

ANNUAL PREMIUM LIST
of the
**UNION AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL
SOCIETY, INC**
for 2024

List of Officers of the Society for 2024
Premiums, Rules of Entry, Etc.
For the Exhibition to be held at



Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday
Labor Day Weekend
August 30, 31, September 1, 2

The Blandford Fair is a non-profit agricultural organization. Fair funding is provided, in part by Massachusetts Cultural Council and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Agriculture Resources.

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The Massachusetts Agricultural Fairs Association*

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Sponsored by the

Union Agricultural and Horticulture Society, Inc.

With the Massachusetts Department of Food and Agriculture cooperating

Aug 30, 31, Sept 1, 2, 2024

ADMISSION:

Adult: \$10.00

Children 12 and under: FREE

Military / Senior: \$5.00

Parking on the Grounds: \$5.00

SPECIAL EVENTS

Friday Night

56th Annual Art Show
Midway
Bingo
Truck Pulls

Saturday

56th Annual Art Show
Midway
Youth Dairy and Sheep Show
Horse Show
Horse Drawing
Sheep and Beef Cattle Show

Sunday

56th Annual Art Show
Midway
Ox Drawing
Horse Show
Adult Dairy Cattle Show
Youth Goat Show

Monday

56th Annual Art Show
Car Show
Pedal Tractor Pull
Demolition Derby
Family Games

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General Information

- **Information available at Secretary's Office (first floor of Agricultural Building)**
- **Check with Secretary's Office for lost items**

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND RULES

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

All Entries must be made in legal given name to receive premium check.

Correct: Mary K. Smith; Incorrect Mrs. John J. Jones

GENERAL RULES ALL DEPARTMENTS

ALL Entries must be received by August 26th. No late entries will be accepted. Exhibitors enter through Gate 3.

- An exhibitor shall enter in given classes only and make only one entry in a given class. Livestock class may be excepted.
- A person shall not offer for exhibit any item not produced and/or prepared by themselves.
- An exhibitor who enters 10 or more items for exhibit, will receive a 1-day pass.
- The committee, judge, or fair management reserves the right to reject any and/or all exhibits they feel are not desirable, quality exhibits, as well as items not properly entered.
- Placement will be awarded on the basis of quality of exhibit and the decision of the judge will be final.
- All premiums will be paid by the Society. In case of inclement weather, or other uncontrollable conditions making it necessary, the Society will pay the balance of the premiums on a pro rata basis.
- A premium may be withheld altogether if, in the opinion of the Committee, the entry offered is not deserving of any premium.
- Youth exhibits are for boys and girls up to age 20 as of January 2nd of the current year.
- Youth may enter in adult classes ONLY if there are no classes in the Youth Hall
- The fair association will not be responsible for loss or damage of exhibits, or injury to animals or persons.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND RULES, CONTINUED

ADULT AND YOUTH EXHIBIT HALLS

Hall entries close Monday, August 26th.

Exhibits shall be received between 3 p.m. and 9 p.m. on Thursday, August 29th.

- Hall exhibits must be removed between 5pm and 7pm on Labor Day.
- No premiums will be paid on articles not classified.
- Grange exhibit spaces available measure 8 ft. x 3 ft. x 4 ft. high.
- New classes may be listed and judged, provided there are three or more entries, and at the discretion of the fair officials.

LIVESTOCK

Livestock classes close Monday, August 26th.

- Livestock must be owned by the exhibitor at least thirty days prior to the exhibition.
- Registration numbers of all purebred stock must be listed on entry blank, or certificate shown to Stock Superintendent.
- **Exhibitors removing animals or exhibits prior to 6pm, Labor Day will forfeit their premium money.**
- Animals and exhibitors that display disorderly conduct will be disqualified at the discretion of the superintendent.



The Blandford Fair Annual Art Show & Sale

**For more info, please visit our
website.**

www.theblandfordfair.com

This show is separate from the entries on pages 46-47 & 54

2024 MAFA State Photography Competition

The Massachusetts Agricultural Fair Association (MAFA) is hosting a statewide photography contest this year. The first-place winner from each member Fair will be judged at the Annual MAFA convention this November. The winning photos will be featured in one or more MAFA and MDAR publications. The winning photographers will receive special recognition and passes to many Massachusetts Fairs.

What does my member Fair need to do to take part in this contest?

- Each member Fair must publish the information and rules about this competition in their premium book.
- Each member Fair must submit one first place non-professional photo in adult and/or youth categories that meets the regulations for this contest by November 1st.
- Each Fair may either select their winner(s) from existing classes in their photography department or the Fair can create a new class specific to this contest.

Contest Rules & Regulations

- The photo must be exhibited in a MAFA member's 2024 Fair by a non-professional adult and/or junior exhibitor.
- The subject of the photo must be agricultural in nature and/or depicting the agricultural aspects of a Massachusetts Fair.
- The photo must be exhibited and judged to be the best overall photo that meets the subject criteria for this contest at the originating member Fair.
- Though photos may be exhibited at the Fair in a certain size, frame, etc., only an 8x10 un-matted and unframed photo will be judged at the convention. Therefore, winning photographers may need to resize and/or de-frame & de-matte the original exhibited piece before it is submitted to MAFA.
- The winning photograph will reproduce with the best quality if it is taken with a minimum of 300pdi, but this is not a requirement for submission.
- MAFA and MDAR have the right to use the winning photograph in publications promoting agriculture in the state of Massachusetts.

LIVESTOCK CLASSES

**ENTRIES MUST BE IN NO LATER
THEN MONDAY, AUGUST 26TH, 2024**

All stock must be tuberculin tested when entered
All stock must be in Stock Parade if requested

ANIMAL HEALTH REGULATIONS

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES/FAIRS

In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues (M.G.L. C. 129 §§14D, 14E, 44 and 330 CMR 4.03, 4.07, 16.03), all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance of the fair:

2024 Fair – Animal Health Rules

NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

A. General Rules for All Animals

- 1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry.**
- 2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL.**
- 3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.**
- 4. All livestock must have proper ID, official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag for goats and sheep, registration or microchip. For animals identified by microchip, readers must be available to the Inspectors.**

- 5. Health Certificates - All animals entering a Massachusetts fairground from out of state must be accompanied by a valid health certificate signed by an accredited veterinarian certifying that the animals are clinically free of infectious or contagious disease and exposure from such disease. Documents of health certification must be written on relevant state or federal health forms only. In-state animals may be accompanied by a certificate of examination on a veterinarian's letterhead stationery which clearly identifies the contact information for the veterinarian signing the certification. All animals on the certificate must be individually identified. Certificates written on plain paper are not acceptable. All Health Certificates must be dated January 1, 2024 or later. These documents will be accepted for the entire fair season in Massachusetts. These certificates must be available upon request to fair inspectors.**

6. *ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH SPECIES ARE LISTED BELOW.*

B. Cattle

- 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, cowpox and open or draining wounds.**
- 2. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all cattle be currently vaccinated for rabies.**

C. Poultry

- CI.** No poultry will be admitted to a fairground until it has been individually inspected.
- CII.** All poultry must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: infectious bronchitis, coryza, pullorum-typhoid, fowl-pox, external parasites and laryngotracheitis.
- CIII.** Each bird must be accompanied by written proof (ID card or test report) that the breeding flock was blood-tested negative for pullorum-typhoid within one year prior to entry date.
- CIV.** Birds from quarantined states will not be permitted entry.
- CV.** All birds over 16 weeks of age as of January 1, 2024 shall be individually leg banded with a state leg band. This includes out of state exhibitors.
- CVI.** No bird vaccinated for laryngotracheitis within thirty days of the fair will be admitted.

D. Goats

- 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals.**
- 2. All goats and kids presented, regardless of age, must be individually listed and identified on the health certificate. All goats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. All goats must also be free of sore mouth and scrapie exposure.**

3. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA approved individual identification tag, tattoo, or electronic implant consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information on approved tags, tattoos, and electronic implants is available from the USDA-APHIS office in Sutton, MA at 508-363-2290.

E. Camelids (Llamas, Alpacas, etc.)

1. **TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States** and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795).
2. All Camelids originating from outside the Commonwealth are required to be tested for Blue Tongue. Exception: Animals from a USDA declared "Low Incident State" are exempt. Note: New England and New York are low incident states.
3. All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds.

F. Swine

1. All swine must be identified by an official ear tag or registration.
2. Swine must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, mange and open or draining wounds.
3. No person shall import into Massachusetts from outside the state any swine which have been pseudorabies vaccinated. M.G.L. c. 129 §14E.
4. No person shall import into Massachusetts swine from Stage I or Stage II Pseudorabies States.
5. All swine shall originate from qualified pseudorabies-free herds or monitored herds in qualified pseudorabies free States only. The pseudorabies status of the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state.

