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Dear Exhibitors,

1st Vice President Thomas E. Smiarowski WELCOME BACK!

2nd Vice President Earle M. Parsons I think we were all encouraged by the news that all Massachusetts businesses can now operate at 100% capacity. Therefore, the 2021 Three County Fair is moving forward for September 3-6, our 204% consecutive agricultural fair!

Secretary
Sandra Stanisewski

We missed you and even though we were able to operate the Fair last year in a very limited capacity with just a handful of competitions, we are so thrilled to welcome everyone back. In fact, we expect more entries than ever since many people found themselves with free time and becoming experts in baking banana bread in the early days of the pandemic!

Treasurer George Shafer

For 2021, you can expect the terrific food vendors, demolition derbies, live music & variety shows, fun & fantastic carnival rides & games and so much more that makes our Great Late Summer Fair a favorite annual tradition. But as always, your participation in these competitions is what makes the Three County Fair so special and helps keep agriculture and its purpose alive in the region we represent.

Assistant Treasurer Mark Vaclavicek

On behalf of our Board of Directors and Staff, thank you for participating and supporting the Three County Fair and we hope that the 2021 edition of the Fair will be one that you will treasure for years to come.

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ONLINE ENTRIES

YOU MAY MAKE YOUR ENTRIES ONLINE AT http://Three.Fairmanager.com OR AT www.threecountyfair.com . In addition, entries may be made via the ShoWorks Passport App on tablets or cell phones.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

- 1. All entries must be sent to each Department Superintendent by the entry close date listed in each department.
- 2. Individual exhibits can enter in but one individual class.
- 3. Exhibitors will furnish their own hay, grain and bedding.
- 4. Entry fees must accompany each entry if required.
- 5. All reasonable precautions will be taken by the Society for the safe keeping of animals and articles entrusted to its care, but all exhibits are received upon the condition that: The Society shall not be responsible for any loss or damage, that may occur to animals or articles on exhibit for any reason. Exhibitors, contestants, and/or participants agree to be solely responsible for any loss, injury to, damage done, occasioned by arising from any exhibit, equipment, animal, or person and to defend and indemnify the Society and the management thereof against all claims and liability in regard thereto. In view of this understanding, exhibitors, contestants, and/or participants may deem it advisable to obtain appropriate liability insurance.
- 6. Placing will be awarded on the basis of quality and requirements of the class. The decision of the Judge will be final.
- 7. The Committee, Judge, Department Superintendent or Fair Management reserves the right to reject any and/or all exhibits they feel are not desirable.
- 8. It is suggested that Fair exhibitors read the rules as given in the Premium List and follow the Premium List exactly. If you have any questions, contact the Superintendents.
- 9. Youth exhibits are for boys and girls 9 through 19 years of age as of January 1ST of the current year, unless otherwise specified.

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE LIVESTOCK BARNS OR EXHIBIT HALLS. EXHIBITORS CAUGHT DRINKING OR INTOXICATED WHILE SHOWING THEIR LIVESTOCK WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED

THE THREE COUNTY FAIR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJUST PREMIUMS PAID TO EXHIBITORS AS LISTED HEREIN, SHOULD THE FINANCIAL RESULTS OF THE 2021 FAIR PROVE INSUFFICIENT TO MEET THESE LISTED AMOUNTS

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2021 Animal Health Rules for Fairs and Shows

Special Note: Massachusetts COVID-19 response orders supersede all other exhibition guidance. Please visit mass.gov/covid-10updates for the most current information and updates.

In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance of the fair.

NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

A. General Rules for All Animals: See M.G.L. c. 128 §2C, 129 §2

- 1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry.
- 2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL.
- 3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly-licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.

4. Official ID: See Final Rule: Summary of Traceability for Livestock Moved Interstate (Summary of general Requirements by Species)

All livestock must have proper official, individual ID as required for the species, e.g., official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag, or microchip. Registration forms must accompany health certificates when used as part of official identification.

5. Health Certificates: --

One Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment may be moved. Note that *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter period of time and may have additional language, movement and permit requirements.

For the 2021 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have official certificates of veterinary inspection (OCVIs) that meet the following requirements:

- a. **MA**, and RI: OCVIs issued on or after **January 1, 2021** may be used for those animals being shown at multiple fairs and shows in CT, **MA**, and RI through the 2021 show/fair season ending October 31, 2021. *i.* CT and ME: An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact CT Dept. of Agriculture (860-713-2504) or ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for permits or questions.
- **ii.** MA -Note: **The Big E Fairgrounds** in West Springfield requires a CVI issued within the prior 30 days for all **horses** entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition.
- *iii.* NH: * * NH: To qualify for the extended CVI, animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2021 to participating NH fairs and shows from **July 1 to October 31**. **The extended CVI is not available for animals that do not reside in New England**. *Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits*.
- *iv.* ***VT: Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802-828-2421) for specific import requirements that deviate from the general information in this letter and must be met for legal import of livestock.
- b. A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited. MA animals being shown ONLY in MA may substitute a signed, dated latter on the letterhead of an accredited veterinarian for an OCVI if all required information is included and all additional requirements are met.
- c. Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one health certificate with appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate. i. A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the official health certificate (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show.
- ii. That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/ exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s).
- d. An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal is expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written.
- e. The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the "destination" on the OCVI form. In addition, "See attached list" or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included.
- f. Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were actually on the show/fairgrounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check-in.
- g. Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2021 for health reasons it must have a new health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement.
- h. Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or changes to state legislation.

All petting zoos are required to have a USDA APHIS Exhibitor's License (as needed) and valid 2021 health certificates.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH SPECIES ARE LISTED BELOW

- B. Cattle: See M.G.L. c. 129 §§2, 39 and 330 CMR 4.04(2).
- 1. **TB** and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from **TB-Accredited** and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, cowpox and open or draining wounds.
- 2. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all cattle be currently vaccinated for rabies.
- 3. Note: The Big E is requiring RFID official identification tags for all cattle entering the Big E Fairgrounds premises in 2021. Other fairs may add this requirement. Contact fair office with questions. 1. No poultry will be admitted to a fairground until it has been individually inspected.
- 2. All poultry must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: infectious bronchitis, coryza, pullorum-typhoid, fowl-pox, external parasites and laryngotracheitis.
- 3. Each bird must be accompanied by written proof (ID card or test report) that the breeding flock was blood-tested negative for pullorum-typhoid within one year prior to entry date.
- 4. Birds from guarantined states will not be permitted entry.
- 5. All birds over 16 weeks of age as of January 1, 2021 shall be individually leg banded with a state leg band. This includes out of state exhibitors.
- 6. No bird vaccinated for laryngotracheitis within thirty days of the fair will be admitted.
- 1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States
- 2. All goats and kids presented, regardless of age, must be individually listed and identified on the health certificate. All goats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. All goats must also be free of sore mouth and scrapie exposure.
- 3. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508-363-2290.
- 1. **TB** and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from **TB-Accredited** and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795).
- 2. All Camelids originating from outside the Commonwealth are required to be tested for Blue Tongue. Exception: Animals from a USDA declared "Low Incident State" are exempt. New England and New York are low incident states.
- 3. All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds.
- C. Poultry: See M.G.L. c. §§2, 129, and 330 CMR 5.02.
- D. Goats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, 9 CFR 79.6 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. and in-state animals.
- E. Camelids (Llamas, Alpacas, etc.): See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, M.G. l. c. 131, §23 ,321 CMR 9.02.

F. Swine: See M.G.L. c. 129 §14E, 330 CMR 11.04(2), 9 CFR 71.19

- 1. All swine must be identified by an official eartag or registration.
- 2. Swine must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, manage and open or draining wounds.
- 3. No person shall import into Massachusetts from outside the state any swine which have been pseudorables vaccinated. M.G.L. c. 129 §14E.
- 4. No person shall import into Massachusetts swine from Stage I or Stage II Pseudorabies States.
- 5. All swine shall originate from qualified pseudorabies-free herds or monitored herds in qualified pseudorabies free States only. The pseudorabies status of the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. 1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508-363-2290.
- 2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which soremouth has existed or in which soremouth Vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days.
- 3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies. 1. All equines entering a Massachusetts fairground must have a valid health certificate.
- 2. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: mange, ringworm, soring, strangles, and open or draining wounds.
- 3. All equines originating from within and outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative USDA-approved EIA test (i.e., Coggins test or ELISA test) dated within twelve months of entry.
- 4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies, tetanus, EEE and WNV within one year of the fair.
- 1. All dogs and cats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: kennel cough, distemper, hepatitis, parvo, ringworm and mange.
- G. Sheep: See 9 CFR 79 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.
- H. Equine: M.G.L. c. 128 §§2C, 44, 330 CMR 16.05.

Note: The Big E Fairgrounds in West Springfield requires a CVI issued within the prior 30 days for all equines entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition.

I. Rabbits: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2

Rabbits must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: rabbit hemorrhagic Disease Virus 2 (RHDV2), snuffles, wet tail, and skin and ear infections.

- J. Dogs and Cats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §39G
- 2. All dogs and cats must be accompanied by a valid and current vaccination certificate for rabies. Contact the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health at 617-626-1797 or 617-626-1795 for further information.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Accredited Veterinarians Exhibitors and Show Inspectors

FROM: New England State Veterinarians

CT Dr. Bruce Sherman (acting) RI Dr. Scott Marshall
NH Dr. Stephen K. Crawford ME Dr. Michele Walsh
MA Dr. Lorraine O'Connor VT Dr. Kristin M. Haas

SUBJECT: Livestock Health Certificates for the 2021 Show Season

DATE: April 5, 2021

Special Notice: State COVID-19 response orders supersede all other exhibition guidance.

Contact the state where animals will be exhibited for the latest updated

information.

Currently an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) is required for each state for every animal movement across state lines. Animals crossing state lines must be properly (officially) identified per federal and state Animal Disease Traceability requirements. Each state to which an animal travels needs to be contacted to verify that all traceability and movement permit requirements are met before shipping.

