Mecklenburg County Senior Games

Tyvola Senior Center
2225 Tyvola Road
Charlotte, North Carolina 28210

980-314-1328
SeniorGames@MeckNC.gov
Mecklenburg County Senior Games
2022 ENTRY PACKET
For Athletes, Artists, Performers & Cheerleaders

ENTRY DEADLINE – MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 11

LOCAL GAMES
April 14 – June 11

Big Saturday
Marion Diehl Park
May 7
10 am to 2 pm

Silver Arts Awards
Tyvola Senior Center
May 7
3 to 4 pm

NEW! Celebration of Champions & Closing Party
Levine Senior Center
June 11, 6 to 8 pm

HOST AGENCIES & COORDINATING AGENCIES

Alexander Graham Middle School
   Bolero (Park 10 Lanes)
   Charlotte Motor Speedway
   First United Methodist Church
   Levine Senior Center
Matthews Parks, Recreation & Cultural Resources Dept

Mecklenburg Wildlife Club
   Monroe Country Club
   Pineville Park & Recreation
   Queens University
   Rack’em Pub & Billiards
   Southminster

Please Make Check or Money Order Payable to Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation

The Mecklenburg County Park & Recreation Department provides year-round health promotion and education for adults 50 years and better. Local Senior Games provide fun, fitness and fellowship for all skill levels.

The Mecklenburg County Park & Recreation Department is committed to creating a healthy and safe environment for all participants, staff and spectators. We request that every participant consult his or her doctor regarding preparation for, and competition in, Senior Games or any similar activity. To promote total health and physical fitness, events of longer duration and lower intensity are strongly recommended. High intensity types of activity are offered primarily for the conditioned, trained athlete.

This program is sanctioned by North Carolina Senior Games, Inc. NCSG, Inc. is sponsored statewide by the North Carolina Division of Aging and Adult Services.

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For more information visit the Senior Games link at www.parkandrec.com

Keep this page for your reference
ELIGIBILITY
To be eligible to participate in Senior Games you must be 50 years of age or better on or before December 31, 2022. A participant must be a North Carolina resident for a minimum of 3 consecutive months of the year. To participate in an official sport at State Finals you must be a 1, 2 or 3 place winner or 1-6 bowling place winner in that event from a sanctioned Local Games. To participate in the SilverStriders Fun Walk, you must have completed the Fun Walk at a Local Games. To participate in the Cheerleader Showcase or Performing Arts you or your group must have been chosen as a representative from your Local Game. To participate in SilverArts Heritage or Visual Showcase, you must be a 1, 2 or 3 place winner in that sub-category in a Local Game. To participate in the Literary Arts, you must be a 1st or 2nd place winner in a Literary sub-category in a Local Game to qualify. A participant may only submit one entry per sub-category.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

To participate in the Literary Arts, you must be a 1st or 2nd place winner in a Literary sub-category in a Local Game to qualify. A participant may only submit one entry per sub-category.

AGE CATEGORIES
Your age category is determined by your age on December 31, 2022. Men and women compete in separate categories in the following five-year increments: 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75-79, 80-84, 85-89, 90-94, 95-99, 100+. You must compete at the scheduled time with your age/sex category. In doubles competition, partners compete in the same age category of the younger partner. In team sports, the age category is determined by the age of the youngest player on the Local Games level. You must play or participate with the partner or team you qualified with, no exceptions!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION & PROCESS

BEFORE you submit your Entry Form please make sure you have:
1. Completed all applicable pages of the ENTRY form.
2. Check the ACTIVITIES in which you want to participate. For doubles and mixed doubles events, your partner’s name is required.
3. If you are a Literary, Visual or Heritage Artist or Performing Arts group leader, you must submit the required SILVERARTS INFORMATION pages too.
4. MCPR must receive your Entry Form by 4:00 PM March 11. Each individual, including both doubles partners and all team members, must submit a completed Entry Form with total payment to MCPRD by the deadline. There are no exceptions.
5. Your Personal Schedule will be mailed and/or emailed in late March/early April. It will contain starting times for your activities and all the Local Games details.

FEES & REFUNDS

As a participant, your Entry Fee helps cover charges for a 2022 Local Games t-shirt, insurance, EMT services, awards, facility rentals, officials and equipment for activities you choose to enter. Registration fees differ by category and county residence.