G. Sheep

1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP) and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06, sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within the state must possess a USDA approved individual identification tag, tattoo, or electronic implant consistent with requirements of the FSEP. Information on approved tags, tattoos, and electronic implants is available from the USDA APHIS office in Sutton, MA at 508-363-2290.
2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which Soremouth has existed or in which Soremouth Vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days.
3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds.
4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies.

H. Equine

1. All equines entering a Massachusetts fairground must have a valid health certificate.
2. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: mange, ringworm, soring, strangles, and open or draining wounds.
3. All equines originating from within and outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative US- DA-approved ELA test (i.e., Coggins test or ELISA test) dated within twelve months of entry.
4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies, tetanus and EEE and WNV within one year of the fair.

I. Rabbits

1. Rabbits must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: snuffles, wet tail, skin, and ear infections.

J. Dogs and Cats

1. All dogs and cats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: kennel cough, distemper, hepatitis, parvo, ringworm and mange.
2. **All Massachusetts dogs and cats and those originating from out of this State must have a valid and current vaccination certificate for rabies.**

All petting zoos are required to have a USDA Exhibitor's License and valid health certificates.

CLASS 1 – Pure Bred Stock

ADULT DAIRY CATTLE TO BE JUDGED ON MONDAY AT 10:30 A.M.

- Department will be open to receive animals between 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.
- Ages figured from January 1 and July 1.
- Senior Yearling in milk, to be shown in 2-year-old class.
- In this class, under each number, premiums will be awarded to animals of the following breeds: Short Horns, Ayrshires, Jerseys, Holstein, Guernsey, and Brown Swiss.
- Changes must be in writing in the Secretary's office BEFORE you go in the ring- 9:30 a.m. deadline.
- Entries made in the show ring will not be honored by the Secretary. They will not receive Premium Money.
- All dairy animals must be registered in the exhibitor's name.
- Registration papers must be checked by the superintendent for animal ownership, date of ownership, breeder and breeding.
- No adults allowed in show ring or assisting on Youth Day.

Dairy Dress Code: Exhibitors must wear either slacks, skirts, or dresses in white or khaki. No shorts or bathing attire will be allowed. A solid durable shoe must be always worn. No sandals, clogs, sneakers or bare feet will be allowed. Exhibitors will be barred from show ring for non-compliance to dress code. Appropriate clothing must be worn for type as well as showmanship classes. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, breed, date of birth, name of sire and dam and name of exhibitor.

1.	Jr. Heifer Calf (3/1/24 - 5/31/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
2.	Int. Heifer Calf (9/1/23 - 2/28/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
3.	Sr. Heifer Calf (9/1/23 - 10/30/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
4.	Heifer Jr. Yearling (3/1/22 - 8/3/22) <i>(not in milk)</i>	\$16	\$14	\$12
5.	Heifer Sr. Yearling (9/1/22 - 2/28/23) <i>(not in milk)</i>	\$16	\$14	\$12
6.	Cows, 2 yrs. old, under 3	\$16	\$14	\$12
7.	Cows, 3 yrs. old, under 4	\$16	\$14	\$12
8.	Cows, 4 yrs. old, under 5	\$16	\$14	\$12
9.	Cows, 5 yrs. and older	\$16	\$14	\$12
10.	Produce of Dam <i>2 animals, any age, either sex, the produce of one cow. The dam must be named.</i>	\$16	\$14	\$12
11.	Dam Daughter <i>2 females, any age, one must be the daughter of the other. Must be owned by same exhibitor.</i>	\$16	\$14	\$12
12.	Best 3 females <i>Bred and owned by exhibitor.</i>	\$16	\$14	\$12
13.	Exhibitor's Herd <i>4 head, 1 cow over 3 yrs, 1 cow 2 yrs, 1 yr heifer, 1 heifer calf</i>	\$24	\$22	\$20
14.	Junior Champion <i>under 2 yrs, if in milk can be shown in 2yrs old class</i>	Ribbon		
15.	Senior Champion	Ribbon Only		
16.	Grand Champion	Ribbon Only		
17.	Herdsman Award	\$100	\$50	\$25 \$25

CLASS 1A – Beef

Beef cattle to be judged on Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

Pure Bred Beef judged on Sunday.

Youth Baby Beef, class 27, to be shown on Sunday.

In this class, under each number, premium will be awarded to animals of the following breeds: Angus, Devon, and Hereford.

Bulls (purebreds, open show only)

18.	Calf (1/1/24 - 6/1/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
19.	Yearling (1/1/23 - 12/31/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
20.	2-year-old (1/1/22 - 12/31/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
21.	3 years and older	\$16	\$14	\$12
22.	Junior Champion	Ribbon Only		
23.	Senior Champion	Ribbon Only		
24.	Grand Champion	Ribbon Only		

Females

25.	Junior Calf (3/2/24 - 6/1/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
26.	Senior Calf (1/1/24 - 3/1/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
27.	Junior Yearling (6/1/23 - 12/31/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
28.	Senior Yearling (1/1/23 - 5/31/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
29.	2-year-old	\$16	\$14	\$12
30.	3-year-old	\$16	\$14	\$12
31.	4-year-old	\$16	\$14	\$12
32.	5-year-old	\$16	\$14	\$12
33.	Junior Champion	Ribbon Only		
34.	Senior Champion	Ribbon Only		
35.	Grand Champion	Ribbon Only		
36.	Produce of Dam	\$16	\$14	\$12

2 animals, any age, either sex, the produce of one cow.

The dam must be named.

37.	Dam Daughter	\$16	\$14	\$12
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2 females, any age, one must be the daughter of the other. Must be owned by same exhibitor.

38.	Best 3 females	\$16	\$14	\$12
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Any age, bred and owned by exhibitor.

39.	Beef herd	\$16	\$14	\$12
	<i>Minimum of 3 animals, owned by exhibitor</i>			
40.	Herdsman Award	\$100	\$50	\$25 \$25

CLASS 1B – Market Beef

- All breeds showing together. Heifers and steers to be shown together unless entries warrant splitting.
- Dairy beef crosses may be shown separately from commercial beef crosses if the number of entries warrant.

41.	Beef (under 1 year)	\$15	\$13	\$11
42.	Beef (over 1 year)	\$15	\$12	\$11

Herdsman award

Awarded to the exhibitor who demonstrates that they are an expert herdsman and whose example is worthy of being emulated by all herdsmen. The following will be taken into consideration.

1. Orderliness and cleanliness of stalls and animals
2. Neat arrangement of equipment, feed and forage
3. Personal appearance of herdsman and helpers
4. Observance of all rules and regulations
5. Cooperation with officials in promoting the show and showings
6. Exhibit area decorated to show off the cattle to their advantage
7. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam, name of exhibitor and breed of animal.

CLASS 2- Sheep

Superintendent: Georgiana Springstube

Sheep will be shown on Sunday.

Department will be open to receive animals at 8:00 a.m.

Rules and Regulations - Please bring your book

1. Entries must be made on printed forms which will be provided by the fair management. In making entries the exhibitor must specify owner's name and address; class number for each class to be entered and flock and sheep association ear tag number.
2. Certificate of registry on all animals must be furnished to the fair management or superintendent on demand.

3. Age of animal will be figured as of September 1.
4. The breeds listed will share in the premiums listed. Cheviot, Corriedale, Dorset, Hampshire, Shropshire, Southdown, and Suffolk. Natural Color and Tunis will be allowed if 3 or more breeders make regular entries and sheep are present on show day.
5. Rams must be Purebred. Exhibitors may only show one yearling ram per breed.
6. Show Condition: all sheep must be properly fitted and blocked, or they may be disqualified by the fair management.
7. Each exhibitor is limited to the showing of not more than two breeds.
8. An exhibitor may enter and show as many animals as he wishes in single classes, limited to two premium awards in each class.
9. Animals shown in group classes must have shown in single classes.
10. In group classes exhibitors are limited to one entry.
11. Exhibitors will be responsible for their own feed and bedding.
12. The decision of the judges shall be final.
13. All sheep must be unloaded and penned before showing.
14. Sheep must be penned by 10 a.m. Sunday, September 1st
15. Judging will start at 10:30a.m,
16. Order of judging will be as the classes are listed in premium book.
17. Sheep will be discharged at 5 p.m.

