



# Kalbar Show Society

## 2026 NEEDLEWORK SCHEDULE 12

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SECTION 12 – NEEDLWORK & MILLINERY

Section Details

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Location: Kalbar Showgrounds

Chief Steward: Mrs. Melva Giess - Ph 0498 551 420

Entries to: Kalbar Show Society  
Att: Needlework & Millinery Section  
P O Box 38, Kalbar, Qld 4309

Entries close: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2026  
All Exhibits in this section must be received by 3pm,  
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2026  
All Exhibits must stay on display until 5pm Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2026,  
and can be collected between 10am -12 noon Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2026.

Judging: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Prize Money: First \$4:00, second \$2:00 unless otherwise listed.

Entry Fee: \$1:00 per entry

Exhibits MUST be labelled as below on paper & attached to Exhibit, PRIOR to delivery.

SECTION: NEEDLEWORK

CLASS: .....

NAME: .....

ADDRESS: .....

## RULES

1. All exhibits are to be in the hands of the Chief Steward by 3pm, Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup> June 2026.
2. Work recognised as being previously shown at Kalbar Show will be classed as non-competitive.
3. Return freight or postage must be forwarded with entry fees where exhibits are required to be returned.
4. Crochet Cotton Requirements:
  - Fine Crochet Cotton No 60 up to No 150.
  - Heavy Crochet Cotton No 40 down to Cotton No 10.
5. All exhibits must have securely attached the exhibitors' name and class in which they are entered.
6. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor only, except as stated in Patchwork. Work must be unmarked and clean.
7. If the Judge considers any exhibit to be of insufficient merit, no award will be made.
8. Stewards and Judges reserve their right to change any entry into another class if necessary.
9. **PATCHWORK**, please attach description of quilts, EG: whether professionally quilted, own design or other....
10. Entries other than Textiles are to be entered in craft section.
11. **Exhibitor Points Calculation:**
  - Any First Place - 3 points,
  - Any Second Place - 2 points
  - Any Third Place - 1 point.
  - Any Champion - 3 points.
12. Prizemoney can be collected from the Secretary's Office after 3pm on Saturday **20<sup>th</sup> June 2026**.
13. The Kalbar Show Society will not accept any liability for items that exhibits the risk being that of the exhibitor.
14. Kalbar Show General Rules: The rules listed in this area supplement the general list provided on the Kalbar Show [web page](#).



## Queensland Government

The President, and members of the Kalbar Show Society would like to thank the Department of Local Government, Water and Volunteers for their ongoing support with the annual Queensland Show Societies Grant.

## CROCHET CLASSES

### Class.

1. Crochet Duchess Set.
2. Crochet Doily (23cm or less).
3. Crochet Doily (more than 23cm).
4. Crochet Centre or Table Runner – 4A Fine; 4B Heavy.
5. Crochet Collection of 3 Pieces, Each Decorative Design.
6. Crochet Knee Rug – Approximately 1.1m Squares.
7. Crochet Rug to fit a single bed or larger.
8. Article of Tunisian Crochet.
9. Crochet Edge on Face Cloth
10. Crochet Edge on Hand Towel or Tea towel.
11. Handkerchief with Crochet Edge.
12. A 2- or 12 B: 3-piece Baby's Set
13. Crochet Article Not Mentioned

### **CHAMPION EXHIBIT TROPHY DONATED BY MAYNARDS – BOONAH Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy**

## HAND EMBROIDERY

### Class.

14. Hand embroidered article, Stranded Thread.
15. Any Article of Hard Hanger.
16. Article of Ribbon Embroidery/Ribbon work.
17. Tapestry.
18. Article of Long Stitch.
19. Any Article of Candlewick Embroidery.
20. Any Article of Embroidery designed and made by yourself.
21. Embroidery, Any Article.

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## CROSS STITCH

### Class.

22. Cross Stitch, Any Variety – Framed
23. Cross Stitch, Any Variety – Unframed
24. Any Other Article of Cross Stitch.

### **CHAMPION EXHIBIT TROPHY Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy Donated**

## KNITTING (ANY YARN CAN BE USED

### Class.

25. 2 Pairs of Babies Booties (different patterns)
26. A: 2- or 26 B: 3-piece Baby's Set
27. Babies or Child's Garment.
28. Adults Knitted Garment.
29. A: Knitted Scarf/shawl .29 B: Babies Shawl

- 30. Any Other Article of Knitting.
- 31. Novelty Item, using fun and chunky yarn.

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Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy**

MISCELLANEOUS

**Class.**

- 32. Tea Cozy, Any Work.
- 33. Article Combining Knitting and Crochet.
- 34. Potholder or Pot mitt, Any Work
- 35. Something New from Something Old– Textile Only. **Must be at Least 50% Recycled Source. Please attach a description of what article is made of:**
  - A: Bag
  - B: Any Other Article
- 36. Article of Appliqué.
- 37. Dress Hanger, Any Work. The hook must be covered, but not with plastic.
- 38. Novelty Article, Any Hand Work.
- 39. Article for Needlework, EG: Crochet Hook Holder, Pin Cushion etc...
- 40. Collection of 3 Articles, Suitable for Gifts (Sewn or Pinned Together).
- 41. A Handbag Any Medium
  - B. Carry Bag, Any Medium
- 42. Cushion, Made Up.
- 43. Entry by Person 75 years or over at the time of making.
- 44. A. Christmas Tree Decoration
  - B. Any other Xmas Article, not including Quilts.
- 45. Article from hand dyed fabric or thread, PLEASE ATTACH DESCRIPTION of dyeing.
- 46. Set of Three Flowers Any Technique or Medium attached to something for display purposes
- 47. Jewelry made from textiles can be embellished.
- 48. A - **SHOW CHALLENGE – Two (2) Postcard Sized Articles – Handmade. Any textile and embellishments, with a Pig theme – Use your artistic abilities. First Prize \$50 Second \$30 Third \$10.** Special Trophy.
  - B. Diamond Dot article

