

Open Class Non Livestock

OPEN CLASS NON LIVESTOCK

Rules and Regulations

Superintendent

These regulations are part of all non-livestock open classes.

1. All non-livestock open class exhibitors age 13 and over are required to pay a \$5 entry fee. Exhibitors 12 and under must pay \$.50 per entry for each class up to a total of \$5. This fee covers all entries per person and he or she will receive an exhibitor's pass. No fee for Senior Citizens to enter.
2. All entries must be made in the name of the bona fide owner.
3. All entries must be owned or grown by the exhibitor.
4. All entry tags must be filled out entirely and attached to the entry according to specifications of each department.
5. PLEASE READ ALL RULES FOR EACH DEPARTMENT YOU ARE ENTERED UNDER. ALL RULES MUST BE FOLLOWED.
6. Incomplete entries will be rejected and returned.
7. All open class entries are due in the fair office by 5:00 pm. **June 10th. No late entries will be accepted.**
8. All exhibits must be on display on Sunday, **July 9th** by 11 a.m. Judging will begin at 1:00 pm, unless otherwise stated for a specific department.
9. No article may be removed early from department, unless special permission is given by the superintendent.
10. No entry may be shown more than one year and must have been completed since last year's fair.
11. Only one entry per class, unless otherwise stated by the class regulations.
12. No premium will be paid.
13. Articles having no competition will be judged.
14. ALL PICTURES AND/OR WALL HANGINGS MUST BE READY TO HANG ACCORDING TO THE GUIDELINES.
15. Ages are as of January 1st of the current year.
16. Release time is on Sunday, **July 16th** between 8:00 am. – 11:00 am.
17. Best of show ribbons will be given, at the judge's discretion.
18. **PLEASE NOTE:** The Senior Section has dissolved. Senior's will enter in any of the classes listed in the Open Class Non Livestock Sections. Please note on your entry form that you are a senior exhibitor, so we may mark your entry.

DEPARTMENT 40 - NEEDLEWORK (AMATEURS)

Superintendent - **Jamie Rhodes - 517-652-5390**

Ribbons

1. See open class rules.
2. Needlework means a needle/hook was used in making.
3. Exhibits that are not clean will be judged accordingly.
4. Any centerpiece or doily must be mounted.
5. Any set is 2 or more pieces.
6. All exhibits must be done by owner. (see rule 7)
7. If any part of the exhibit was done by another (quilting, binding, mounting, etc.) their name and/or business must be noted on entry tag. No exceptions.
8. All exhibitors 17 years old and under must be entered in youth section. All other sections for 18 and older.

SECTION 1 - AFGHANS CROCHETED

- Class
4000. Any crocheted afghan, not baby.

SECTION 2 - AFGHANS KNITTED

- Class
4001. Any knitted afghan, not baby.

SECTION 3 – QUILTS HAND QUILTED AND TIED

- Class
4002. Appliqued or embroidered
4003. Pieced
4004. Child or infant
4005. Wall hanging
4006. Table topper or runner

SECTION 4 – QUILTS MACHINE QUILTED

- Class
4007. Appliqued or embroidered
4008. Pieced
4009. Child or infant
4010. Wall hanging
4011. Table topper or runner

SECTION 5 - RUGS

- Class
4012. Woven
4013. Braided
4014. Any other

SECTION 6 - PILLOWS

- Class
4015. Crochet or knit
4016. Pieced or patchwork
4017. Embroidered or needlepoint
4018. Any other

SECTION 7 – INFANT/BABY

- Class
4019. Afghan, crocheted
4020. Afghan, Knitted
4021. Sweater, crocheted
4022. Sweater, knitted
4023. Bonnet, cap, booties, mittens or socks, crocheted
4024. Bonnet, cap, booties, mittens or socks, knitted
4025. Set, crocheted
4025. Set, knitted
4027. Other baby, crochet
4028. Other baby, knit

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SECTION 8 – CLOTHING CROCHETED

- Class
- 4029. Sweater
 - 4030. Vest, cape or Poncho
 - 4031. Socks or slippers
 - 4032. Hats
 - 4033. Mittens
 - 4034. Scarf
 - 4035. Set
 - 4036. Other