Recognizing that during the agriculture and fair and show season exhibition animals may be moving to multiple states and locations within a state, the New England state veterinarians, working through the New England States Animal Agricultural Security Alliance (NESAASA), have developed a new protocol to facilitate animal movement. The New England State Veterinarians have agreed to allow a show/fair certificate to be valid for the show season provided that they are in compliance with all federal and state ADT rules.

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For the 2021 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have official certificates of veterinary inspection (OCVIs) that meet the following requirements:

• CT, MA, ME and RI: OCVIs issued on or after January 1, 2021 may be used for animals being shown at fairs and shows in CT, MA, ME and RI through the 2021 show/fair season ending October 31, 2021.

o Special Note on The Big E, West Springfield, MA: All horses shown at The Big E Fairgrounds premises must have a CVI dated within the prior 30 days in 2021.

• *CT and ME: An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact CT Dept. of Agriculture (860-713-2504) or ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for permits or questions.

- * * NH: Animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2021 to participating NH fairs and shows from July 1 to October 31, 2021. Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits.
- ***VT: The fair season is defined as May 1- October 31, 2021. Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802-828-2421) for specific import requirements and permits.
- A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited.
- Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one health certificate with appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate.
- An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal is expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written.
- o A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the official health certificate (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show.
- o That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/ exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s).
- The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the "destination" on the OCVI form. In addition, "See attached list" or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included.
- Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were actually on the show/fairgrounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check- in.
- Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2021 for health reasons it must have a new health certificate issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement.
- Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or changes to state legislation.

Remember: One certificate for shows in CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, and VT. Contact each state for specific requirements. Import permits are issued by each individual state and must be listed on the OCVI. The list of events, with dates and locations, where the animals are expected to be shown must accompany the OCVI. Use one certificate per species. All animals must be listed individually, with appropriate official ID numbers and physical descriptions.

Sick animals may not be shipped anywhere.

Please contact the destination state for import/ exhibition permits or with any questions about movement requirements:

CT 860-713-2504 VT 802-828-2421 NH 603-271-2404 ME 207-287-3701 MA 617-626-1797 RI 401-222-2781, ext. 4515

Massachusetts Fairs Association Rules Governing "Pulling Contests"

Approved by

Mass. Department of Agricultural Resources Bureau of Fairs Pulling Rules- Updated 12/2/18

Rules prefixed **O** apply to oxen only.
Rules prefixed **H** applies to horses only.
Rules prefixed **P** applies to ponies only.
All other rules apply equally to horses, ponies & oxen

- 1. The fairs pulling events committee, shall be charged with promulgating and enforcing all rules and guidelines pertaining to pull events in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The committee shall consist of two members representing the Mass. Department of Agricultural Resources, the Mass. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Mass Pairs Association, Pull Superintendent, Pull judges, pony pull association, horse pull association and the oxen pull association.
- 2. There shall be a fair superintendent and up to three judges in charge at all drawing contest. They shall be vested with the authority to disqualify any team or driver for any cause that in their judgment might be detrimental to the best interest of the public, animals or the organization conducting the contest. An official will be designated to determine the proper use of the reins, whip or goad stick. The sole responsibility of 1 judge is to just JUDGE THE CLASS and to ensure compliance with the rules and regulations.
- 3. The judges and superintendent shall be qualified in stone boat contests and shall have full jurisdiction to decide the weight of the load at any time and to decide anything relative to the actual drawing.
- 4. Any individual, firm or corporation found guilty of administering drugs, which may affect the conduct, actions, endurance, strength, speed or performance of any animal competing in any pulling competition within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shall forfeit all prize monies won that day.
 - Any infractions cited or suspensions in the New England States will be upheld in Massachusetts per our reciprocal agreement with those states. Notices of suspensions will come from the Department Of Agricultural Resources and are expected to be followed by all the Mass. Fairs.
 - First offense would consist of a \$500.00 fine and a 30-day suspension to be served from May 15 through October 30. A Second Offense within a five (5) year period from the first offense will result in a \$1,000 fine and a 1-year suspension; a third offense (within 3 years of the second or 8 years of the first) will result in the teamster being barred for a period of 10 years from the date of the third offense, to be served from May 15 through October 30. The teamster at the completion of the suspension, may at that time, petition to return into the pulling ring after a review and hearing before the Massachusetts Pulling Committee. Any Teamster who refuses to assist the Vet in testing any animal, or refuses to have an animal tested, will be guilty of a drug violation. Suspension to be served between May 15 and October 30. All fines are payable to the Mass. Fairs Drug Testing Fund and should be mailed to Rose M. Sherman 795 Old North Rd., Worthington, MA 01098.
- 5. Any owner and/or teamster who has been convicted or found in violation in any other states statute relating to the use of drugs or stimulants, or other animal protection statute shall be barred from participation in any contest, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the period prescribed by that state. All testing will be done before the first load or after the last load for a team.
- 6. Any team disqualified by an agent of Humane Society appointed under Chapter 22C, Section 57, of The M.G.L. shall be taken out of the contest immediately. Before any team is taken out there should be consultation among the Humane Society, superintendent and judges, and may be announced to the public by the judges.

- 7. All participants will be properly dressed. Any driver, judge or superintendent, hitcher, family member, raker, pinner, measurer, tractor driver or spectator, who had been drinking alcoholic beverages will be disqualified from the contest and removed from pulling area. Breathalyzers may be used at pulling events to determine if an individual has been drinking. The reading will show a 0.04 tolerance. The drinking of alcoholic beverages in and around the ring is prohibited. Any foul or abusive language to the public or anyone connected with the draw, by the driver or his helper, will cause the driver and team to be disqualified immediately. First offense may result in fines up to \$250.00; and 2 weeks suspension. Second offense within a 5 year period of the first offense, may result in a one-year suspension and fines up to \$1,000; Third offense (within 3 years of the second or 8 years of the first) will result in the teamster being barred for a period of 10 years from the date of the third offense, to be served from May 15 through October 30. The teamster at the completion of the suspension, may at that time, petition to return into the pulling ring after a review and hearing before the Massachusetts Pulling Committee. Moneys collected to be sent to address listed under #4
- Sores and abrasions caused or likely to be irritated by the beating surface of harnesses or yokes will deem the animal unfit for use in the contest, decision to be made by superintendent or judges. Any lame animal will not be allowed to pull. Lameness, mechanical in nature and doesn't cause pain or suffering as certified by a licensed veterinarian on a health certificate dated within the previous twelve months will be allowed to pull.
- 9. Teams deemed uncontrollable or teamsters losing control that goes beyond the defined pit area, will immediately be disqualified by the Superintendent or judges and removed from the contest. Each fair will mark a defined pit area and make it known at the Driver's meeting prior to each class. In addition, any driver that pulls the load beyond the defined pit area will be penalized-First offense will be loss of that hitch; Second offense is disqualification for the day and forfeit of the entire day's premiums.
- 10. **HP**-All horses and ponies to compete in contest, other than Free- For- All teams, shall be weighed in no earlier than three hours before the first class. Horses will be marked by numbers when weighed. Check weighing will be permitted before the three-hour period prior to the first class. Horses must wear halters while on scale. All horses and ponies will be weighed in the presence of a delegate appointed by the fair, organization or person who is conducting the contest. The delegate shall present weigh- bill to the teamsters, a copy of which is to be kept by said delegate, certifying the horses or ponies name and description as certified by a negative Coggins certified, the exact time of weighing. The scale shall be balanced with a person standing on it, this person will hold all horses or ponies. The person holding horses or ponies shall be appointed by the delegate if he/she is unable to do this himself/herself. The delegate must sign the weighing certificate. It is the judge's discretion whether animal can be weighed with or without blanket coverage.

All weights are to be advertised and may be subject to change at the discretion of the fairs.

11. **O**-All oxen will be weighed in front of the sponsoring delegate; all weight classes shall be under 2400 lbs., 2401 lbs-2800 lbs., 2801-3200 lbs., over 3200 lbs. and or Free For All.

Revised to read- all weight classes shall be posted in the fair book, online if possible prior to day of event. Subject to the discretion of the fair.

12. **O**-All weigh classes will increase 100 pounds, for the Labor Day weekend events and remain until the end of the season.

H-All weight classes will increase by 1% for the Labor Day weekend events and remain until the end of the season.

P-All owners/ponies must be measuring by the N.E. Draft Pony Association to pull in a contest. All weigh classes shall be under 1200 lbs., 1200-1400 lbs.; 1400-1800 lbs. and over.

The pony classes may use heights instead of weights all ponies to be measured prior to the event

- 13. **H**-Horse weigh classes; 1 day event, less than 3000 lbs. 3001 lbs.-3300 lbs., -3301 bs-3600 lbs. Free-For-All. 2-day events weights will be at the discretion of the fair.
- 14. **HPO**-Once a team has been weighed in; there will be no switching of horses, ponies or oxen. Split owner teams will be allowed to compete for premiums. Any claimed owner must remain his horse, pony, or oxen for the duration of contest.

