

# Third Weekend in March

## West, Central Texas Ceramic Expo

### Competition Entries & Judging on Friday

#### Show Address:

Knights of Columbus Club  
2547 Jerry Mashek Dr.  
West, Tx.76691  
I-35 Exit 355 to Count Line Rd.

**Saturday 10-4 Sunday 11- 3**

#### Admission for Show:

Adults \$ 2.00  
Children \$ 1.00 Under 6 Free

#### Competition:

##### Entries & Judging on Friday

10.00 am to 6.00 pm

Competition is open to all ceramists

#### Entry fees:

Adults are \$2.00 per entry using a space  
not to exceed 12"x12"x12

Children age 3 to 12 \$1.00

A fee of \$0.50 to \$6.00 will be charged for all  
Additional space used for unusually large or  
difficult to handle pieces.

#### Entry Rules:

**Each entry is judged on it's own merit.** Entries  
must be the contestant's own work; created in  
the last 13 months. Entries have to be kiln fired.  
All pieces must be 80% Porcelain,  
Stoneware, Ceramic or Glass. Pieces that have  
received a Peggy or similar award are not  
eligible to be reentered. Dolls must be entered  
on stands. **WCTCE or any of it's workers, will  
not be held responsible for damage or loss  
of entries.** WCTCE reserves the right to refuse  
any piece deemed to be in bad taste.

#### Web Pages: Information

[www.westceramicshow.com](http://www.westceramicshow.com)

#### Entries Classifications:

**Masters:** Winner of 3 Major awards: Peggy, Best  
of Show, NCMA, ICA or etc. A degree  
in art, sells, works in a commercial art business or has  
authored a book on ceramic techniques.

**Professional:** Person who owns, operates  
teaches or has taught, is employed by a ceramic  
business or has a ceramic related tax number. **Once  
a professional always a Professional.** Your next  
Classification is Masters. Health problems & age  
could change your status to Golden Age or  
Handicapped.

**Hobbyist:** One not selling pieces or involved in a  
ceramic shop 3 Trophies you move up.

**Teen: Age 13 to 18** Eligible for Freddie or  
similar award.

**Children: Age 1 to 12:**

**Handicapped:** Disabled in such a way it is difficult  
to produce the entered piece.

**Veterans:** A person that is in the military;  
or has been discharged or retired.

**Golden Age: 65** years of age or older.

#### Award Ribbons:

First, Second, Third or Honorable Mention Ribbons  
are awarded to entries by the judges. Each entry is  
judged on it's own merit. Rosette Ribbon are awarded  
by judges to blue ribbon winners in each Div. Or Sub.  
Div.

Trophies are chosen from the Rosette Ribbon  
winners.

#### Award Trophies:

**Master:** Awarded to the most outstanding or  
creative entry in Masters, classification.

**Professionals:** Awarded to the most out-  
standing entry in Professionals.

**Hobbyist & Teens:** Awarded to the out-  
standing entries in Hobbyist & Teens.

**Decal:** Awarded to a piece using Decals that are  
correctly applied and fired.

**Porcelain:** Awarded to a blue ribbon entry.

**Clay: Division 5: Potter,** Awarded to the clay entry  
with the most promising creative design.

**Division 1- Porcelain**

- A. Dolls
  - 1. Figurine
    - a. Lace & fabric draped
    - b. Clown
    - c. Bisque
    - d. Miscellaneous
  - 2. Miniatures [under 10"]
    - a. Cloth body
    - b. Porcelain body
  - 3. Dolls [11" or over]
    - a. Cloth body
    - b. Porcelain body
- B. China painted  
[Commercial Blanks]
  - 1. Portraits
  - 2. Scenes
  - 3. Miniatures
  - 4. Misc.
- C. Decorated Porcelain
  - 1. China Paint
  - 2. Combination
  - 3. One Stroke
  - 4. Misc.

**Division 2- Ceramics**

- A. Decorated
  - 1. Stick-on handmade
  - 2. Mold Comb. [Cast]
  - 3. Brocade; Glazed raise
  - 4. Slip Trailing
  - 5. Glaze Inlay
  - 6. Miscellaneous
- B. Glaze
  - 1. Glaze 1 color only
  - 2. Art Glaze
  - 3. Glaze Blending  
[2 or more colors]
  - 4. Controlled Glazing  
[One firing only]
  - 5. Texture Glaze
  - 6. Majolica
  - 7. Crystal Glaze
  - 8. Combination  
[Glaze, Stain & etc.]
  - 9. Raku
  - 10. Misc.

**C. Overglaze**

- 1. Metallic fired  
[Gold, silver, or etc.]
- 2. Luster's & Pearls
- 3. China Painting
- 4. Overstrokes stroke
- 5. Misc.

**D. Decal fired**

- 1. Low Fire
- 2. Decal Layering
- 3. China Blanks
- 4. Misc.

**E. Underglaze**

- 1. Opaque
- 2. Translucent
- 3. Combination
- 4. Marbleizing
- 5. Air Brush
- 6. Airbrush comb.
- 7. Antiqued on Bisque
- 8. Polished Underglaze
- 9. Misc.

**F. Stains [unfired]**

- 1. Opaque
- 2. Translucent
- 3. Combination [1-2]
- 4. Metallics [unfired]
- 5. Airbrush
- 6. Textured
- 7. Pastels [chalk]
- 8. Dry Brush
- 9. Tole Painting
- 10. Combination  
[Stain, Glaze & etc.]
- 11. Miscellaneous

**G. Seasonal**

- 1. Christmas
  - a. Nativity [with a card table]
  - b. Special Groupings
  - c. Individual Pieces
- 2. Easter
- 3. Other Holidays
- 4. Miscellaneous

**Division 3-Ceramic Doll**

- A. Stuffed bodies
- B. All Ceramic
- C. Clowns
- D. Miscellaneous

**Div. 4 Work on Clay**

- A. Basso Relief
- B. Sgraffito & Incising
- C. Fret Work: Cut Out
- D. Clay Lift
- E. Carving
- F. Miscellaneous

**Division 5-Pottery & other Clay**

- Forms**
  - A. Slab
  - B. Coil
  - C. Pinch
  - D. Wheel
  - E. Poured
    - 1. Bisque
    - 2. Glaze
    - 3. Decorated
  - F. Sculpture
  - G. Low fire Clay
  - H. Miscellaneous

**Div. 6- Original in Thought**

- A. Unique [judged on Originality]
- B. Combination of Materials not used in other Div. Or Material Not Covered
- C. Mold Combination
- D. Original in Design
- E. Strictly Texas
- F. Miscellaneous

**Division: 7 - Glass**

- A. Sag
- B. Decal
- C. Decorated
- D. Luster
- E. Fired Glass Colors
- F. Miscellaneous

**Division 8 - Masters\*****Division 9- Children & Teen's \***

- A. Preschool up age 5
- B. Age 6 to 9
- C. Age 10 to 12
- D. Age 13 to 15
- E. Age 16 to 18

**Division 10 – Handicapped \***

- A. Adult
- B. Children

**Div. 11- Veterans \* Division****12 - Golden  
Age [65] up \*****Div. 13 Class or \* Seminar  
Work**

Judges will assign ribbons & choose a Rosette Ribbon winner. These entries are not eligible for Trophies.

**Div. 14 - Purchased Bisque \*****Divisions: 8 \* 9 \* 10 \*****\*11 \* 12 \* 13 \* 14 \*****Entry Categories:**

- 1. Glaze
- 2. Stain
- 3. Hand Built
- 4. Miscellaneous

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**Call or email if you  
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