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*Additional fees for events with venue costs.

NEW --- SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION - Mecklenburg County Residents ONLY

NEW!! DEADLINE: Scholarship applications & registration packet: March 1st. Scholarships will be awarded to Senior Games participating individuals for the year in which they apply; payment amount paid directly to Mecklenburg Senior Games. Each scholarship awarded will not exceed amount of the general entry fee $25.00. Additional fees required with the application process will not be included and will be the responsibility of participant. Scholarships will be awarded while funds are available. To apply please visit a MCPR Rec or Senior Center, print application from www.parkandrec.com or call the MCPR Senior Games @ 980-314-1328.

RULES

A copy of the rules for all Senior Games events, local and State results are available at www.ncseniorgames.org

Any RAIN-OUT INFORMATION will be communicated directly to participants

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*Please note: check or credit card only at Levine Senior Center* |

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| Mecklenburg 2022 participants & up to three (3) family members invited!! **** Must include on registration form **** |

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You will receive your personal schedule prior to your event along with a map and address to each facility.

Keep this page for your reference
Please print clearly. Future correspondence will be sent to this address. First time participant? (Please circle) Yes No

REQUIRED INFORMATION*

First Name* ____________________________________________________________________________
Middle Initial _________________________________________________________________________
Last Name* ____________________________________________________________________________

Email Address-required* ___________________________________________________________________

Mailing Address* (PO Box or Street Address)

City* ____________________________________________________________________________
State* __________
Zip Code* __________
Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)* ______/_____/______

Age as of Dec. 31, 2022* __________________________
MALE or FEMALE* __________________________

T-Shirt Size*: (please circle) S M L XL XXL XXXL OR No t-shirt

Telephone Number including area code* ______/_____/__________ (please circle cell or home) cell or home

Emergency Contact*

Name* ____________________________________________________________________________
Relationship* _________________________________________________________________________
Phone* ______/_____/__________

Please provide this information to help us; it will be kept confidential. My ethnicity (please circle): Black/African American
Asian American Indian or Alaska Native White Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander Hispanic Unknown/Refuse

Check the activities below that you want to participate in:

ENTRY FEE REQUIRED FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS:

Mecklenburg County Resident Non-Mecklenburg County Resident

Regular Entry Fee @ Kick-Off Event January 28 $15 = $___________ $18 = $___________
Regular Entry Fee - Early Bird on or before February 18 $20 = $___________ $24 = $___________
Regular Entry Fee - Standard fee between Feb 19 thru March 11 $25 = $___________ $30 = $___________

OR

SilverArts Only @ Kick-Off Event January 28 $10 = $___________ $12 = $___________
SilverArts Only Early Bird on or before February 18 $15 = $___________ $18 = $___________
SilverArts Only Standard fee between Feb 19 thru March 11 $20 = $___________ $24 = $___________

Activities with an asterisk (*) will not be offered at State Finals. Activities with “N” are National SG Events.

SPORTS

Archery N (Limit one event per participant)

☐ Conv. Recurve Bare Bow  ☐ Conv. Recurve with Sight  ☐ Conv. Recurve with Sight and Release Aid
☐ Compound Bare Bow  ☐ Compound with Sight  ☐ Compound with Sight and Release Aid

Bowling N (includes lunch)

☐ Bowling - Singles __________________________________________________________________________________________________$20 = $___________
☐ Bowling - Doubles – Partner’s Name: _________________________________________________________________________________ $20 = $___________
☐ Bowling - Mixed Doubles – Partner’s Name ____________________________________________________________________________ $20 = $___________

Cycling N

☐ 1 Mile  ☐ 5K  ☐ 10K  ☐ 1 Mile  ☐ 5K  ☐ 10K  $10 = $___________

Open Events

☐ Basketball Shooting  ☐ Football Throw  ☐ SilverStriders Fun Walk  ☐ Softball Throw

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PAGE 1 Subtotal $___________

Everyone MUST submit this page
MECKLENBURG COUNTY SENIOR GAMES 2022 ENTRY FORM

Track & Field Events  N
☐ 50 M Dash  ☐ 200 M Dash  ☐ 800 M Run  ☐ 1500 M Race Walk  ☐ Powerwalk 5k
☐ 100 M Dash  ☐ 400 M Dash  ☐ 1500 M Run  ☐ Shot Put  ☐ Powerwalk 1500 M
☐ Running Long Jump  ☐ Standing Long Jump  ☐ 5K Race Walk  ☐ Discus