- 15 **HPO**-Starting load: maximum load of 4000 pounds for all weight classes and 5000 lbs. Free-For-All classes. Added loads in each class at the discretion of the judges depending on type of pit. At no time after weight has been increased, may it be decreased.
- 16. Pulling positions to be determined by the drawing of numbers just before starting of each class.
- 17. All teamsters to compete in contest shall have their teams ready at the published time and MUST attend drivers meeting. All classes will close at the completion of the first heat in each class.
- 18. There shall be a time limit of five (5) minutes. Time will be taken out while the boat is positioned for the next hitch. The time will be kept by the announcer, or appointed timekeeper.
- 19. **Method of pull:** Three hitches with a 5-minute time limit. The boat to be pulled back to the starting pin after hitch. There will be no heading of horses. Teams to be driven by one teamster only. Starting point of the boat shall be properly marked to indicate same starting point for all loads. The distance of each pull will be measured from the center of the boat to the most recent pin. All teams will be allowed three hitches to qualify the load. The boat shall be returned to starting pin after each hitch.
 - **OPTION:** Oxen pullers may have the option to have 5 hitches from the pin while staying hooked to the boat, with a 5 minute time limit. At no time should the boat begin at 72" or more from the pin. Teamsters may request that the boat be set back to the pin. **5 HITCH PULLS MUST BE PUBLICLY PRE-ADVERTISED PRIOR TO THAT DAY.**
- 20. **P-**Use of reins is prohibited for any purpose other than to guide the team. Hats and hands on hindquarters only. Hands must be in sight at all times.
- 21. **H**-One inch or more constitutes a hitch. **O**-Two inches or more constitutes a hitch.
- 22. **P**-3 Inches or more constitutes a hitch.
- 23. **Breakdown:** An actual separation, breaking or bending of equipment shall constitute a breakdown. In the event teamster and/or owner wishes credit for the distance the boat moved before breakage, it would constitute a hitch.
- 24. **Over the rail:** If an animals foot strikes dirt outside the rail it constitutes a hitch with no credit for the distance pulled. Teams must remain within the rail while hitched to the boat. **The team must be unhooked from the boat if they step over the rail.**
- 25. Any team deliberately driven over the rail will be disqualified from the contest.
- 26. All teams shall remain in the ring, at all times, until class is completed, unless excused by the judge.
- 27. In case of a tie on longest distance, the second longest distance already pulled will take the top placing.
- 28. **Changing teamsters:** No teamster may be changed after pulling the first load in any class except in emergency, then only when permitted by the judges.
- 29. HP-Interference of Evener Men. No assistance other than hitching. Evener men WILL NOT go ahead of evener, and are to remain silent and do no waving of arms while a team is being set up or is hitched to the load.
- 30. **O**-Hitchers will not be allowed to twist tails or use the chain or any other device to stimulate the cattle. They cannot carry anything in their hands but the chain to hitch the cattle. They then shall stand back of boat at a distance prescribed by the judge.
- 31. Classes shall be as publicized in Premium Booklet or by the Fair/Pull.
- 32. **O-**A twisted whip with a braided lash or a goad stick may be used in the pit or on the fairgrounds. The goad stick must not be over 4 feet long, over 3200 lbs. 5 ft. and must not exceed half inch diameter on the small end. The goad stick may be taped with black tape but not weighted. The goad shall have no brad in it. Plastic goad sticks may be used, but must be wrapped with black tape. Any driver causing a welt, swelling or drawing blood with the whip or goad stick will be fined \$100.00 dollars per infraction. Second offenses may include suspensions.
- 33. **O**-The whip or goad stick shall only be used to guide the oxen outside of the pit area. The whip or goad stick may be used lightly to place the oxen, after being hitched to the boat. Then the oxen may be touched 2 times only while the boat is in motion, **2** hits only.

- 34. **O**-The chain shall not be hitched to the boat while it is under, around or in front of the oxen;s legs. (Only when the chain is between the animals.)
- 35. **O**-No driver shall strike the ox in the face except to guide the animal with an open hand. The goad stick or whip may be used lightly in the area of the animal's ears and horns for setting of the animal only. No use of ropes, halters, nose rings or hands used as a twitch on the nose or in the nostrils, will be allowed.
- 36. The only persons allowed in the pit area are Fair Officials, drivers, the person hitching the boat, agents of the Humane Society appointed under chapter 22C, Section 57, M.G.L. and the Bureau of Fairs Inspectors, only pertinent personnel allowed as the discretion of the Judges.
- 37. **O**-All calves over the age of twelve (12) months must be castrated to show or enter any classes.
- 38. **O**-Age of oxen and steers should be judged as of day of event.
- 39. **H**-The number of times a horse draws will be left up to the discretion of the fair.
- 40. **OHP**-No animals will be blind folded. Open bridles will be allowed, but blinders must be properly attached so as to not be free swinging or bent around so that it causes discomfort to the horse's eyes.
- 41. **H**-In horse pulls the use of reins as a whip is prohibited. The light use of reins on entry (**Check Slaps are to be allowed**) to the pit and while team is making its draw, reins, hands and hats will be limited to that area from the root of the tail to the bottom of the round. IN A SIDE ARM MOTION ONLY. Hands must be in sight at all times. The use of reins after the boat has stopped or any place on the grounds is prohibited. Lines must be doubled. Reins may be taped together **only if no wider than the width of you hand with a single wrapping of tape.**
- 42. The pit will be covered the day before the draw, when it is possible.
- 43. Participation in pulling events within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has been determined to be a privilege and not a right. Participation in these events are discretionary. Individuals are only permitted to enter these contests if the judges, superintendents and fairs deem it advisable. Individuals who blatantly disregard these rules and regulations and place animals or the public at risk will not be allowed entry to these family events.
- 44. If an incident should arise and warrants a hearing, a majority of the Massachusetts Agricultural Fair Associations pulling events committee can make a decision pertaining to, but not limited to disciplinary action . Any infractions are to be made known to the offending party be certified mail within 30 days of the infraction. The offending party has the right to either pay the fine or appeal the decision within 30 days of receipt of notification. Failure to acknowledge notification will result in suspension from all puling events until the fine(s) have been paid, or the decision of the Committee has been revoked.
- 45. **STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP** the signature on said form verifies that the owner or representative has read, understands and agrees to abide by the Massachusetts Fair Assoc. Rules governing Pulling Contests and that the Judge(s) decisions in these competitions are FINAL.
 - 46. Any variation of these rules shall be in the spirit of aforesaid rules and at the discretion of the judges.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITS – EXHIBIT HALL A



Superintendents: Lisa West & Diana West (413) 695-4943 dmabelwest@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM

Thursday, 9/3/21, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Noon

Exhibitors should enter the fair via gate 2A (off of Fair Street) and take a left after the Club House).

*All entries must be in place by Thursday, 9/3/20, 12:00 PM Noon

SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/3/21 – Monday, 9/6/21; during open hours of the fair

RELEASE TIME: Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM (Please see details on next page)

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE EXHIBITS.

RULES FOR THE AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT HALL

(located next to the Club House)

- All entries are received upon the express condition that the society shall not be responsible for the loss or damage to such property.
- Please "READ & FOLLOW THE RULES" exactly as given in the Exhibitor's Guide.
- All exhibits must have been grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor during the past 12 months.
- No article previously exhibited in this building may be exhibited.
- The same specimens cannot be entered both as part of a collection and as a plate.
- Only one (1) entry per class per exhibitor, however, an exhibitor may enter as many varieties in a class as he/she wishes.
- Placing will be awarded on the basis of quality of exhibit and the decision of the Judges will be final.
- If a class is available for an item, the "Any Other" class CANNOT be used.
- No names should be visible on any items.
- In the event of fewer than 3 entries in any given class, the Management reserves the right to combine comparable classes. If there are sufficient entries, classes may be divided at the discretion of the Judges.
- The Management reserves the right to reclassify an exhibit.
- A "DISQUALIFIED" means that the rules were not followed.
- All premium money will be paid from awards as marked in the Judge's book and NOT from the ribbons that may be attached to exhibits, as ribbons are sometimes misplaced.
- YOUTH EXHIBITS are open to any person 9 to 19 years of age as of January 1 of current year. Exhibitors less than 9 years will have their own classes, CHILD EXHIBITS. ADULT EXHIBITS are open to anyone who have reached the age of 20 as of the Fair date. Ages for Youth and Child exhibitors should be included on all entries.
- No person may exhibit in both Adult, Youth, and Child Classes.
- If you have any questions, write or call the Superintendent(s).
- The Management reserves the right to remove perished items. If an exhibitor wishes to refresh their items, the exhibitor can do so at the exhibitor's convenience. Please contact the Superintendent(s).

REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

NO EARLY REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS. The building will be closed to the public at 8:00 P.M. on Monday, Sept. 6th. Exhibits must be removed on **Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM.** If you have a problem, please discuss it with the Superintendent. The fair is **NOT** responsible for exhibits left beyond at this time. Please check your list of awards with the Superintendent, or her representatives, for any clerical errors.

DISCREPANCIES MUST BE CORRECTED AT PICK UP.

ADULT EXHIBITS

To ensure adequate display space for all exhibitors, the following Fruit and Farm classes may be limited to the number of placements in each class. The Judge will keep a score card on these exhibits. These will be available from the Superintendent after judging. To receive the listed Premium, a score of 85% must be achieved. All entries must be kept fresh. Passes will be issued on these classes to allow the exhibitors to comply with this rule.

Exhibitors who wish to help oversee the exhibits in the Hall for one 4-hour shift, at some time during the Fair, may volunteer with the Superintendents. Passes will be issued for this purpose.

Fruit & Vegetable Displays - Division 523

Class

- 01. Display of at least 6 kinds of fruit to cover a 3' x 3' square of table space.
- 02. Display of mixed fruit attractively arranged in appropriate container, such as chopping bowl, tray, basket, bowl, etc., using at least 5 kinds of fruit.

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Score Card:	`
Quality	50%
Arrangement	30%
Utility Value	10%
Number of Varieties	10%
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Class

In Classes 03 & 04, fruit oriented and vegetable oriented themes may be divided at the discretion of the judges.

- 03. Family Display 3' x 4' High Back to consist of any article that has been grown or manufactured on the exhibitor's property during the last 12 months. At least 60% of items must be agricultural, including canning and flowers. Baking will not be counted for 60% agricultural items.
- 04. Family Display 3' x 4' Low Back
- 05. Collection of Garden Vegetables 3'x 3' using at least 6 kinds
- 06. Collection of at least 5 kinds of Vegetables and Greens exhibited in a chopping bowl or suitable container.
- 07. Market Basket Collection of at least five items from list of fair classes displayed in a container suitable to use at farmers market. Basket can contain: baked items, flowers, fruits, herbs (both dry and/or fresh), vegetables, maple products, eggs, farm crops, and handmade item(s) by the exhibitor. Flowers, herbs, and stems of leafy greens should be in water, vase can be hidden in basket. Items must be grown or crafted by exhibitor.