SECTION 9 – CLOTHING KNITTED

- Class
- 4037. Sweater
 - 4038. Vest, cape or Poncho
 - 4039. Socks or slippers
 - 4040. Hats
 - 4041. Mittens
 - 4042. Scarf
 - 4043. Set
 - 4044. Other

SECTION 10 - HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES

- Class
- 4045. Tablecloth, crocheted or knitted
 - 4046. Tablecloth, embroidered or needlepoint
 - 4047. Centerpiece or doily, crocheted or knitted
 - 4048. Parasol, knitted or crocheted
 - 4049. Household set, crocheted or knitted
 - 4050. Household set, embroidered or needlepoint
 - 4051. Any tatted article
 - 4052. Other items or set

SECTION 11 – YOUTH 17 AND UNDER

- Class
- 4056. Afghan, crocheted
 - 4057. Afghan, Knitted
 - 4058. Quilt, hand quilted or tied
 - 4059. Quilt, machine quilted
 - 4060. Rug
 - 4061. Pillow
 - 4062. Clothing, crocheted
 - 4063. Clothing, knitted
 - 4064. Household item or set

CLOTHING

Superintendent - Melody Kemper – 231-268-3535

Ribbons

1. See open class rules.
2. Garments or articles that are not clean will not be accepted.
3. Some classes may be subdivided at Judges Choice.

SECTION 12 - ALL CLOTHING MADE OF NEW FABRIC

- Class
- 4097. Women's blouse
 - 4098. Men's shirt
 - 4099. Adult sleepwear
 - 4100. Dress
 - 4101. Skirt, slacks or shorts
 - 4102. Two or three-piece outfit
 - 4103. Special occasion dress or outfit
 - 4104. Costumes
 - 4105. Any other adult
 - 4106. Purse
 - 4107. Vest
 - 4108. Wedding dress
 - 4109. Child's top
 - 4110. Child's skirt, slacks, or shorts
 - 4111. Child's sleepwear
 - 4112. Christening gown
 - 4113. Any other child

SECTION 13 - RECYCLED CLOTHING

Please add a before picture and a short description on what was used on before garment.

- Class
- 4114. Any used article of clothing made over into a new garment. Adult
 - 4115. Any used article of clothing made over into a new garment. Children's.

DEPARTMENT 41 – CULINARY ARTS

Superintendent - Christine Kemper

Ribbons

1. See open class rules.
2. No refrigerated items.
2. All exhibits must be accompanied by a recipe which will not be returned.
3. A portion of each entry must be left in the exhibit area, except cake decorating classes.
4. All entries must be neatly arranged on a plate for the judge.
5. Don't spray food before you bring it.
6. Any food and dishes left will be taken home at 5:00 p.m. Dishes will be washed and brought back for pick-up on Sunday, July 16th after 8:00 a.m.
7. For safety reasons, judges will not be required to taste food.
8. No refrigerated items

SECTION 1 - QUICK BREADS

- Class
- 4116. Banana nut bread
 - 4117. Blueberry bread
 - 4118. Pumpkin bread
 - 4119. Zucchini bread
 - 4120. Corn bread
 - 4121. Coffeecake
 - 4122. Any other quick bread
 - 4123. Any muffin

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SECTION 2 - YEAST BREADS

- Class
- 4124. French bread
 - 4125. Nut bread
 - 4126. Herb bread
 - 4127. Raisin bread
 - 4128. Rye bread
 - 4129. White bread
 - 4130. Any other bread
 - 4131. Cinnamon rolls
 - 4132. Coffee cake
 - 4133. Fancy dinner rolls
 - 4134. Crescent rolls
 - 4135. Any other rolls

SECTION 3 - LAYER CAKE (FROSTED)

- Class
- 4136. Carrot
 - 4137. Chocolate
 - 4138. Coconut
 - 4139. Marble
 - 4140. Spice
 - 4141. White
 - 4142. Any other

SECTION 4 - CAKES (LOAF, POUND OR SHEET)

- Class
- 4143. Angel Food
 - 4144. Applesauce
 - 4145. Chiffon
 - 4146. Carrot
 - 4147. Fruit
 - 4148. Pound
 - 4149. Poppy Seed
 - 4150. Sponge
 - 4151. Any other

SECTION 5 - DECORATED CAKES

- Class
- 4152. Anniversary or Wedding
 - 4153. Birthday
 - 4154. Holiday
 - 4155. Specialty pan
 - 4156. Doll

