

# HOBBY/LEGOS

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**HOBBY MISSION STATEMENT:** To produce the best possible Hobby exhibit at the Montana State Fair. The Model Show's goal is to promote the variety, skill, and creativity of model making. The LEGO Show's goal is to encourage thinking, building, and creativity using LEGOs or any other building toy, judging creations by individual merit.

## 2017 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(All activities listed will be in the Harvest Building unless otherwise noted)

Tuesday, July 4 -	9am – 4pm	Entry Office opens in Mercantile Building to accept
Friday, July 21	Mon – Fri	Hobby early entry forms and Hobby early entries.
Sunday, July 23	12-4pm	Model and LEGO entries accepted
Monday, July 24	4-7pm	Model and LEGO entries accepted
Tuesday, July 25	4-7pm	Model and LEGO entries accepted
Wednesday, July 26	4-7pm	Model and LEGO entries accepted
Thursday, July 27	1-5pm	Model and LEGO entries accepted
	6pm	Model and LEGO Judging: <i>Closed to the public</i>
Friday, July 28	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
Saturday, July 29	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
Sunday, July 30	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
Monday, July 31	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
Tuesday, August 1	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
Wednesday, August 2	12-5pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show entries accepted
	6:30pm	Model and LEGO Midweek Show Judging
Friday, August 4	4pm	Model and LEGO People's Choice Voting Closed
	5pm	LEGO Competitor's Choice Rosette Awarded
		Model and LEGO People's Choice Rosette Awarded
Daily, July 28 – Aug 5	12-6pm	LEGO Free Build
	12-10pm	Voting for Model and LEGO People's Choice
	2 – 5pm	Model Make and Take
	5:30pm	LEGO Daily Mystery Competition
	7:30pm to closing	Model Gaming Demonstration
Sunday, August 6	10am – 2pm	<b>Entries released in Model/Lego. Please make every effort to pick up your entries during this time frame. Unclaimed entries will be held at the Entry Office Mon thru Fri of the week following the fair.</b>

Every effort will be made to follow the above schedule but due to unforeseen circumstances the schedule is subject to change.

## **RULES & REGULATIONS**

1. All participants at Montana State Fair events are responsible for reading the GENERAL INFORMATION section of this handbook and complying with policies listed therein.
2. AGREEMENT TO ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS HEREIN STATED IS UNDERSTOOD WHEN THE EXHIBITOR SUBMITS THE ENTRY FORM.
3. All entrants must complete a W9 form at time of entry to receive any premiums. **(No premiums in Hobby.)**
4. The Montana State Fair Hobby Department accepts exhibits that are not pre-entered; exhibitors may bring entries and entry forms during entry acceptance times listed on the 2016 Schedule of Events.
5. **No entry fees in this department.**
6. No stamp, coin, insect or rock collections may be entered.
7. Number of entries will be limited to space available, determined by the Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent.
8. Exhibits should be brought to the Harvest Building at Montana State Fair, Great Falls, MT. Exhibits may be entered in person or by a representative of the entrant. Entrant or the representative is responsible for securing claim check(s). Exhibits will not be released without a claim check. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS.**
9. Exhibits for display only will be accepted any time during the fair, subject to space availability.
10. No exhibit, or part thereof, shall be entered in more than one class, category or division. The Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent reserve the right to determine the division and class an exhibit will be placed in. The right is reserved to reject any entry deemed unsuitable for exhibition and/or judging.
11. The State Fair, its employees, the Hobby Department, or its members shall not be held responsible for loss or damage to exhibits or any part thereof. Every precaution will be used in the care and handling of exhibits.
12. Exhibits awarded prizes, other than honorable mentions, are not eligible to compete for awards for two consecutive years. They may be exhibited for display only during the two year grace period and are encouraged to do so.
13. Entry forms must be completed in full. All entries submitted by exhibitors under 18 years **MUST HAVE** the signature of the parent or guardian. Youth entries must state age on entry form.
14. For purposes of this department, actual age of exhibitor on July 1 of competition year will determine the division he/she will compete in.
15. **ENTRIES MUST BE THE SOLE WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR(S).** Exhibits completed by more than one exhibitor are eligible only if all exhibitors are listed on the entry form. The Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent may classify dual exhibitor entries for display only.
16. Any entry not in compliance with the rules shall be disqualified from competition and may be removed from the display area.

