

# Design your Dream Hat



Enter your best ladies' or gentleman's hat in this fun and very stylish competition. You may enter one hat per class in this Division. \$5.00 per entry. Please include a description of the hat, materials used, and your inspiration.

**Entry Form Deadline-** postmarked by Tuesday, June 28th, 2011.

**Hat Delivery-**Tuesday, July 12, 2011, 7 a.m. - 8 p.m. at The Village on Broadway/Tapestry.

Hats will be displayed in The Village on Broadway during the 2011 L.A. County Fair. All hats must be picked up on Tuesday, October 4, 2011, 7 a.m. - 8 p.m. **only.**

## Division 2517

1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons awarded in each class.

**REMINDER: Please enter only 1 hat per class**

### Class-

- 1- **Soft Hats/Fabric Hats** - Made from a flat pattern in fabric, skin, or man-made materials.
- 2- **Purchased/Embellished Hats** - An existing hat (felt, straw, horsehair, etc.) purchased for the purpose of hand embellishment (trimming).
- 3- **Hand Blocked Hats** - Traditional or contemporary hand blocking (molding/shaping) techniques used in the creation of a felt or straw hat.
- 4- **Covered Buckram Frames/Other Foundation Frames** - A variety of fabric covering techniques including draping, pouffing, fabric manipulation or feathers applied to buckram frames or other foundation frames.
- 5- **Headdresses/"Super-sized" Hats** - Hats constructed from various foundation materials where the covered or trimmed crown height is over 16 inches, or the brim width is over 24 inches.

## Judging Criteria:

Originality/Creativity.....	35%
Craftsmanship.....	25%
Wearability/Comfort.....	20%
Impact (Overall Appearance)...	20%
Total.....	100%

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**Sept. 3 - Oct. 2, 2011**

For contest entry form visit [lacountyfair.com](http://lacountyfair.com)  
Attractions-Competitions/Tapestry  
Questions call (909)865-4043  
email [apond@fairplex.com](mailto:apond@fairplex.com)

## Special Awards:

**Best in Show**

(Best overall display of originality and design)

**Craftsmanship**

(Most classic display of couture millinery techniques)

**Color**

(Most creative and effective use of color in design)

**Innovation**

(Best display of innovative techniques & creative use of materials)

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Make check or money order for entry fees payable to:

L.A. County Fair/Tapestry

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

DO NOT SEND CASH

PRINT OR TYPE INFORMATION BELOW (ONLY ONE NAME PER ENTRY FORM).

This form may be photocopied.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
last first middle initial

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ city state zip  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please include guild, if applicable \_\_\_\_\_

Mail entry fees to:

L.A. County Fair/Tapestry

P.O. Box 2250

Pomona, CA 91769

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Exhibitor # \_\_\_\_\_

Any exhibitor who wins over \$600.00 dollars or more in premiums or prizes must complete a W-9 form before checks are distributed in compliance with IRS regulations. A 1099 MISC will be issued to those exhibitors.