5K Run  ☐

Swimming Events  N (limit 6 events)
☐ 50 yd Freestyle  ☐ 50 yd Butterfly  ☐ 100 yd Butterfly  ☐ 200 yd Backstroke  ☐ 200 yd Freestyle
☐ 50 yd Breaststroke  ☐ 100 yd Breaststroke  ☐ 100 yd Freestyle  ☐ 200 yd Breaststroke  ☐ 200 Indiv. Medley
☐ 50 yd Backstroke  ☐ 100 yd Backstroke  ☐ 100 yd Ind. Medley  ☐ 200 yd Butterfly  ☐ 500 yd Freestyle

☐ Golf (includes lunch) ☐ .................................................................$45.00 = ___________

Tournament Sports
☐ Bocce  ☐ Billiards  ☐ Cornhole  N  ☐ Croquet  ☐ Horseshoes  ☐ Shuffleboard  N

Pickleball  N
☐ Singles  ☐ Doubles – Partner’s Name Required: __________________  ☐ Mixed Doubles Partner’s Name Required: __________________

Badminton  N
☐ Singles  ☐ Doubles – Partner’s Name Required: __________________  ☐ Mixed Doubles Partner’s Name Required: __________________

Tennis  N
☐ Singles  ☐ Doubles – Partner’s Name Required: __________________  ☐ Mixed Doubles Partner’s Name Required: __________________

Table Tennis  N
☐ Singles  ☐ Doubles – Partner’s Name Required: __________________  ☐ Mixed Doubles Partner’s Name Required: __________________

TEAM SPORTS (Please also fill out team sports section on page 7 if you are the team captain)
☐ Women’s Basketball  N – Team Name: ________________________________
☐ Men’s Basketball  N – Team Name: ________________________________
☐ Women’s Softball  N – Team Name: ________________________________
☐ Men’s Softball  N Team Name: ________________________________

SILVERARTS (Also required to fill out the SilverArts section)
☐ Heritage Arts (page 8)  ☐ Visual Arts (page 8)  ☐ Literary Arts (page 8)  ☐ Performing Arts (page 9 and page 7 if group leader)
☐ Cheerleading (page 9 and page 7 if group leader)

NEW!!! Celebration of Champions & Closing Party (June 11th 6-8pm Levine Senior Center 1050 Devore Lane, Matthews)
☐ NO  ☐ YES plus #____ guests (maximum 3)

Page 2 Subtotal $ ___________

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TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED $ ___________

Please Make Check or Money Order Payable to Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation. Do NOT send cash.

Mail Registration Forms and Fees to: Mecklenburg County Senior Games @ Tyvola Senior Center
2225 Tyvola Road, Charlotte, NC 28210

Or, stop by any MCPR Recreation or MCPR Senior Center to submit registration form and payment (cash, check or credit card).

Everyone MUST submit this page

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY SENIOR GAMES 2022
SENIOR GAMES PARTICIPANT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY
(Required for all Artists, Athletes, Performers and Cheerleaders)

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in 2022 Mecklenburg County Senior Games, all related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

1. I, THE UNDERSIGNED, for myself, my heirs, personal representative or assigns, do HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE AND DISCHARGE MECKLENBURG COUNTY, and its PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT (MCPRD), its agents, employees, officers, referees, and facilities from any and ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, ACTIONS, AND JUDGEMENTS, including attorney fees, which I may have, or claim to have, against the County or Parks and Recreation Department. FOR ALL PERSONAL INJURIES, AND ALL INJURIES TO PROPERTY, BOTH REAL AND PERSONAL, caused by, or arising out of participation in games, clinics, and tournaments sponsored functions by Mecklenburg County through MCPRD, its agents, employee and officers.

2. I HAVE NO PHYSICAL CONDITION THAT WOULD PREVENT ME FROM PARTICIPATING IN SENIOR GAMES sponsored by the County through MCPRD. I am in good health and physical condition. I FULLY UNDERSTAND the dangers involved in these types of activities, functions, competition and practice. I am VOLUNTARILY participating in Senior Games. I KNOWINGLY assume any and all risk, known or unknown to me, associated with my participation.

