



Creative Fibre Canterbury Area Exhibition - 2026

15-27 September

Pūmanawa Gallery,

First floor, Boys' High, Worcester Boulevard

Conditions of Entry

Classes (for more details please see <https://www.creativefibre.org.nz/canterbury-area-exhibition-2026/>)

Selected Class: Entries for this will go through a selection process and are eligible for the sponsored awards. Exhibitors must be current members of Creative Fibre, Canterbury Area. Entry fees: \$10 (\$15 if not for sale).

Open Class: Entries into this class will NOT go through the formal selection process. There will be one People's Choice award, and weaving will be considered for the Oslay Weaving Award. One entry per exhibitor who must be a current member of Creative Fibre, Canterbury Area. Entry fee: \$5 (\$10 if not for sale).

Student Class: Entries into this class will NOT go through the formal selection process. One entry per exhibitor, who does NOT have to be a member of Creative Fibre but must be enrolled in an educational institution in Canterbury, New Zealand. Items will NOT be made available for sale at the exhibition. \$5 entry fee.

Entry Process

Entry forms and fees must be submitted by 24 August 2026. The completed items must be brought to Wool, Yarn Fibre, The Tannery Garlands Road, Christchurch between 31 August and 5 September 2026.

No late entries will be accepted.

The selection process for the Selected Class, and award judging will take place on 6 September. Only selected articles will be considered for most of the awards.

Articles which did not reach a standard to be selected may be collected from Wool Yarn Fibre from 7 -12 September, 10am-4pm. Entry fees will be refunded if your articles are not selected.

Unsold exhibits should be collected from the Pūmanawa Exhibition Space between 3 and 4pm on 27 September or from Wool Yarn Fibre at the Tannery from 29 September - 4 October, 10am -4pm.

Please read all the conditions for the class you enter at the url listed above.

Please enclose your entry in a clearly named cloth or plastic bag (ie not paper) and attach the packing slip (the last page of this form) to the outside of the bag.

Please pay your entry fees by internet banking (account name: NZSWWS; number: 02 0810 0086555 01-include Surname, CF member no. & 'Exhibition' as reference) and email your completed form to: creativefibrecanterbury@gmail.com by 24 August 2026. Forms may also be mailed to Catherine Jane, 102 Easterbrook Rd, RD 1, Kaiapoi 7691, but please allow plenty of time for the mail to be delivered before 24 August.

If you have any enquiries please contact the Exhibition Convenors, Catherine Jane, ph: 021 140 6893, email canterbury@creativefibre.org.nz, or Jo Woolhouse, ph: 021 259 0534, email: jowoolhouse67@gmail.com.

All care is taken but no responsibility. Any insurance is your responsibility.

Please make copies of all entry forms for your records.

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Creative Fibre Canterbury Area Exhibition Entry Form, Selected Class

There is no limit to the number of entries you can make. Just be aware that if several quite similar entries are submitted they may not all be selected.

Entry to the exhibition is a two-step process.

1. Please complete a separate form per entry and email to: creativefibrecanterbury@gmail.com by 24 August 2026. Late entry forms will not be accepted. See Conditions of Entry page above for postal options if needed.
2. Please complete a packing slip to send in with your entry. Work that differs significantly from the description on the entry form will be ineligible for the exhibition and returned.

Individual entry		Collaborative entry		If a collaborative entry, number of people involved. ALL must be CF members.	
Name(s)					
Address					
				Postcode	
Phone no.		Email			
CF Group (if applicable)		CF Membership No(s)			
First time exhibitor in the Canterbury Area Exhibition? (Y/N)					
Bank Account No. (for possible refunds)		Bank Account Name.			
Entry no (Number your entries if more than one eg 1/3, 2/3 etc)		No. pieces in entry (If your entry has multiple components)		Size (of garment or dimensions of piece including frame, if any)	
Is the item for sale? (Y/N) (If you used a commercial pattern, check it can be used for an article that is for sale)				Sale price (Whole \$, subject to 15% commission)	
Title (try to make this interesting and original)					
Description (use extra pages if required)					
Own Design ?		If no, please state design source			
Techniques (must have been executed by the entrant)		Woven Woven tapestry Knitted Crocheted Felted Art yarn Hand dyed Other (please state).....			
Fibre content (please enter % of fibres used, best estimate if exact % is unknown)					
Alpaca	Cotton	Flax	Linen	Mohair	Silk Synthetic
Naturally Coloured Fleece		Wool (breed if known)		Other (specify)	
TOTAL PAYMENT FOR ALL ENTRIES (\$10 per entry, \$15 if not-for-sale)					

I/we declare that I/we are financial members of Creative Fibre and that work submitted is the original work of the undersigned. I/we accept the conditions specified and give permission for images of the work to be used for publicity purposes.

Signature(s):

Date:

Creative Fibre Canterbury Area Exhibition Packing Slip

Complete **one** packing slip per entry. Please print clearly and enclose this form with your entry.

Take your entry to: Wool, Yarn & Fibre, The Tannery Garlands Road, Christchurch

Entries to be received between 31 August and 5 September 2026. Late entries will not be accepted.

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Name(s)				
Address				Postcode
Phone no.		Email		
Group		CF Membership No(s)		

Packaging and Presentation

- Please enclose your entry in a clearly named cloth or plastic bag (ie not paper).
A care label should be attached if the item is for sale. These can be purchased from Wool Yarn Fibre at the Tannery.
Wall hangings and rugs must have provision for hanging.
Exhibitors are responsible for their own insurance.

You may enclose more than one entry in your package but please enclose a separate named bag and packing slip for each entry. If your parcel does not contain the same number of items as your entry form, please include an explanation e.g. withdrawn or entry in a separate parcel.

Entry no (Number your entries if more than one eg 1/3, 2/3 etc)		No. pieces in entry (If your entry has multiple components)
Title		
Description Please fill in this box only if there is a change to the description on your entry form.		

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Checklist – have you?

- Complied with the Conditions of Entry and Packaging and Presentation requirements
- Emailed your entry form
- Paid your entry fee(s)
- Enclosed a Packing Slip with each entry
- Advised us if you have withdrawn an entry