SECTION 6 - COOKIES

1. Four cookies to a plate.
- Class
- 4157. Bar (2 or more layers)
 - 4158. Brownies
 - 4159. Chocolate chip

- 4160. Decorated
- 4161. Drop
- 4162. Filled
- 4163. Peanut butter
- 4164. Pressed
- 4165. Rolled
- 4166. Tarts
- 4167. Any other

SECTION 7 - CANDY

1. Four pieces per plate.
- Class
- 4168. Beaten
 - 4169. Brittle
 - 4170. Dipped
 - 4171. Fudge
 - 4172. Molded
 - 4173. Any other

SECTION 8 - PIES

- Class
- 4174. Apple
 - 4175. Berry
 - 4176. Cherry
 - 4177. Mince
 - 4178. Pumpkin
 - 4179. Any other

SECTION 9 - SPECIALTIES

- Class
- 4180. Baked goods collection (four or more different)
 - 4181. Gift tray of cookies (6 or more varieties)
 - 4182. From your kitchen a gift collection of baked goods and canned goods (6 or more different items)

CANNING

Superintendent - Kevin Kemper – 231-268-3535
Ribbons

1. See open class rules.
2. All canned goods are not to be over 1 year old.
3. All canned goods must be labeled. Label must include - date canned, type of processing, processing time and product canned.
4. If using two piece lids, both pieces are to be left on jar.

SECTION 10 - FRUITS

- Class
- 4183. Applesauce
 - 4184. Cherries (sweet & sour)
 - 4185. Pears
 - 4186. Plums
 - 4187. Strawberries
 - 4188. Peaches
 - 4189. Blueberries
 - 4190. Pineapple
 - 4191. Fruit Cocktail
 - 4192. Spiced fruits
 - 4193. Fruit Pie Filling
 - 4194. Other Fruit

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SECTION 11 - VEGETABLES

- Class
- 4195. Beans (green)
 - 4196. Beans (yellow wax)
 - 4197. Beets
 - 4198. Carrots (any style)
 - 4199. Corn
 - 4200. Mixture (2 or more vegetables)
 - 4201. Peas
 - 4202. Potatoes
 - 4203. Sauerkraut
 - 4204. Tomatoes (stewed)
 - 4205. Tomatoes (stewed including other ingredients)
 - 4206. Tomatoes (whole)
 - 4207. Other Vegetables

SECTION 12 - MEATS & STEWS

- Class
- 4208. Pork
 - 4209. Beef
 - 4210. Chicken
 - 4211. Beef Stew with Vegetables
 - 4212. Spaghetti Sauce w/Meat
 - 4213. Wild Game
 - 4214. Other Meats & Stews

SECTION 13 - PRESERVES

- Class
- 4215. Strawberry
 - 4216. Raspberry
 - 4217. Other

SECTION 14 - JAMS

- Class
- 4218. Strawberry Jam
 - 4219. Raspberry Jam
 - 4220. Cherry Jam
 - 4221. Peach Jam
 - 4222. Plum Jam
 - 4223. Grape Jam
 - 4224. Elderberry
 - 4225. Pear Jam
 - 4226. Apricot Jam
 - 4227. Blueberry Jam
 - 4228. Other Jam

SECTION 15 - BUTTERS

- Class
- 4229. Peach Butter
 - 4230. Apple Butter
 - 4231. Other Butter

SECTION 16 - JELLY

- Class
- 4232. Apple
 - 4233. Berry (any kind)

- 4234. Grape
- 4235. Currant
- 4236. Cherry
- 4237. Other Jelly

SECTION 17 - CONSERVES

- Class
- 4238. Blueberry
 - 4239. Peach
 - 4240. Other Conserves

SECTION 18 - MARMALADES

- Class
- 4241. Orange
 - 4242. Other Marmalades

SECTION 19 - JUICES

- Class
- 4243. Vegetable Combination
 - 4244. Berry
 - 4245. Cherry
 - 4246. Grape
 - 4247. Tomato
 - 4248. Apple
 - 4249. Other Juices

SECTION 20 - PICKLE

- Class
- 4250. Sweet Whole
 - 4251. Bread and Butter
 - 4252. Dill
 - 4253. Sweet Cut
 - 4254. Beet
 - 4255. Watermelon
 - 4256. Mixed
 - 4257. Other Pickle

