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DEPARTMENTS E THROUGH P

Please Note: All Departments must be in place by Monday, August 29th at 8:00pm for Judging on Tuesday, August 30th.

Articles for Entries will be accepted Sunday, August 28th from 12:30pm-6:30pm and Monday, August 29th from 9am-8:00pm. All Judging will take place on Tuesday before the Fair opens on Wednesday at 10:00 am.

All Entry Forms Close on August 20th. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Entries must remain in place until 5:30 pm on Monday, Sept. 5th and must be removed by Tuesday, Sept. 6th by 4:00 pm. The Fair is not responsible for items left after 4:00 pm on Sept. 6th.

A meritorious ribbon may be awarded for an outstanding exhibit in Dept. E-P.

SPECIAL AWARDS

A special ribbon and monetary award will be awarded to those persons having 25 or more, 50 or more, 75 or more, and 100 or more entries in Dept. E-O. **Only one entry per lot.**

Judge may withhold prizes for insufficient merit and remove from public view any entry or part thereof which, in his/her opinion, discredits the exhibition

DEPARTMENT L: PLANTS AND FLOWERS

Truland Hall

Linda Hutchins, Superintendent

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Two or fewer entries in any variety of potted plants, cut-flowers, or arrangements are considered "no competition" and a first premium will be given ONLY if entry exhibits real merit. Generally, second premium will be the high award in such cases.
2. To make cut flowers and arrangements last longer, they should be cut at least 12 hours prior to use and conditioned as follows: Make a fresh cut of the stem and remove foliage below water line. Place flowers into a container of "warm" water to which a small amount of sugar (one tablespoon per gallon) has been added.
3. Commercial gardeners are deemed to be those persons who raise flowers for sale either wholesale or retail primarily as gainful occupation or grow or have grown for them flowers to be used in any manner whatsoever in the pursuit of a gainful occupation or who are engaged in the occupation of growing flowers as an agent or employee for a person, firm or corporation. Persons making casual sales of home grown plants or flowers are excepted from this category.
4. All varieties of plants or flowers exhibited for premiums must have the species name legibly and correctly written on entry tag.

5. Plants in pots entered for prizes must show skillful culture in the profusion of bloom and symmetry and vigor of specimens.

ONE ENTRY PER LOT.

Class 1. Potted Plants

All recognized varieties can be entered but must be grown by exhibitor and correctly named on entry tag. Points considered in judging: Shape, distinctiveness, perfection for growth or foliage and bloom. Any plant found to be harboring insects or showing signs of any virus, disease, or scale will be disqualified and removed from exhibition immediately.

Not open to professional florists. Plants must have been grown by exhibitor and correctly identified.

Lot

1. African Violet
2. African Violet, Miniature
3. Persian Violet
4. Aloe
5. Antherium
6. Arrowhead /Nephtytis
7. Aralia
8. Avocado
9. Baby's Tears
10. Begonia
11. Begonia, Tuberos Rooted
12. Begonia, Strawberry
13. Bonsai
14. Bridal Veil or Wreath
15. Bromelads
16. Cactus Collection (3)
17. Cactus, Prickly Type
18. Cactus Zygo, (Christmas or Thanksgiving)
19. Cereus, Night Blooming
20. Century Plant
21. Coleus
22. Croton
23. Creeping Charlie or pilea
24. Crown of Thorns
25. Chinese Evergreen
26. Dieffenbachia
27. Donkey/Burro's Tail
28. Dracena
29. Epicia
30. Fern, Asparagus
31. Fern, Boston, Fluffy Ruffles

<p>32. Fern, Rabbit's Foot 33. Ficus 34. Flowering Maple/Abutilon 35. Fruit Tree 36. Fuschia 37. Gardenia 38. Geranium 39. Geranium, Ivy 40. Geranium, Strawberry 41. Gloxinia 42. Hibiscus 43. Hoya 44. Impatiens 45. Ivy 46. Jade 47. Kalanchoe 48. Lantana 49. Prayer Plant(Maranta) 50. Moses in the Cradle 51. Mother of Millions 52. Mimosa (Sensitive Plant) 53. Nephytus 54. Norfolk Island Pine 55. Orchid—any variety 56. Oxalis 57. Palm Upright 58. Palm, Pony Tail 59. Pepperomia 60. Philodendron 61. Polka Dot 62. Pothos 63. Purple Passion 64. Pyrocanthus 65. Miniature Rose 66. Rosary Vine 67. Sanseveria 68. Scheffelia 69. Sedum Collection 70. Spathyphyllum 71. Spider Plant 72. Succulent Collection 73. Tradiscantia 74. String of Hearts 75. Ti Plant 76. Velvet Plant, Tradiscantia 77. Zebra Plant</p> <p>1st-\$2.00;2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00;4th-\$.75</p>	<p>Three specimens or three stems constitute an entry. Points considered in judging cut flowers are: uniform specimens, color, size, stem, scent. An exhibitor may not enter more than one exhibit in each class. List each variety numerically by class. No foliage should appear below container neck or water line. Place specimens in a clear glass container of appropriate size. Not open to commercial gardeners. Flowers must have been grown by exhibitor. Dead blooms will be disposed of. All specimens must have three (3) stems of the same variety, <u> tied loosely together with string or raffia.</u></p> <p>Lot</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ageratum 2. Alyssum 3. Amaranthus 4. Asters 5. Baby's Breath, gypsophillia, annual 6. Bachelor Buttons 7. Bells of Ireland 8. Blue Flax 9. Calendula 10. Candytuft 11. Celosia 12. Chrysanthemum 13. Clarkia 14. Cleome, Spider Flower 15. Cosmos 16. Dahlia 17. Dahlia, Dinner Plate 10" 18. Daisy, Gerbera 19. Dianthus 20. Four O'Clocks 21. Gladiolus 22. Helichrysum, Strawflower 23. Helianthus, Ornamental Sunflower 24. Heliotrope 25. Larkspur 26. Lavatera (Annual) 27. Lisianthus 28. Lobelia, Annual Creeping 29. Marigold, Large Flower 30. Marigold, Small Flower 31. Nasturtium 32. Nicotiana 33. Nigella (flowers, not pods) 34. Pansies 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 35. Petunia 36. Poppy 37. Portulaca 38. Salpiglossis 39. Salvia 40. Scarlet Runner 41. Snapdragon, Bean 42. Statice 43. Stock 44. Sweet Peas, Annual 45. Thunbergia 46. Tithonia 47. Torenia 48. Verbena 49. Xeranthemum 50. Zinnia <p>1st-\$2.00;2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00;4th-\$.75</p>
<p>Class 2. Specimens of Annual Cut Flowers</p> <p>All recognized varieties are eligible but must be correctly named on entry tag. "<i>Specimens of Woody Plants and Shrubs are not annuals and will be disqualified.</i>"</p>		<p>Class 3. Specimens of Perennial Cut Flowers (three stems of each perennial)</p> <p>Lot</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Achillea 2. Aconitum, Monkshood 3. Asclepias, Butterflyweed 4. Aster, Hardy Perennial 5. Astilbe 6. Baby's Breath, Perennial 7. Campanula, Canterbury Bells 8. Catanache, Cupid's Dart 9. Coreopsis 10. Daisy, Marguerite 11. Day Lily 12. Delphinium 13. Dicentra, Bleeding Heart 14. Digitalis, Foxglove 15. Echinacae, Purple Coneflower 16. Echinops, Globe Thistle 17. Gaillardia 18. Golden Glow 19. Hollyhocks 20. Lavatera, Perennial 21. Liatris 22. Lobelia, Cardinalis 23. Monarda/Bee Balm 24. Phlox 25. Phsysostegia, Obedient Plant 26. Platycodon, Balloon Flower 27. Rudbeckia, Gloriosa Daisy 28. Scabiosa 29. Sedum 30. Sweet Peas, Perennial 31. Shasta Daisy

- 32. Veronica
- 33. Viola
- 34. Bachelor Buttons, Perennial
- 35. Lily
 - 1st-\$2.00;2nd-\$1.50;
 - 3rd-\$1.00;4th;\$.75

Class 4. Arrangement of Cut Flowers And Container

Includes baskets, vases, or bowls of cut flowers and any type of bouquet in container of any suitable material. Flowering shrubs, foliages and berries may be used in arrangement. Points considered in judging arrangements: distinction, relationship of flowers and container, color, harmony, proportion, perfection of arrangement. 50% commercially grown flowers allowed.

Table Arrangement

(Not open to professional florists.)

Lot

- 1. Garden Flowers
- 2. Wild Flowers-NO INVASIVE OR PROTECTED SPECIES!
- 3. Dried Flowers
- 4. Tea Table arrangement
- 5. Minature flower arrangement collection—three (3) or more containers that do not exceed 3” in total height, including flowers.
 - 1st-\$5.00;2nd-\$4.00;
 - 3rd-\$3.00;4th-\$1.50

Class 5. Floor Arrangement

(Not open to professional florists.)

Lot

- 1. Garden Flowers
- 2. Wild Flowers (**NO INVASIVE OR PROTECTED SPECIES**)
- 3. Dried Flowers
 - 1st-\$5.00;2nd-\$4.00;
 - 3rd-\$3.00;4th-\$1.50

Class 6. Window Boxes or Patio Containers-maximum size—30”

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- 1st-\$3.00;2nd-\$2.00;
- 3rd-\$1.00;4th-\$.50

Class 7. Dish Garden

Container should not exceed 10” in width and be no more than 6” deep.

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- 1st-\$5.00;2nd-\$3.00;3rd-\$2.00

Class 8. Decorated Wreaths—any type

Lot

- 1. Dried flowers
- 2. Live plants
- 3. Herbs and/or vegetables
- 4. Fresh flowers
 - 1st-\$10.00;2nd-\$7.00;3rd-\$5.00
- 5. Seasonal
- 6. Fabric
- 7. Ribbon
- 8. Cones
- 9. Vine/Willow
- 10. Corn Husk
- 11. Straw
 - 1st-\$3.00;2nd-\$2.00;3rd-\$1.00

Class 9. Terrarium

(must be covered)

Lot 1. Desert Plants, Cactus, and/or Succulents

Lot 2. Moisture-loving plants.

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- 1st-\$5.00;2nd-\$3.00;3rd-\$2.00