3. I understand that MCPRD RECOMMENDS ALL PARTICIPANTS TO HAVE HEALTH PHYSICAL OR CONSULT with medical practitioner if unsure of their participation in this type activity.

4. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH PARTICIPANT TO MAINTAIN HIS/HER OWN HEALTH AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE. MCPRD ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY IN THIS MATTER. MCPRD IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST, STOLEN OR DAMAGED PERSONAL PROPERTY.

5. COVID-19, the illness caused by “novel coronavirus”, is an extremely contagious virus that spreads easily through the air by coughing or sneezing, person-to-person contact including touching and shaking hands or through touching your nose, mouth, or eyes before washing your hands. The World Health Organization (WHO), The Center for Disease Control (CDC), and Federal, State and local health agencies recommend social distancing, mask wearing, vaccinations and smaller crowd sizes to limit or slow virus spread. COVID-19 complications may include severe illness, long term disabilities, worsening of existing chronic conditions or death. I UNDERSTAND that my participation in in MCPRD programs, such as Senior Games, or accessing Senior Games venues could increase risk of contracting COVIE-19. Mecklenburg County in no way warrants that COVID-19 exposure or infection will not occur through my participation in Senior Games.

6. This program adheres to all Federal, State and Local Health Department recommendation and guidelines. MCPRD reserves the right to adjust dates (cancel and/or delay activities) and/or revise program rules based on current and/or future recommendations from Health Department officials.

7. I give Mecklenburg County and MCPRD the right to use photographs or images with or without my name either separately or in conjunction with other persons or objects for presentations, advertising, publicity or promotions relating thereto.

8. I meet AGE AND RESIDENT eligibility requirements.

9. I understand that it is my responsibility to check with my Local Senior Games Coordinator immediately following my Local Senior Games to determine if I qualified for State Finals and to get a State Finals Entry Packet if I do not have internet access. My State Finals registration with payment and all required items must be received in the NCSG office in Raleigh by 11:59 pm on August 1st. I understand that this deadline is strictly enforced in fairness to all and it is my responsibility to make sure I am registered;

10. I authorize Mecklenburg County personnel and volunteers to use and/or disclose my emergency contact information to individuals providing first aid or medical assistance to me, including first responders and physicians, in the event that a medical emergency should arise while at a Mecklenburg County Senior Games event.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK ASSESSMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

THIS WAIVER MUST BE SIGNED AND DATED!

_______________________________  ___________________________  __/__/______
Printed Name                  Signature               Date Signed

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TEAM SPORTS INFORMATION

TEAM CAPTAINS SHOULD FILL OUT THIS SECTION.

- Each TEAM CAPTAIN is responsible to assure all their team members submit their personal registration form.
- NO ROSTER CHANGES will be allowed after the team has qualified for state finals.
- THE TEAM WILL PLAY in the age category of the YOUNGEST PLAYER on the team.

TEAM NAME: ______________________________________________________________________________

AGE CATEGORY: __________________________

TEAM CAPTAIN: _______________________________ TEAM CAPTAIN PHONE #: __________________

TEAM CAPTAIN EMAIL: ________________

TEAM MEMBERS: ___________________________________________________________________________
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PERFORMING ARTS GROUP INFORMATION

GROUP LEADERS complete and submit this section.

CONTACT PERSON is responsible for assuring all group members submit their personal registration form.

NEW!!! CONTACT PERSON is responsible to submit any music used for act by Wed June 1st 4pm @ Levine Senior Center 1050 Devore Lane, Matthews #704-846-4654

GROUP NAME: _____________________________________________________________________________

CATEGORY: _________________________________ GROUP LEADER: ______________________________

GROUP LEADER’S PHONE #: _______________________ EMAIL: _________________________________

GROUP MEMBERS: __________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
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SILVERARTS ENTRIES

Please read ALL SilverArts information & rules on Page 10 before completing this section. You must pick a sub-category for your artwork. Copy and complete additional pages as necessary. Visit our website at www.parkandrec.com for specific sub-category requirements for SilverArts.