SECTION 21 - RELISH & SAUCES

- Class
- 4258. Tomato Sauce
 - 4259. Corn
 - 4260. Cucumber
 - 4261. Chili Sauce
 - 4262. Sweet Pickle Relish
 - 4263. Salsa
 - 4364. Barbecue Sauce
 - 4265. Pizza Sauce
 - 4266. Spaghetti (no meat)
 - 4267. Other Sauce
 - 4268. Other Relish

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SECTION 22 - FOOD PRESENTATION

Class

- 4269. Spreads - Must be presented in three different jars
- 4270. Vegetables - Must be presented in three different jars
- 4271. Fruits - Must be presented in three different jars
- 4272. Meats - Must be presented in three different jars
- 4273. Pickles - Must be presented in three different jars

FOOD DRYING

- 1. Only jelly or pint jars
- 2. All jars must be labeled and dated
- 3. All exhibits to be accompanied by a recipe and/or explanation
- 4. Mixes may only have 2 store bought items added.

SECTION 23 - MEAT

Class

- 4274. Dried
- 4275. Jerky

SECTION 24- FRUITS

Class

- 4276. Dried
- 4277. Roll-ups or Leather

SECTION 25 - VEGETABLES

Class

- 4278. Dried
- 4279. Roll-ups or Leather

SECTION 26 – MIXES

Class

- 4280. Trail Snacks
- 4281. Soups
- 4282. Other Mixes

SECTION 27 - SUPER CANNER

Superintendent - Kevin Kemper – 231-268-3535

Prizes to be announced - Plaque

Points will be awarded as follows:

1st - 3pts ; 2nd - 2pts ; 3rd - 1pt ; best of show-5pts

Class

- 4283. Super Canner

DEPARTMENT 42 - FINE ART

Superintendent - Jill Cortright 517-857-2207

Assistant Superintendent - Cheryl Platt - 517-857-3064

Ribbons

People's Choice Award (Public Balloting)

- 1. See open class rules.
- 2. Every painting and drawing must be ready to hang with wire and screw eyes attached. Entry tags must be completely filled out and attached to each exhibit. The superintendent reserves the right to refuse to accept any article not properly prepared.
- 3. Works should be exhibited without a visible signature. Tape may be used to conceal existing signatures.
- 4. Works to be completed within 3 years of current year.
- 5. Sections 1-3 open to amateur artists only: Section 4 open both amateurs and professionals.
- 6. Work must be original, no copies of other artist's or photographer's work which would constitute plagiarism. You may use as reference to composing your own work, but your work must be substantially different than your reference. **NO KITS ALLOWED.**
- 7. In judging, the following will be taken into consideration: originality, creativity, composition, contrast, color, perspective, line and texture. Not necessarily in that order.
- 8. Artists are invited to view judging as long as they are silent and do not interfere in any way with the judging. Questions may be directed to the judge after the whole department has been judged and the judge will discuss your work with you.
- 9. Judging will begin on Sunday at 1:00 ^{pm}

SECTION 1 - AMATEUR

(Ages 15 and up)

Class

- 4284. Oil, Landscape/Seascapes
- 4285. Oil, Still Life
- 4286. Oil, Human Forms and Portraits
- 4287. Oil, Animals and Birds
- 4288. Oil, Floral
- 4289. Oil, Architecture
- 4290. Acrylic, Landscape or Seascapes
- 4291. Acrylic, Still Life
- 4292. Acrylic, Human Forms and Portraits
- 4293. Acrylic, Animals and Birds
- 4294. Acrylic, Floral
- 4295. Acrylic, Architecture
- 4296. Watercolor, Landscape/Seascapes
- 4297. Watercolor, Still Life
- 4298. Watercolor, Human Forms and Portraits
- 4299. Watercolor, Animals and Birds
- 4300. Watercolor, Floral
- 4301. Watercolor, Architecture
- 4302. Pastels, Landscape or Seascapes
- 4303. Pastels, Still Life
- 4304. Pastels, Human Forms or Portraits
- 4305. Pastels, Animals and Birds
- 4306. Pastels, Floral
- 4307. Pastels, Architecture
- 4308. Pen & Ink

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- 4309. Drawings (lead or colored pencils, graphite, charcoal, grease pencils, felt tips)
- 4310. Any other media (identify media on tag, mixed media category must be able to be discernible to the eye)
- 4311. Abstracts
- 4312. Sculpture Assemblage

SECTION 2 - CHILDREN (Ages 7-9) State age on tag

- Class
- 4313. Painting (Oil, Acrylic or Watercolors)
 - 4314. Drawing (Pencil, Ink, Pastel, etc.)

