



## ARTS & CRAFTS CONTEST APPLICATION & RULES

JAN. 30 - FEB. 1, 2026

### ARTS AND CRAFTS RULES

#### Contest Location

Hard Rock Grand Ballroom

1. All entries must have been made in the last 11 months.
2. Limit to only one entry per category.
3. No store bought items embellished or decorated.
4. Entries must be Seminole made.
5. **Deadline is Thursday, January 29, 2026 from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm in the Grand Ballroom.**
6. **Pick up entries will be Sunday, February 1, 2026 between noon to 5:00 pm in the Grand Ballroom.**  
The Culture Department is not responsible for entries not picked up.
7. Absolutely no late entries will be accepted.
8. Entries that do not comply with the rules will be disqualified.
9. All prizes are subject to taxation.
10. (Female ONLY) Seminole Dolls. Body and Head must be made of Palmetto Fiber.
11. (Female ONLY) Baskets. Height must be a minimum of 4". Basket bottoms must be made of palmetto fiber ONLY.  
No decorated and/or embellished store bought items. Baskets must be solely made of sweet grass, palmetto fiber, and embroidery thread. I.E. fabric bottoms, patchwork bottoms, beadwork, felt, modified sweet grass, and decorations.
12. (Male ONLY) Woodcarving. Traditional hand carved items. I.E. no leather, metal, bone, rope, etc.
13. Seminole Patchwork Design must be a minimum of 4 yards. Youth Age Category 10-17, Seminole Patchwork Design must be 2 yards and NO Rain patchwork design.
14. Beadwork: Adults entries no single strand necklaces and loom bracelets must be at least 5 beads wide (NO Medallions). No store bought items embellished or decorated.
15. Self Made Clothing with Patchwork: Entry entered must be self-made (**which means entry must have been sewn from start to finish by person entering contest**).  
IE: Patchwork to finished product. **\*The entry must be new and never worn\***
16. Entries entered into 2026 Tribal Fair Arts and Crafts cannot be used in 2026 clothing contest. Seminole Tribal Fair and Culture Department are not responsible for damaged, lost or stolen items.
17. Please note: One form per contestant for all entries submitted for Arts & Crafts Contest.
18. ANY PERSON BREAKING RULES WILL BE BANNED FOR 12 MONTHS FROM TRIBAL FAIR, INDIAN DAY, or ANY/ALL CONTESTS.

**ONLY ORIGINAL ARTIST WILL BE AUTHORIZED OR  
PERSON DESIGNATED BY THE ARTIST CAN PICKUP ENTRIES.**

Please read and sign if you understand all contest rules.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name of designated person \_\_\_\_\_

Questions please contact Hollywood Culture Department (954) 989-6840 Ext. 10524

# ARTS & CRAFTS APPLICATION

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CONTESTANT #: \_\_\_\_\_

## Arts & Crafts Contest 2026

### Ages Divisions:

10 – 17      18 – 32      33 – 45      46 – 59      60 & up

### Categories:

(Please write a brief description of your entry(s))

(Female ONLY) Seminole Doll \_\_\_\_\_

(Female ONLY) Basketry \_\_\_\_\_

(Male ONLY) Woodcarving \_\_\_\_\_

Seminole Patchwork Design \_\_\_\_\_

Beadwork \_\_\_\_\_

Seminole Clothing with Patchwork \_\_\_\_\_

### Application for Arts & Crafts

Name as Listed on Tribal Roll: \_\_\_\_\_

Tribal Member # \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Reservation: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

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