### ***THANK YOU to HOBBY DEPARTMENT SPONSORS***

***Amazing Toys***

***Children's Museum of Montana***

***Downtown Dice & Games***

***Electric City Speedway***

***Hobbyland***

***The Popcorn Colonel***

***University of Great Falls Performing Arts***

***Daily demonstrations on model making, Model Gaming, LEGO creating, and robotics.***

*(See times listed daily in the Harvest Building.)*

## HOBBY SPECIAL AWARDS

### *Plaques will be awarded for the following:*

- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, JUNIOR – Exhibitor, ages 11 and under
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, INTERMEDIATE – Exhibitor, ages 12 - 18
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, SENIOR – Exhibitor, ages 19 – 59
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, GOLDEN AGE – Exhibitor, ages 60+
- MODEL GRAND CHAMPION MODEL
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, AUTOMOBILE
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, PINEWOOD
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, WARGAMING
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, MILITARY
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, SHIP
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, STRUCTURE
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, AIRCRAFT
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, FIGURE
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, JUDGE’S CHOICE

### *Special Rosettes will be awarded for the following:*

- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, SUPERINTENDANT’S CHOICE
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, PEOPLE’S CHOICE
- MODEL BEST OF SHOW, SPECIAL HOBBYIST EXHIBIT
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, GRAND CHALLENGE
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, PARENT AND CHILD EXHIBIT
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, SPECIAL HOBBYIST EXHIBIT
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, TELL-A-STORY
- LEGO JUDGE’S CHOICE
- LEGO SUPERINTENDENT’S CHOICE
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, LITTLE TYKE – Exhibitors ages 3 and under
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, SMALL FRY – Exhibitors ages 4-6
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, YOUTH A – Exhibitors ages 7 and 8
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, YOUTH B – Exhibitors ages 9 and 10
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, JUNIOR – Exhibitors ages 11-12
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, INTERMEDIATE – Exhibitors ages 13-18
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, SENIOR – Exhibitors, ages 19 - 49
- LEGO BEST OF SHOW, GOLDEN AGE - Exhibitors, ages 50+
- LEGO SHOW COMPETITOR’S CHOICE
- LEGO SHOW, PEOPLE’S CHOICE

**NOTE:** Only entries in the main **Model Show** and **LEGO Show** are eligible for Special Awards. (Entries received by Model Show and LEGO Show entry deadlines on Thursday, July 27, 2017.) The Model Midweek Show and the LEGO Midweek Show top winners are awarded blue, red, or white rosettes.

## DIVISIONS/CLASSES

### MODEL SHOW

#### REGULATIONS

1. All Hobby Show General Rules apply.
2. Entries will be judged on the basis of overall appearance, construction and finish.
3. All exhibits will be judged and prizes awarded on the merit of workmanship of the entry, regardless of the number of entries in each class. Prizes will be awarded at the judge's discretion.
4. Entries may be displayed on a simple base no more than 2 inches larger than the article exhibited. This base may be wood, glass, mirror, or may represent the surface the exhibit is used on (i.e. sand, asphalt, grass, etc.). Bases are displayed on a first come basis because of space limitations.
5. Entries may include a name of the creation on a 3x5 card. A brief description is encouraged.
6. Plaques will be awarded to the entries deemed Best of Show in their entered category. (List available in the Hobby Special Awards section.)
7. After Plaques are awarded, ribbons will be awarded to the next top three entries in each class. Honorable mention ribbons will be awarded as merited.
8. All judges' decisions are final. Judging of the Main Model Show is closed to the public. No club, exhibitor or families may be present during judging. The Model Midweek Show judging at 6:30pm on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 is open to the public. In both cases, only judges and Hobby Department staff are allowed in the judging area during the judging process. Approaching a judge before, during, or after the judging process to discuss scoring will result in disqualification and loss of any reward(s). After judging is complete, judges may be thanked by the competitors. Judges' names will be posted.
9. Entries brought in after 5:00pm on Thursday, July 27, 2017 and before 5:00pm Wednesday, August 2, 2017 will be entered into the Model Midweek Show. The Main Model Show Classes do not apply to the Model Midweek Show entries. The entries are judged together. The top three scores are awarded a Blue, Red, or White Rosette. Smaller ribbons will be awarded for the top three in each Division.
10. Entrants may enter both the Main Model Show and the Model Midweek Show. Pre-entry is not required for either show. (See 2017 Schedule of Events for entry times.)