SECTION 3 - CHILDREN (Ages 3-6) State age on tag

- Class
- 4315. Painting (Oil, Acrylic or Watercolor)
 - 4316. Drawing (Pencil, Ink, Pastel, etc.)

SECTION 4 - CHILDREN (Ages 10-14) State age on tag

- Class
- 4317. Painting (Oil, Acrylic or Watercolor)
 - 4318. Drawing (Pencil, Ink, Pastel, etc.)

SECTION 5 - AMATEUR & PROFESSIONAL

- Class
- 4319. "Michigan Heritage" (Historical event or structure that occurred, exists, or existed only in Michigan) Please present with this piece a typed description of what your entry depicts in the context of Michigan history and display with your work.

DEPARTMENT 43 – FOLK ARTS (AMATEURS) Superintendent - Deb Upright- 517-281-0347 Ribbons

SECTION 1

1. See open class rules.
- Class
- 4320. Any Ceramic
 - 4321. Ceramics, Electrical
 - 4322. Ceramics, Youth under 9 years
 - 4323. Wreath
 - 4324. Best Dressed Doll (homemade clothes)
 - 4325. Best Rag Doll or Doll Set
 - 4326. Bed or Decorative Doll
 - 4327. Best Stuffed Animal or Animals
 - 4328. Leather craft, handmade (tooled with dye)
 - 4329. Leather craft, handmade (tooled without dye)
 - 4330. Metal craft, handmade
 - 4331. String or Wire Art
 - 4332. Decorative Painting

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- 4333. Decorative Piece, Christmas
- 4334. Decorative Piece, Halloween
- 4335. Basket Weaving
- 4336. Stained Glass
- 4337. Any other craft not listed (no woodworking)

SECTION 2 - PICTURES

1. "Large" means handwork over 120 square inches.
- Class
- 4338. Needlepoint (framed, large)
 - 4339. Needlepoint (framed, small)
 - 4340. Crewel (framed, large)
 - 4341. Crewel (framed, small)
 - 4342. Cross-stitched or Embroidered (framed, large)
 - 4343. Counted Cross-stitched Animal (framed, large)
 - 4344. Cross-stitched Landscape (framed, large)
 - 4345. Counted Cross-stitched Flowers (framed, large)
 - 4346. Cross-stitched, other
 - 4347. Samplers (framed)
 - 4348. Wall hanging (other than Macramé)/non-quilted ready to hang.
 - 4349. Other
 - 4351. Scrapbooking
 - 4352. Trash to Treasure
 - 4353. Personalized Card & Stationary
 - 4354. Any Jewelry - Beaded or other
 - 4355. Fused Glass
 - 4356. Handmade Soap
 - 4357. Handmade Candles
 - 4358. Mosaic
 - 4359. Needle punch Article

SECTION 3 - CRAFTS AND NATURAL FIBERS (Amateurs)

1. See open class rules.
2. Educational markers for use after judging are encouraged and should be brought to display after judging.
3. Entries must be clean and free of odors and will be a judging factor.

- Class
- 4360. Wool - Hand spun, singles
 - 4361. Wool - Hand spun, piled
 - 4362. Exotic Fibers - Mohair, Angora
 - 4363. Santa Claus with natural wool beard
 - 4364. Item made of homespun yarn
 - 4365. Felled wool item
 - 4366. Hand dyed yarn

WOODWORKING

Superintendent - Deb Upright – 517-281-0347
Judging guidelines:

- Each of the following will be considered equally
1. Shape and Form
 2. Worthiness and/or Decorative Value
 3. Construction and Workmanship
 4. Finishing

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SECTION 4

Class

- 4367. Sculpture Wood
- 4368. Carved Wood Caricature
- 4369. Boxes and/or Chests
- 4370. Children's Toys
- 4371. Furniture
- 4372. Doll House (only)
- 4373. Decoy (fish, waterfowl, etc)
- 4374. Bird House and/or Feeder
- 4375. Mail Box
- 4376. Any other not listed above
- 4377. Wood craft, Youth under 9 years of age
- 4378. Refinished item

