch, any item  
E149 Christmas stocking  
E150 Stand-up  
E151 Seniors, 65 and older, any item  
E152 Youth, ages 6-18, any item

#### E160- Contest TRADITIONAL NEEDLEPOINT

**Theme: Any item or object that begins with the letter "L", such as lighthouses, log cabins, lambs, letters, etc.**

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	4 <sup>th</sup> Place	5 <sup>th</sup> Place	6 <sup>th</sup> Place
\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$10.00

#### E161 - Contest TRADITIONAL NEEDLEPOINT

**Christmas Ornament  
Stitch a Christmas ornament on canvas.**

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	4 <sup>th</sup> Place	5 <sup>th</sup> Place	6 <sup>th</sup> Place
\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$10.00

**AWARDS, CLASSES**

**1st Place \$10.00**

**2nd Place \$8.00**

**3rd Place \$6.00**

**4th Place \$4.00**

**PLASTIC CANVAS NEEDLEPOINT**

- E162 Framed pictures, under 8 x 10
- E163 Framed pictures, 8 x 10 up to 15 x 18
- E164 Framed pictures, 15 x 18 up to 20 x 30
- E165 Original design, any item
- E166 Tissue box square
- E167 Tissue box rectangle
- E168 Tissue box – other than square or rectangle
- E169 Baskets
- E170 Boxes – non tissue
- E171 Wall hangings or door hanging
- E172 Brick cover
- E173 Totebag or purse
- E174 Baby item
- E175 Christmas item
- E176 Other holiday item
- E177 Three dimensional item
- E178 Musical item
- E179 Children, 12 and under, any item
- E180 Teens, ages 13 - 19, any item
- E181 Seniors, 65 and older, any item
- E182 Miscellaneous item
- E183 Mobiles
- E184 Group project
- E185 14-count plastic canvas, any item
- E186 Special Award - **FAIR USE ONLY – DO NOT ENTER**

**E187  
CONTEST**

**PLASTIC CANVAS**

**Theme: Any item or object that begins with the letter “L”, such as  
lighthouses, log cabins, lambs, letters, etc.**

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Place</b>
<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$18.00</b>	<b>\$16.00</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$12.00</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>

**E188  
CONTEST**

**PLASTIC CANVAS**

**Christmas Ornament**

**Stitch a Christmas ornament using plastic canvas.**

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Place</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Place</b>
<b>\$20.00</b>	<b>\$18.00</b>	<b>\$16.00</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$12.00</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>