Score Card:	
Quality	50%
General Effect	30%
Variety	20%
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Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	$3^{\rm rd}$	4 th)
Classes 01 & 02	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	
Class 03	\$70	\$60	\$55	\$45	
Class 04	\$50	\$45	\$40	\$35	
Class 05	\$45	\$35	\$30	N/A	
Classes 06 & 07	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$15	J
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Class

08. Educational Farm Produce and/or Fruit Display showing the public an educational manner of producing farm products. Similar to a Mini-Grange exhibit. Space will be 3' x 4' high back. *Examples of products: Wool products, Dairy products, Crop Rotation, Maple products, Honey, etc.*

Score Card:	
Quality	50%
Attractiveness, neatness scale, color, scheme, lighting, and arrangement	
Educational Value	25%
Does it tell a story?	
Quality of material used & Workmanship	25%

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	$ \frown $
Class 08	\$80	\$75	\$70	\$65	J

Commercial Growers 49'ers - Division 529

One entry per orchard per class. Stems on. The total number may be limited depending on the space available.

Class

01. Cortland

02. Golden Delicious

03. Gravenstein

04. McIntosh

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06. Red Delicious

07. Any other named variety – (please name)

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$40	\$35	\$30

Plates Of Fruit - Division 530

Entries are judged on quality. They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

Class

01. Baldwin

02. Cortland

03. Golden Delicious

04. Red Delicious

05. Gravenstein

06. Macoun

07. McIntosh

08. Northern Spy

09. Rhode Island Greening

10. Wealthy

- 11. Any Other Properly Named Old Variety-All Competing Together, name variety
- 12. New, Named Varieties-All Competing Together, name variety
- 13. Crab Apples-10 Specimens, All Competing Together

12. Peaches-5 to a Plate

13. Pears-5 to a Plate

14. Plums-10 Specimens to a Plate

15. Grapes-3 Clusters to a Plate, Name Variety

16. Quinces-5 Specimens to a Plate

17. Small Fruits-Pint Box

Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	3 rd	
All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Vegetable and Other Fruits, Misc. - Division 524

Entries are judged on quality. They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

Class

02. 15 Pods Lima Beans-stems on

03. 15 Pods Pole Beans-stems on

04. 15 Pods Yellow Beans-stems on

05. 15 Pods Shell Beans

06. 1 Pint Dried Beans-Shelled

07. 5 Beets-Red, 1" Leaf Stems

08. 5 Carrots-Long, More Than 6" With 1" Tops

09. 5 Carrots-Short, Up To 6" With 1" Tops

10. 2 Bunches Celery

11. 5 Peppers-Green, ½ inch stem

12. 5 Peppers-Hot, ½ inch stem

13. 5 Peppers-Frying, ½ inch stem

14. 3 Cucumbers-1/2 inch stem

15. 10 Pickling Cucumbers

16. 2 Melons

17. 5 Onions-Red

18. 5 Onions-Yellow

19. 5 Onions-White

20. 3 Garlic Bulbs

21. 2 Leeks

22. 2 Kohlrabi

23. 2 Artichokes

24. 5 Pods Okra

25. 2 Bunches Broccoli

26. 2 Heads Cauliflower

27. 5 Ears Sweet Corn-1/2 Husked

28. 2 Eggplants

29. 2 Heads Cabbage-with stems

30. 2 Summer Squash

31. 2 Zucchini

32. 2 Patty Pan Squash

33. 2 Hubbard Squash

34. 2 Acorn Squash

35. 2 Vegetable Spaghetti Squash

36. 2 Butternut Squash

37. 2 Buttercup Squash

38. 5 Tomatoes-Orange, stems on

39. 5 Tomatoes-Paste Type, stems on

40. 5 Tomatoes-Red, stems on

41. 5 Tomatoes-Green, stems on

42. 10 Tomatoes-Pear, Plum or Cherry; Stems On

43. 2 Watermelons

44. 5 Turnips-Without Tops

45. 2 Rutabagas

46. 5 Parsnips

47. 2 Pumpkins-Sugar Type

48. 2 Pumpkins-Field Type

49. Exhibit of Parsley-In Water

50. Vegetable Oddities-1 specimen, define variety

51. 5 Potatoes-Red, All Competing

52. 5 Potatoes-Green Mountain

53. 5 Potatoes-Cobbler

54. 5 Any Other Potato

55. Any Other Produce-2 Large, 5 Medium, 10 Small; If there are sufficient entries, this class may be divided at the discretion of the judges

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2

Farm Crops - Division 525

Hay samples may be of any combination of grass and legume roughage. One sample per exhibitor in any single class is permitted. Sample must be a 4" to 6" slice from any one bale. Judging will be on basis of color, leafiness, and other standards of common U.S. grades. One entry per class.

Class

- 01. Timothy-bale not to include an excess of 10% of other grasses
- 02. Alfalfa-1st cutting, at least 90%
- 03. Rowen-2nd cutting
- 04. Mixed Hay-grasses & legumes in any combination
- 05. Ensilage Corn 5 stalks
- 06. One (1) Sample Grass Ensilage-minimum 1 lb., packaged in clear plastic bag, additives must be labeled
- 07. One (1) Sample Bag Corn Silage

- 08. One (1) Sample Bag of Balage-1 lb. packaged in clear plastic bag.
- 09. 10 ears Flint Corn
- 10. 10 ears Popcorn
- 11. 3 ears Decorative Corn-Large
- 12. 3 ears Decorative Corn-Mini
- 13. 3 ears Decorative Corn-Strawberry
- 14. Tallest Stalk of Corn
- 15. Largest Sunflower Head
- 16. Tallest Sunflower Head-Roots to Flower

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01-08	\$5	\$3	\$2	
Classes 09-16	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Maple Products - Division 526

Syrup must be displayed in clear, flat, glass bottles – minimum 8 oz.

Class

- 01. Collection of Maple Products-Maple Syrup, 5 Cakes Sugar, Maple Cream or Soft Sugar, 1 Lb.
- 02. Collections of Maple Syrup-1 Bottle each-Light, Medium, and Dark Amber Syrup
- 03. Maple Syrup-2 Bottles Light Amber
- 04. Maple Syrup-2 Bottles Medium Amber

- 05. Maple Syrup-2 Bottles Dark Amber
- 06. Maple Sugar-5 Cakes
- 07. Maple Sugar-Soft 1 Lb.
- 08. Maple Cream-1 lb., in glass container
- 09. Pure Maple Fudge-1/2 lb.

Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	3^{rd}	
Class 01	\$25	\$15	\$10	
Classes 02-09	\$10	\$8	\$6	

Bees & Honey - Division 527

RULES

- An exhibitor shall not offer for exhibit any item not produced and/or prepared by the exhibitor.
- Honey and beeswax must be produced from the exhibitor's own apiary and from the current year's crop.
- All honey needs to be in leak-proof containers.
- All frames of honey need to be mounted in bee-tight cases with transparent faces.
- An exhibitor shall make only one entry in a given class.
- New classes may be listed and judged, provided there are 3 or more entries.
- Undesirable quality exhibits will not be accepted.
- Placing's will be awarded on basis of quality of exhibit, and the decision of the judges will be final.
- No labels or identification on any entry until judged.
- All observation hives are to be picked up by the exhibitor on Monday evening.

Class

Classes 01-06 to be judged on appearance and Classes 07-12 to be in queen line jars.

- 01. Best 2-Sections of Round Comb Honey
- 02. Best 2-Packages of 4" Cut Comb Honey
- 03. Best 2-Sections of 4" Comb Honey
- 04. Best Shallow or Medium Extracting Comb of Honey
- 05. Best Shallow Cut Comb Frame Honey
- 06. Best Deep Extracting Comb of Honey
- 07. Best 2-1 lb. jars of Light Honey
- 08. Best 2-1 lb. jars of Light Amber Honey
- 09. Best 2-1 lb. jars of Amber Honey
- 10. Best 2-1 lb. jars of Dark Amber Honey

- 11. Best 2-1lb. jars of Dark Honey
- 12. Best 2-l lb. jars of Chunk Honey
- 13. Best Molded Pieces of Beeswax-1 lb.or more
- 14. Best 1 lb. Jar of Creamed Honey
- 15. Best Pair of Poured 10" Tapered Candle
- 16. Best Plain Pieces of Beeswax-1 lb. or more
- 17. Articles Made of Beeswax
- 18. Observation Hive
- 19. Collection of Honey Products-minimum of 5 items

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01-17	\$8	\$5	\$3	
Classes 18-19	\$25	\$20	\$15	

Poultry Products - Division 528

Entries are judged on quality. They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

Class

- 01. 1 doz. Brown Eggs (21-24 oz.)
- 02. 1 doz. White Eggs (21-24 oz.)
- 03. 1 doz. Brown eggs (27-30 oz.)

- 04. 1 doz. White Eggs (27-30 oz.)
- 05. 1 doz. Any Other Eggs
- 06. 1 doz. Colored Eggs-Breed Specified

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}	
All classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Fresh Artistic Flower Arrangement - Division 540

To be judged for artistic arrangement, choice of container, and quality of flowers. No artificial plant material to be used.

Accessories allowed if specifically stated in class description.

- 01. "Grandpa's Farm"-Native Wildflower Arrangement (Wildflowers ONLY can be used)
- 02. "Autumn Serenade"-Shades of yellow, orange, & red flowers, in a brown container
- 03. A Collection of Planted Herbs-minimum of 3 Varieties (with appropriate identification signs)
- 04. Wreath made of all-natural materials
- 05. Container Planting-minimum of 3 Plants

- 06. Patriotic Arrangement-Non-plant accessories, like a flag, may be used(no artificial plant material)
- 07. Sunflower Arrangement-Contains Sunflowers and Greens only
- 08. Arrangement of Cut Flowers-same Variety plus Greens (ex. all Gladiolas or Zinnias).
- 09. Arrangement of Cut Flowers and Greens in a container not originally intended for Flowers

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All classes	\$8	\$6	\$4	

Adult Flowers - Division 541

Flowers must be grown by exhibitors.