Ewe and Ram Lambs are divided into Junior & Senior Divisions, age breaking dates are as follows: Jan.1 - Corriedales, Dorsets, Hampshires, Suffolks, any other breed; Feb. 1 - Southdowns; Feb. 15 - Shropshires; March 1 - Cheviots.

Sr. Lambs teeth - mouth can be broken but yearlings not in full use - rams & ewes.

OPEN CLASS

Class #	Description	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
45.	Yearling Ram (2-3 yrs)	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
46.	Sr. Ram Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
47.	Jr. Ram Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
48.	Pair Ram Lambs	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
	Champion Ram	Ribbon Only				
49.	Yearling Ewe (1 -2 yrs.)	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
50.	Pair Yearling Ewes	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
51.	Sr. Ewe Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
52.	Jr. Ewe Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
53.	Pair Ewe Lambs	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4

	Champion Ewe	Ribbon Only			
54.	Get of Sire	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7
	<i>4 animals, both sexes to be represented, get of same sire</i>				
55.	Produce of Dam – 2 animals	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7
56.	Exhibitors flock	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7
	<i>2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs, 1 Ram any age</i>				
57.	Breeders Young Flock	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7
	<i>1 Ram Yearling or Lamb, 2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs bred and owned by exhibitor</i>				
58.	Market Lamb	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7
	<i>3 classes, heavy, medium, light</i>				
59.	Breed Champion	Ribbon			
60.	Shepherd's Award	\$75	\$40		
62.	Best of Show Ram	\$25			
63.	Best of Show Ewe	\$25			

Shepherd's Award

Award to the exhibitor who demonstrates that they are an expert shepherd and whose example is worthy of being emulated by all shepherds, the following will be taken into consideration.

1. Orderliness and cleanliness of stalls and animals
2. Neat arrangement of equipment and feed and forage
3. Personal appearance of shepherd and helpers
4. Observance of all rules and regulations
5. Cooperation with officials in promoting the show and showings
6. Exhibits are decorated to show off the lambs to their advantage
7. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam, name of exhibitor and breed of animal.

GOAT SHOW

LABOR DAY – SEPTEMBER 4, 2024

Judging 10:00 a.m.

Show Secretary: Melissa Ferguson – 155 Lake Street, Coventry, CT 06238

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ADGA Sanctioned Combined Doe Show

This show is sanctioned by the American Dairy Goat Association and their rules govern. The show is sanctioned for Alpine, LaMancha, Nigerian Dwarf, Nubian, Oberhasli, Saanen, Toggenburg and Recorded Grade. This show is not separately sanctioned for juniors and seniors. All entries must be postmarked August 30th, 2024. Advance entry fee is \$5.00 per animal. **Late entry fee after August 30th is \$8.00 per animal. Make checks out to Melissa Ferguson. Day of entries or substitutions must be at the Secretary's table by 9:00 a.m.**

The base date for computing age of an animal is September 2, 2024. The original registration certificate is required for each animal over 6 months of age or older and must be shown to the Show Secretary before the show. Duplicate applications stamped by ADGA will be accepted for animals under 6 months of age. Animals may be shown with a signed transfer of the certificate. No copies, telegrams, or phone calls will be accepted in lieu of the above requirements.

All animals must be accompanied by a valid health certificate signed by an accredited veterinarian certifying that the animals are clinically free of infections or contagious disease and exposure from such diseases. These certificates must be dated January 1, 2024 or later. These documents will be accepted the entire fair season in Massachusetts. All animals must be free of sore mouth and scrapie exposure.

Judging begins promptly at 10:00 a.m. Animals must be in place by 9:00 a.m. Classes close once judging begins. No preshow milk out. Please wear white or khaki show wear. ADGA Grand Champions or Best of Breed winners must stay to compete for the Best of Show or forfeit its leg. Judge's decision will be final, and premiums will be awarded accordingly. The show Committee reserves the right to interpret and amend the show rules. The Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society of Blandford cannot be held responsible for loss, damage or accident to any person, animal, or property at the fairgrounds. All animals entered at the owner's risk. Animals must be on the grounds from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. or end of show. For show entry form contact the Show Secretary Melissa Ferguson.

ORDER OF CLASSES

CLASS 3 – Showmanship Classes

Class #	Description	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
65.	Cloverbud (up to 6 yrs)	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
66.	Novice (ages 7-9 yrs)	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
67.	Junior (ages 10-14 yrs)	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5
68.	Senior (ages 15-18 yrs)	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5

SHOWMANSHIP CLASSES: A child must have entered in another class other than showmanship classes in order to show in showmanship.

Breeds will show in the following order: Nigerian Dwarf, Toggenburg, Recorded Grades, Oberhasli, LaMancha, Saanen, Alpine, Nubian.

CLASS 4 – Dry, Milking and Groups

Dry Classes

Class #	TOG	RGR	OBE	LAM	SAA	ALP	NIG	NUB			
69. Under 3mo.	101	111	121	131	141	151	161	171	\$8	\$7	\$6
70. 3mo. & under 6mo.	102	112	122	132	142	152	162	172	\$8	\$7	\$6
71. 6mo. & under 12 mo.	103	113	123	133	143	153	163	173	\$8	\$7	\$6
72. 12mo. & under 24mo.	104	114	124	134	144	154	164	174	\$8	\$7	\$6

Junior Champion

Reserve Junior Champion

Milking Classes

Class #	TOG	RGR	OBE	LAM	SAA	ALP	NIG	NUB			
73. Under 2 yr.	201	211	221	231	241	251	261	271	\$8	\$7	\$6
74. 2 yr. & under 3 yr.	202	212	222	232	242	252	262	272	\$8	\$7	\$6
75. 3 yr. & under 4 yr.	203	213	223	233	243	253	263	273	\$8	\$7	\$6
76. 4 yr. & over	204	214	224	234	244	254	264	274	\$8	\$7	\$6
77. 5 yr. & over	205	215	225	235	245	255	265	275	\$8	\$7	\$6

Senior Champion

Reserve Senior Champion

ADGA Grand Champion

ADGA Reserve Grand Champion

Champion Challenge 206 216 226 236 246 256 266 276 \$8 \$7 \$6

Best Udder picked by judge by class, compete by breed

Group Classes

78. Dam & Daughter	207	217	227	237	247	257	267	277	\$9	\$8	\$7
79. Produce of Dam	208	218	228	238	248	258	268	278	\$9	\$8	\$7
80. Get of Sire	209	219	229	239	249	259	269	279	\$9	\$8	\$7
81. Herd	210	220	230	240	240	250	270	280	\$9	\$8	\$7
Herdsmanship <i>Each exhibitor assigned a number at registration</i>									\$50	\$40	\$30
Best Doe in Show									\$10		
Best Udder in Show <i>All breeds best udder winners competing</i>									\$10		

GROUP CLASS NOTES: Animals entered in Junior Show are eligible to enter Group Classes. Produce of Dam consists of two does out of the same dam. Get of Sire is three does, same sire at least one in milk. Herd is made up of animals from one exhibitor, four does, at least two in milk. Herdsmanship is based on cooperation of the exhibitor, promotion of agriculture, barn activities, signs, banners and appearance of exhibit.

DRAWING CLASSES

RULES GOVERNING DRAWING CONTESTS

For Horses and Oxen

All draft animals: horses, oxen and ponies must be weighed on the scales, located in the Shepard Scale House.

Horse pulling, ox pulling and pony pulling contests will be governed by the rules of the Division of Fairs.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF FOOD & AGRICULTURE RULES AND REGULATIONS Rule 36A

Any individual, firm or corporation found guilty of administering drugs which may affect the conduct, actions, endurance, strength, speed or performance of any animal competing in any pulling competition within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shall be barred from any pulling competition for the next calendar year. Second offenders shall be punished by forfeiture of prize monies and the individual, firm or corporation shall be barred for life in any pulling competition held in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

CLASS 9B - Horses

Saturday August 31, 2024

All entries to be weighed one hour prior to showing.

Premiums: The number of places paid depends on the number of teams competing.

For example, if only 4 teams pull, only 4 places will be awarded.

136. By Horses and Mules, \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
3,050 lbs. & under
137. By Horses and Mules, \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
3,351 & under
138. By Horses and Mules, \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
over 3,351 lbs.

CLASS 10 – Oxen

Sunday, September 1, 2024

All entries to be weighed between 8 and 12 p.m.

Premiums: The number of places paid depends on the number of teams competing.

For example, if only 4 teams pull, only 4 places will be awarded.

