



HOME & FAMILY CONTEST

2026 WATERTOWN WINTER FARM SHOW
FEBRUARY 11-14, 2026

The Watertown Winter Farm Show welcomes all ages to participate in the 2026 Home & Family Contests. A top prize will be awarded in the following four categories:

ADULT PHOTOGRAPHY • JUNIOR PHOTOGRAPHY • ADULT QUILT • JUNIOR QUILT

Home & Family Contest entries will be displayed throughout the Watertown Winter Farm Show, February 11-14, 2026, in the Park & Rec Fieldhouse.

RULES -

Contestants may enter up to three entries in each category. Entries should not have been exhibited at previous Watertown Winter Farm Shows. Exhibit tags must be attached to each entry and are available at the drop off locations. Entries are due February 6th, 2026, and may be dropped off at the Watertown Area Chamber of Commerce or the Codington County Extension Office (Entrance B at 1910 W Kemp Ave) from 9:00AM – 4:30PM, Monday through Friday. Release time for exhibits is 3:00PM – 4:00PM on Saturday, February 14, 2026. The Ag Committee is not responsible for breakage, loss of items, or unclaimed items. If you are unable to pick-up your entries, contact the Codington County Extension Complex to notify them and they will hold your items until February 25, 2026. Individuals who own and operate a business or receive remuneration for their work are not eligible to exhibit and are considered professionals.

DIVISIONS –

Junior division is for individuals 18 years of age and younger. Category winners will be notified and scheduled for a photo to be used in promotional media.

PHOTOGRAPHY -

Entries will be judged prior to the Watertown Winter Farm Show. Entries should be an 8" x 10" photo and may be color or black and white. Photos should be mounted on 10" x 14" or 11" x 14" core form of any color. Entries must have an exhibit tag attached.

QUILTS –

Entries will be displayed in the Magic Needlers Quilters Guild booth. The public will vote for their favorite quilt and a 'People's Choice' award will be given to the top quilt in both divisions. Quilts may be any size and may be hand or machine quilted. Entries must have an exhibit tag attached.