Class

- 01. Asters-5 blooms, 1 or more Varieties
- 02. Bachelor Buttons-5 blooms
- 03. Calendulas-5 blooms
- 04. Chrysanthemums-5 stems Cut Flowers
- 05. Cosmos-5 blooms
- 06. Coxcomb-1 stem
- 07. Dahlias-5 small stems
- 08. Dahlias-1 large stem
- 09. Gladiolus-3 spikes
- 10. Herbs-5 fresh, labeled stems
- 11. Herbs-5 dried, labeled stems
- 12. Marigolds-5 small, single stems
- 13. Marigolds-5 small, double stems

- 14. Marigolds-5 large stems
- 15. Petunias-5 single flowered stems
- 16. Petunias-5 double or large stems
- 17. Snapdragons-5 stems
- 18. Straw Flowers-5 stems
- 19. Zinnias-5 small, Pompom stems
- 20. Zinnias-5 large stems
- 21. Any other Flowers-5 stems or 5 blooms

 If there are sufficient entries, this class may be divided at the discretion of the Judges.
- 22. Houseplant-appropriate container, owned by exhibitor for at least 1 year

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Scarecrow Contest - Division 221 Youth and Adult

Scarecrow should be less than 6 feet high and self-supporting. They will be judged on originality and creativity. Scarecrows can be Old-Fashioned, Friendly to frightening or plain. Scarecrows should be brought to the Agricultural Exhibit Hall on Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM or Thursday, 9/2/21, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Noon

- 01. Adult
- 02. Youth

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
All classes	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5
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YOUTH EXHIBITS

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Please use the entry form on last page, online, or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM

Thursday, 9/2/21, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Noon

Exhibitors should enter the fair via gate 2A (off of Fair Street) and take a left after the Club House). *All entries must be in place by Thursday, 9/2/21 12:00 PM Noon

SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/3/21 – Monday, 9/6/21; during open hours of the fair

RELEASE TIME: Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE EXHIBITS.

YOUTH RULES FOR THE AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT HALL

- Please see Agricultural Exhibit Hall General Rules.
- YOUTH EXHIBITS are open to any person 9 to 19 years of age as of January 1 of current year. Exhibitors less than 9 years will have their own classes, CHILD EXHIBITS.
- The exhibitor's age must be included with each entry.
- All exhibits must have been grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor.
- No names should be visible on any items.
- The same specimens cannot be entered both as part of a collection and as a plate.
- Only one entry per class per exhibitor, however, an exhibitor may enter as many varieties in a class as the exhibitor wishes.
- If you have any questions, write or call the Superintendent(s).

Youth Fruit and Vegetable Displays - Division 512

All vegetables must be grown and selected by the exhibitor. Quality and uniformity will be stressed; not large size. The Management reserves the right to remove perished items. Entry tickets and ribbons will be held by the Superintendent and may be collected at the end of the Fair. Chopping bowls and individual displays should be freshened.

Class

- 01. Chopping Bowl-5 or more vegetables plus greens, artistically arranged in a bowl/basket(*Should be kept fresh*)
- 02. Individual Display- 3' x 3' (not necessarily a square). Must have at least 6 kinds of vegetables or 5 kinds of fruit. All must be home grown. The Fair is not responsible for supplying peat moss for individual displays. Display must be arranged in the Exhibit Hall with NO ADULT HELP.
- 03. Youth Display 3' x 4' Low Back.

Score Card (Classes 02 & 03):

Ouality 50%

Educational Value 20%

Quality of material used & Workmanship 10%

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	$ \bigcirc $
Class 01	\$12	\$11	\$10	\$9	
Class 02	\$15	\$13	\$12	\$11	
Class 03	\$30	\$25	\$12	\$11	J

Youth Vegetables and Miscellaneous Fruits - Division 519

Entries are judged on quality. They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

- 04. Green Beans-15 pods, stems on
- 05. Pole Beans-15 pods, stems on
- 06. Shell Beans–15 pods
- 07. Yellow Beans-15 pods, stems on
- 08. Beets-5, top trimmed to 1"
- 09. Cabbage-2 heads, stems on
- 10. Sweet Corn-5 ears, ½ husked
- 11. Carrots-5,trim top to 1", measures 6" & shorter
- 12. Carrots-5, trim top to 1", measures more than 6"
- 13. Cucumbers-3, ½ inch stems
- 14. Pickling Cucumbers-10
- 15. Eggplant-2
- 16. Garlic-3 Bulbs
- 17. Peppers-5 Green, ½ inch stems
- 18. Peppers-5 Red, ½ inch stems
- 19. Peppers-5 Hot, ½ inch stems
- 20. Potatoes -5
- 21. Pumpkins- 2 small sugar type
- 22. Pumpkins- 2 field type
- 23. Onions-5 yellow, don't wash or peel

- 24. Onions-5 white
- 25. Onions-5 red
- 26. Acorn Squash-2
- 27. Buttercup Squash-2
- 28. Butternut Squash-2
- 29. Hubbard Squash-2
- 30. Patty Pan Squash-2
- 31. Summer Squash-2 yellow
- 32. Tomatoes-5 Green, stems on
- 33. Tomatoes-5 Red. stems on
- 34. Tomatoes-5 Paste, stems on
- 35. Tomatoes-10 Pear, Plum, or Cherry, stems on
- 36. Yellow Tomatoes-5 low acid, stems on
- 37. Watermelons-2
- 38. Zucchini-2
- 39. Spaghetti Squash-2
- 40. Any other produce item-2 large, 5 med., or 10 small. If there are sufficient entries, this class may be divided at the discretion of the Judges.

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	
All classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Youth Farm Crops - Division 513

Hay samples may be of any combination of grass and legume roughage. One sample per exhibitor in any single class is permitted. Sample must be 4" to 6" slice from any bale. Judging will be on basis of color, leafiness, and other standards of U.S. grades. One entry per class.

Class

- 01. Timothy-bale not to include excess of 10% of other grasses
- 02. Alfalfa-1st cutting, at least 90%
- 03. Rowen-2nd cutting
- 04. Mixed Hay-grasses and legumes in any combination
- 05. Popcorn-10 ears
- 06. Decorative Corn-3 Large ears
- 07. Decorative Corn-3 Mini ears

- 08. Decorative Corn-3 Strawberry ears
- 09. Gourds-5 small
- 10. Gourds-2 large
- 11. Largest Pumpkin
- 12. Tallest Corn Stalk
- 13. Tallest Sunflower-Roots to Flower, must be in bloom
- 14. Largest Sunflower Head
- 15. Any other named variety

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}	
Classes 01-04	\$4	\$3	\$2	
Class 05-15	\$5	\$4	\$3	

Youth Honey & Maple Products - Division 514

RULES

- An exhibitor shall not offer for exhibit any item not produced and/or prepared by the exhibitor.
- Syrup to be displayed in flat glass bottles minimum 8 oz.
- Honey and beeswax must be from the exhibitor's own apiary.
- Honey and beeswax must be from the current year's crop.
- All honey needs to be in leak-proof containers.
- All frames of honey need to be mounted in bee-tight cases with transparent faces.
- Maple syrup must be displayed in clear, flat, glass bottles minimum 8 oz.
- An exhibitor shall make only one entry in a given class.
- New classes may be listed and judged, provided there are 3 or more entries.
- Undesirable quality exhibits will not be accepted.
- Placing's will be awarded on basis of quality of exhibit, and the decision of the judges will be final.
- No labels or identification on any entry until judged.

Class

01. Collection of Maple Products-1 bottle syrup, 5 cakes, 1 any other maple product

02. Maple Syrup – 2 bottles Light Amber

03. Maple Syrup – 2 bottles Medium Amber

04. Maple Syrup – 2 bottles Dark Amber

05. Maple Sugar – 5 cakes

06. Maple Sugar – Soft, 1 lb.

07. Maple Fudge $-\frac{1}{2} lb$.

08. Honey, Comb - 2 sections

09. Honey, Strained – 2 jars

10. Beeswax Candles – 1 Pair homemade

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Class 01	\$15	\$12	\$10	
Classes 02-10	\$8	\$7	\$6	

Youth Poultry Products - Division 515

Classes may be divided at the discretion of the judge if there are sufficient entries.

Entries are judged on quality. 1 Dozen Eggs-21-24 oz,

must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

Class

01. Brown Eggs

02. White Eggs

03. Colored Eggs – *Breed specified*

04	Other	Poultry	- Duck	Goose	Guinea,	etc
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05. Largest Egg

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Youth Plates of Fruit - Division 516

Entries are judged on quality. They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed.

- 01. Apples 5 specimens per plate
- 02. Plums -10 specimens per plate
- 03. Pears 5 specimens per plate
- 04. Peaches 5 specimens per plate
- 05. Grapes 3 clusters per plate

- 06. Quinces 5 specimens per plate
- 07. Any other plates of fruit 5 specimens per plate. If there are sufficient entries, this class may be divided at the discretion of the Judges.