139. By oxen \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
2,500 lbs. & under
140. By oxen \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
2,501 to 2,900 lbs
141. By oxen \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
2,901 to 3,300 lbs
142. By oxen \$150 \$120 \$110 \$100 \$90 \$80 \$70 \$60
3,301 & over

CLASS 10A - Junior Oxen

Juniors are to be between the ages 10 - 16.

\$20.00 will be awarded for every team over 5th place.

143. By oxen, 1,600 lbs. & under \$50 \$45 \$40 \$35 \$30

ENTRY BLANK

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TO BE USED FOR ALL DIVISIONS AND CLASSES

Entry Blanks must be in the hands of the Secretary not later than AUGUST 26th.

To: Mrs. Brenda Blood, Secretary of the Union Agricultural Society
2 Beagle Club Road, Blandford, MA 01008

All entries must be made in given name to receive premium check.

Correct: Mary E. Smith; Incorrect: Mrs. John Smith

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____ Age (Youth) _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Email: _____

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PREMIUMS IN HALL

HALL THEME: Halloween

Superintendent: Kim Blanchette
Judged on Friday 9:00 a.m.

Entry blanks must be in the hands of the Secretary by 5:00 p.m. on August 26th.
No late entries accepted.

Exhibitors may make only one entry in a given class except as specified in Horticulture.

Exhibits must be in place by 9:00 p.m. the Thursday before the fair.

Hall exhibits must be removed between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Labor Day

Hall open Thursday afternoon to exhibitors only. Hall closed during judging.

Exhibitors removing animals or exhibits prior to 6pm, Labor Day will forfeit their premium money.

CLASS 12 - Hay - Grains - Seeds

For the hay classes only, there are two cuttings:

A - for first cutting; B - for second cutting

145. Flint corn, 10 ears 8 row yellow	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
146. Flint corn, 10 ears row white	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
147. Dent corn, 10 ears 85 to 100 days maturity	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
148. Sweet corn, 5 ears dry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
149. Timothy - bale not to exceed an excess of 10% other grasses	\$6	\$4	\$3
150. Alfalfa- at least 90%	\$6	\$4	\$3
151. Mixed hay - grasses and legumes in any comb.	\$6	\$4	\$3
152. Ensilage corn, 5 stalks	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
153. Collection Vegetable Garden Seeds; six different kinds	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
154. Scarecrow (<i>Ready for mounting to post, Max. height 6 feet.</i>)	\$10	\$8	\$6

CLASS 13 - Horticulture

All fruit must be grown, selected and arranged by exhibitor.

All entries must be labeled with the name of the variety.

Bud sports, such as Starking, Richared, Red Gravenstein, Red Spy, etc., will be classed with the parent variety of judging.

The exhibitor may make only one entry of same variety in a given class except in a case of 49 apples where different varieties may be exhibited by the same exhibitor.

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|---|------|--------|------|
| 158. 49 Mac, Wealthy, Cortland, Gravenstein, Baldwins,
Delicious, Spy, Macoun, Early Macintosh,
Golden Delicious, Greenings | \$20 | \$15 | \$12 |
| 159. For the following named varieties: Early Mcintosh,
Golden Delicious, Greenings, Oldenberg, Baldwin,
Spy, Macoun, Cortland; 5 specimens | \$4 | \$3.50 | \$3 |
| 160. Any other standard variety of sufficiently matured
at time of fair, all varieties competing together except
when there are 3 of any one variety; in such case
they will be judged together. 5 specimens | \$4 | \$3.50 | \$3 |
| 161. Collection of 4 plates, 5 of each variety | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |

Crab Apples

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| 162. 10 specimens constitute a plate; all varieties competing | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |
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Pears

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| 163. Bartlett, Sheldon, Clapp Favorite, Sickle; 5 specimens | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |
| 164. Any other matured variety, all varieties competing;
5 specimens | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |

Plums

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| 165. Damson, Bradshaw, Burbank, Green Gage, Yellow Egg;
10 specimens | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |
| 166. Any other matured variety, all varieties competing;
10 specimens | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |

Grapes

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| 167. Three bunches of each variety; Concord, Niagra, Moore Early, Worden
and any other properly named matured variety | \$8 | \$7 | \$6 |
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Peaches

168. Five specimens constitute a plate: matured varieties of Sarmen, Champion, Belle of Georgia, Elberta, Golden Jubilee, Hale \$8 \$7 \$6

Nectarines

169. Five specimens to a plate \$8 \$7 \$6

Quinces

170. Five specimens to a plate: Champion Oranges or any names variety all competing together \$8 \$7 \$6

Fruit Collection

171. Collection of at least 5 kinds of fruit in a chopping basket or other suitable container \$12 \$10 \$9

Berries

172. 1 Pint \$8 \$7 \$6

SCORECARD: Fruit Collection	
Quality	50%
Arrangement	30%
Utility Value	10%
Number of Kinds	10%

CLASS 14 - Vegetables

All vegetables must be grown, selected and arranged by exhibitors.

SCORECARD: Garden Display	
1. Quality 50%	3. Utility Value..... 10%
2. Arrangement 30%	4. Number of Kinds 10%
SCORECARD: Farm Products	
1. Quality 50%	2. General Effect 30%
a. Produce	a. Neatness
b. Flowers	b. Arrangement
c. Foods	c. Scale
d. Crafts	d. Balance
	3. Variety 20%

175. Display of Garden Vegetables: 12 sq ft	\$50	\$40	\$35	\$25	\$20	\$15
176. Display of Farm Products, 15 sq ft	\$75	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35	\$25
177. Educational Display, 9 sq ft				\$30	\$25	\$20
178. 5 Green Mt. Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
179. 5 Cobbler Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
180. 5 Chippewa Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
181. 5 Katahdin Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
182. 5 Baking Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
183. 5 Red Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
184. 12 Green Mt. Potatoes				\$5	\$4	\$3
185. 12 Cobbler Potatoes				\$5	\$4	\$3
186. 12 Chippewa Potatoes				\$5	\$4	\$3
187. 12 Katahdin Potatoes				\$5	\$4	\$3
188. 12 Red Potatoes				\$5	\$4	\$3
189. 5 Red Tomatoes (no stems)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
190. 5 Green Tomatoes (stems)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
191. 10 Cherry Tomatoes (no stems)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
192. 5 White Onions (do not peel)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
193. 5 Yellow Onions (do not peel)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
194. 5 Frying Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
195. 5 Green Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
196. 5 Hot Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
197. 5 Cherry Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
198. 5 Peppers other than green				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
199. 5 Beets, 1 inch stem				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
200. 5 Turnips				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
201. 5 Carrots, short - up to 6 inches				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
202. 5 Carrots, long - over 6 inches				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
203. 5 Parsnips without tops				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
204. 10 Pickling Cucumbers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
205. 15 Pods Lima Beans				\$4	\$3.50	\$3

206. 15 Pods Bush Hort. Shell Beans	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
207. 15 Pods Wax Beans	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
208. 15 Pods Green Beans	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
209. 5 Ears Sweet Corn	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
210. 2 Summer Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
211. 2 Zucchini	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
212. 2 Butternut Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
213. 2 Des Moines Squash (Acorn Squash)	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
214. 2 Cushaw Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
215. 2 Buttercup Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
216. 2 Rutabaga	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
217. 3 Cucumbers	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
218. 2 Blue Hubbard Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
219. 2 Golden Hubbard Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
220. 2 Green Hubbard Squash	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
221. 2 Eggplant	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
222. a. 2 Sugar Pumpkins	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
b. 2 Field Pumpkins	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
223. 2 Red Cabbage (do not peel)	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
224. 2 Green Cabbage (do not peel)	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
225. 2 Cauliflower	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
226. Broccoli, 2 bunches	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
227. 2 Watermelon	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
228. 2 Muskmelons	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
229. 2 Any other vegetable not listed above	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
230. Collection of at least 5 kinds of vegetables in a chopping bowl or other suitable container	\$17	\$15	\$12 \$10 \$9 \$8
231. Large Pumpkin Contest - 50 lbs & over	\$17	\$13	\$11
232. Carved Pumpkin	\$8	\$6	\$5
233. Ugliest Vegetable	\$4	\$3.50	\$3

Greens are not considered a vegetable

SCORECARD: Chopping Bowl

Quality	50%
Arrangement	30%
Utility Value	10%
Number of Kinds	10%

CLASS 16 - Honey

243. Comb, 2 sections	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
244. Extracted, 2 lbs. to be shown in 1 lb. jars.	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.75

CLASS 17 - Maple Sugar and Syrup

245. Maple Sugar			
a. Soft, 1 pound	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Cakes, 5 Cakes	\$4	\$3	\$2
246. Maple Syrup 2 bottles	\$4	\$3	\$2
247. Collection of Maple Products	\$8	\$6	\$5
<i>1 bottle maples syrup, 5 pcs cake sugar, 1.2 lbs soft sugar</i>			
248. Maple Cream, 1 lb glass container	\$4	\$3	\$2

CLASS 18 - Eggs

251. Dozen Brown, 24 to 27 oz	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
252. Dozen White, 24 to 27 oz	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
253. Dozen Other	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

CLASS 19 - Food Preservation

Products must be of current year's production and made by the exhibitor.

