

JUDGES SCHOOL SCHEDULED

On Wednesday, January 22, 2025 the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs and the Pennsylvania Farm Show will host a Judge's School during the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs Convention at the Hershey Lodge and Convention Center. You may choose two breakout sessions to attend.

The day starts at 12:30 PM with an orientation session on ethics in the judging process. This is followed by the six sessions.

Here are some thoughts on Sessions for this year:

- Baking and Canning Department 15 • Group Exhibits Department 20
- House Plants Department 17 • Youth Items Department 11
- Fruits and Nuts Department 14 • Crafts Department 19

The first session is from 1:20 - 2:30 PM and the second is from 2:35 - 3:55 PM. The fee for the school is \$15.00 per person.

A certificate of attendance is given to all participants who complete the program. This is NOT a certification.

By mid-February the "PSACF Suggested Judges List" is compiled and goes online on the Fair Association website, www.pafairs.org. Many fairs have found it very helpful in finding qualified judges.

If you are planning to participate in Judges School, you need to pre-register and send your payment by January 4, 2025. Send your name, address, phone number and e-mail to Jana Mellott, 1432 Trails End Road Harrisonville, Pa. 17228. You may register via email at auntjana@embarqmail.com with payment mailed. If paying at the convention please make those arrangements ahead of the school.

Judge's School Registration

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

If affiliated with a fair, give name of fair: _____

Session 1 _____ Session 2 _____

Number of People ____ @ \$15.00 = \$_____ (list additional names below)

Return form and check **payable to PSACF** • 1432 Trails End Road • Harrisonville, PA 17228

Registration may be called in. Phone 717-571-8637. Please register by January 4, 2025.