



14th, 15th & 16th May 2026

FANCYWORK

Theme - From Paddock to Pavilion

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THE FANCYWORK COMMITTEE OF THE GYMPIE DISTRICT SHOW SOCIETY EXTEND THEIR APPRECIATION TO THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS AND INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE GENEROUSLY SUPPORTED THE GYMPIE SHOW

Gympie Branch QCWA - Cedar Pocket Branch QCWA - R Morrison Cabinet Maker - Gympie
Embroidery Service - Mrs K Morrison - Mrs F Daly - Gympie Track Services - Gympie Patchwork - Mrs
Fay Boyd - Mrs Maureen Perry - Mrs J Currie - Mrs J Westlake - Mrs J Williams

In loving memory of Grandmother and Mother, Dorothy Woodgate.

Thank You.

STEWARDS

Section Head: Dawn Gomersall – ph 54822905

Jeannette Westlake, Kylie Westlake, Maureen Perry, Kay Morrison, Fay Boyd, Kevin Gomersall, Olivia Meads,

Joy Currie, Jane Williams, Bev McLucas, Karen Blackburn & John Van Doren

RULES AND REGULATIONS

TO AVOID MISUNDERSTANDING, COMPETITORS ARE REQUESTED TO READ THESE REGULATIONS
CAREFULLY

ENTRIES

1. \$2.00 /entry and Children free.
2. OFFICE ENTRIES CLOSE 4PM FRIDAY 1st May 2026.
3. GST will apply if an Exhibitor enters an Exhibit as a Business entity, the Exhibitor has an ABN, and the Exhibitor is REGISTERED for GST.
 - a. Where GST applies, the Association will pay the prize money quoted in this Schedule plus 10% GST. The Gympie Show Society will issue a recipient created tax invoice for prize money paid.
4. Please provide your ABN and GST registration details on entry form if you are entering as a business entity
5. **All entries to be emailed to: entries@gympieshow.com.au**

EXHIBIT DELIVERY AND COLLECTION

1. Exhibits are to be delivered to the Show Pavilion on the following days and times:
 - a. Friday 8th May 2026 between 1pm and 4pm
 - b. Saturday 9th May 2026 between 9am and 11:30am.
2. Exhibits forwarded by mail must arrive by 4pm Wednesday 6th May 2026.
3. Exhibits are to be collected from the Show Pavilion on Sunday 17th May between 9am and 11am. – exhibits not collected by then can be collected at the show office between 10am-3pm.
4. All exhibits to be collected by Monday 1st June 2026

JUDGING

1. Judging commences at 12pm on Saturday 9th May and continues onto Monday 11th May 2026.
2. At no time must the Judge be made aware of the name of the exhibitor. Under no circumstances must this information or any information likely to influence his or her decision be given to the Judge.
3. The Judge has the right to decide not to award first prize if work is considered not up to the first prize standard.
4. If an exhibitor exhibits in a name other than his or her own name, and such exhibits will be awarded prizes (where merited) and points awarded accordingly to the name on the exhibit i.e., where prizes awarded on a special point system and a person exhibits in more than one name, they shall, for the purpose of awarding points, be two separate persons.