Jams, jellies and relishes can be processed in open kettle or hot water bath.

Fruits, tomatoes, vegetables, and meats should be processed in a pressure canner.

All jars to be in pints, except jams, jellies and relishes which should be in half pint jars.

Bands/rings shall be removed for judging.

Vegetables

257. 2 Jars Yellow String Beans	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
258. 2 Jars Green String Beans	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
259. 2 Jars Tomatoes	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

260.	2 Jars Beets, whole	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
261.	2 Jars Beets, sliced	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
262.	2 Jars Carrots	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
263.	2 Jars Corn	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
264.	2 Jars Greens	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
265.	2 Jars Peas	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
266.	2 Jars any other vegetable competing together	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
267.	Pickles (2 jars, contents must be the same)			
	a. Bread & Butter	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	b. Dill	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	c. Sweet	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	d. Any other pickle	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
268.	Relish (2 jars)			
	a. Corn relish	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	b. Other relish	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

Fruits

269.	2 Jars Pears	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
270.	2 Jars Peaches			
	a. Sliced	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	b. Half	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
271.	2 Jars Blueberries	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
272.	2 Jars Blackberries	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
273.	2 Jars Raspberries	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
274.	2 Jars Cherries	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
275.	2 Jars Plums	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
276.	2 Jars Applesauce	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
277.	2 Jars Jam (to be processed)			
	a. Strawberry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	b. Raspberry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	c. Blackberry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	d. Blueberry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	e. Peach Jam	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	f. Any other (all competing together)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
278.	2 Jars Jelly (to be processed)			
	a. Apple	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	b. Raspberry	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	c. Grape	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	d. Mint	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
	e. Any other (all competing together)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
279.	Collections (1 jar each of 3 kinds)			

a. Vegetables	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
b. Fruits	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
c. Pickles	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
d. Relish	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
e. Jam	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
f. Jelly	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3

CLASS 20 - Cooked Foods

No Package Mixes. Recipes on recipe cards to accompany each item, without exhibitor name. All entries should be bagged in clear baggies, except for cakes which shall be wrapped in clear wrap. Baggies preferred.

284. Yeast Breads - No Machine Bread			
a. Loaf of White	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Loaf of Whole Grain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Yeast Rolls, 6 White	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Yeast Rolls, 6 Whole Grain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
285. Quick Breads			
a. Loaf of Whole Grain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Loaf of Light Flour	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
286. Muffins (no muffin papers)			
a. Whole Grain, 6	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. White Flour, 6	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Blueberry, 6	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Baking Powder Biscuits, 6	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
e. Scones, 6	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
287. Cakes			
a. Quick Coffee Cake	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Yeast Coffee Cake	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Decorated Cake - Halloween	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Any Other Decorated Cake	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
e. Sponge, not frosted	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
f. Light (2 layer)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
g. Dark (2 layer)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
h. Chiffon	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
i. Cupcake Wars - Halloween	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
288. Two Crust Pie	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
290. Blandford Fair Prize Cake (must follow recipe below)	\$9	\$7	\$3.50

291. Cookies, 6
 - a. Ginger
 - b. Sugar
 - c. Ice Box
 - d. Molded
 - e. Drop
 - f. Rolled
 - g. Chocolate Chip
 - h. Brownies
 - i. Other Bar Cookies
292. Candy, 6 pieces
 - a. Fudge
 - b. Penuche
 - c. Other Candy
 - d. Quick Fudge
293. Homemade Lunchbox (Balanced Meal)
No processed foods. Must contain one baked item.
294. Doughnut
 - a. Raised
 - b. Cake

Spooky Halloween Marble Cake

Marble Cake:

2-¼ cups all purpose flour	2-½ tsp. baking powder
¼ tsp. baking soda	½ tsp. Salt
½ cup unsalted butter, room temperature	½ vegetable oil
1-½ cups sugar	1 Tbsp. vanilla extract
4 large eggs	1 cup buttermilk
5 oz. bittersweet chocolate; chopped and melted	
Red and Black gel food coloring	

- Preheat the oven to 350°. Prepare three 8", round pans with parchment paper and grease the sides.
- Combine flour, baking powder, baking soda, and salt in a medium bowl, whisk until blended and set aside.
- Add butter, oil, sugar and vanilla to a large mixing bowl and beat until light and fluffy, about 3-4 min.

- Add the eggs, two at a time, mixing well after each. Scrape down the sides as needed until well incorporated.
- Add half of the dry ingredients to the batter and mix until combined.
- Add half of the buttermilk and mix well again. Continue until all of the wet and dry ingredients are combined. Do not overmix.
- Divide batter in half. Fold red food coloring into one, and the black coloring and the melted chocolate into the other.
- Drop, alternating spoonfuls into the cake pans and gently swirl spreading batter evenly.
- Bake for 20-25 min. or until a toothpick when inserted comes out clean.
- Remove the cakes from the oven and let cool 2-3 min. Remove from the pans to a cooling rack to cool.

Frosting:

2-¼ cups unsalted butter

8 cups powdered sugar

1 cup unsweetened cocoa powder

5-7 Tbsp. milk

¼ tsp. salt

1 Tsp. vanilla

black gel food coloring

- Beat the butter in a large bowl until fluffy and smooth.
- Add cocoa powder and half of the sugar, mix until smooth.
- Add the vanilla and 3 Tbsp. of the milk and mix until smooth.
- Add the remaining sugar and salt, mix until creamy.
- Add the black food coloring, mix well. Add enough remaining milk to make it spreadable.
- Assemble the cake, frosting between each layer and exterior. When frosted, drizzle with the red glaze below, just around the top edges, to make it drip down the sides of the cake.
- Add Halloween sprinkles.

Red Drip:

4 oz. red Wilton candy melts; 2 Tbsp. heavy cream; Halloween sprinkles

- Place candy melts into a small bowl. Meanwhile, heat the cream until it just begins to boil, remove from heat. Pour over the candy and stir until melted.
- Let cool for about 5 - 10 min. or more, so as not to melt the buttercream when drizzling.

CLASS 21 - Domestic Manufacture

No article entered in previous years will be accepted.

Unused articles completed within year.

Articles must not be worn or used.

Quilters are also invited to enter the "Quilt Exhibit" for which there are no premiums paid. Please contact the Hall Superintendent for an entry application.

297. Homemaker of the Year 9 square feet

Must contain: Two sewn articles, Collection of canning (1 jar jam or jelly, 1 jar vegetables, 1 jar fruit); Baked goods (1 loaf yeast bread, 1 pie, 6 muffins); and choose three craft items from the following: macramé, weaving, ceramics, pottery, nature crafts, holiday crafts, toys, miniature displays, canvas work, knitting, crocheting, basketry or needlework.

298. Afghans

a. Crochet	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Knitted	\$4	\$3	\$2

299. Bedspreads

a. Knitted	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Embroidered	\$4	\$3	\$2

300. Crocheting

a. Bedspreads	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Tablecloth	\$4	\$3	\$2
c. Adult Sweater	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Child's Sweater	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
e. Mittens	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
f. Baby Set (3 pieces)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
g. Stole or Shawl	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
h. Potholders (2)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
i. Fashion Accessory	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
j. Household Accessory	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
k. Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
l. Scarf	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

