



Department VII

Superintendent: Joyce B. Jones, Perry

ALL DIVISIONS OF THE TEXTILES DEPARTMENT WILL BE IN THE MILLER-MURPHY-HOWARD BUILDING.

Quilts Received:	September 8-9, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
All Other Exhibits Received:	September 15-16, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
*NO SUNDAY RECEIVING - NO SUNDAY RELEASE!	
Exhibits Released:	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., October 16-17

ELIGIBILITY

1. **Mail entry forms by September 1 for early registration.**

2. Read general rules for exhibitors at the beginning of this book for important entry information governing all departments, which must be followed carefully. See page 12.

3. There are many different divisions in the Textiles Department. Divisions are based on skill level or age level, allowing a broad spectrum of participation while providing a fair system for judging purposes. The Open Division is offered for the professional exhibitor and for the amateur exhibitor whose work is competitive at the highest level of his/her art. The honor system is used with regard to the proper division placement for exhibitors. In other words, it will be left to the exhibitor to determine under which division he/she should exhibit. **All items in a Section must be entered in the same Division.**

4. Entries in this Department are limited to bona fide residents of Georgia.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

5. Exhibitors should check each section for the number of entries allowed per class. Where multiple entries are allowed, each entry must exhibit a different style, design or purpose.

6. All articles that require hanging for display should be brought with wire, etc., attached and ready to hang.

7. All articles must be clean or they will not be displayed.

8. All articles in Textiles must have been handmade and completed by the exhibitor within the past five years.

PREMIUMS

9. First through third place and Honorable Mention ribbons and cash awards noted may be awarded in each class and an "Award of Excellence" rosette may be awarded in each section. Sweepstakes Plaque and \$25 will be awarded to the youth and adult winners of the most blue ribbons in the Textiles Department.

10. Premiums will be paid from the judges' record sheets and not from ribbons that may be attached to the exhibits. Premium checks will be mailed to the winners after the Fair is over.

JUDGING

11. Any article not up to standard in the class in which it is exhibited can be ruled out by the judge.

12. Judges are instructed not to award premiums unless articles are deemed worthy of merit. Articles without competition will be judged on their own merit and will receive awards only if deemed worthy by the judges. The decision of the judges will be final.