

# COMPETITIVE EXHIBITS

## CLAY ARTS INFORMATION GUIDE

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### EXHIBIT LOCATION | IRWIN BUILDING

***For mail-in instructions, please review the Competitive Exhibits General Information Document (click here to view).***

Credentials are not required to enter the Fairgrounds. Entrants drive to their respective exhibit building, enter items, and leave to accommodate others.

#### **Exhibit Entry:**

- Friday, August 4, 11 am - 7 pm
- Saturday, August 5, 11 am - 7 pm

#### **Exhibit Pick-up:**

- Tuesday, September 5, 1 pm - 6 pm
  - Saturday, September 9, 1 pm - 6 pm
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**Clay Arts** entries must be kiln-fired and be 100% ceramic ware. Props are not allowed. Entrant may enter one piece in each class. Entries must have finished bottoms; and need to be finished on the inside. Entrant must be the primary creator, designer or decorator of the piece. Entries previously judged are not allowed. Due to display space limitation, we will not accept ceiling or wall hanging submissions.

\*Entries with electrical cords and lights will be disqualified.

#### **Sub-Categories:**

- A: Junior, ages 5 and under
- B: Junior, ages 6 through 12
- C: Junior, ages 13 through 17
- P: Professional (sells or instructs)

If sub-category is not specified, entry will be classified as OPEN. Entries without entrant contact/ mailing information will be automatically disqualified and not judged.

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## DIVISION 01: CERAMICS - SLIP POURED ARTWORK (CONE 05 - 10)

### Class:

- 01 Acrylics / Stains
- 02 Air Brushing
- 03 Animal
- 04 Banding
- 05 Chalk / Pastel Chalk
- 06 Crystal
- 07 Decals
- 08 Dry Brushing
- 09 Flower
- 10 Glaze, 1 only
- 11 Glaze, combination (flow together)
- 12 Glaze, multiple
- 13 Hand Modeling on cast ceramics
- 14 Holiday Theme
- 15 Horse Hair
- 16 Layering
- 17 Lusters
- 18 Majolica
- 19 Metallics
- 20 Overglaze
- 21 Oxide Wash
- 22 Pouring
- 23 Raku
- 24 Silkscreen
- 25 Splatter
- 26 Surface carving, piercing into surface
- 27 Underglaze for Bisque
- 28 Underglaze, Opaque
- 29 Underglaze, Translucent
- 30 Water Color
- 31 Wet Brushing
- 32 Wood Fire
- 33 Fair Theme "Beyond the Mountains"
- 34 Other

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## DIVISION 02: SURFACE DESIGN - WHEEL THROWN / HAND BUILT

### Class:

- 01 Acrylic
  - 02 Carving
  - 03 Embossed Crackly surface
  - 04 Engraved
  - 05 Gouache
  - 06 Inlay / Mishima
  - 07 Piercing
  - 08 Sgraffito
  - 09 Slip trailing
  - 10 Sprigging
  - 11 Fair Theme "Beyond the Mountains"
  - 12 Other
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## DIVISION 03: SCULPTURE - WHEEL THROWN / HAND BUILT

### Class:

- 01 Animal (land animals)
- 02 Birds
- 03 Buildings
- 04 Figurine
- 05 Fish
- 06 Flowers & Landscapes
- 07 Geometric
- 08 Organic Form
- 09 Fair Theme "Beyond the Mountains"
- 10 Other

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## DIVISION 04: FUNCTIONAL - WHEEL THROWN / HAND BUILT

### Class:

- 01 Bowl, under 10"
- 02 Bowl, 10" or larger
- 03 Bowl, berry with or without drain plate
- 04 Bowl, with handles
- 05 Butter dish
- 06 Candle holder
- 07 Chip 'n Dip platter
- 08 Dinner Set
- 09 Goblet
- 10 Mug, 7" or shorter
- 11 Mug, 8" or taller
- 12 Mug with attached lid (stein)
- 13 Oil dispenser
- 14 Pitcher
- 15 Planter with drain hole(s)
- 16 Plate, 7" or smaller
- 17 Plate 8 - 10"
- 18 Platter 11" - 13"
- 19 Platter 14" or larger
- 20 Soap dispenser
- 21 Sponge holder
- 22 Tea cup w/ saucer
- 23 Tea pot
- 24 Tea set
- 25 Tumbler
- 26 Utensil Crock
- 27 Vase
- 28 Vessel, lidded
- 29 Yarn bowl
- 30 Casserole
- 31 Other

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## **DIVISION 05: CHINA PAINTING (MUST NOT BE UNDER GLASS)**

### **Class:**

- 01 Animals
- 02 Birds
- 03 Decals
- 04 Figurine
- 05 Flowers
- 06 Holiday
- 07 Jewelry
- 08 Landscape
- 09 Masks
- 10 Novelty
- 11 Overglaze, Metallics & Lusters
- 12 Portrait
- 13 Fair Theme "Beyond the Mountains"
- 14 Other

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## **DIVISION 06: GLAZING - WHEEL THROWN / HAND BUILT**

### **Class:**

- 01 Airbrush
- 02 Crystal
- 03 Glaze combination (flow together)
- 04 Glaze, single
- 05 Glaze, multiple / layering
- 06 Kiln fire
- 07 Lusters
- 08 Overglaze
- 09 Oxide wash
- 10 Raku
- 11 Salt Fire
- 12 Silkscreen
- 13 Splatter
- 14 Underglaze
- 15 Water color
- 16 Wood fire
- 17 Decals / Transfers
- 18 Fair Theme "Beyond the Mountains"
- 19 Other

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## **SPECIAL AWARDS - CLAY ARTS**

Outstanding entries will be recognized by these generous donors:

**Anchorage Clay Arts Guild**

**The Art Cafe**

**Dat Potter Spot**

**Sheila's Ceramics**

**Knik Knak Mud Shack**

**Three Petal Pottery**

**Midnight Potter**

**Turnagain Ceramics**