First Name: _____________________________  Middle Initial:   Last Name: _____________________________

Phone #: ( ) ______-_______  Email: _____________________________

HERITAGE ARTS SUB-CATEGORIES (limit one entry per sub-category)

BASKET WEAVING, CHINA PAINTING, CROCHETING, RUGS (HOOKED/BRAIDED/WOVEN), JEWELRY, KNITTING, NEEDLEWORK, POTTERY (THROWN & HAND BUILT), QUILTING, STAINED GLASS, TATING & NEEDLELACE, TOLE/DECORATIVE PAINTING, WEAVING, WOODCARVING, WOODWORKING, WOODTURNING, CERAMICS (does not qualify to go to State Finals)

1. Title: __________________________________________________ Sub-Category: _________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

2. Title: __________________________________________________ Sub-Category: _________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

3. Title: __________________________________________________ Sub-Category: _________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

VISUAL ARTS SUB-CATEGORIES (limit one entry per sub-category)

ACRYLICS, DRAWINGS, MIXED MEDIA, OIL, PASTELS, FILM PHOTOGRAPHY, DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY, SCULPTURES, WATERCOLOR

1. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

2. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

3. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________
   Size _______X_______, weight ________, # of pieces ________

LITERARY ARTS SUB-CATEGORIES (limit one entry per sub-category)  Submit entries WITH registration packet.

ESSAYS (not autobiographical), LIFE EXPERIENCES (autobiographical), POEMS, SHORT STORIES (fiction)

1. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________

2. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________

3. Title: ________________________________ Sub-Category: ________________________________

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First Name: _________________________  Middle Initial:___  Last Name: __________________________  Phone #: (____) _________ - ___________  Email: _____________________________

*** COMPETITION: June 11th  @ Levine Senior Center  1050 Devore Lane, Matthews  # 704-846-4654 ***

PERFORMING ARTS (limit one entry per size of act in each sub-category)
Each member of the group must complete an Entry Form and pay the entry fee. All GROUP LEADERS and SOLO performers must complete the information below.

GROUP SIZE: SOLO, SMALL GROUP (2-4), LARGE GROUP (5 or more)  Circle one AND enter # below

SUB-CATEGORY: COMEDY/DRAMA, DANCE, INSTRUMENTAL, VOCAL, LINE DANCING Enter Below

Title of Act: ___________________________________________________________  # of performers: __________

GROUP SIZE: ____________________________  SUB-CATEGORY:_________________________

Length of Act: ________________ (3 min max)  Will use: Compact Disc/or mp3: Yes No (circle)
Minutes  Seconds

Title of Music (if used): _____________________________________________________

Accompanist: ____________________________(accompanist must be a registered participant and counts as a member of the act, unless only one performer)

Sound System needed: ___Yes ___No  # Microphones____(maximum of 3)  Piano: ___ Yes ___No

# of chairs needed on stage: _____  Other props/technical equipment being utilized: ________________________________

Contact Person: ____________________________  Contact Person’s Phone #: __________________

Brief Introduction Statement about Act: (Required)_____________________________________________________

CHEERLEADERS (limit one entry per size of act in each sub-category)
Each member of the group must complete an Entry Form and pay the entry fee. All GROUP LEADERS and SOLO performers must complete the information below.

NAME OF GROUP: ____________________________________________________________

NAME OF HEAD CHEERLEADER: ____________________________________________  PHONE # (____) _____ - ___________

GROUP SIZE: SMALL GROUP (2-4), MEDIUM GROUP (5-9), LARGE GROUP (10+)  circle one

Enter # of Cheerleaders: ____________________________

Length of Act: _________________ (4 min max)  Will use: Compact Disc/or mp3: Yes No (circle)
Minutes  Seconds

Title of Music (if used): _____________________________________________________

MUST submit music by Wed, June 1st 4 pm @ Levine Senior Center

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SilverArtists’ Liability Waiver

(Must be signed by all Heritage, Visual and Literary Artist)

As a heritage, visual and/or literary artist, I acknowledge, appreciate and agree that:

1. My entry is my original artwork created after I was 50 years of age, within the last two years and that this work has not been entered in prior SilverArts competitions.

2. My literary work must be submitted with my entry form by March 11th and may be included in a Literary SilverArts Booklet. I agree that I will receive no compensation for my piece being included in the Booklet.