#### DEFINITIONS:

**Box Stock (out of box):** This means the model has been built straight from parts that came in the box. No aftermarket items have been added and no alterations made. Paint, decals, foil and flocking can be added to kit.

**Conversion:** Any model that has been altered so that it bears little resemblance to an original kit. This includes resin conversions or aftermarket additions. Exhibitor must present picture of original kit along with entry.

**Scratch Built:** Any model that is not built from an established kit and/or does not contain more than 30% of a single kit in the whole model. The percentage may be computed by the total number of stock kit parts, overall non-kit materials or a combination of both.

**Dioramas:** A model or models displayed on a base that contains scenery or depicts action. Size limit is 36" X 18" or 24" X 24" overall dimensions. Because of limited space, dioramas will be accepted on a first come basis. When available space is used, dioramas may be rejected.

**Operational Models:** Any model that is motorized, functions under normal conditions (Ex. Creature that has limbs that move), or is enhanced by the competitor with movable functions (Ex. Adding internal lights for glowing eyes).

**Snap Built (out of box):** Any model built by snapping together the pieces that came in the snap model kit.

**Die Cast:** Must be a kit, not commercial. Die Cast models will be accepted (i.e. Franklin Mint). Must present the Die Cast instruction sheet with the entry.

**Doll House:** The Doll House must have been created and built by the exhibitor. Include sketches of the design and/or pictures of the creation process on something that can be propped up behind the entry. (Ex. Foam board)

**Shoe Box Habitat:** Any shoe box habitat created by the exhibitor. The habitat could belong to any creature, real or imaginary. (Examples: Shoe Box Fairy Garden, Shoe Box Gaming Room, Shoe Box Farm, etc.)

**Theater Model:** Any model depicting a set design for a theatrical production. The entry must be built by the exhibitor. Pictures of finished sets are not required to accompany the entry, however pictures are welcome.

## DIVISIONS:

- 1 SENIOR EXHIBITOR - ages 19 - 59
- 2 INTERMEDIATE EXHIBITOR - ages 12 thru 18
- 3 JUNIOR EXHIBITOR - ages 11 and under
- 4 ADULT/CHILD
- 5 GOLDEN AGE EXHIBITOR – 60+ years of age
- 6 SPECIAL HOBBYIST - Any person with specific problems, physical or mental handicaps, or nursing home residents. Special hobbyist may enter regular competition if they choose. Regular rules will apply.

## DIVISIONS 1-6

**PREMIUMS:** Plaques and Ribbons

## CLASSES:

### AUTOMOBILES

HB- ___ -1	Cars Custom	HB- ___ -7	NASCAR	HB- ___ -13	Snap Built
HB- ___ -2	Trucks (Commercial)	HB- ___ -8	Die Cast Kits (Div 2&3)	HB- ___ -14	Scratch Built
HB- ___ -3	Trucks (Other)	HB- ___ -9	Pine Wood	HB- ___ -15	Conversion
HB- ___ -4	Motorcycles - all types	HB- ___ -10	Circle Track	HB- ___ -16	Operational Model
HB- ___ -5	Box Stock	HB- ___ -11	Curbside	HB- ___ -17	Miscellaneous
HB- ___ -6	Drag	HB- ___ -12	Low rider		

### AIRCRAFT

HB- ___ -18	Military	HB- ___ -23	Snap Built
HB- ___ -19	Commercial	HB- ___ -24	Wargaming Aircraft
HB- ___ -20	Rockets, Missiles and Spacecrafts	HB- ___ -25	Conversion
HB- ___ -21	Helicopters	HB- ___ -26	Operational Model
HB- ___ -22	Experimental	HB- ___ -27	Miscellaneous