PRIZE MONEY COLLECTION

1. Prize Money will be cash, paid on collection of entry.

SPECIAL PRIZES

RESERVE EMBROIDERY - GREEN RIBBON - \$15.00

RESERVE CROCHET - GREEN RIBBON - \$15.00

RESERVE KNITTING - GREEN RIBBON - \$15.00

CHAMPION FABRIC PAINTING - PURPLE RIBBON - \$15.00

RESERVE PATCHWORK - PURPLE RIBBON - \$50 DONATED BY GYMPIE PATCHWORK

JUDGES CHOICE - RIBBON - \$15.00

CHAMPION OF FANCYWORK SECTION - PINK RIBBON - \$20.00

GENERAL RULES

1. WORK MUST NOT BE MORE THAN TWO YEARS OLD. This rule will be strictly adhered to at the Gympie Show and any older work will be disqualified.
2. Exhibits cannot be entered, nor competed in, more than one class.
3. Non-competitive exhibits will not be received.
4. To assist the Stewards in the arranging and displaying of the exhibits, the exhibitors' ticket containing the name and address of the owner must be securely attached to each piece of work.
5. The Show Society Pavilion Chief Steward or the Judge reserves the right to reclassify any entries deemed to be entered in the wrong class and to amend any class where items are not comparable for Judging.
6. No work to be washed except material used in patchwork entries.
7. No competitor to be penalized for having more than one entry in any one class i.e., a person with three (3) entries in one class is eligible to win first, second and third.
8. Once an article has won a first prize at a Gympie Show, it is not eligible to enter again.
9. Wherever possible all exhibits shall be displayed immediately after Judging.
10. In all Needlework, the cut of the garment, neatness of stitches and cleanliness of work will be taken into consideration at Judging.
11. All pictures must be framed or mounted and rigid. They must have securely attached wire or other suitable material for hanging (masking tape is unsuitable as it will not hold).
12. Stewards cannot repair or replace unsuitable attachments.
13. Entries are accepted entirely at owners' risk. Society, its members and volunteers will not be liable for any loss or damage to exhibits or any property whatsoever and however such damage or loss occurs. All reasonable care is taken always.
14. No Verbal or written correspondence will be entered into. Judges discussion final.

EMBROIDERY

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	<u>DETAILS</u>	
8000	Traced or Stamped Centre embroidered in coloured thread	
8001	Traced or Stamped Doiley embroidered in coloured thread	
8002	Traced or Stamped Duchess Set, embroidered in Colour thread	
8003	Traced or Stamped Supper Cloth embroidered in Coloured Thread	
8004	Entry in any type of Counted Thread – not framed	
8005	Any entry in Dimensional Embroidery (eg) Cornpad, Stump work, Casalgudi, Elizabethan, Brazillian, Silk ribbon	
8006	Any entry in any Surface Embroidery (eg) Deerfield, Cutwork, dorset, Mt Mellick, Crewel etc	
8007	Entry in Modern or Traditional Candle Wicking	
8008	Any entry in Stamped Cross Stitch- not framed	
8009	Any entry in Coloured thread not specified	
8010	Huckaback – any colour	
8011	Novice Embroidery – any entry	

COUNTED THREAD

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8012	Counted Cross Stitch, not framed. Back to be judged.	
8013	Framed Counted Cross Stitch - 30cm x 30cm	
8014	Framed Counted Cross Stitch - up to 90cm	
8015	Picture in Counted Thread, no larger than 60cm x 80cm	

CROCHET

1. No waterproofing of work.
2. Must be hand worked unless otherwise stated.
3. Must be the work of the exhibitor.
4. No backing on any Crochet or Bobbin Lace.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8016	One Doily, Fine Cotton (40 and over) any design, not to exceed 30cm	
8017	One Doily, Heavy Cotton (under 40) any design, not to exceed 30cm	
8018	One Handkerchief with crochet edge or corner	
8019	Duchess Set, Fine Cotton (40 and over) 3 pieces only	
8020	Duchess Set, Heavy Cotton (under 40) 3 pieces only	
8021	Crochet Table Centre, Fine Cotton, no bigger than 1metre	
8022	Crochet Table Centre, Heavy Cotton, no bigger than 1 meter	
8023	Crochet item in any other thread	
8024	Crochet Mandala	
8025	Crochet Novelty, any medium	
8026	Crochet entry not specified in crochet cotton	
8027	Crochet Baby Set, min 3 pieces, 2 booties = 1 piece	
8028	Crochet Baby Bonnet and booties/mittens or cap and socks/booties/mittens	
8029	Crochet Rug/Throw Rug Afghan or Blanket	
8030	Baby's Cot Cover	
8031	Any filet entry, any medium	
8032	Any Crochet Garment, any medium	
8033	Crochet Entry not specified above in Wool or Acrylic	
8034	Crochet Baby or Adult Shawl or Stole	

KNITTING

1. Can be done in acrylic, wool or wool blend.
2. Must be hand worked unless otherwise stated.
3. Must be the work of the exhibitor.
4. No water-proofing work

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8035	A Hand Knitted entry in Cotton	
8036	Hand Knitted Adult Jumper or Cardigan	
8037	Hand Knitted Baby Set, minimum 3 pieces	
8038	Hand Knitted Baby Bonnet and Booties/Mittens or Cap and Socks/Booties/Mittens	
8039	Hand Knitted, Rug/Throw Rug, Afghan or Blanket 1 st Prize Voucher - The Makers Corner	
8040	Hand Knitted Baby Cot Cover	
8041	Hand Knitted Child's Jumper or Cardigan	
8042	A Hand Knitted Entry Not Specified Above in Wool	
8043	Knitted baby's or adult shawl or stole	
8044	Entry in Fancy Yarn	

DOLLS/TOYS

1. Will be disqualified if over specified size.
2. All accessories need to be firmly attached.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8045	Dressed Doll, up to 65cm	
8046	Cloth Doll, up to 55cm	
8047	Bear, any medium up to 50cm	
8048	Dressed Baby Doll, any medium	
8049	Knitted Toy, up to 50cm	

8050	Crochet Toy, up to 50cm
8051	Material Made Stuffed Toy, up to 50cm

TAPESTRY/CANVAS

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00	
CLASS	DETAILS		
8052	Long Stitch		
8053	Canvas Work Other Than Tapestry, no larger than 80cm x 60cm.		
8054	Tapestry Mounted or Framed, no larger than 110cm x 80cm including frame		
8055	Tapestry not framed. Back to be judged.		
8056	Creative Tapestry or Long Stitch		
8057	Latch Hook no Larger than 100cm X 80cm		

MISCELLANEOUS

1. Large items may not be displayed to their best advantage due to space restriction.
2. No scented articles will be accepted.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00	
CLASS	DETAILS		
8058	Beadwork, no larger than 25cm square, smaller items can be mounted on card		
8059	Lace, e.g., Knitted, Braid, Teneriffe, or Brussels Type Lace		
8060	Cushion Filled, any medium		
8061	Hand Embroidered Entry in Check Material, machine finish allowed		
8062	Fabric Made Article or Garment		
8063	Fete item, any medium		
8064	Coat hanger, any medium, handmade		
8065	Hessian Decorated Article, no larger than 50cmx50cm		
8066	Handmade Fascinator or Millinery, any medium		
8067	Felt Applique Entry		
8068	Article made from recycled materials or yarns		
8069	Any entry not specified, no larger than 1m square		

WOMENS SPECIAL

1. One entry per person.
2. No taller than 40cm high.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8071	1 Woman Display, (Non-CWA Member). 3 different crafts to be exhibited. One entry can be machine made.	
8072	1 Woman Display, (CWA Member Only). 3 different crafts to be exhibited. One entry can be machine made.	

SHOW THEME

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
8072	Show theme: Paddock to Pavilion can be made in any fabric medium. Fancywork, patchwork, Knitted, Crocheted or Machine embroidered.	

PATCHWORK QUILTING

1. Rod pocket on entries.
2. Large entries are displayed depending on space and number of entries.
3. Mitered corners (binding) preferred but not essential.
4. Binding can either be hand stitch on machine. Hand stitched to the back is preferred.
5. Quilts to be unused and less than 2 years old.
6. Entry tag at the bottom of the quilt.
7. Quilts that are not to be hung outside of glass cupboards are to have a 'PLEASE DO NOT HANG OUTSIDE' tag attached.
8. Quilting done on a domestic machine to have a label attached.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8074	Large Pieced Patchwork Quilts. Domestic self quilted- quilting to be judged.	
8075	Any entry in Pieced Patchwork Quilts. Can be professionally Quilted. (Quilting not judged)	
8076	Patchwork Quilt – pieced, no larger than 120cmX150cm	
8077	Any size Quilt with Machine Embroidery.	
8078	Any size Quilt, may include hand applique or hand embroidery.	

8079	Any stained glass patchwork entry
8080	Patchwork or Fabric Bag
8081	Any Cushion with hand embroidery, hand applique or hand embellishments
8082	Cushion Cover - pieced
8083	Cushion or Bag Crazy Patchwork, Hand Embroidery – machine finished allowed
8084	Any Patchwork Entry made by a male.
8085	Any Sashiko entry – placemats, centres, tablecloths, Sashiko available at Patchwork Shop if needed.
8086	Quilt made from a panel – any size
8087	Novice Patchwork Entry
8088	Any Patchwork with a Christmas Theme.

NOTE:

Dear Patchworkers,

It is a privilege to be able to leave our quilts with Lyn at Gympie Patchwork to be collected and taken to the showgrounds. But there are a couple of things to be done first before this can happen.

- 1- Quilts to be entered and paid for at the showgrounds
- 2- Quilts to have the entry tags pinned at the bottom of the quilt

Most entry tags will be emailed to you, if you don't get them in a reasonable time, please look in your Junk Mail as they could be there. Alternatively ring myself to see if I have your entry.

After all that, Thank you for your entries in 2026. We have an amazing display of Quilts this year and an amazing Judge.