301. Needlepoint

a. Pillows	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Pictures	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

c.	Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d.	Original Design	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
302.	Embroidery			
a.	Centerpiece	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b.	Runner	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c.	Pillowcases	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d.	Towels (2)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
e.	Monogram or Initials (on any article)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
f.	Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
303.	Crewel Embroidery			
a.	Pictures	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b.	Pillows	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c.	Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
304.	Counted Cross Stitch			
a.	Pillows	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b.	Pictures	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
305.	Knitting			
a.	Mittens, fancy	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b.	Mittens, plain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c.	Sweater, adult fancy	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d.	Sweater, adult plain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
e.	Sweater, child's fancy	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
f.	Sweater, child's plain	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
g.	Sweater Vest	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
h.	Bulky Knit	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
i.	Fashion Accessory	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
j.	Stole or Shawl	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
k.	Infant's Set (3 pieces)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
l.	Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
m.	Machine knit sweater	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
n.	Machine knit other	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
o.	Felted Item	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
p.	Scarf	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
306.	Rugs			
a.	Braided	\$4	\$3	\$2

b. Crocheted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
c. Hooked	\$4	\$3	\$2	
d. Woven	\$4	\$3	\$2	
e. Latched	\$4	\$3	\$2	
307. Woven Article	\$4	\$3	\$2	
308. Quilt, Appliqued				
a. Hand quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
b. Machine quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
c. Tied	\$4	\$3	\$2	
309. Quilt, Pieced				
a. Hand quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
b. Machine quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
c. Tied	\$4	\$3	\$2	
310. Quilted Wall Hanging				
a. Smaller than 30" x 30"	\$4	\$3	\$2	
b. Larger than 30" by 30"	\$4	\$3	\$2	
311. Any other quilted item - not quilt or wall hanging				
a. Hand quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
b. Machine quilted	\$4	\$3	\$2	
312. Quilt Block				
a. Machine pieced - machine quilted	\$4	\$3	\$3.25	\$2
b. Hand pieced - Hand quilted	\$4	\$3	\$3.25	\$2
313. Sewing				
a. Boy's Shirt	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
b. Man's Shirt	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
c. Woman's Dress	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
d. Girl's Dress	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
e. Wool Dress	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.50	
f. Wool Coat	\$4	\$3	\$2	
g. Cloth Coat	\$4	\$3	\$2	
h. Woman's Slacks	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
i. Woman's Blouse	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
j. Girl's Blouse	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
k. Woman's Skirt	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	
l. Girl's Skirt	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50	

m. Two Piece Suit	\$4	\$3	\$2
n. Sportswear (shorts, slacks, ect.)	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
o. Gown or Party Dress	\$4	\$3	\$2
p. Nightwear	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
q. Homemade sewn Halloween Costume	\$4	\$3	\$2
r. Any other item not listed above	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
314. Place Mats			
a. Sewn	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Braided	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Crocheted	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Knitted	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
315. Potholders (2)			
316. Handspun Wool			
Handspun sheep's wool, 4 oz. skein. Dyed wool is acceptable. Please include a card that indicates breed of sheep (if known) and preparation method used with your exhibit.			
a. Worsted	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Plied	\$4	\$3	\$2
c. Bulky	\$4	\$3	\$2

CLASS 22 - Arts and Crafts

Arts and Crafts will be judged as follows:

Presentation	30%
Originality	30%
Color Selection	10%
Quality of Materials	10%
Quality of Work	10%
Finishing of Work	10%

Hobby Display will be judged on Versatility, Variety of Crafts, Arrangement, plus all the above.

All entries in oil, watercolor, acrylic, charcoal, and pen and ink must be framed and prepared for hanging. All photographs and collections to be framed.

AMATEURS ONLY (Anyone who has NOT received payment in the past or competed in professional shows.)

320. Oil Painting, original	\$4	\$3	\$2
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321. Watercolor, original	\$4	\$3	\$2
322. Acrylic Painting, original	\$4	\$3	\$2
323. Stenciling	\$4	\$3	\$2
324. Charcoal Drawing	\$4	\$3	\$2
325. Pen & Ink Drawing	\$4	\$3	\$2
326. Pencil Drawing	\$4	\$3	\$2
327. Photography - Black & White			
a. People	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Nature	\$4	\$3	\$2
c. Other	\$4	\$3	\$2
d. Collection - 5 snapshots	\$4	\$3	\$2
328. Photography - Color			
a. Landscape	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Nature Study	\$4	\$3	\$2
c. People - Posed	\$4	\$3	\$2
d. People - Action	\$4	\$3	\$2
e. Animals - Posed	\$4	\$3	\$2
f. Animals - Action	\$4	\$3	\$2
g. Collection - 5 snapshots	\$4	\$3	\$2
h. Seascape	\$4	\$3	\$2
i. Other	\$4	\$3	\$2
329. Fair Photo	\$4	\$3	\$2
<i>(must by 8x10, winner sent to state competition, see page 7)</i>			
330. Computed Aided Graphics			
a. Computer Edited Photo	\$4	\$3	\$2
<i>(submit original & edited photos)</i>			
b. Computer Created Art	\$4	\$3	\$2
331. Ceramics			
a. Stains	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Underglaze	\$4	\$3	\$2
332. Bird House	\$5	\$4	\$3
333. Bird Feeder	\$5	\$4	\$3
334. Painted Fabric			
a. Clothing	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Other Item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Home Accessory	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
335. Handicraft (not to be from a kit)			
a. Sewn Items	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
b. Non-Sewn Items	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
336. Table Setting Contest - Halloween	\$5	\$4	\$3
<i>size limit 36" x 25", 2 place settings, may bring tablecloth</i>			

337. Hobby Display (9 sq ft)			
Collection of articles made by exhibitor or family. Judged on quality and arrangement of display. Limit first 5 entries. Must fill entire 9 square feet.			
338. Woodcraft, original			
a. Carving	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
b. Carpentry	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
c. Lawn Ornament	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
339. Pottery	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
340. Baskets - Handmade	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
341. Scrapbooking			
a. Page	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
b. Book	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
c. Computer Aided Layout	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
342. Silk Flower Arrangement	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
343. Jewelry			
a. Necklace	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
b. Earrings	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
c. Bracelet	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
d. Set of 3 of above items	\$4	\$3.50	\$3

CLASS 23 - Cut Flowers

346. Sunflower, 1 bloom	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
347. Dahlias			
a. Large, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Small, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Giant, 1 bloom	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
348. Gladiolus, 5 spikes each a different variety	\$4	\$3.50	\$2.50
349. Gladiolus, 3 spikes of one variety	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
350. Asters, 1 variety, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
351. French Marigolds, 5 stems, single	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
352. French Marigolds, 5 stems, double	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
353. Zinnias, large flowered, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
354. Zinnias, small flowered, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
355. Cosmos, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
356. Sweet Peas, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
357. Calendulas, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
358. Marigolds, African, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
359. Nasturtiums, single 10 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
360. Nasturtiums, double 10 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
361. Petunias, single, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
362. Petunias, double, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

363. Snapdragons, 5 spikes	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
364. Bachelor Buttons, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
365. Collection of Potted Plants, 3 houseplants <i>Pots not to exceed 6"</i>	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
366. Hanging Potted Plant, one			
a. Foliage	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Flowering	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
367. Flower Arrangement <i>In containers not intended for flowers</i>	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
368. Miniature Flower Arrangement <i>Arrangement not to be over 5" tall</i>	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
369. Arrangement of Mixed Garden Flowers	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
370. Mixed Native Wildflowers	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
371. Cut flowers <i>Suitable for dining room table centerpiece, omit houseplants</i>	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
372. Flower Arrangement - Halloween	\$6	\$5	\$4

CLASS 24 - Grange Exhibits

377. Awards	\$150	\$130	\$120
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Exhibit space: 8' x 3' x 4' high. Limited to first 5 Granges. Class will be judged according to the revised official scorecard. A score of at least 75 points is required for a premium.

YOUTH DIVISION

Cattle: Leon Ripley
Youth Hall: Sally Memole

RULES

Youth Dairy Cattle will be judged Monday at 10:30 a.m.:

The show is open to any youth 9 through 20 years of age as of January 1, who meets entrance requirements.

All animals must be owned by the exhibitor prior to July 20, 2024 for sheep and April 1, 2024 for cattle.

All purebred animals must be registered in the names of the exhibitors.

SHEEP: All animals must be purebred and registration papers to be checked upon request only of the supervisor; ear tags and tattoos must be on animals.

Department will be open to accept animals at 8:00 a.m.

Sheep must be on the grounds at 10:00 a.m. Saturday. Releases will be issued at 5:00 p.m. Saturday.

Animal entries are limited to 2 in single class, 1 per group class.

First and second prizes will not be paid if there are less than three animals in a class unless the judges deem the animals worthy of such prizes.

Ages of animals will be figured from July 1, 2022.

Calf, 4 months to 1 year

Yearling, 1 year to 2 years Two years and older

Any animals under 4 months of age cannot be shown or used in group classes.

Entries close August 26th at 5:00 p.m.:

Animals in this show not eligible to be entered in classes 2 or 3.

No animals shall be blanketed during the hours of the Fair, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Any class may be split at the decision of the judges.

Registration papers must be checked by superintendent, for age of animal, ownership, date of ownership, breeder, and breeding.