DEPARTMENT 44 - PHOTOGRAPHY

Superintendent – Julie Roth – 517-242-7087

Assistant Superintendent – Deb Ostertag – 517-290-6876

Ribbons

People's Choice Award (all entries) Public Balloting

1. See open class rules.
2. Amateur photographers only.
3. All exhibits must be neatly and attractively framed, ready for display. Photographs mounted in wood frames and/or any frame with glass MUST use wire, solidly attached. Absolutely no tape, staples, thumbtacks, or glue may be used. Entries will be rejected if determined to be unsafe to hang.
4. One entry per class. Exhibitors in Section 2 and 3 may enter in Section-1, if under 18 years of age please state age on entry tag.
5. Photograph may be black and white or color.
6. Superintendent reserves the right to refuse controversial entries.
7. No computer enhanced or altered photographs accepted for judging.

SECTION 1 - AMATEURS

Class

- 4379. Animal, Bird and Fowl (wild or domestic)
- 4380. Flowers and Plants
- 4381. Landscapes, Waterscapes, Ice and Snow
- 4382. Sunrise, Sunset and Silhouettes
- 4383. Buildings (commercial or domestic)
- 4384. Portraits, Statues, and People (no nudes)
- 4385. Action
- 4386. Special effects
- 4387. Any other

SECTION 2 - JUNIOR AMATEURS

(Ages 12-17) State age on tag

Class

- 4388. Animal, Bird and Fowl (wild or domestic)
- 2017

- 4389. Landscape, Waterscape and Buildings (commercial or domestic)
- 4390. Flowers and Plants
- 4391. Any other

SECTION 3 - CHILDREN AMATEURS

(Ages 11 and under) State age on tag

Class

- 4392. Animal, Bird and Fowl (wild or domestic)
- 4393. Landscape, Waterscape and Flowers
- 4394. Any other

DEPARTMENT 46 - AGRICULTURE

Superintendent – Gary Colles

Ribbons

1. All entries except corn and beans must have been grown in 2017. Wheat may be a 2016 crop
2. Hay exhibits will consist of two slices of hay from two Bales.
3. All exhibits are to be in place by Sunday, July 9th at 1:00 pm.
4. Exhibits are to be picked up by Sunday, July 16th at 10:30 am.

SECTION 1 - FORAGE CROPS

Class

- 4395. Alfalfa hay 1st cutting - (2017 crop)
- 4396. Alfalfa hay 2nd cutting - (2016 crop)
- 4397. Alfalfa hay 3rd cutting - (2016 crop)
- 4398. Alfalfa silage (any cutting)
- 4399. Corn silage (previous year's crop)
- 4400. High moisture shelled or ear corn (previous year's crop)

SECTION 2 - GRAIN AND SEEDS

Class

- 4401. Wheat - red (1 quart)
- 4402. Wheat - white (1 quart)
- 4403. Oats - any variety (1 quart)
- 4404. Barley - any variety (1 quart)
- 4405. Rye - any variety (1 quart)
- 4406. Beans - white navy (1 quart)
- 4407. Beans - kidney (1 quart)
- 4408. Beans - soy (1 quart)
- 4409. Clover - alsike (1 quart)
- 4410. Clover - June or mammoth (1 quart)
- 4411. Alfalfa - (1 quart)
- 4412. Largest ear of yellow dent corn *
- 4413. Corn - 10 ears, yellow dent *
- 4414. Shelled corn - (1 quart) *
- 4415. Corn - 10 ears, white *
- 4416. Corn - 3 stalks (no roots)
- 4417. Corn - tallest, 3 stalks (no roots)
- 4418. Soybean - tallest plant (no roots)
- 4419. Popcorn - 10 ears *

* 2016 crop ; 2017 crop

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SECTION 3 - SHEAVES OF GRAIN

Sheaves to 3 inches in diameter below heads

Class

- 4420. Sheaf of red winter wheat
- 4421. Sheaf of white winter wheat
- 4422. Sheaf of oats
- 4423. Sheaf of barley
- 4424. Sheaf of rye
- 4425. Sheaf of alfalfa

DEPARTMENT 47 - FLORICULTURE

Superintendent - Kevin Kemper – 231-268-3535

Assistant Superintendent - Melody Kemper

Ribbons

A score card will be used on all exhibits. All exhibits will be dropped one placing if any of the following apply: wrong number of blooms, extra foliage is added, exhibit is dirty, torn or bruised

1. See open class rules.
2. Exhibitors must furnish containers.
3. Do not display plant life protected by state law.
4. Amateurs only.
5. Not responsible for broken or damaged exhibits.