Youth Flowers – Division 517

Class

- 01. Asters-5 blooms, 1 or more varieties
- 02. Bachelor Buttons-5 blooms
- 03. Calendulas-5 blooms
- 04. Chrysanthemums-5 stems, cut flowers
- 05. Cosmos-5 blooms
- 06. Coxcomb-1 stem
- 07. Dahlias-5 stems, small
- 08. Dahlias-1 stem, large
- 09. Gladiolus-3 spikes
- 10. Herbs-5 stems, fresh, labeled
- 11. Herbs-5 stems, dried, labeled
- 12. Marigolds-5 stems, small, single

- 13. Marigolds-5 stems, small, double
- 14. Marigolds-5 stems, large
- 15. Petunias-5 stems, single flowered
- 16. Petunias-5 stems, double or large
- 17. Snapdragons-5 stems
- 18. Straw Flowers-5 stems
- 19. Zinnias-5 stems, small, pompom
- 20. Zinnia-5 stems, large
- 21. Any other Flowers-5 stems or 5 blooms. If there are sufficient entries, this class may be divided at the discretion of the Judge
- 22. Houseplant-appropriate container, owned by exhibitor for at least 1 year

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}	
Division 515-517, All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Youth Fresh Artistic Flower Arrangement - Division 520

To be judged for artistic arrangement, choice of container, and quality of flowers. No artificial plant material to be used. Accessories allowed if specifically stated in class description.

- 22. "Grandpa's Farm" Native wildflower arrangement using ONLY wildflowers
- 23. "Autumn Serenade" Shades of yellow, orange, & red flowers in a brown container
- 24. A collection of planted herbs. *Minimum of 3* varieties with appropriate signs for identification.
- 25. Wreath made of all-natural materials
- 26. Container planting *minimum of three plants assorted*

- 27. Arrangement celebrating 4H, FFA or other youth groups. *Non-plant accessories, like a flag, may be used but no artificial plant material may be used.*
- 28. Sunflower Arrangement *Sunflowers and greens only*
- 29. Bouquet of garden flowers
- 30. Patriotic arrangement- non-plant accessories, like a flag, may be used but no artificial plant material may be used
- 31. Arrangement of cut flowers and greens in a container not originally meant for flowers.

Premiums: 1 st 2 nd 3 rd
All Classes \$8 \$6 \$4

CHILD EXHIBITS

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Please use the entry form on last page, online, or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM

Thursday, 9/2/21, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Noon

Exhibitors should enter the fair via gate 2A (off of Fair Street) and take a left after the Club House.

*All entries must be in place by Thursday, 9/3/20, 12:00 PM Noon

SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/3/21 – Monday, 9/6/21; during open hours of the fair

RELEASE TIME: Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE EXHIBITS.

CHILD RULES FOR THE AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT HALL

• Please see Agricultural Exhibit Hall General Rules.

- CHILD EXHIBITS are open to any person up to 8 years of age as of January 1 of current year.
- The exhibitor's age must be included with each entry.
- All exhibits must have been grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor.
- An exhibitor shall not offer for exhibit any item not produced and/or prepared by the exhibitor.
- The same specimens cannot be entered both as part of a collection and as a plate.
- Only one entry per class per exhibitor, however, an exhibitor may enter as many varieties in a class as the exhibitor wishes.
- If you have any questions, write or call the Superintendent(s).

Child Agricultural - Division 518

Entries are judged on quality.

They must be of show quality: uniform, unblemished, and washed; doesn't apply to flower arrangements.

01	Green	Reans —	15	stems on

- 02. Yellow Beans -15, stems on
- 03. Beets (tops trimmed to 1") -5
- 04. Carrots 5
- 05. Cucumbers -3, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch stems
- 06. Small Gourds 5
- 07. Large Gourds -2
- 08. Onions 5
- 09. Plate of Potatoes -5
- 10. Small Sugar Pumpkins -2
- 11. Winter Squash -2
- 12. Yellow Summer Squash 2
- 13. Zucchini 2

- 14. Cherry Tomatoes -5, stems on
- 15. Green Tomatoes -5, stems on
- 16. Red Tomatoes -5, stems on
- 17. Any Other Produce Item 2 Large, 5 Medium. 10 Small
- 18. Largest sunflower Head
- 19. Arrangement of Garden Flowers *no* artificial plant material can be used
- 20. Arrangement of Wild Flowers Wildflowers only, no artificial plant material can be used
- 21. 1 Dozen Eggs
- 22. Largest Pumpkin

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2	

Veggie Creatures – Division 222

RULES

- Any combination of vegetables and fruits allowed. No artificial fruits or vegetables of any kind.
- No carving into the flesh of the fruits or vegetables.
- Creatures must be self-supporting.
- Creatures will be judged for creativity, color and public eye appeal.
- All vegetables and fruits must have been grown by the exhibitor.

Class

01. A self-supporting "creature" made out of any combination of vegetables and fruits. Children only.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Class 01	\$10	\$8	\$5

ARTS, BAKING, CRAFTS & MORE - EXHIBIT HALL B



Superintendent: Theresa Menko (413) 665-3957 tmenko@yahoo.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Please use the entry form on last page, online, or via the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Sunday, 8/29/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM

Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 - 7:00 PM Division 124 only

Friday, 9/3/21, 9:00 – 11:00 AM, All Baking, King Arthur Baking, & Youth Brownie Contest.

Sunday, 9/5/21, 9:00 – 11:00 AM, Adult Apple Pie Contest

SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/3/21, 5:00 PM, King Arthur Baking Competition

Sunday, 9/5/21, 9:00 – 11:00 AM, Adult Apple Pie Contest

RELEASE TIME: Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM (*Please see details on next page*)

RULES FOR THE EXHIBIT HALL

- All entries are received upon the express condition that the society shall not be responsible for the loss or damage to any such property.
- Please "READ & FOLLOW THE RULES" exactly as given in the Exhibitor's Guide.
- No article previously exhibited in this building may be exhibited. All articles must be made by the exhibitor personally during this past 12 months.
- An exhibitor shall make only one entry in each class unless otherwise stated.
- Placing will be awarded based on quality of exhibit and the decision of the Judges will be final.
- If a class is available for an item, the "Any Other" class CANNOT be used.
- No names should be visible on any items.
- In event of fewer than 3 entries in any given class, the Management reserves the right to combine comparable classes. If there are sufficient entries, classes may be divided at the discretion of the Judge.
- The Management reserves the right to reclassify an exhibit if they think it is in the wrong class.
- A "DISQUALIFIED" means that the rules were not followed.
- All premium money will be paid from awards as marked in the Judge's book and NOT from the ribbons that may be attached to exhibits, as ribbons are sometimes misplaced.
- YOUTH EXHIBITS are open to any person 9 to 18 years of age as of January 1 of current year. Exhibitors less than 9 years will have their own classes, CHILD EXHIBITS. ADULT EXHIBITS are open to anyone who have reached the age of 20 as of the Fair date. Please include the ages of the exhibitor on all entries.
 - No person may exhibit in both Adult, Youth, and Child Classes.
 - If you have any questions, please email, or call the Superintendent.
 - Any person who sells and/or teaches the craft or products that they are exhibiting, must enter T/P (Teacher/Professional) before the Class number.

REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

NO EARLY REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS. The building will be closed to the public at 8:00 P.M. on Monday, Sept. 6th. Exhibits must be removed on **Tuesday**, **Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM**.

Please bring your claim tickets to pick up items. If you have a problem, please discuss it with the Superintendent. The fair is **NOT** responsible for exhibits left beyond this time. Please check your list of awards with the Superintendent, or her representatives, for any clerical errors.

DISCREPANCIES MUST BE CORRECTED AT PICK UP.

ADULT EXHIBITS

SEWING

Clothing - Division 100



Class

- 01. Blouse or Shirt
- 02. Casual Dress
- 03. Coat, Jacket, or other Outerwear
- 04. Cocktail Dress
- 05. Evening Gown
- 06. Costume-Adult
- 07. Shorts or Pants
- 08. Skirt
- 09. Suit-2-3 pieces
- 10. Bathrobe
- 11. Nightwear-Nightgown or PJ's

- 12. Child/Infant Dress
- 13. Child/Infant Coat
- 14. Child/Infant Bathrobe
- 15. Child/Infant Nightgown or PJ's
- 16. Child/Infant Costume
- 17. Child/Infant Shorts or Pants
- 18. Child/Infant Skirt
- 19. Child/Infant Blouse or Shirt
- 20. Any other adult sewn clothing
- 21. Any other child/infant sewn clothing

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$8	\$5	\$3

We will award

Three County Fair Outstanding Clothing Award- Rosette

Sewing (Other than Clothing) - **Division 101**

Class

- 01. Curtains or Valances
- 02. Set of 2 Pillowcases
- 03. Apron
- 04. Embossed velvet item
- 05. Recycled clothing-attach 3" x 5" index card indicating what the item was originally and the steps used to create the final product
- 06. Leatherwork
- 07. Face Masks-set of 3, can be different styles
- 08. Smocked Garment
- 09. Tote Bag or Purse
- 10. Any other sewn item

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$5	\$3	\$2

We will award

Three County Fair Outstanding Sewing Award- Rosette

NEEDLEWORK

Needlework - Division 102



Class

- 01. Needlework Sampler-show variety of stitches
- 02. Surface Embroidery in Metallic & Silk Thread
- 03. Needlepoint Picture
- 04. Counted Cross Stitch Picture
- 05. Counted Cross Stitch worked on Perforated Paper
- 06. Hardanger
- 07. Ribbon Embroidery
- 08. Stamped Cross Stitch
- 09. Any other Needlework

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01 - 04	\$8	\$5	\$3	
Classes 05 – 09	\$5	\$3	\$2	

Miscellaneous Handiwork - Division 103



Class

- 01. Pillow-Bargello/Needlepoint
- 02. Pillow-Counted Cross Stitch
- 03. Pillow-Any other Needlework
- 04. Set of 2 Handkerchiefs-all competing
- 05. Table runners-non-quilted
- 06. Lace-3", suitably mounted

- 07. Candle wicking
- 08. Stamped Embroidery
- 09. Needle Felting Toy or Doll
- 10. Rugs-braided, hooked, crocheted, or latch hook
- 11. Any other Handiwork item

(Premiums:	1^{st}	2^{nd}	3 rd)
Classes 01 – 09, & 11	\$4	\$3	\$2	
Class 10	\$10	\$9	\$8	

We will award

Three County Fair Outstanding Needle Award- Rosette

(Entries from Divisions 102 & 103). The degree of difficulty to be considered.