3. I am responsible for submitting my Heritage and Visual Art pieces between 10 am and 4 pm, April 18 through April 22, 2022 to the Tyvola Senior Center located at 2225 Tyvola Road, Charlotte, NC (980-314-1320). Pieces will not be accepted after 4 pm April 22nd.

4. I am responsible to pick up all my SilverArts pieces no later than 3:30 pm on Monday, May 9th.

5. I will not hold Mecklenburg County and any of its representatives responsible for loss or damage of my pieces while in their care.

6. I understand that Mecklenburg County will NOT provide transportation of me or my SilverArts pieces to or from competition in the North Carolina State Games Finals.

7. When entering CERAMIC pieces in the Mecklenburg County Senior Games SilverArts competition, I understand that my entry will be judged only at the local level and will NOT qualify for NC State Games Finals.

_____________________________  ________________
Printed Name                  Signature

Date Signed: ______/_____/_________
1. SilverArts is a Senior Games program and must be promoted as such. It must be held locally between February 1 and June 15. If SilverArts is held separately from the sports competition, the SilverArtists should be included, and recognized, as a part of the Local Games: i.e., showcases, performances, awards ceremonies, special events, etc.

2. All persons entering SilverArts must be 50 years of age or better as of December 31, 2022 a N.C. resident for a minimum of 3 consecutive months of the year and must qualify through a Local Senior Games SilverArts program for State Finals.

3. A Local Game must offer at least half of the official categories and/or sub-categories. Additional categories and sub-categories not offered at State Finals may be offered by a Local Game, but winners should be informed that they will not qualify for State Finals.

4. An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals except in Performing Arts - an artist may only have one (1) entry per size of Act in each sub-category.

5. Each Local Games may send/submit a first and second place qualifier in each Literary Arts sub-category; one Act/entry in Performing Arts and Cheerleading to State Finals; and the first, second and third place qualifiers in each Heritage and Visual Arts sub-category unless the artist is the same person. A participant may only submit one entry per sub-category for State Finals. The Local Game may determine how to choose the Performing Act to represent their Game at State Finals.

6. NCSG will judge SilverArts at State Finals. Medals will be awarded in each sub-category in Visual, Literary, and Heritage Arts. Medals in Performing Arts will be awarded to solo, small group (2 - 4 performers), and large group (5 or more performers) in each sub-category. Medals in cheerleading will be awarded to small groups (2-4), medium groups (5-9) and large groups (10+).

7. The SilverArts entry/entries entered at State Finals must be the same entry/entries that won in the Local Games competition.

8. Entries must be the original work of the artist and must have been completed within 2 years of the Local Games’ qualifying date.

9. An art entry may only be entered in one (1) SilverArts sub-category at State Finals and Local Games.

10. Artists must not submit an entry if the piece/performance/entry has been showcased in the previous SilverArts Showcase at State Finals.

11. Art entry/entries incorrectly categorized by the artist, or not in compliance with NCSG Guidelines and Category Requirements, will not be considered in the judging process.

12. Local Games should include the NCSG SilverArts Guidelines and the Specific Category Requirements with/in the Local Games SilverArts Entry Form. A print-ready copy is in the SilverArts Manual, on the PPA and on the website.

13. The safety and sportsmanlike conduct of everyone is of paramount concern. Senior Games Officials have the authority to disqualify, and/or remove, from current and future NCSG programs, anyone who exhibits inappropriate behavior or a condition of medical concern. Falsifying information in the registration process will not be permitted and may result in disqualification from current and future Senior Games activities.
See SilverArts Guidelines for general requirements.

A. Heritage Arts

- Entries must be the work of the individual and not a group.
- Heritage Art entries must be an original work. Patterns may be used, but no stamped pieces will be accepted.
- Pottery must be hand built or thrown.
- Latch hook rugs and pieces from ceramic molds will not be accepted.
- All framed entries must be securely wired, ready to be hung (no serrated hooks or string). Two-dimensional work not properly and securely framed and wired will not be displayed.
- Framed entries can be no larger than 36” x 42”, including matting and frame.
- Entries can be no heavier than 50 pounds.
- All entries, except framed work, must be able to be displayed in an area 3'(W) x 3'(L) x 5’ (Height).
- Groupings (sets) shall have no more than 3 separate pieces per set. All objects within each piece of the set must be contained within or attached to one of the 3 pieces of the set.
- Artist’s name and title of entry must appear on, or be attached to, entry for identification.
- Artist must send a photo of entry with State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. Photos cannot be returned.
- Artists, or their representatives, are responsible to deliver and pick-up their entry at/during the designated times.
- The heritage arts entry entered at State Finals must be the same entry that won at the Local Games.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.

