



**California State Fair  
Youth Art & Design Expo Newsletter  
January 11, 2010**



### Competition Information Now Available

What will you enter this year? The 2010 Youth Art & Design Expo competition information is now available online. Follow the links or go to [www.bigfun.org](http://www.bigfun.org) and click the "competitions" tab. The [Competition Handbook](#) contains all of the rules and requirements for the competition, a must-read item. The [Quick Reference Guide](#) gives you all of the divisions and dates at a glance. Entry Forms, fees and CDs are due before April 9, but it's never too early to start entering your creations!

Check out our new special contest, "**Scrap That!**" an adventure-themed scrapbook contest. Entries can be one or two, single-sided, 12"x12" pages. California is brimming with possibilities for adventure! Share yours with the rest of California. Details on pg 12 of the [Competition Handbook](#).

### Youth Art & Design Expo Goes Digital!

Submit your entries digitally. All entries (except for Fashion & Textile Show entries) must be photographed or scanned, and submitted as a digital image file for judging. Only selected entries will need to be delivered! See the 2010 Youth Art & Design Expo [Competition Handbook](#) for details and file requirements.

### Invite Your Friends!

Forward the following link to your friends, neighbors, family, colleagues and networks and invite them to submit their artwork and crafts this year.

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### 2010 Calendar

This calendar applies to the Fine Art Show, Crafts & Creative Hobbies Show, Media Show and Special Contests.

April 9	<b>Entry Deadline</b> (all <a href="#">forms</a> , fees and CD's must be received by the Entry Office)
April 14	<b>Signature Acquisition Forms Due</b> (if entering online)
April 21	<b>Judging Day</b>
May 14	<b>Shipped Selected Entries Due</b> (to be displayed during the fair)
May 15	<b>Drop Off Day for Selected Entries</b> (Expo Center #1, Enter Gate 12 at Ethan & Hurley <a href="#">map</a> )
July 14	<b>California State Fair Opens</b>
August 1	<b>California State Fair Closes</b>
August 7	<b>Pick Up Day for Selected Entries</b> (those displayed during the fair)

### 2010 Calendar for Fashion & Textile Show

This Calendar applies to the Fashion & Textile Show Only.

April 9	<b>Entry Deadline</b> (all forms, fees and sewing entries must be received by the Entry Office)
April 14	<b>Signature Acquisition Forms Due</b> (if entering online)
April 21	<b>Judging Day</b>
May 15	<b>Non-Selected Pick Up Day</b> (Expo Center #1, Enter Gate 12 at Ethan & Hurley <a href="#">map</a> )
July 14	<b>California State Fair Opens</b>
August 1	<b>California State Fair Closes</b>
August 7	<b>Pick Up Day for Selected Entries</b> (those displayed during the fair)

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