### MILITARY

HB- ___ -28	Armor	HB- ___ -31	Wargaming Army	HB- ___ -34	Miscellaneous
HB- ___ -29	Soft sided	HB- ___ -32	Conversion		
HB- ___ -30	Guns	HB- ___ -32	Operational Model		

### FIGURES

HB- ___ -35	Historical	HB- ___ -38	Sci-Fi	HB- ___ -41	Conversion
HB- ___ -36	Creatures	HB- ___ -39	Mini – less than 6”	HB- ___ -42	Operational Model
HB- ___ -37	Fantasy	HB- ___ -40	Gargantuan – 6” & up	HB- ___ -43	Miscellaneous

### SHIPS

HB- ___ -44	Military	HB- ___ -47	Wargaming Ship	HB- ___ -50	Operational Model
HB- ___ -45	Sailing	HB- ___ -48	Historical	HB- ___ -51	Miscellaneous
HB- ___ -46	Fantasy / Sci-Fi	HB- ___ -49	Conversion		

### STRUCTURES

HB- ___ -52	Dioramas	HB- ___ -56	Doll House
HB- ___ -53	Theater Models	HB- ___ -57	Shoe Box Habitat
HB- ___ -54	Historical Structures	HB- ___ -58	Miscellaneous
HB- ___ -55	Famous Structures		

### MODEL MIDWEEK SHOW

HB- \_\_\_ -59 Midweek Show (Classes do not apply to Midweek Show entries.)

## LEGO SHOW

### EXHIBITOR TIPS!

Read both hobby general rules and LEGO regulations carefully. Adhere to the rules and regulations to avoid reduction of awards by the judges.

Entrants may enter both the LEGO Show and the LEGO Midweek Show. Pre-entry is not required for either show. (See 2017 Schedule of Events for entry times.)

Entries brought in after 5:00pm on Thursday, July 27, 2017 and before 5:00pm Wednesday, August 2, 2017 will be entered into the LEGO Midweek Show. The Main LEGO Show Classes do not apply to the LEGO Midweek Show entries. The entries are judged together. The top three scores are awarded a Blue, Red, or White Rosette. Smaller ribbons will be awarded for the three top scoring entries for each Division.

**This competition is not limited to LEGOs.** Any building toy is allowed to be entered, so long as the entry is an original design, and **not from a kit.** (K'nex, Erector sets, Tinker toys, Lincoln logs for age 5 and under, etc.)

Ribbon placement is at the judge's discretion. Each item is judged individually, and the judges pick the best items to be eligible for the top awards (see Hobby Special Awards Section). The judge's/superintendent's choice are awarded on construction, interest, and creativity.

### Judges will be looking at many different things, including, but not limited to:

1. Technical difficulty, workmanship and structural soundness. Judges will take into account entrant's age when looking at the technical difficulty and workmanship. Items not structurally sound will be at risk of receiving a lower placement.
2. Creativity, originality, and overall appearance. Judges will be looking at how unique and original the entry is, as well as overall appearance (color matching, usage of mini-figures, etc.).
3. Mechanical ability. Judges will be testing any parts that look like they are intended to move.

***\*\*\*Be sure your creation is sturdy. Every effort is made to handle creations with care, but creations could be moved several times before judging and placing into the display cases after judging. Hobby Department staff cannot be responsible for mishaps due to weak construction, fallen and missing parts, or inaccurate reconstruction.\*\*\****

