

SECTION V - HAND WEAVING
Entries Due: Wednesday July 29, 2026- 5 p.m.- 8 p.m.
Thursday, July 30, 2026 - 5p.m. – 8 p.m.
Friday, July 31, 2026 - 3p.m. – 8 p.m.

Entries close at 8:00 p.m. on Friday July 31st

Chairman – Ms. Pat Capogrossi

- Age as of January 1, 2026, will be used for age determination.
- Only one entry per person, per class allowed.
- **The exhibitor must have woven all entries since the previous Fair.**
- All entries must be properly finished (washed and pressed when appropriate).
- **HAND WEAVING** is weaving done on a handloom, which contains two or more harnesses, or a frame loom and includes card weaving, inkle weaving, and kumihimo.
- Basis for Judging: General appearance, design and workmanship.
- **See Departmental Rules for 2026 Building Theme.**

**One Champion Ribbon will be awarded from the
 Blue Ribbon Winners in Each Category**

Best of Classes 1 - 4	Best of Classes 12 - 15
Best of Classes 5 - 8	Best of Class 16
Best of Classes 9 - 11	Best of Classes 17 – 22
Best in Class 23	

One Best in Show Ribbon will be awarded from the Champion Ribbon winners.

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| V01. ADULT OPEN CLASSES | 10.00 8.00 6.00 4.00 |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Small blanket, lap robe, baby blanket up to 39" wide. 2. Large blanket or afghan - 40" wide or more 3. Clothing other than items included in categories 4 - 9 4. Outerwear - ponchos, ruanas, quesquimitls, stoles, shawls, etc. 5. Scarf: 18 ends per inch or less - any fiber 6. Scarf: more than 18 ends per inch any fiber 7. Scarf: any fiber 4 shafts or fewer 8. Scarf: 5 or more shafts 9. Woven on a rigid Heddle Loom – any item 10. Home accessory: table runner or other home accessory (tablecloth, pillow, etc.) 11. Woven set 2 or more dishtowels, placemats, etc. 12. Rug, flat woven 13. Tapestry 14. Miscellaneous Weaving - Any item not previously listed. 15. Hand woven, Hand dyed item: either warp or weft or both must be dyed by the weaver, specify the type of fiber and dye used. | |
| V02. BUILDING THEME - ADULT | |
| 16. Building Theme - woven item. | |
| V03. NOVICE WEAVER (2 or fewer years of experience) | |
| 17. Novice small item: belt, tote, etc. | |
| 18. Novice medium item: shawl, placemats, scarf etc. | |
| 19. Novice large item: afghan, blanket, etc. | |
| V04. YOUTH CLASSES (18 years of age and under) | 10.00 8.00 6.00 4.00 3.00 2.00 |
| 20. Small Item - belt, tote, scarf, etc. | |
| 21. Medium Item - shawl, tablecloth, placemats, etc. | |
| 22. Large Item - afghan, blanket, rug, etc. | |
| V05. BUILDING THEME – NOVICE, YOUTH | |
| 23. Building Theme - woven item. | |

*****SPECIAL AWARDS FOR HAND WEAVING *****
Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival - \$25.00 - Best Hand Weaving
Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival - \$50.00 - Best Entry Made of Maryland Wool, Weaving
Lynn Beattie, Hunt Valley Cashmere – Gift - Cashmere Yarn for
 Best Youth Weaver
Lynn Beattie, Hunt Valley Cashmere – Gift - Cashmere Yarn for
 Best Novice Weaver