DRESS CODE: Exhibitors must wear either slacks, skirts, or dresses in white or khaki. No shorts or bathing attire will be allowed. A solid durable shoe must be always worn. No sandals, clogs, sneakers or bare feet will be allowed. Exhibitors will be barred from show ring for non-compliance to dress code. Appropriate clothing must be worn for type as well as showmanship classes.

Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, breed, date of birth, name of sire and dam and name of exhibitor.

Animals and exhibitors that display disorderly conduct will be disqualified at the discretion of the superintendent.

Dairy Breed Only

CLASS 25 - Youth Pure Bred

To be judged Monday at 10:30 am

381. Jr. Heifer Calf (3/1/24 to 5/31/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
382. Int. Heifer Calf (12/1/23 to 2/28/24)	\$16	\$14	\$12
383. Sr. Heifer Calf (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
384. Jr. Yearling (3/1/22 to 8/1/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
385. Sr. Yearling (9/1/22 to 2/28/23)	\$16	\$14	\$12
386. Cow, 2 yrs. & under 3 yrs.	\$16	\$14	\$12
387. Cow, 3 yrs. & under 4 yrs.	\$16	\$14	\$12
388. Cow, 4 yrs. & over	\$16	\$14	\$12
389. Dam Daughter - 2 females	\$16	\$14	\$12

390. Produce of Dam - 2 animals (Dam must be named)	\$16	\$14	\$12	
391. Exhibitors Herd	\$24	\$22	\$20	
<i>4 head: 1 cow 3 yrs, 1 cow 2 yrs, 1 yr. heifer, 1 heifer calf</i>				
392. Junior Champion under 2 yrs.		Ribbon Only		
393. Senior Champion		Ribbon Only		
394. Grand Champion		Ribbon Only		
395. Herdsman Award	\$100	\$50	\$25	\$25

Awarded to the exhibitor who demonstrates that they are an expert herdsman and whose example is worthy of being emulated by all herdsman. The following will be taken into consideration.

1. Orderliness and cleanliness of stalls and animals
2. Neat arrangement of equipment, feed and forage
3. Personal appearance of herdsman and helpers
4. Observance of all rules and regulations
5. Cooperation with officials in promoting the show and showings
6. Exhibit area decorated to show off the cattle to their advantage
7. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam, name of exhibitor and breed of animal.

CLASS 26 - Youth Fitting & Showmanship / Dairy Cattle

Only female animals to be used in this contest. Contest to be held before judging.

400. Novice - under 13	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
<i>First year of showing</i>						
401. Youth - under 13, Jan. 1	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
<i>Previously has been in ring</i>						
402. Youth - 13 and over, Jan. 1	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
403. Professional Showmanship	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6

LEE E. WYMAN MEMORIAL SHOWMANSHIP AWARDS

Special awards will be presented to a boy and girl in each of the three age groups for daily showmanship.

Novice - under 13; first year of showing	Trophies
Youth - under 13, Jan. 1; been in ring before	Trophies
Youth - 13 and over, Jan. 1.	Halters
Professional Showmanship	\$50 US Savings Bond

CLASS 27 - Youth Baby Beef

To be held before judging.

Fitting and Showmanship to be shown on Sunday.

408. Youth - under 13, Jan. 1	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
409. Youth - 13 and over, Jan 1	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
410. Two Classes by weight	\$17	\$12	\$10	\$9		\$8
Grand Champion						\$15
Reserve Champion						\$10

CLASS 27A - Youth Grade Stock I Dairy Only

The following premiums will be awards to all breeds as in Pure Breeds:

415. 4 mos. to 1 yr.			\$10	\$8	\$6
416. 1 yr. to 2 yrs.			\$10	\$8	\$6
417. Over 2 yrs.			\$10	\$8	\$6

CLASS 28 - Youth Sheep and Lambs

422. Yearling Ram (1-2 yrs)	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
423. Sr. Ram Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
424. Jr. Ram Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
425. Pair Ram Lambs	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
Champion Ram				Ribbon Only	
426. Yearling Ewe (1-2 yrs)	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
427. Pair Yearling Ewes	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
428. Sr. Ewe Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
429. Jr. Ewe Lamb	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
430. Pair Ewe Lambs	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
Campion Ewe				Ribbon Only	
431. Exhibitors Flock		\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
<i>2 yearlings ewes, 2 ewe lambs, 1 ram any age</i>					
432. Breeders Young Flock		\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
<i>1 ram any age, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs, bred & owned by exhibitor</i>					
433. Get of Sire		\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
<i>4 animals, both sexes to be represented, get of the same sire</i>					
434. Produce of Dam - 2 animals		\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
435. Market Lamb		\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5
<i>3 classes - heavy, medium, light</i>					
436. Youth Fitting & Showmanship <i>(under 11)</i>	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4
437. Youth Fitting & Showmanship <i>(12-15)</i>	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4

438. Youth Fitting & Showmanship (over 15)	\$10	\$8	\$6	\$5	\$4	\$3
439. Shepard Award					\$75	\$40
440. Best of Show Ram						\$25
441. Best of Show Ewe						\$25

Shepherd’s Award

Award to the exhibitor who demonstrates that they are an expert shepherd and whose example is worthy of being emulated by all shepherds, the following will be taken into consideration.

1. Orderliness and cleanliness of stalls and animals
2. Neat arrangement of equipment and feed and forage
3. Personal appearance of shepherd and helpers
4. Observance of all rules and regulations
5. Cooperation with officials in promoting the show and showings
6. Exhibits are decorated to show off the lambs to their advantage
7. Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam, name of exhibitor and breed of animal.

CLASS 29A - Youth Eggs

473. Dozen Brown Eggs, over 24 oz.	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2
474. Dozen Brown Eggs, under 24 oz.	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2
475. Dozen White Eggs, over 24 oz.	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2
476. Dozen White Eggs, under 24 oz.	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2
477. Dozen Other Eggs	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2

SCORECARD: 4-H Exhibits

50 pts - General Effect (Attractiveness, Neatness, Scale, Color Scheme, Lighting, and Arrangement)

25 pts - Educational Value to the General Public (does it tell a story?)

10 pts - Quality of Materials and Workmanship

10 pts - Signs: to include 1. Name of Club & Town, 2. Names of Members & Leaders (small card)

5 pts - Judges information, include paper enclosed in envelope:

1. Nature of Club, 2. Name of Leader; 3. Name and Age of Club Members; 4. Number who helped set up Exhibit

CLASS 30 - Youth Vegetables

All vegetables must be grown, selected, and arranged by exhibitors.

481. Vegetable Display, <i>9 sq ft of at least 6 kinds of vegetables</i>						
a. First time exhibitor	\$20	\$15	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$9
b. All other exhibitors	\$20	\$15	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$9
482. 4-H Club Exhibit, Limit 3				\$25	\$22	\$20
<i>Exhibit to be set up in Adult Hall, Score card on page above</i>						
483. 5 Potatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
484. 5 Turnips without tops				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
485. 5 Red Tomatoes (no stems)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
486. 5 Green Tomatoes (stems)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
487. 10 Cherry Tomatoes				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
488. 5 Onions (not peeled)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
489. 2 Golden Hubbard Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
490. 2 Butternut Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
491. 2 Green Hubbard Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
492. 2 Des Moines Squash (Acorn Squash)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
493. 2 Cushaw Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
494. 2 Summer Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
495. 2 Cabbage (do not peel)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
496. 2 Sugar Pumpkins				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
497. 5 Bell Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
498. 5 Frying Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
499. 5 Hot Peppers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
500. 5 Beets (1" stem)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
501. 2 Cucumbers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
502. 10 Pickling Cucumbers				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
503. 15 Pods Shell Beans				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
504. 15 Pods Lima Beans				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
505. 15 Pods Wax Beans				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
506. 15 Pods Green Beans				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
507. 2 Watermelon				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
508. 5 Carrots (1" stem)				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
509. 5 Ears Sweet Corn				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
510. 2 Zucchini Squash				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
511. 2 Bunches Broccoli				\$4	\$3.50	\$3
512. Chopping Bowl						
a. First time exhibitors	\$12	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6
b. All other exhibitors				\$8	\$6	\$4
513. Large Pumpkin Contest - 50 lbs. and over				\$6	\$5	\$4

514. Decorated Vegetable - Must use natural items	\$4	\$3.50	\$3
515. Ugliest Vegetable	\$4	\$3.50	\$3

CLASS 31 - Youth Canning

Products must be of current year's production and made by the exhibitor.
Uniform sized jars. Observe general rules. No bands on jars.