SECTION 1 - CUT FLOWERS

1. Each entry must contain the specified number of blooms or stalks with attached foliage. No additional foliage allowed in the cut flower class.
2. These flowers are judged on their individual merits and not on containers or foliage added for better arrangements. All entries must be grown by exhibitor.

Class

- 4426. Asters
- 4427. Bachelors Buttons - 6 blooms
- 4428. Cosmos - 3 stalks
- 4429. Dahlias, small decorative - 3 blooms
- 4430. Dahlias, best specimen - 1 only
- 4431. Daisy - 3 stems
- 4432. Lilies, yellow
- 4433. Lilies, orange
- 4434. Lilies, any other color
- 4435. Marigolds, small
- 4436. Marigolds, large
- 4437. Pansy - 6 blooms
- 4438. Petunias, plain
- 4439. Petunias, double
- 4440. Snapdragons
- 4441. Zinnia, large - 3 blooms
- 4442. Zinnia, small - 6 blooms
- 4443. Roses, hybrid tea - 3 stems
- 4444. Roses, miniatures
- 4445. Roses, climbers
- 4446. Roses, best collection - 3 different stems
- 4447. Cut flowers Sampler - 4 to 6 varieties
- 4448. Cut flowers, collection by color (blue, purple, green)

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- 4449. Cut flowers, collection by color (yellow, orange, red)
- 4450. Any other variety

SECTION 2 - ARRANGEMENTS

1. All exhibits must be made with fresh flowers.
2. Wilted flowers must be replaced when needed. Flowers must be freshened and replaced.
3. Silk flowers may only be used in silk flower classes.
4. Fillers may be bought and added to arrangements.
5. Best of Show to be awarded.

Class

- 4451. Color arrangement (using 3 to 5 different colors)
- 4452. Kitchen container arrangement
- 4453. Arrangement of love
- 4454. Wedding arrangement of fresh flowers
- 4455. Basket of flowers
- 4456. Wreaths
- 4457. Spring or summer arrangement (Silk)
- 4458. Christmas arrangement(Silk)
- 4459. Wall décor (Silk)
- 4460. Special occasion (Silk)
- 4461. Arrangement in vase (Silk)

SECTION 3 - POTTED PLANTS - FOLIAGE

1. All plants must be clean and healthy.
2. Please label all plants.

Class

- 4462. Coleus
- 4463. Ivy
- 4464. Ferns
- 4465. Succulents
- 4466. Foliage plant in an usual container
- 4467. Terrariums
- 4468. Any other foliage plant

SECTION 4 - POTTED PLANTS - FLOWERING

1. All plants must be clean, healthy and in bloom

Class

- 4469. African Violets
- 4470. Ivy Geraniums
- 4471. All other Geraniums
- 4472. Begonias, all varieties
- 4473. Any other flowering plant

SECTION 5 - MISCELLANEOUS COLLECTIONS

1. All plants to be labeled.
2. All plants to be clean.

Class

- 4474. Plant collection, 5 to 8 varieties, labeled.
- 4475. Herb collection, 5 to 8 varieties, labeled.
- 4476. Cactus collection
- 4477. Porch Box - Collection of at least eight to ten varieties.
- 4478. Hanging baskets.

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LANDSCAPING

Superintendent - Esther Dunham - 517-726-0496

Ribbons

1. Exhibitors must enroll between the dates of March 18st and April 1st by contacting the superintendent.
2. Project includes a notebook containing project sheets and flower bed design. (project sheets available through the superintendent.)
3. Project flowers on the fairgrounds must be planted on or before June 1st **and the exhibitor will care for the flowerbeds all season.**

SECTION 6 - ANNUALS

Class

- 4479. Individual
- 4480. Group

SECTION 7 - PERENNIALS

Class

- 4481. Individual
- 4482. Group

SECTION 8

COMBINATION OF ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS

Class

- 4483. Individual
- 4484. Group

SECTION 9

COMBINATION OF ANNUALS, PERENNIALS & SHRUBS

Class

- 4485. Individual
- 4486. Group

DEPARTMENT 48 - HORTICULTURE

Superintendent – Gary Colles

Ribbons

1. See open class rules.
2. Awards will be based on uniformity, color, size and freedom from disease and blemishes.
3. Entries must be labeled. All entries must be grown by exhibitor.