Regards,

Dawn Gomersall - Head Steward for Fancywork

FABRIC PAINTING

1. Limit of three (3) entries per person per class.
2. No mounts or rods.
3. Soiled items will not be accepted.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00	
CLASS	DETAILS		
8089	Brush Painted on Fabric		
8090	Brush Painted Any Other Medium		
8091	Fabric Painted, supper cloth, duchess set, cushion, doily or bad		

8092	Fabric Painting - Garment Featuring Stencil Design
8093	Fabric Painting - Featuring No Sew Applique
8094	Any Craft Item Using Fabric Painting
8095	Any Entry Using Silk Paints
8096	Any Entry- Any Technique Not Mentioned Above
8097	District Novice - any entry in fabric painting DISTRICT includes Gympie 4570, Cooroy 4563, Cooran 4569, Gunalda 4570, Pomona 4568, Kin Kin 4571, Tiara 4650

SENIORS

1. 60 years and over.
2. Limit of 2 entries per person per class.
3. If there are too many entries in any one class, that class will be amended at the discretion of the Stewards.

1 st PRIZE \$10.00		2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8098	Any type of hand Embroidery - 60 to 74 years	
8099	Any type of Hand Embroidery- 75 years and over	
8100	Any Crochet Entry- 60 to 74 years	
8101	Any Crochet Entry- 75 years and over	
8102	Any hand Knitted Entry 60 to 74 years	
8103	Any hand Knitted entry- 75 years and over	
8104	Any Craft Entry Not Specified above, 60 years and over.	

SPECIAL

FREE ENTRY		1 st PRIZE \$10.00	2 nd PRIZE \$5.00
CLASS	DETAILS		
8105	Any Entry by Person in Aged or Respite Care		
8106	Any Entry Made by a Special Needs Person		

STUDENTS

Entry Free

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS - Open to all students 17 years and under.

PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS - Open to all primary school aged children.

PLEASE STATE AGE ON ALL ENTRIES

1. Entries may be divided if enough received.
2. Do not leave threads hanging. Tie them off and snip off excess.
3. Make sure you have not left any sections of the seams with raw edges visible.
4. Judges usually turn the item inside out to see if the inside is as neat as the outside.
5. If you are doing embroidery do not start with a knot. Leave a small amount of thread at the back (wrong side) of work and work the first few stitches you do over this thread.
6. If you embroider a pattern on the item, the judge will look at the back and if they cannot tell what the pattern is, points will be lost.
7. When you have used all your thread in the needle, or have finished altogether, your thread should be on the back of your work. Thread the needle under the last 4 or 5 stitches and gently pull the thread through. Snip off the thread as this looks neater than trying to tie a knot.
8. Judges will put aside work that is not finished off neatly on the wrong side, even if the work is beautifully done on the right side.
9. Use no longer than 40cm length threads to prevent knotting, stretching, and fraying.
10. Keep work as clean as possible while working on article.
11. DO NOT wash the article before entering it in a competition.
12. Remembering these simple hints will allow your work to be presented to the judge in the best possible manner.

High School Students

1 st PRIZE \$5.00		2 nd PRIZE \$3.00
CLASS	DETAILS	
8107	Any entry year 7 & 8	
8108	Any entry year 9 & 10	
8109	Any entry year 11 & 12	
8110	Any entry with embroidery or cross stitch	
8111	Any creative textile article	
8112	Any entry made of recycled material	
8113	Any entry not specified	

Primary School Students

FREE ENTRY		1 st PRIZE \$5.00	2 nd PRIZE \$3.00
CLASS	DETAILS		
8114	Any Stitchery or Cross Stitch		
8115	Any Crochet or Knitted Entry		
8116	Any Entry Not Specified grades 1 to 3.		
8117	Any Entry Not Specified grades 4 to 6.		
8118	Any Entry Not Specified by prep student		
8119	Any entry by special needs child under 11 years old		
8120	Any entry made by a child under 3 to 5 yrs.		

Class 8114 to 8120 May use any kits available with wool or felt, fabric or cotton. May use crochet cotton or embroidery floss etc.

HAVE A HAPPY GYMPIE SHOW 2026



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FANCYWORK ENTRY FORM

Subject to the Rules and Regulations in this year's schedule, I wish to make the following entries for the Gympie Show

NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
SUBURB:	POSTCODE:	PHONE:
EMAIL:		
ABN:	GST REGISTERED: YES/NO	
SIGNATURE:		

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH PERSON

CLASS	Entry Fee	Description
TOTAL ENTRY FEES		
DONATIONS		
TOTAL		
OFFICE USE ONLY: Name - _____ Signature - _____ Payment EFT/CASH - _____		