

La Vernia Arts and Crafts Show Rules — 2026

Please Read — Rules and Regulations

- Completed entry forms and payment are due no later than Feb 3, 2026. All entries should be mailed to the address listed on this entry form. No late entries accepted.
- Entries must be checked in between 8:00am and 9:30am on Friday March 6th, in the Arts and Crafts exhibit area. And be picked up from the judging area after the Auction on Fri.
- All Entries must be completed by the exhibitor only.
- Entry may not have been exhibited in prior contest or be used for any prior contest.
- Each category will include both a junior and senior division (Junior 3rd-7th, Senior 8th-12th). Any deviation from this rule is at the discretion of the committee.
- NO PICTURES OF THE EXHIBITORS FACE OR NAME MAY BE INCLUDED IN OR WITH THE PROJECT
- Entries will be judged on creativity, workmanship, age appropriate for degree of difficulty, uniqueness, and project description.
- Photography:
 - Photos must be 8x10 and permanently mounted on photographic mount board, mat board materials or thin foam board. Matting or Framing, of any kind, is not allowed and will result in disqualification.
 - Photos may be black and white or color
 - Photos must have been taken within one year of contest.
- Recycled Art: Entries in this category must be completed using only recycled materials. Recycled materials might include, but not limited to: tires, wood, glassware, auto parts, kitchen ware, fans, etc.
- Stitchery: Project must be able to be displayed for judging in a reasonable amount of space and can be folded up (ex: quilt/blanket in queen/king size; this is the only exception to the size rule).
- Size Limit: Projects may not exceed 6'x 6' in overall size (must fit through the doors of the Chamber Hall to be judged). If your project is not within the size limits, your project will not be judged or considered.
- All entries must include a brief paragraph (250 words or less) on a note card, to include material list and description of steps in the assembly of project. This information will be used in the judging process. Projects will not be accepted without this information.
- Exhibitors are limited to 2 entries, one per category in the Arts/Crafts contest.
- Judging is not open to the public. **All visitors will be asked to leave the area before judging starts.**
- **The decision of the judge(s) is FINAL.**
- ❖ A Grand Champion and Reserve Champion winner will be selected from the 8 categories in Junior Division and Senior Division. Only Grand Champion, Reserve Champion and 1st place winners are eligible for Auction.
- ❖ After a sufficient time for public viewing, entries not eligible for Auction, may be sold on behalf of the exhibitor by the Committee at a starting donation price of \$25+ per item. Exhibitors should pick up entries, awards and/or monetary donations no later than 8pm Friday, March 6, 2026. Exhibitors are required to send a thank you card to buyer.
- Each entry eligible for the auction will have the option to decline.
- If exhibitor has more than one item eligible for the auction, they must choose which item will be sold in the auction.
- If the exhibitor has a placing item in the arts and food show, they must choose which item will be sold in the auction.
- Auction will take place on Fri at 4:30pm in the Arena or after steer/heifer show. Must be present to sale in auction.
- Committee reserves the right to make adaptations to categories and classes as determined by entries received.
- We follow the eligibility rules of the La Vernia Junior Livestock Show. (You may not participate in the Arts and Crafts show if you have participated in the Wilson County Junior Livestock Show).

Recd. By: _____ Date: _____ Amt. Pd: _____

La Vernia Stock Show 2026
Arts and Crafts Entry Form

Entry Fee is \$10.00 Per Item

One Entry Per Category (Limit 2 entries)

No late entries accepted

Name: _____ Email address: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Birth Date : _____

School Attending: _____

Grade: _____ 4-H/FFA CLUB: _____

Please check the category or categories you will be entering: (Max 2 per exhibitor)

RECYCLED ART		JEWELRY	
YARD ART		STITCHERY	
BASKETS/WREATHS/HOLIDAY		CATCH ALL	
PAINTINGS/DRAWINGS			
PHOTOGRAPHY			

Total Amount: \$ _____

Entries may be submitted by mail to:

Kimberly Sturgis

101 N. Jewels, La Vernia, TX 78121

If you have questions, please contact: Kimberly Sturgis 210-882-7315

By signing below you hereby acknowledge receipt of contest rules and certify that the project is solely the work of the exhibitor. No refunds. Checks should be made payable to: LV Chamber of Commerce.

Exhibitor Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

