

New York State Fair Youth Department Exhibitor Entry Statement

Complete All Sections for Entry

Name: Charlotte S.

Age on January 1 of current year: 9

County: Rockland

Section: DB – Fine Arts & Fine Crafts

Class Number: 2C – Fiber, Fabric

Years Working in this Project Area: less than 1 year

Name of Exhibit: Hobby Horse

The following information is critical to the successful evaluation process at the New York State Fair; as face to face judging is seldom possible. Please respond to the following questions.

1. List the materials used in making this exhibit and why they were selected.

- Need an idea of what you want your horse to look like and definitely need hands!
- Template for horse head and ears – 2 pieces of paper glued together and cut to desired shape
- Felt – white, terra cotta, black, blue and pink
- Pins and needles – white and red thread for head and patches
- White and terra cotta yarn for the mane and forelock
- Stuffing or fluff
- Scissors
- Hot glue gun
- Wood dowel

2. What sparked your interest in making this exhibit?

List the specific source where your idea came from. (ex. book, 4-H leader, specific website)

My interest was sparked due in fact to me wanting to own my own horse and that is not actually a reality, so making a hobby horse is the closest thing to owning my own horse.

3. Please share 2 or more new skills you learned or improvements to current skills that happened when you were making this exhibit.

2 new skills I improved on were my pattern making skills and my sewing skills.

4. What challenges did you face and how did you work through them?

The challenge that I faced was making an open mouthed hobby horse and what happened to the mouth when I cut it. One side was aligned well and the other was not, so I had to repair that side before finishing the mouth and turning the horse head right side out.

- 5. Additional information asked for this exhibit class in the fair book. Attached these separately to the entry card if necessary.**