

# DEPARTMENT 36 – OPEN HOME & OFFICE COMPUTER PROJECTS

## 2017 KITTITAS COUNTY FAIR EXHIBITOR'S GUIDE



### OPEN HOME & OFFICE COMPUTER PROJECTS

#### DIRECTOR IN CHARGE

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#### ENTRY AND EXHIBITS

- Entry form deadline: AUGUST 15, 2017 (After 8/15/17, late fees will apply.)
- Entries will be physically accepted at the Home Arts Building, Friday prior to Fair at 10:00 am-7:00 pm ONLY.
- All exhibits remain on display until the close of Fair, 6:00 pm Monday, Labor Day.
- Read General Rules & Regulations.
- <http://www.kittitascountyfair.com/guide.asp>
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#### OPEN HOME & OFFICE COMPUTER PROJECTS RULES

1. Limited to THREE ENTRIES PER DIVISION
2. All entries must state the name and version of the program(s) used.
3. Copy written material is not allowed without the written consent of the owner. (Logos, designs, etc.)
4. All Original Art and Photo Alteration entries must be ready to hang. Matted copies must be secure enough for hanging.
5. All exhibits must have exhibitor's name and address on the back of each item.
6. Entries will be judged on their own individual merit (Danish system).

#### DIVISION 36-A .....CALENDARS

#### DIVISION 36-B .....CARDS

Greeting cards, birthday, anniversary, occasions, holiday, etc.

#### DIVISION 36-C .....FLYERS AND BROCHURES

Advertise, inform, etc. pamphlets, bi- or tri-fold.

**DIVISION 36-D .....BUSINESS STATIONARY**  
Logos, letterhead, business cards, envelopes, etc.

**DIVISION 36-E .....NEWSLETTERS**  
Provide a copy of each page and/or side.

**DIVISION 36-F .....ORIGINAL ART**  
Only work designed and executed by the artist with digital tools will be accepted.

**DIVISION 36-G .....PHOTO ALTERATIONS**  
Provide a copy of the photo before & after the alteration.

#### PREMIUM POINTS

**Blue** ..... 40

**Red** ..... 30

**White** ..... 20

#### CLASSES

**01 - Youth under 6th grade**

**02 - Middle School Youth**

**03 - High School Youth**

**04 - Adult**

**05 - Senior Citizen**

**06 - Commercial or Business (created in-house by working staff)**

**07 - Professional (paid work done for others)**

#### SCORING CRITERIA • Divisions 36-A – 36G

1. **Informational Value - 50 pts.**

- Useful information is provided
- There is one central theme.
- The message is concise and clear.
- The entry conveys the importance of the message
- The entry is appropriate for the intended audience

2. **Design - 30 pts.**

- Attracts attention and hold viewer's interest.
- Color and space are used effectively.
- Natural progression through the project. It is easy to read and understand.

3. **Originality, Creativity, Neatness - 20 pts.**

- The project shows imagination, creative thought, and originality.

- Is the content grammatically accurate?

**DIVISION 36-H .....WEB SITE/HOME PAGE DESIGN**

Submit your site’s URL as well as a color sample of pages from your site for display purposes. No pornography or links to such sites.

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**SCORING CRITERIA**

- 1. Design - 50 points**
  - The design simple and easy to understand
  - The site loads quickly
  - Navigation clear and easy to follow
- 2. Text/Content - 25 points**
  - Text legible - size, color, contrast
  - Links obvious and descriptive
  - The page is labeled clearly with title of subject
- 3. Graphics - 25 points**
  - The graphics support the content
  - Graphics are neat, clear, and appropriate. Images do not inhibit the readability of the page.

**DIVISION 36-I .....SPECIAL PROJECTS**

Original projects, such as a family cookbook, digital scrapbook, a poem with art, combination of ideas, etc. Entries will be judged according to how the computer, software and other digital technologies are used as tools in your Home Office, to create original work. Projects must be family oriented and will not be accepted if it contains pornography.

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**SCORING CRITERIA**

- 1. Design - 60 points**
  - Center of interest/holds viewers’ attention.
  - Color and space used effectively.
  - Originality and imagination in design.
- 2. Use of digital tools - 40 points**
  - Shows wide use of digital tools and software.
  - Manipulating techniques enhances digital format.
  - Creative use of tools and elements.

**2017 Fair Theme  
Country Nights and Carnival Lights!**

**DIVISION 36-J .....FAIR THEME**

One entry per exhibitor; This Division will change yearly according to the specific decorating theme of the Fair. Consider the words in the theme and all of the many aspects of the Fair: showing animals in different barns, craft & hobbies, fine art, variety of foods, games of all kinds, entertainment, contests and the rides. Have fun with this. Anyone looking at your entry should get a feeling from the use of the theme in your design and the enjoyment the fair. This may be done smaller and enlarged at a digital shop. There is no limit to the types of papers, materials, photos, art work, etc. you can combine for a well-balanced work of art (2 or 3 dimensional). The exhibit must be created with your digital tools.

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**SCORING CRITERIA**

- 3. Fair Theme - 60 points**
  - The Fair Theme is evident
  - Shows a variety of ideas and/or focus on detail
  - Conveys the fun and excitement of the Fair
- 4. Process - 40 points**
  - Digital tools are used to create the entry
  - Design elements enhance the entry

**DIVISION 36-K .....PROGRAMMING**

Write your OWN program. It may be something as simple application or a web page. No commercial programs may be used. It may be displayed on a web page for others to use.

**A CASH PRIZE AND A ROSETTE**  
CCS Complete Computer Service of Ellensburg is sponsoring cash prizes totaling \$250

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**DIVISION 36-L.....OPEN HOME OFFICE  
COMPUTER EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY**

Space is limited. Pre-register by calling the Superintendent, so space can be incorporated into the Department area.

- Create a display on a topic of educational value related to the Department.
- History, How-to, Compare and Contrast, New Developments, etc. are all appropriate prompts for an educational display.
- Display may include sound, motion, 3-D, etc.
- Use large lettering to convey the main message. All wording should be readable from 6 feet away.
- All content must be original and copyright free.

**Class 01 – Large Open Educational Display**

Large Display: Maximum 20 square feet combined horizontal and vertical space (e.g. tri-fold display board on top of your own card table) down to 6 square feet (combined horizontal and vertical)

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**Class 02 – Small Open Educational Display**

Small Display: size allowed up to 24" x 36" maximum (combined horizontal and vertical), down to 11" x 17" minimum.

**PREMIUM POINTS**

- Blue** ..... 45
- Red** ..... 30
- White** ..... 15

**OUTSTANDING ENTRIES WILL BE AWARDED**

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