Crochet (No Machine-Made Items) - Division 104



Class

- 01. Infant Sweater
- 02. Infant 3 Pc. Outfit
- 03. Christening Outfit
- 04. Sweater-Children's Aran
- 05. Sweater-Children's Plain (Single or Double)
- 06. Sweater-Children's Pattern
- 07. Sweater-Adult Plain
- 08. Sweater-Adult Pattern
- 09. Sweater-Adult Aran
- 10. Child's Hat
- 11. Adult's Hat
- 12. Child's Mittens or Gloves

- 13. Adult's Mittens or Gloves
- 14. Hat & Mitten Set
- 15. Scarf
- 16. Scarf & Hat Set
- 17. Socks or Slippers
- 18. Vest, Shell, Shawl, Stole, or Poncho
- 19. Bedspread-using cotton thread
- 20. Tablecloth
- 21. Afghan-Granny Square (or Carriage Blanket)
- 22. Doilies or Runner
- 23. Novice-first completed project
- 24. Any other crocheted item

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01 – 06, & 24 - 27	\$6	\$4	\$3	
Classes 07 – 09, & 18 - 23	\$10	\$8	\$5	
Classes 10 - 17	\$5	\$3	\$2	

Knitting (*No machine-made items*) - **Division 105**



- 01. Infant Sweater
- 02. Infant 3 Pc. Outfit
- 03. Christening Outfit
- 04. Sweater-Children's Fair Isle
- 05. Sweater-Children's Aran
- 06. Sweater-Children's Plain (Single or Double)
- 07. Sweater-Children's Picture
- 08. Sweater-Children's Pattern
- 09. Sweater-Adult Argyle
- 10. Sweater-Adult Fair Isle
- 11. Sweater-Adult Picture
- 12. Sweater-Adult Aran
- 13. Sweater-Adult Plain
- 14. Sweater-Adult Pattern
- 15. Child's Hat
- 16. Adult's Hat

- 17. Child's Mittens or Gloves
- 18. Adult's Mittens or Gloves
- 19. Hat & Mitten Set
- 20. Scarf
- 21. Scarf & Hat Set
- 22. Socks or Slippers
- 23. Vest, Shell, Shawl, Stole, or Poncho
- 24. Bedspread-using cotton thread
- 25. Tablecloth
- 26. Afghan-Picture
- 27. Afghan-Aran
- 28. Afghan-Pattern
- 29. Afghan-Baby (or Carriage Blanket)
- 30. Doilies or Runner
- 31. Novice-first completed project
- 32. Any other knitted item

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01 – 08 & 29 – 32	\$6	\$4	\$3	
Classes 09 – 14 & 23 - 28	\$10	\$8	\$5	
Classes 15 – 22	\$5	\$3	\$2	

We will award

Three County Fair Outstanding Bedspread & Afghan Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Outstanding Infant/Children's Sweater Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Outstanding Adult Sweater Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Outstanding Knitter's Workmanship Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Outstanding Crocheter's Workmanship Award- Rosette

The winners will be selected from all First-Place winners from Divisions 104-105 in their respective categories.

The degree of difficulty will be considered.

Quilting – Division 107

Bed Ouilts



Class

- 01. Lap/Twin-Hand pieced, hand quilted
- 02. Lap/Twin-Hand pieced, tied
- 03. Lap/Twin-Machine pieced; hand quilted
- 04. Lap/Twin-Machine pieced; machine quilted
- 05. Lap/Twin-Machine pieced, tied
- 06. Lap/Twin-Whole cloth
- 07. Lap/Twin-Hand appliquéd, hand quilted
- 08. Lap/Twin-Machine appliquéd, machine quilted
- 09. Lap/Twin-Holiday Ouilt
- 10. Lap/Twin-Baby Quilt
- 11. Lap/Twin-Quilt made by a group
- 12. Lap/Twin-any combination of techniques

- 13. Full/Queen/King-Hand pieced & quilted
- 14. Full/Queen/King-Hand pieced & tied
- 15. Full/Queen/King-Machine pieced; hand quilted
- 16. Full/Queen/King-Machine pieced & quilted
- 17. Full/Queen/King-Machine pieced & tied
- 18. Full/Queen/King-Whole cloth
- 19. Full/Queen/King-Hand appliquéd & quilted
- 20. Full/Queen/King-Machine appliquéd & quilted
- 21. Full/Queen/King-Holiday Quilt
- 22. Full/Queen/King-Baby Quilt
- 23. Full/Queen/King-Quilt made by a group
- 24. Full/Queen/King-Any combination of technique

Wall Hangings

Must come with permanently affixed fastener or sleeve.

- 25. Wall Hanging-Hand pieced & quilted
- 26. Wall Hanging-Machine pieced; hand quilted
- 27. Wall Hanging-Machine pieced & quilted
- 28. Wall Hanging-Christmas
- 29. Wall Hanging-Halloween
- 30. Wall Hanging-Easter

- 31. Wall Hanging-*Patriotic*
- 32. Wall Hanging-Any other Holiday Quilted
- 33. Wall Hanging-Hand appliquéd
- 34. Wall Hanging-Machine appliquéd
- 35. Wall Hanging-Fabric manipulation
- 36. Wall Hanging-Any combination of techniques
- 37. Wall Hanging Miniature-not to exceed 48" circumference

Any Other Quilted Item



Class

- 38. Article of Clothing
- 39. Memory Quilt
- 40. T-Shirt Quilt
- 41. Fabric Collage
- 42. Purse or Handbag

- 43. Tote Bag
- 44. Placemat, Table Topper, or Table Runner
- 45. Ouilted Pillow
- 46. Any other Quilted Item-Please state type of item

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Classes 01 - 24	\$20	\$15	\$10	
Classes 25 - 37	\$15	\$10	\$8	
Classes 38 - 46	\$10	\$8	\$5	

We will award

Three County Fair Best of Show Quilt-Rosette Three County Fair Best Hand Quilting-Rosette

ARTS & CRAFTS

Woodworking - Division 109



Class

- 01. Bird/Bat/Butterfly House
- 02. Wood Turned Articles
- 03. Lamp with Shade
- 04. *Large Wooden Article (i.e. Bookcase)
- 05. Small Wooden Article
- 06. Miniatures

- 07. Wood Carving & Sculptures
- 08. Picture Frame
- 09. Doll Furniture
- 10. Wooden Tray
- 11. Any Other Woodworking

Bead and/or Wire Work - Division 110

- 01. Earrings 04. 2 Pc. Set 02. Bracelet 05. 3 Pc. Set
- 03. Necklace 06. Any Other Bead or Wire Work

Stenciling - Division 111



Class

- 01. Article of Clothing
- 02. Wall Hanging
- 03. Wooden Article

- 04. Basket
- 05. Any Other Stenciled Item

Decorative Painting - Division 112

Class

- 01. Painting on Baskets
- 02. Painting on Wood-Oil or Acrylic
- 03. Painting on Tin

- 04. One Stroke Painting
- 05. Folk Art
- 06. Any Other item

Holiday Time - Division 113



Class

- 01. Christmas Stocking
- 02. Tree Ornament-not from a kit
- 03. Pinecone Creation
- 04. Thanksgiving Item
- 05. Any Halloween Article
- 06. Valentine's Day Article

- 07. Easter Article
- 08. St. Patrick's Day Item
- 09. 4th of July Item
- 10. New Year's Item
- 11. Any Holiday Wreath
- 12. Any Other Holiday Article

Toys - Division 114



Class

- 01. Dolls-Stuffed
- 02. Reproduction Antique Doll
- 03. Dolls-Crocheted

- 04. Animals-Stuffed
- 05. Any Other Toy

Miscellaneous Arts & Crafts - Division 115

- 01. Decoupage
- 02. Original Handicraft-not from a kit
- 03. Stained Glass
- 04. Tinsmith & Metal Work
- 05. Soft Sculptures

- 06. Decorative Wreath
- 07. Macramé
- 08. Baskets
- 09. Any Other Art or Craft

Display of Crafts - Division 117



Class

01. *Collection of Handmade Crafts – *must be made by the exhibitor. Collection of 5 or more objects of one craft. To be judged on quality, originality & set up of display. Exhibit size 3' x 3'. Must supply own backdrop.*

Scrapbooking - Division 118

All traditional scrap books should have a cover and a minimum of 10 pages.



Class

01. Family History-*Genealogy, Heritage* 05. Holiday 02. School Days 06. Family

03. Vacation 07. Any other themed scrapbook

04. Special Event-Graduation, Wedding, etc.

Digital Scrapbooking - Division 119

Produced on computer, printed in hard copy. Should have a cover and a minimum of 10 pages.

Class

01. Family History-Genealogy, Heritage05. Holiday02. School Days06. Family03. Vacation07. Any other themed scrapbook

04. Special Event-Graduation, Wedding, etc.

Rubber Stamping - Division 120

Main Focus is rubber stamping. Should be 3 samples mounted on 11" x 14" poster board.



Class

01. Holiday Cards

02. Special Occasion Cards

03. Birthday Cards

04. Greeting Cards

05. Any other item using rubber stamps w/explanation

Embellished Cards - Division 121

Main focus is not rubber stamping. Should be 3 samples mounted on 11" x 14" poster board.



Class

- 01. Holiday Cards
- 02. Special Occasion Cards
- 03. Birthday Cards

- 04. Greeting Cards
- 05. Any other item using rubber stamps w/explanation

Drawings & Paintings - Division 122



Class

01. Color Pencil	05. Pen & Ink
02. Oil	06. Pastels
03. Watercolor	07. Pencil/Graphite
04. Acrylic	08. Any Other Media

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Divisions 110 – 122	\$5	\$3	\$2	
Exception Classes designated w/*	\$10	\$8	\$5	

We will award

Three County Fair Amateur Art Award- Rosette

Photography - Division 123

Limited to **7 Photos Per Exhibitor.** Photos should be matted only (no frames). Final dimensions, including matting are to be no larger than 11"x14". All photos must not have been exhibited before.