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Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy**

PATCHWORK & QUILTING

*(QUILTS AND WALLHANGINGS TO HAVE ROD POCKETS)*

**Class.**

- 48 Cushion/hand or machine pieced.
- 49 Miniature Quilt to be no more than 30cm in diameter in any shape.
- 50 Wall Hanging.
- 51 Patchwork, Hand Sewn.
- 52 Article of Crazy Patchwork
- 53 Quilt Machine – pieced, hand or domestic machine quilted.
- 54 Appliqued quilt – hand or machine.
- 55 Table Runner
- 56 Any Article of patch work to include Appliqué and / or embroidery.
- 57 Quilt, any work, quilted on a quilting frame, long arm or commercially.
- 58 Patchwork or Appliqué Bag
- 59 Any Article Not Mentioned

**CHAMPION QUILT, from classes 49 to 59, – Eligible for entry to Quilts Across Queensland**

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MACHINE SEWING

**Class.**

- 60 Child's Dress Machine Made with Trimmings.
- 61 Garment Made of Stretch Fabric.
- 62 Baby's Dress or Robe, Machine Made.
- 63 Play Clothes, 1- or 2-Piece Set.
- 64 Skirt.
- 65 Ladies Frock / Kaftan
- 66 Tracksuit, Adult or Child, Any Medium.
- 67 Shirt.
- 68 Article of Nightwear
- 69 Apron.
- 70 Article of Machine Embroidery – No larger than 60cm
- 71 Article of Free Machine Embroidery
- 72 Any Other Article of Sewing

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TOY/TEDDYBEAR FEATURE

**Class.**

- 73 Crocheted Toy.
- 74 Knitted Toy or animal.
- 75 Best Dressed Doll, can be Purchased Doll / animal.
- 76 Fabric Doll.
- 77 Fabric Toy.
- 78 Fur Animal.
- 79 Other Fabric Animal

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MILLINERY CLASSES

**Class.**

- 80 Purchased Hat Decorated
- 81 Fascinator for a special occasion
- 82 Hat for a special occasion
- 83 Easter Bonnet
- 84 Fantasy Hat
- 85 Hand Made Hat
- 86 Beret or Cap
- 87 Knitted Hat or Cap
- 88 Crochet Hat or Cap
- 89 Professional Class

**CHAMPION EXHIBIT TROPHY**

## **Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy**

### **NOVICE SECTION**

Open to beginners who have not won a First Prize at a previous Kalbar Show with the type of work entered (e.g., Sewing, Knitting or Crochet).

#### **Class.**

- 90 Crochet Edge on Face Cloth or Hand Towel.
- 91 Any Other Article of Crochet.
- 92 Article of Knitting.
- 93 Any Machine-Made Article.
- 94 Article of Embroidery.
- 95 Tapestry.
- 96 Long Stitch Embroidery.
- 97 Article of Cross Stitch.
- 98 Article of Appliqué.
- 99 Dress Hanger.
- 100 Place Mat, Any Medium.
- 101 Article Made from Recycled Source.
- 102 Patchwork Article.
- 103 Any Article Not Mentioned.

### **CHAMPION EXHIBIT TROPHY**

**Most Successful Exhibitor Trophy Donated by Melva Giess**

### **PRIMARY SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL SECTION – No ENTRY FEE**

**PLEASE ATTACH SCHOOL CLASS e.g.: YEAR 8 CLASS 8**

#### **Class.**

- 104 Article of Knitting
- 105 Article of Hand Embroidery
- 106 Article of Crochet
- 107 Article of Patchwork
- 108 CHALLENGE ---BOLD & BRIGHT
- 109 Machine made Toy.
- 110 Machine made Apron or Potholder.
- 111 A Bag any Medium
- 112 Article of Felt.
- 113 Flower any Medium
- 114 Up Cycled Article something new from something old
- 115 Any other article of Craft

### **CHAMPION PRIMARY SCHOOL EXHIBIT**

**Most Successful Primary School Exhibitor Trophy Donated by Melva Giess**

### **CHAMPION HIGH SCHOOL EXHIBIT**

**Most Successful High School Exhibitor Trophy Donated by Melva Giess**

## SPINNING

### Class.

- 116 Fine Yarn, Skein of 20 metres Washed, Plied, Suitable for Baby Wear or Lightweight.
- 117 Medium Yarn, Skein of 20 metres Washed, Plied, Suitable for Outer Garments.
- 118 Strong Yarn, Skein of 20 metres Washed, Plied or Single, Suitable for Floor Rugs, Wall Hangings etc.
- 119 Hand Woven Article, Any Medium and Technique
- 120 Lightweight Article Made from Hand Spun Yarn, Fewer than 100g (Shawls, Baby Wear).
- 121 Garment Made from Hand Spun Yarn
- 122 Garment Made from Pigmented Yarn.
- 123 Natural Dyed Yarns. A Selection of Naturally Dyed Hand Spun Yarns, displayed to their BEST advantage, Accompanied by Particulars of Materials AND Methods.
  
- 124 **NOVICE CLASS** – Any Article Made from Hand Spun Yarn by a Novice.
  
  
- 125 Article or Garment Felted

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