### REGULATIONS:

1. All Hobby Show General Rules apply.
2. NO out-of-box (kit) creations for LEGOs will be accepted. All exhibitors must design their own entries. Usage of kit elements (less than 25% of the overall design) is allowed but discouraged.
3. Entrants are limited to 1 large diorama and up to 3 smaller entries per year.
4. Size limit for ALL LEGO Show (including K'nex and other accepted building toy or robotic designs) is limited to a MAXIMUM OVERALL size of 24" wide x 30" length x 40" height. This limit includes a base that extends beyond the actual building design or design that extends beyond the base. LEGO Midweek Show entries are limited to 15" X 15" X 15". Mosaics intended to be displayed flat against a wall larger than the given dimensions will be considered (please contact the LEGO Assistant Superintendent for more information). This limit includes the base and any item sticking out over the base. Space is limited and entries are taken on a first come basis. When space is full, entries will no longer be accepted.
5. Entries may be displayed on a simple base. This base may be wood, sturdy plastic, mirror, or may represent the surface the exhibit is used on (i.e. sand, asphalt, grass, etc.). Additional scenery will result in the entry being classified as a diorama. Single unit (i.e. buildings) or diorama designs built on a LEGO base plate MUST be supported on an additional sturdy base for added stability since it will be moved. All constructions on any type of base must be securely fixed to the base.
6. Entrants cannot request special poses or arrangements for any entry. Judges test movement and sometimes remove smaller elements to better see the overall creation during the judging process. The Hobby Department staff reserves the right to display all entries in a way that best suits our space, the entry, and surrounding entries.
7. All exhibits will be judged and prizes awarded on the merit of workmanship of the entry, regardless of the number of entries in each class. Entries will be judged on merit and not compared to other entries. Taken into account are originality, creativity, technical difficulty, construction, mechanical ability, workmanship, structural soundness, and overall appearance. Prizes will be awarded at the judge's discretion.

8. All judges' decisions are final. The LEGO Show judging at 6pm on Thursday, July 27, 2017 is closed to the public. The LEGO Midweek Show judging at 6:30pm on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 is open to the public. In both cases, only judges and Hobby Department staff are allowed in the judging area during the judging process. Approaching a judge before, during, or after the judging process to discuss scoring will result in disqualification and loss of any reward(s). After judging is complete, judges may be thanked by the competitors. Judges' names will be posted.
9. Entrants may include a small card (no larger than 4"X 6") with the name and a brief description of the entry (the judges like these cards!). Entrants can also create a separate card (no larger than 4"X 6") with the name and age of the entrant to be displayed with the entry during fair, after judging.

#### **LEGO DEFINITIONS:**

**Dioramas:** A scenic representation integrating multiple elements to convey one main concept or theme.

**Robotics and MINDSTORMS:** A Robotic or MINDSTORM construction with moveable parts, programmed to perform specific functions (Ex. Opens a door, sort coins, waves hello, etc. and powered by an energy source such as a battery or solar. (Non-automated robot-looking figures are not robotic and are designated in the "figures" category.) Include a card (up to 5"x7") to describe the features and capabilities of your Robotic or Mindstorm creation.

**Tip:** Be sure batteries are fresh for judges to test your creation.

**Other Transportation:** Any type of transportation that is not a plane, automobile, or a ship. (Ex. Farm Equipment)

**LEGO Art:** Entries can be based on a famous art piece, a mosaic, an artistic creation of the competitor, etc.

**Tell-A-Story:** Each diorama entry in this category must be submitted with a mounted written story that is depicted by the LEGO entry. Imagination is a key element in both the built entry and the written story. A mounted, large font (legible from 2-3 feet away), 1-2 page (200-500 words), typed original story must accompany entries to classify as a Tell-A-Story. Remember the story will be read by the public from 2-3 feet away while the entry is on display. Mount the written story on a surface that can be propped up, or place it in a small-edged frame.

The judges take the entrant's age into consideration during the awarding of the Tell-A-Story rosette.

**Educational Display:** What do **YOU** want to teach other people? This category allows entrants to build something they find interesting out of LEGOs while educating the public on the chosen topic. A mounted, large font (legible from 2-3 feet away), 1 page (100-300 words), typed informational paper must accompany entries to classify as an Educational Display. The informational paper provides answers to the following questions (where applicable): Who? What? When? Where? How? Also, be sure to explain why the chosen topic is fascinating, important, and/or significant. Entrants can include mounted or framed pictures with the 1 page paper, however pictures are not required. (Ideas: A historical person, place, or event that changed the world; a favorite vacation spot; a scientific discovery or experiment; the history of a popular sport; a LEGO rendering of a famous artist's painting; ect. – educate us with your imagination!)