Vegetables

519. 2 Jars Green Beans	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
520. 2 Jars Yellow Beans	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
521. 2 Jars Tomatoes	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
522. 2 Jars Beets, whole	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
523. 2 Jars Carrots, sliced	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
524. 2 Jars Greens	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
525. 2 Jars Peas	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
526. 2 Jars Corn	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25

Fruits

527. 2 Jars Pears	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
528. 2 Jars Peaches	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
529. 2 Jars Blueberries	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
530. 2 Jars Blackberries	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
531. 2 Jars Raspberries	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
532. 2 Jars Cherries	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
533. 2 Jars Plums	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
534. 2 Jars Jam (to be processed)			
a. Strawberry	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Raspberry	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Blackberry	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Any Other (all competing together)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
535. 2 Jars Jelly (to be processed)			
a. Apple	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Raspberry	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Grape	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Mint	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
e. Any Other (all competing together)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
536. Collections (3 jars, 1 jar each of 3 kinds)			
a. Vegetable	\$3.25	\$2.75	\$2.50
b. Fruit	\$3.25	\$2.75	\$2.50
c. Jam	\$3.25	\$2.75	\$2.50
d. Jelly	\$3.25	\$2.75	\$2.50
537. 2 Jars Pickles	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25

CLASS 32 - Youth Arts & Crafts

Arts & Crafts to be judged according to Class 22. Class 32A - 6 years & under Ribbons only, Class 32B 7-11 years, Class 32C 12-14 years, Class 32D 15-20 years. All pictures and paintings must be matted or framed. No larger than 20" x 20".

Youth photos will not be accepted in the adult hall. Please enter in the appropriate youth categories.

542. Ceramics	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
543. Bird House	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
544. Bird Feeding Station	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
545. Models: Planes, Cars, Boats (wood)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
546. Woodworking, other than models	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
547. Papier Maché Art	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
548. Textile Painting	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
549. Creative Stitchery - by hand only			
a. Needlepoint	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Embroidery	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Crewel	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Counted Cross Stitch	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
550. Watercolors - Original	\$4	\$3	\$2
551. Oil Painting - Original	\$4	\$3	\$2
552. Acrylic Painting - Original	\$4	\$3	\$2
553. Charcoal	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
554. Pastels (Chalk)	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
555. Crayons	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
556. Pen & Ink			
a. Black & White	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
b. Color	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
557. Pencil			
a. Black & White	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
b. Color	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
558. Mixed Media	\$3.50	\$3.25	\$3
559. Wire Art	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
560. Fairy House, no bigger than 18" x 18" x 18"	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
561. Framed Photo			
a. Color	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Black & White	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
562. Framed Fair Photo (any Mass. fair)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
563. Basket Weaving - Handmade	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
564. Handicraft (not from a kit)			
a. Painted rocks, set of 3	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Dot Mandala	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25

c. Sculpture	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Polymer clay creation	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
e. Any other item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
565. Macrame	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
566. String Art (not from a kit)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
567. Original Lego creation (not from a kit)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
568. Hobby Display (9 sq ft)	\$5	\$4	\$3
<i>Limit first 4 entries. Must fill entire 9 sq ft. Limit 5-15 items.</i>			
569. Pottery	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
570. Collection, no bigger than 12" x 12"	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
571. Scrapbooking			
a. Page	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Book	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
572. Computer edited photo <i>(submit original & edited photos)</i>	\$4	\$3	\$2
573. Welding	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
574. Photography Collection - 5 Snapshots			
a. Color	\$4	\$3	\$2
b. Black & White	\$4	\$3	\$2
575. Jewelry (not from a kit)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25

CLASS 33 - Youth Cut Flowers

576. Dahlias, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
577. Gladiolus, 3 spikes	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
578. Asters, 1 variety, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
579. French Marigolds, double, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
580. French Marigolds, single, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
581. Zinnias, large flowered, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
582. Zinnias, small flowered, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
583. Cosmos, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
584. Sweet Peas, 5 stems	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
585. Calendulas, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
586. Marigolds, African, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
587. Nasturtiums, double, 10 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
588. Nasturtiums, single, 10 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
589. Petunias, single, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
590. Petunias, double, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
591. Bachelor Buttons, 5 blooms	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
592. Snapdragons, 5 spikes	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
593. Miniature Arrangement	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50
<i>Arrangement not to be over 5" tall</i>			

594. Arrangement of Mixed Garden Flowers	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.75
595. Mixed Native Wildflowers	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.75
596. Cut Flowers	\$3.50	\$3	\$2.75
<i>Suitable for dining room table centerpiece, omit houseplants</i>			
597. Sunflower, 1 bloom	\$3	\$2.75	\$2.50

CLASS 34 - Youth Cooked Foods

Recipes to accompany each item. All entries should be bagged in clear baggies, except for cakes which should be wrapped in clear wrap, baggies preferred. No package mixes.

Class 34A - 6-14 years; Class 34B - 15-20 years

611. Quick Bread	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
612. Muffins (no muffin papers)			
a. Whole Grain, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. White Flour, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
613. Baking Powder Biscuits, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
614. Cakes			
a. Dark 2 layer, frosted	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Light 2 layer, frosted	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Quick Coffee Cake	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Cupcakes, set of 3 decorated	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
<i>(judged on taste & decorations, all competing together)</i>			
e. Decorated Cake	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
615. Chocolate Chip Cookies, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
616. Rolled Cookies, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
617. Drop Cookies, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
618. Brownies, 6	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
619. Candy, 6 pieces			
a. Fudge	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Penuche	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Other	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
620. Pies			
a. Two Crust	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. One Crust	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
621. Blandford Fair Prize Cake (must follow recipe below)	\$4	\$3.50	\$3.25

Peanut Butter Cake

Ingredients

2 cups all-purpose flour
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon salt
3/4 cup vegetable oil
1 1/2 cups light brown sugar

3/4 cup smooth peanut butter
3 large eggs, room temperature
2 teaspoons vanilla extract
1/3 cup sour cream room temperature
3/4 cup milk room temperature

Peanut Butter Frosting

3/4 cup unsalted butter softened but still
slightly firm to the touch
2 ounces cream cheese

3/4 cup peanut butter
3 1/2 -4 1/2 cups powdered sugar
1-2 tablespoons heavy cream

Instructions

Peanut Butter Cake

- Preheat the oven to 350° F
- Line the bottom of two 8-inch round cake pans with baking paper.
- Lightly grease and flour the sides. Be sure that the sides of the pans are at least 2 inches (5 cm).
- Whisk together the flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt in a medium bowl.
- Beat together the oil, light brown sugar and peanut butter in a very large bowl.
- Mix in the eggs and vanilla extract. Stop mixing once you no longer see pieces of egg.
- Using a hand-held metal whisk, whisk in the sour cream.
- Whisk in about 1/2 of the flour mixture (again, whisking by hand).
- Carefully whisk in the milk.
- Whisk in the rest of the flour mixture until combined. Stop mixing once combined.
- Divide the batter evenly between the 2 prepared pans. Bake both on the middle rack of the oven for about 28-33 minutes, or until an inserted toothpick comes out clean and you see the edges starting to pull away from the pan.
- Cool the cakes fully.

Peanut Butter Frosting

- In a large bowl using an electric mixer, beat the butter until smooth.
- Mix in the cream cheese, followed by the peanut butter.
- Starting with the mixer on a low speed, beat in about 2 cups of powdered sugar.
- Mix in the rest of the powdered sugar about 1/2 cup at a time until the desired sweetness is reached. If the frosting seems too thick, beat in 1-2 tablespoons of cream, 1 tablespoon at a time.

CLASS 35 - Youth Domestic Manufacturing

Class 35A - 6-14 years; Class 35B - 15-20 years

627. Sewing			
a. Dress	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Skirt	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Blouse	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Coat	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
e. Suit or Two-Piece Dress	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
f. Sportswear (shorts, slacks, ect.)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
g. Jumper	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
h. Pillow	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
i. Stuffed Animal	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
j. Novice (first year sewer, any item)	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
k. Any other item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
l. Machine Embroidery	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
628. Knitting			
a. Blanket or Afghan	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Sweater	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Hat	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Scarf	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
e. Mittens	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
f. Any other item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
g. Machine knit item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
629. Crocheting			
a. Blanket or Afghan	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
b. Sweater	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
c. Hat	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
d. Scarf	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
e. Potholder	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
f. Any other item	\$2.75	\$2.50	\$2.25
630. Quilt	\$5	\$4	\$3

Classes Not Named

On stock, decision of President and Executive Vice President. In Hall, Superintendent of Hall, Assistant Superintendent.

Committee to Arrange Hall

Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, and Committee to be named by superintendent.