B. Visual Arts

- All artwork, except sculpture, must be framed (or gallery wrapped), securely wired, and ready to be hung (no serrated hooks or string). Artwork, except sculpture, not properly wired will not be displayed.
- Artwork, except sculpture, can be no larger than 36” x 42” including matting and frame.
- Entries can be no heavier than 50 pounds.
- Sculpture groupings (sets) may have no more than 3 pieces per grouping (set).
- Mixed media may be a freestanding piece.
- Freestanding entries must be able to be displayed in an area 3’(W) x 3’ (L) x 5’ (Height).
- Artists, or their representatives, are responsible to deliver and pick-up their entry at/during the designated times.
- If on-site assembly is required, details must be specified on the Information Form for NCSG prior approval.
- The art piece must be an original work, not a print.
- Artist’s name and title of entry must appear on, or be attached to, entry for identification.
- Artist must send a photograph of entry with State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. Photos cannot be returned.
- The visual arts entry entered at State Finals must be the same entry that won at the Local Games.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.
C. Literary Arts

- All entries must be typed, double-spaced, on 8-1/2’ x 11’ paper with minimum 1” margins. Minimum font size is 10-pt type (preferably “times new roman” or "arial").
- Poems can be no longer than 40 lines.
- Short stories, essays, and life experiences can be no longer than 8 pages.
- All entries must have a title page, which includes title of entry, sub-category, and name of artist.
- Artist's name must not appear on the content pages.
- A display-quality copy of the winning Literary Arts entries, and two (2) additional copies, should be submitted to NCSG by the artist with their official State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form. No framed or matted entries will be accepted.
- The original and all copies will be retained by NCSG.
- The literary arts entry entered at State Finals must be the same entry that won at the Local Games.
- An artist may only submit one (1) entry per sub-category at State Finals.
- Writers may be invited to read one or more Mecklenburg County Senior Games winning entries between Mecklenburg County Senior Games Performing Arts performances.

D. Performing Arts/Cheerleaders

- An artist may only have one (1) entry per size of act in each sub-category.
- Performing entries are limited to three (3) minutes of on-stage time; four (4) or less minutes for cheerleading groups. Exceeding the time limit will result in automatic disqualification. Timing is the performer’s responsibility and begins with the first note of music or the first movement visible to the audience and ends with the exit of the last performer from the stage or final movement of the act.
- Performing entries may be one of the following: soloists, small groups (2 - 4 performers), large groups (5 or more performers). Accompanist(s) will be counted to determine size of act, except when accompanying a solo player. No one under age 50 as of Dec. 31, 2022 will be permitted on stage and an accompanist must be a registered participant. Cheerleading groups are: small (2-4), medium (5-9), or large (10+).
- All performers for all acts must enter stage right and exit stage left or begin and end on the stage. See the SilverArts Manual for a stage diagram.
- If recorded music is used, it must be an mp3 file (submitted electronically or on a flash drive) or a high-quality CD. Music must be received with the State Finals Entry Form and SilverArts Information Form by NCSG by August 1st. No recorded instruction is permitted. This should be the only track on the CD/flash drive or electronic file. Music may be picked up following the performance. It cannot be mailed/returned.
- At State Finals, NCSG can provide the following items: chairs, microphone(s), piano and sound system. The act is responsible for all other props and equipment and must get NCSG advance approval for use at Show. Props must be small, few, light-weight and easy to set up quickly.
- Voice presentations must be a live performance by the artist. Background music can be recorded. Lip-synch is not permitted as a performing art.
- The Group Leader, who must be a participant, must complete the SilverArts Information Form for the group and submit it with their State Finals Entry Form and each member of the group must submit their own personal State Finals Entry Form by the August 1st deadline.
- The performance at State Finals must be the same performance that won at the Local Games; i.e. same song, dance, music, etc.
- No live animals are allowed, except for service animals.