**2017 GRAND CHALLENGE: "Movies - LEGO Style!"** Pick your favorite scene or character from your favorite movie and build it out of LEGOs. (Ideas: recreate the "Sing" stage, build the main character, depict a significant scene from the movie, etc.) Each entry **must** be accompanied by a mounted, large font (legible from 2-3 feet away), 1 page (100 - 300 words) typed description of the entry. **The description must include; 1)** the title of the movie; **2)** list the awards the movie has earned and why you think the movie earned that award. If none, identify what award you think the movie should win and why ; **3)** a brief description of the movie plot (try not to spoil it); **4)** briefly explain the significance of the scene or character within the movie; **5)** share the reason you chose the scene or character; **6)** estimate how many times you have watched this movie; **7)** describe what you did to research facts about movie awards and how long you spent researching; and **8)** estimate how much time it took you to build your 2017 Grand Challenge entry. (*Do not have to follow the exact 1-8 order in the typed large font description.*) The writing portion of the entry may include pictures from the movie. Entries for the 2017 GRAND CHALLENGE must have an accompanying description with the required 8 elements. Entries without the required description will be moved to the entry appropriate category.

\*\*\*Age of exhibitor will strongly be taken into consideration when judging the writing portion.

**Adult and Child LEGO Division:** Competitors in this category must be a team consisting of one person over 18 and one or more people under the age of 18. Build anything you want! The child / children must do at least half of the work and design. The entry can be created using any building system.

## LEGO DIVISIONS:

- 7 **LITTLE TYKE** - ages 3 and under (DUPLOs allowed)
- 8 **SMALL FRY** - ages 4 – 6 (DUPLOs allowed)
- 9 **YOUTH A** - ages 7 and 8
- 10 **YOUTH B** - ages 9 and 10
- 11 **JUNIOR** - ages 11 and 12
- 12 **INTERMEDIATE** - ages 13-18
- 13 **SENIOR** - ages 19 - 49
- 14 **GOLDEN AGE** – ages 50+
- 15 **ADULT/CHILD** - Child and any adult over 18
- 16 **SPECIAL HOBBYIST** - Any person with specific problems, physical or mental handicaps, or nursing home residents. Special hobbyist may enter regular competition if they choose. Regular rules will apply.

## DIVISIONS 7-16

PREMIUMS: Generous Sponsors Provide Prizes for Winners of LEGO Special Awards

## LEGO CLASSES:

- HB- \_\_\_ -60 Planes
- HB- \_\_\_ -61 Automobiles
- HB- \_\_\_ -62 Ships
- HB- \_\_\_ -63 Other Transportation
- HB- \_\_\_ -64 Animals, People, and Figures
- HB- \_\_\_ -65 LEGO art
- HB- \_\_\_ -66 Small building or diorama (15" X 15" X 15" or smaller)
- HB- \_\_\_ -67 Large building or diorama (no larger than 15" X 32" X 40")
- HB- \_\_\_ -68 Robotics and MINDSTORMS
- HB- \_\_\_ -69 Adult and Child Building Challenge
- HB- \_\_\_ -70 Educational Display
- HB- \_\_\_ -71 2017 Grand Challenge - "Movies- LEGO Style!"
- HB- \_\_\_ -72 Tell-A-Story
- HB- \_\_\_ -73 Other Building Toy
- HB- \_\_\_ -74 Midweek Show (Classes do not apply to LEGO Midweek Show entries.)

## LEGO Daily Mystery Competitions

At 5:30pm each day of the Montana State Fair, there will be a LEGO Mystery Competition. The competition could include one of the following challenges:

**Adult and Child Build** - A team consisting of one person over 18 and one or more people under the age of 18. The team builds a LEGO creation that matches the mystery topic within a given amount of time. The child / children must do at least half of the work and design.

**Individual or Team Build** - One child or a team of children build a LEGO creation that matches the mystery topic within a given amount of time.

**Mini-Figure Searches** - Individuals or teams search in different locations around the Montana State Fair for LEGO mini-figures, trying to clock the fastest time for the search.

**Q&A Time** - Individuals or teams search the LEGO show to answer questions about the LEGO exhibit.

**Blind Build** - Individuals must create a LEGO structure, based on the Mystery topic, with their eyes closed.

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