SECTION 1 - VEGETABLES

Class

- 4487. Beets - table - 5 specimens
- 4488. Beans - string - (12 pods green)
- 4489. Beans - string - (12 pods yellow)
- 4490. Broccoli - 1 bunch - 1 pound
- 4491. Carrots - table - 5 specimens
- 4492. Cabbage - 1 specimen
- 4493. Corn, sweet - 5 ears, yellow
- 4494. Corn, sweet - 5 ears, white
- 4495. Cucumbers - 5 specimens

- 4496. Dill - 6 specimens
- 4497. Hubbard - 1 specimen
- 4498. Other Winter Squash - 3 specimens
- 4499. Muskmelon - 1 specimen
- 4500. Onions, white or red - 5 (trimmed)
- 4501. Onions, yellow - 5 (trimmed)
- 4502. Peppers, green - 5 specimens
- 4503. Peppers, yellow - 5 specimens
- 4504. Peppers, any other kind - 5 specimens
- 4505. Potatoes, early white - 5 specimens
- 4506. Potatoes, early red - 5 specimens
- 4507. Pumpkin, field - 1 specimen
- 4508. Radish - 5 specimens
- 4509. Summer squash, yellow - 3 specimens
- 4510. Summer squash, other - 3 specimens
- 4511. Tomatoes, (ripe) - 5 specimens
- 4512. Tomatoes, (green) - 5 specimens
- 4513. Tomatoes, cherry - 12 specimens
- 4514. Watermelon - 1 specimen
- 4515. Largest Radish
- 4516. Largest Squash
- 4517. Largest Tomato
- 4518. Sunflower - tallest stalk
- 4519. Largest Potato
- 4520. Largest Pumpkin
- 4521. Parsnips - 5 specimens
- 4522. Eggplant - 1 specimen
- 4523. Peas - 12 pods
- 4524. Any other vegetable

DEPARTMENT 60

OPEN CLASS EXHIBITOR OF THE YEAR CONTEST \$25 Award and Plaque

SECTION 1

1. Open to those entering in open class.
2. Persons must have entries in at least three different Departments.
3. Persons must be a ribbon winner in all departments they are entered.
4. Exhibitor is determined on a point system, 1st : 3pts , 2nd : 2pts , 3rd : 1pt.
5. Person must receive highest totaled point count for the present year to win award. In case of a tie, the person with the highest number of first place ribbons will be the winner.
6. Exhibitor Of The Year Exhibits will be displayed in a special area.

Class

- 4525. Exhibitor of the year.

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“2017 BALL FRESH PRESERVING AWARD”

Jarden Home Brands makers of Ball and Kerr Preserving Products is proud to recognize today’s fresh preserving (canning) enthusiasts, so first and second place awards will be given to those individuals judged as the best in designated recipe categories. A panel of judges will select the two best entries submitted by an adult for fruit, vegetable, pickle and soft spread categories. Entries must be preserved in Ball Collection Elite Jars, sealed with Ball or Ball Collection Elite lids and bands or preserved in Kerr jars sealed with Kerr lids and bands or Ball collection Elite lids and bands. In addition, soft spread entries will be limited to recipes prepared using Ball Pectin Original. No sugar needed or liquid. A proof of purchase for Ball pectin must be provided at time of entry. Entries designated first place from each category will receive the following: Two (2) Five Dollar (\$5.00) coupons for Ball or Kerr fresh preserving products and One (1) Three Dollar (\$3.00) coupon for Ball simple Creations Products. Entries designated second place from each category will receive the following: Two (2) Five Dollar (\$5.00) coupons for Ball or Kerr Fresh Preserving Products.

FRUIT

First Place Fruit
Second Place Fruit

VEGETABLE

First Place Vegetable
Second Place Vegetable

PICKLES

First Place Pickles
Second Place Pickles

SOFT SPREADS

First Place Soft Spreads
Second Place Soft Spreads