



Floriculture

ADULT DIVISION

YOUTH DIVISION (16 and younger)

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1. Flower exhibits must be entered at the Home Arts Building from 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., Thursday of fair week.
2. Limit of ten (10) entries per person.
3. No duplication of entries by other family members will be accepted.

General Rules

- Exhibits in the Floriculture Department must have been grown by the exhibitor except for arrangement classes.
- Exhibits must be adequately and correctly labeled with common name of plant.
- See special rules for specific categories.
- The age of exhibitor must be included in the proper section on the entry form.
- Youth enrolled in 4-H, who are entering a horticulture exhibit, are not eligible to enter the open youth division.**

Premiums for categories 1-10:

1st place - \$2.00
 2nd place - \$1.50
 3rd place - \$1.00

RULES for Floral Arrangements

1. Plant material for design need not be arranger grown.
2. No artificial flowers, foliage, fruits or vegetables are permitted.
3. Fresh plant material may never be treated. Dried materials may be colored or otherwise treated.
4. Accessories are permitted.
5. Unless otherwise specified, exhibitors may choose materials and designs.

SCORE CARD FOR FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

Conformance to schedule	10
Design - elements and principal-10 points per element (balance, rhythm, contrast, proportion, scale)	50
Distinction - markedly superior in all respects	10
Artistic concept and expression - selection and organization	10
Floral and foliage materials - condition, appearance, appropriate use of materials	20
TOTAL	100 POINTS

CATEGORY 1 - Flower Arrangements

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| 1.Fresh Flower Centerpiece Arrangement | 5.Dried Wreath or Swag |
| 2.Fresh Triangular Arrangement | 6.Oriental Arrangement |
| 3.Fresh Horizontal Arrangement | 7.Interpretive Theme - "Reflections" |
| 4.Dried Flower Arrangement | 8.Interpretive Theme - "Beauty of the Valley" |





RULES for Containerized Plants

- 1. Plant must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least three months prior to the start of the fair.
2. All plants for show should be free from insect pests and diseases, and suitable for the category in the show.
3. Most exhibitors take great care in the preparation of their plants, even to the extent of removing dying flowers and damaged leaves. For best effect, pots should be clean and particular attention should be paid to top-dressing, which may be grit, slate, crushed stone, turface, bark, pine needles, etc. appropriate for the species displayed.

SCORE CARD FOR CONTAINERIZED PLANTS

Table with 2 columns: Criteria (Conformance to schedule, labeling; Balance and proportion; Distinction; Freedom from disease and damage; Floral and foliage materials) and Points (10, 20, 10, 10, 50). Total: 100 points.

RULES for Specimen Plants

CATEGORY 2 - Containerized Plants

- 1. Foliage plant
2. Flowering plant
3. Patio Container
4. Terrariums
5. Cactus and succulents
6. Bonsai

- 1. Only a single bloom, spike or spray or as specified for the cut flower category. The portion of the stem of these flowers which may contain more than one bloom should be longer than seven (7) inches in length.
2. All flowers in specimen classes must have their own foliage. No dressing, wiring, artificial flower or fillers permitted.
3. Fresh plant material may never be treated, colored, or otherwise artificially enhanced. Dried materials may be colored or otherwise treated.
4. Labeling should include variety (cultivar). Points of distinction will only be awarded if variety is included.

SCORE CARD FOR SPECIMEN PLANTS

Table with 2 columns: Criteria (Conformance to schedule; Form, Color, Size; Distinction; Freedom from disease, insect and mechanical damage; Stem and foliage) and Points (10, 40, 10, 20, 20). Total: 100 points.

CATEGORY 3 - Cut Flowers (Annuals)

- 1. Aster, 3 stems
2. Begonia, 5 stems
3. Calendula, 3 stems
4. Celosia, 3 stems
5. Cosmos, 5 stems
6. Dahlias, 1 stem
7. Daisy, 3 stems
8. Dianthus, 5 stems
9. Gaillardia, 5 stems
10. Gladiolus, 1 stem
11. Impatiens, 5 stems
12. Larkspur, 3 stems
13. Marigold (sm-med carnation), 3 stems
14. Marigold (large carnation), 3 stems
15. Marigold (French dwarf), 1 spray
16. Nasturtium, 3 stems
17. Pansy, 3 stems
18. Petunia, Double or Single, 3 stems

- 19. Salvia, 3 stems
20. Snapdragons, 1 stem
21. Sunflower, 1
22. Sweet Pea, 3 stems
23. Verbena, 3 stems
24. Zinnia, 3 stems
25. Collection of Cut Flowers
26. Other

CATEGORY 4 - Cut Flowers (Perennials)

- 1. Phlox, 1 stem
2. Coreopsis, 3 stems
3. Daylily, 1 stem
4. Lilies, Asiatic or Oriental, 1 stem
5. Delphinium, 1 stem
6. Coneflower, 3 stems
7. Carnation, 1 bloom
8. Hollyhock, 1 stalk

- 9. Sweet William, 3 stems
10. Flowering shrub

CATEGORY 5 - Roses

- 1. Single petaled rose, 1 stem
2. Hybrid tea, 1 stem, 1 bloom
3. Hybrid tea, mixed colors, 3 stems, 3 blooms
4. Grandiflora, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
5. Floribunda, 1 stem, 1 spray
6. Miniature, 1 stem, 1 bloom
7. Miniature, 1 stem, 1 spray
8. Bi-color, any species, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
9. Old-fashioned, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
10. Bouquet, mixed colors or all alike, 12 stems, 12 blooms
11. Any other, not listed, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray

