

Open Fine Arts Entry Sunday July 28, 2024, Noon - 3:00PM
"Droste Hall" Building
Admission: \$1.50 per entry

- Exhibits should arrive at the Droste Hall building at the fairgrounds between Noon - 3:00PM on Sunday, July 28rd, 2023. NO LATER!
- No pre-entry is required but we now have a pre-registration form you can fill out prior to make things quicker and easier!
- Classes in this division are open to anyone who wishes to exhibit.

There will be a Junior Division for ages 0-13.

4-H'ers cannot enter the same exhibit in both 4-H classes and open classes. Example: if a 4-H'er enters a plate of cookies in the 4-H food class, he or she cannot enter a plate of the same in the open class division.

Entries will be accepted from **residents of Bremer County and the adjoining County's Butler, Chickasaw, Fayette etc (This is a change)**

There will be a \$1.50 per item entry fee, which goes toward the purchase of prizes and ribbons.

- **No more than 2 items per category but can enter in several classes.**
- Exhibits entered in previous years are not eligible for exhibit.
- Items must have been made within **the last 5 years.**
- The exhibit area (Droste Hall building will be closed during judging and set up on Sunday July 28th.
- **Not responsible for accidents, loss or damage to items submitted.**

Class 1 – Open Fine Arts

If the item is larger than 8x10, the exhibitor must include a method to mount, display with a firm back or support and easel.

- A. Oil Painting
- B. Acrylic Painting
- C. Watercolor Painting
- D. Fabric Painting
- E. Drawings (charcoal, pencil, acrylic, or colored pencil) please limit the size of these items!
- F. Creative Writing
- G. Scrap booking (must have a page protector, no more than 2 pages per entry)
- H. Holiday novelties
- I. Wreaths
- J. Silk or dried floral arrangements

- K. Ceramics
- L. Clay or Pottery
- M. Small creative items
- N. Beading
- O. Stained Glass
- P. Leather
- Q. Metal work
- R. Other

Class 2 – Open Photography

Entries must be at least 5”x 7” in size and mounted, NO Glass to allow judge to see the photos by the naked eye. It can be framed and **no larger than an 8x10**. No more than 2 per category
Must indicate if picture is 35 mm or digital.

- A. Color
 - A1. Color Digital
- B. Black and White
 - B1 Black and White Digital
- C. Digitally Enhanced Black and White
 - C1. Digitally Enhanced Color

Class 3 – Open Woodworking

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| A. Turning | F. Outdoor |
| B. Carving | G. Inlay |
| C. Toys | H. Intarsia |
| D. Scroll work | I. Home Accessories |
| E. Furniture | J. Other |

Class 4 – Open Textiles

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| A. Pillows/Pillowcases | |
| B. Afghan | J. Holiday Sewing |
| C. Tablecloths/Runners | K. Knitting |
| D. Embroidery | L. Crocheting |
| E. Counted Cross Stitch Embroidery | M. Tatting |
| F. Needlework | N. Weaving |
| G. Needlepoint | O. Felting |
| H. Quilts | P. Fabric Crafts |
| I. Small Quilted Items | Q. Serger Sewing |
| | R. Rugs |

Class 5 – Open Clothing

- A. Toddlers
- B. Children

- C. Men's
- D. Women's

Open Horticulture Exhibits

Class 6 - Vegetable Classes

All exhibits must be brought on a sturdy paper plate or cardboard and covered with a plastic/zip lock bag or wrapped in saran wrap. **Limit of one exhibit of each kind of vegetable.**

Apples – 3 specimens

Snap Beans – 6 pods.

Beets – 3 specimens

Broccoli – 3” head

Cabbage – 1 head

Carrots – 3 specimens

Cauliflower – 1 head

Celery – 1 bunch

Cucumber – 5 pickling or 3 slicing.

Dill – 2 heads tied together.

Eggplant – 1 specimen

Fruit – Cherries, raspberries - exhibit 1 Cup

Garlic – 3 specimens

Herbs – 3 different kinds,

1 sprig of each– 3 or 10

Kohlrabi – 2 specimens

Leafy greens – 1 plant in clear bottle

Leeks – 2 specimens

Lettuce – 1 plant

Green Onions – 5 tied together.

Okra - 3

Parsley – 5 sprigs in a clear bottle

Parsnips - 3

Peas – 6 pods

Peppers - 2 specimens

Potatoes - 3

Pumpkin – 1 or 3 minis

Spinach – 1 plant

Squash – 2 summer

Squash – 1 winter

Sweet corn – 2 ears

Tomatoes – 3 or 10 cherries

Turnips – 3 specimens

Watermelon - 1

Class 7 - Vegetable basket display

It must include 5 or more vegetables attractively displayed in a basket not larger than one-half bushel size.

Class 8 – Fresh Flowers and Flower Arrangements

Garden flower specimen – **Use a glass vase, no plastic.**

- A. Spike
- B. Stem
- C. Spray
- D. Kitchen Sunshine- Any kind of fresh flowers in a kitchen container.
- E. Houseplants
- F. Patio Plants
- G. Homegrown dried arrangement
- H. Fairy Gardens
- I. Other

Open Home and Family Exhibits

Each item of baked goods will be judged on taste, texture, and presentation. **Ingredients and recipe should be provided with each entry.**

All jars must be displayed **with** rings. **Ingredients and recipe should be provided with each entry.**

Class 9 – Foods

- A. Yeast Bread – 1 loaf/ rolls
- B. Quick Breads/Muffins/Fruit and Nut Breads – 1 loaf, muffins – plate of 7
- C. Pastries
- D. Cookies a plate of 7
- E. Candy, 3 or more to be displayed nicely on small plate.
- F. Jams/Jellies (1 clear sealed jar, not paraffin, labeled with method)
- G. Canned Vegetables/Fruits (1 clear sealed jar, labeled with method)
- H. Canned Pickles/Relishes (1 clear sealed jar, with method)
- I. Pie (no cream pies and no cream cheese)
- J. Cake/Cupcakes) 1 cake or 4 Cupcakes
- K. Themed Cakes - "Adventures Galore in 2024". No limits or requirements for themed cakes

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Contact Superintendent Renee Neil at 319 404 8264 for more information.

To pre-register click on this link: **Basic Fine Arts Registration Form** in the form list in website.