

BRINGING COMMUNITIES TOGETHER – SA'S LARGEST REGIONAL SHOW Gawler Agricultural, Horticultural & Floriculture Society Inc

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NEEDLEWORK, KNITTING & DRESSMAKING

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SATURDAY 23 & SUNDAY 24 AUGUST 2025

CONVENER: Heather Weatherald 0422 368 505

JUDGES: Carol Mullan, Wendy Harvey, Vicky Fidler, Jocelyn Meline

STEWARDS: Di Varney - Needlework assistance please contact di@keithd.services.com.au

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Margaret Atyeo, Gillian Gittins, Dot Jose, Chris Pritchard, Pauline Rankin,

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Entry fee Closing Date

Open: \$1.00 MANUAL ENTRY (paper) - FRIDAY 1 August 2025
Junior: \$0.50 ONLINE ENTRY - FRIDAY 15 August 2025

PRIZE RIBBONS AWARDED FOR 1st 2nd & 3rd PLACE Sponsored by:



VOUCHERS & PRIZE MONEY Donated by:

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CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

- 1. Each Exhibit to be entered in one class only.
- 2. MAXIMUM 3 entries per person per class.
- 3. No late entries will be accepted.
- 4. Exhibits which have won 1st prize in a previous Gawler Show will be disqualified.
- 5. **NOVICE** person who has never won 1st place in the Gawler Show Needlework section
- 6. Exhibits incorrectly entered may be transferred by Convener/Steward to a suitable class before judging.
- 7. All entries must be clean.
- 8. No exhibit to be on coat hanger.
- 9. Every article to have exhibit number attached.
- 10. EXHIBIT LABELS Thread ribbon or tape on exhibit label. DO NOT REMOVE BACKING FROM LABEL. Hand stitch or use a small safety pin to firmly attach ribbon or tape to exhibit.
- 11. EXHIBIT LABELS FRAMED ARTICLES Tie ribbon or tape to back of frame making sure exhibit label hangs below bottom edge of frame (to be visible from the front of exhibit).
- 12. Please do not put names or any identifying information on the exhibits.
- 13. All reasonable care of Exhibits will be taken however no responsibility will be accepted for loss or damage.

EXHIBIT DELIVERY

All exhibits MUST be delivered to the exhibition hall as follows:

- Thursday 21 between 3-7pm
- Friday 22 between 8-10am
- Entry Confirmation Form MUST be produced.

EXHIBIT COLLECTION

- Exhibitors MUST produce their copy of the Entry Confirmation Form to the Convenor/Steward on arrival at the exhibition hall for the collection of exhibits and prizes on Monday DIRECTLY after the show between 8–10am and 3–7pm.
- Exhibits and prizes will not be released for collection without the Entry Confirmation Form being produced.
- Entries not collected within 14 days of the show will be disposed of unless alternative arrangements have been made.

Needlework

Class	Description	
12000	Piece of hardanger work	
12001	Counted work, other than tapestry, longstitch, cross stitch or hardanger	
12002	Article of embroidery using a variety of stitches (not less than 5)	
12003	Surface Stitchery	
12004	Any hand smocked garment	
12005	Any hand smocked article	
12006	Wool embroidered article	
12007	Candlewicking, any article	
12008	Cut Work	
12009	Ribbon Embroidery	
12010	Stump work - 3 dimensional	
12011	Hand appliqué	
12012	Embroidered article	
12013	Embroidery on painted or printed background (Hand and/or machine	
	embroidered)	
12014	Christmas Decoration (Hand and/or machine embroidered)	
12015	Embroidered Bag (Hand and/or machine embroidered)	
12016	Embroidered Cushion (Hand and/or machine embroidered)	
12017	Any article in needlework - NOVICE	
12018	Any article in needlework by a person 80 years and over	
12019	Any article in needlework by a person with a disability	
12020	Any other article in needlework not specified	
12021	In The Hoop ITH machine Embroidery Stuffed toy or dolls 5"x 7" or	
	smaller	
12022	In The Hoop ITH machine Embroidery Stuffed toys or dolls larger than	
	5" x 7"	
Lacema	Lacemaking- Open	
12023	Filet lace work	
12024	Handmade lace, cream or white	

12025	Handmade lace, coloured	
Lacema	Lacemaking - NOVICE	
12026	Filet lace work	
12027	Handmade lace, cream or white	
12028	Handmade lace, coloured	
Tatting		
12029	Any Article in Tatting	
BEST E	BEST EXHIBIT NEEDLEWORK, LACEMAKING, TATTING	
\$25 Kindly Donated by Embroiderers Guild of SA Inc. (Gawler Branch)		
12030	Machine embroidered article (Free Motion)	
12031	Computerised machine embroidered article	
12032	Machine appliqué article, less than 1m on any one side	
12033	Machine appliqué article, larger than 1m on any one side	
BEST EXHIBIT MACHINE EMBROIDERED/APPLIQUE		
\$20 Voucher Kindly Donated by Kornacraft Sewing Centre		

Dressmaking

Class	Description
12034	Adult Garment
12035	2-piece Outfit - Child
12036	Child's Garment
12037	Fancy Costume e.g. dancing, fairy, etc
BEST EXHIBIT DRESSMAKING	
\$25 Kindly Donated by Di Varney	

Tapestry & Cross Stitch

Class	Description	
12038	Tapestry picture worked on canvas	
12039	Longstitch	
12040	Cross Stitch, worked on Aida type fabric larger than 18" - Each stitch	
	Must be worked over a woven square.	
12041	Cross Stitch, worked on a linen or similar fabric - in which each stitch is worked over two or more threads, larger than 18" (45cm) on any one side, including frame.	
12042	Any article in Cross Stitch no larger than 18"	
12043	Any article in Black work, can include coloured threads.	
BEST E	BEST EXHIBIT TAPESTRY AND CROSS STITCH	
\$50 Voucher Donated by Totally Framed Gawler		

Hand Knitting

Class	Description
12044	Coat Hanger, knitted
12045	Any hand knitted article - Novice
12046	Tea Cosy, knitted
12047	Knitted Doll's outfit, securely mounted
12048	Knitted Baby Dress, Jacket or Jumper
12049	Knitted Baby's Booties or Shoettes 1 pair, wool
12050	Knitted Baby's Booties or Shoettes 1 pair, acrylic
12051	Knitted garment (Child's)
12052	Knitted socks, mittens, gloves
12053	Knitted hat or cap
12054	Knitted scarf
12055	Loom knitting, any article
12056	Knitted rug
12057	Knitted toy
12058	Knitted beadwork, any article
12059	Any article in knitting by a person 80 years of age and over
12060	Any article in knitting by a person with a disability
12061	Any article in knitting not specified
BEST E	XHIBIT HAND KNITTING
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Crochet

Class	Description
12062	Coat Hanger
12063	Coat Hanger by a person who has never won 1st prize in this class
12064	Tea Cosy
12065	Crochet Cloth, any size
12066	Crochet Doyley (23cm or less), white, cream or ecru (mounted)
12067	Crochet table mat, any colour
12068	Any Crochet article (cotton) not specified
12069	Crochet novelty or toy
12070	Crochet Rug (wool, acrylic or cotton) less than 140cm
12071	Crochet Rug (wool, acrylic or cotton) less than 140cm - NOVICE
12072	Crochet Rug (wool, acrylic or cotton) more than 140cm
12073	Crochet Rug (wool, acrylic or cotton) more than 140cm - NOVICE
12074	Crochet Baby's Shawl or blanket
12075	Crochet Baby's Shawl or blanket - NOVICE
12076	Crochet Baby wear to 2 years
12077	Crochet Baby's booties or shoettes (one pair)
12078	Crochet Baby Capsule Cover (approximate size 55cm x 55cm)
12079	Crochet Doll's outfit (securely mounted)
12080	Crochet Garment (adult)
12081	Crochet Garment (child)
12082	Crochet Scarf
12083	Any article in crochet, not specified
12084	Crochet one flower
12085	Crochet two or more flowers
12086	Crochet corner to corner article
12087	Granny's crochet square article
12088	Any article in crochet by a person over 80 years of age
12089	Any article in crochet by a person with a disability
12090	Article free form, Knitting and/or Crochet

BEST EXHIBIT CROCHET

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Machine Knitting Techniques

Class	Description
12091	Machine Knitting of/or including Fair Isle
12092	Machine Knitting of/or including Tuck or Slip Stitch
12093	Machine Knitting garment of/or featuring lace
12094	Machine Knitting with garter carriage
12095	Machine Knitting in weaving
12096	Garment or article with appliqué, embroidery or beads, trims, etc.

Machine Knitting

Class	Description	
12097	Garment or article by a person who has never won 1st prize in this	
	section	
12098	Garment or article by person 80 years of age and over	
12099	infant's set, at least 3 pieces	
12100	Baby wear to 2 years	
12101	Baby's Shawl or Blanket	
12102	Adult Garment, any technique	
12103	Child Garment, 2 – 10 years, any technique	
12104	Toy or Novelty	
12105	Doll Dressed in outfit	
12106	Household article	
12107	socks, mittens, or gloves	
12108	hat, scarf or cap	
BEST E	BEST EXHIBIT – WENDY SMITH MEMORIAL PRIZE - MACHINE KNITTING	
TECHNIQUES AND MACHINE KNITTING		

Juniors – Machine Knitting

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Class	Description
12109	Any Article or garment by person under 18 years

Juniors - 12 & Under

Class	Description
12110	Any knitted article
12111	Any crochet article
12112	Any article in cross-stitch
12113	Any article in needlework
12114	Bag
12115	Any article machine made
12116	Any garment machine made
12117	Toy
12118	Cushion
12119	Mother's Day or Father's Day Gift
HIGHEST AGGREGATE	
\$10 Kindly Donated by Heather Weatherald	

Juniors – 13 - 18

Class	Description
12120	Any knitted article
12121	Any crochet article
12122	Any article in cross-stitch
12123	Any article in needlework
12124	Bag
12125	Any article machine made
12126	Any garment machine made
12127	Any article appliquéd, by hand or machine
12128	Toy
12129	Cushion
12130	Mother's Day or Father's Day Gift
HIGHEST AGGREGATE	
\$10 Kindly Donated by Heather Weatherald	