

The Alders • Humber West • Old Mill
2010 Hobby / Craft Show

Judging Rules

1. All entries have been scrutinized by the Section Leaders and an Entry Officer to determine the actual amount of work done by the participant. If too much outside help is indicated, an "X" will appear in the upper right hand corner of the entry tag. These entries will be kept on display only and will not be judged.

All remaining entries will be judged on the basis that they have been completed by the youth.

All entries are to be judged on "quality". Although an entry may be the only item in a category, it may not merit receiving a first place ribbon.

2. Generally, only one first place, one second place and one third place ribbons are awarded in any classification. ***(The exception to this rule would be in cases where there are a large number of multiple entries in one class, e.g., Kub Kars, etc.).** In this case, you may wish to judge by the participant's age and award additional ribbons by age grouping. This should be discussed with the Judging Chair.
3. The Hobby / Craft show is broken down by classification into sections of Cubs, Scouts and Venturers. We do not break down these sections by age groups. In each classification, the best entry should receive the first place award, no matter what age groups are entered in that classification. ***(The exception to this rule would be in cases where there are a large number of multiple entries in one class, e.g., Kub Kars, etc.).** The age of the participant should be considered and may be used in circumstances where it is necessary to break a tie between entries.
4. Honourable Mention Awards may be given in any classification where an additional award of merit is justified. In some instances, no Honourable Mention Awards will be given; in other areas, several could be given. **Be generous with these awards. We are trying to encourage the youth to enter in subsequent years. An Honourable Mention ribbon could go a long way as an incentive to the participant to try again in the future.**
5. When judging, mark the entry ticket in ballpoint pen to correspond to the ribbon award as follows: "1" (first place), "2" (second place), "3" (third place) and "4" (Honourable Mention).