Class

- 01. Any Photograph-"Fun at the 3 County Fair"
- 02. Any Photography-Massachusetts Fairs
- 03. Black & White-Street Photography
- 04. Black & White-Still Life
- 05. Black & White-Lines & Angles/Architecture
- 06. Black & White-Digital Art, computer altered
- 07. Black & White-Architecture
- 08. Any Other Black & White Photo
- 09. Color-Child or Children at Play
- 10. Color-Garden Flowers
- 11. Color-Trees or Wildflowers
- 12. Color-Water in Nature

- 13. Color-Birds or Wildlife
- 14. Color-Street Photography
- 15. Color-Still Life
- 16. Color-Landscape
- 17. Color-Digital Art, computer altered
- 18. Color-Sunrise or Sunset
- 19. Color-Horses or Cows
- 20. Color-Portrait
- 21. Color-*Lines & Angles/Architecture*
- 22. Color-Agricultural Scene or Subject
- 23. Any Other Color Photo

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	
All Classes	\$7	\$5	\$3	

We will award

Three County Fair Best Black & White Photo- Rosette
Three County Fair Best Color Photo- Rosette
Three County Fair Best Amateur Photography Award- Rosette

2021 MAFA State Photography Competition - Adult



Contest Rules & Regulations:

- The photo must be exhibited in a MAFA member's 2021 Fair by a non-professional adult.
- By exhibiting at the Three County Fair you are automatically qualified for the competition, as long as the subject of your photo is agricultural in nature or depicting the agricultural aspects of a Massachusetts Fair.
- The photo must be exhibited & judged to be best overall agricultural photo at the originating member Fair.
- An 8x10 un-matted and unframed photo will be judged at the convention.
- Winner must supply either an 8x10 photo or a jpeg file so an 8" x 10" photo can be reprinted.
- The winning photograph will reproduce with the best quality if it is taken with a minimum of 300 dpi, but this is not a requirement for submission.
- MAFA and MDAR have the right to use the winning photograph in publications promoting agriculture in the state of Massachusetts.

Canned and Preserved Goods - Division 129



Rules and Regulations:

- The products shown must be canned in the past 12 months and have been made by the exhibitor.
- Labeling and Jars shall all be uniform. Each entry shall be of the Standard Commercial Jar size and type.
- All products, including jam and jelly, shall be sealed by processing—hot water bath for fruits, pressure for tomatoes, vegetables, and vegetable combinations.
- Foods to be canned must be fresh produce, not previously canned or frozen.
- The owner's name and address must be clearly written on the underside of each jar for identification.
- Preference shall be given to practical packs, rather than to fancy packs.
- Rings should be removed and jars should be clean & clear of sticky residue.

Collections - *Pints or Quarts*



Class

- 01. 3 Jars of Canned Fruits-1 Jar Each Of 3 Kinds
- 02. 3 Jars of Canned Vegetables-1 Jar of 3 Kinds
- 03. 3 Jars of Jelly-1 Jar Each of 3 Kinds
- 04. 3 Jars of Jam, Marmalades, Conserves-1 Jar Each
- 05. 3 Jars of Pickles-1 Jar Each of 3 Kinds

- 06. 3 Jars of Relishes-1 Jar Each of 3 Kinds
- 07. 3 Varieties of Fruit and/or Vegetables Used for Pies
- 08. Homemaker Canning-1 Jar Each of Jam or Jelly, 1 Jar of Fruit, & 1 Jar Vegetable

Canned Vegetables or Fruits - 2 Pints or Quarts



Class

- 09. Beans-Green, snap
- 10. Beans-Yellow, snap
- 11. Peas
- 12. Carrots
- 13. Corn
- 14. Winter Squash
- 15. Pumpkin
- 16. Summer Squash
- 17. Tomatoes-Whole
- 18. Tomatoes-Half
- 19. Tomatoes-Pieces
- 20. Beets
- 21. Pickled Beets
- 22. Pickles-Dill Pickles Sliced
- 23. Pickles-Dill Pickles Whole
- 24. Pickles-Bread & Butter
- 25. Pickles-Sweet

- 26. Pickles-Any other
- 27. Peaches-Whole
- 28. Peaches-Sliced
- 29. Pears
- 30. Plums
- 31. Blueberries
- 32. Blackberries
- 33. Raspberries
- 34. Cherries
- 35. Applesauce-Strained
- 36. Applesauce-Chunk
- 37. Strawberries
- 38. Fruit Pie Filling
- 39. Any other Fruit
- 40. Any other Vegetable

Jelly & Jam - 2 jars



Class

41. Grape Jelly42. Apple Jelly43. Mint Jelly44. Any other Jelly45. Raspberry Jam

- 46. Strawberry Jam
- 47. Peach Jam
- 48. Blueberry Jam
- 49. Any other Jam

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	$\overline{}$
Classes 01 – 08	\$4	\$3	\$2	
Classes 09 – 49	\$3	\$2	\$1	J

BAKING

Breads and Pastries - Division 130



Rules and Regulations:

- Friday, September 3, 2021, will be the Official Baking Day.
- Classes 01 26 & King Arthur Flour Baking Contest entries must be brought in between 9:00 11:00 AM.
- Recipes must accompany all entries.
- Baked goods must be removed from the pan, wrapped in plastic wrap, or in plastic bags.
- Please use small, disposable pans when possible.

Class

- 01. Coffee Cake
- 02. Fudge Cake
- 03. Tea Cookie-8 Assorted, Decorated
- 04. Box Cake & pudding, oil, eggs, etc.-attach Recipe
- 05. Bundt Cake-unfrosted
- 06. Datenut Bread
- 07. Banana Bread
- 08. Brownies-4 Fudge
- 09. Brownies-4 Blonde
- 10. Brownies-4 Any Other
- 11. Cookies-6 Cut Out
- 12. Homemade Candy-any type 6 pieces
- 13. Any other Cake-not a mix

- 14. Cookies-6 Any type
- 15. Muffins-4 Cranberry
- 16. Muffins-4 Corn
- 17. Muffins-4 Any other
- 18. Quick Bread-Any
- 19. White Bread-Yeast
- 20. Yeast Rolls-4 Rolls
- 21. Yeast Bread-Dark; Oatmeal, Rye, Whole Wheat
- 22. Bread-Any Other
- 23. Yeast Coffee Cake
- 24. Fancy Holiday Yeast Bread
- 25. Pie-other than apple
- 26. Fudge-6 pieces

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd})
All Classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	

We will award

Three County Fair Baker's Award- Rosette It will be the winner of the most blue ribbons. *If a tie exists, second place ribbons will be counted.*



King Arthur Flour Baking Contest - Division 224

Open to both Youth and Adult Exhibitors

General Rules:

- Entry forms must be received by Monday, August 23, 2021.
- Questions should be directed the Superintendent.
- Exhibitors must bring entries to the Three County Fair Exhibit Hall on Friday, September 3rd, 9:00 11:00 AM.
- Judging will take place on the same day, at 5:00 PM.
- Exhibitor must bring a UPC label from a King Arthur flour bag when he/she submits the baked good as well as a 3" x 5" index card stating the recipe.
- All entries must be submitted on a disposable or non-returnable plate. The plate must be wrapped and covered for safety & sanitation reasons.
- Failure to follow the rules may result in disqualification.
- Please be sure to state whether you are an Adult (18 years old or older) or a Youth (include age as of 1/1/21).
- This year Adults will compete by baking a **Sourdough Bread** and Youth will compete by baking a **Popover Dessert**.
- You can use your own recipe, but you must use King Arthur Flour.
- You can also use any frosting, filling and/or decorations.

Judging Scorecard:

Flavor & Creativity	50 points
Overall Appearance	25 points
Texture	25 points
(100 points

Class

01. Popover Dessert-Youth only02. Sourdough Bread-Adult only

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Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}
All Classes	\$20	\$15	\$10

We will also award Adults:

1st Place- \$75 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalog/kingarthurflour.com 2nd Place- \$50 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalog/kingarthurflour.com 3rd Place- \$25 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalog/kingarthurflour.com

We will also award Youth:

1st Place- \$40 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalog/kingarthurflour.com 2nd Place- \$25 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalog/kingarthurflour.com 3rd Place- King Arthur Tote Bag



Three County Fair Youth Brownie Contest - Division 220



Brownie Contest Day is Friday, September 3rd. Brownies should be brought in 9:00 - 11:00 A.M. All Brownies must be made by the exhibitor. Recipe must be included with Brownies. Exhibitor may enter Class 01 and 02, but only one (1) entry per class. There must be 4 pieces to a plate, and they must be covered with plastic.

General Rules:

- **Brownie Contest Day** is Friday, September 3, 2021.
- Brownies will be accepted from 9:00 11:00 AM only.
- All brownies must be made by exhibitor. Exhibitors must be under 18 years old.
- Recipe must be included with pie, on a 4" x 6" index card or recipe card.
- Exhibitor may enter Class 01 & 02, but only one entry per exhibitor, per class.
- There must be 4 pieces to a plate, and they must be covered with plastic wrap.

Class

01. Brownie-Traditional

02. Brownie-Fancy

Premiums:	1st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th)
All Classes	\$15	\$ 13	\$11	\$9	\$7	

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Best All-Around Brownie Award- Rosette



Three County Fair Adult Apple Pie Contest - Division 401



General Rules:

- Apple Pie Day is Sunday, September 5, 2021.
- Pies will be accepted from 9:00 11:00 AM only.
- Judging begins at 12:00 PM.
- All pies must be made by exhibitor. Exhibitors must be 18 years old or older.
- Recipe must be included with pie, on a 4" x 6" index card or recipe card.
- Exhibitor may enter Class 01, 02, & 03-but only one pie per exhibitor per class.
- Class 01 & 02 call for traditional 2 crust pie, baked in a disposable 8" or 9" pan.
- Class 03 may use any type of disposable pan.
- Apple pies must be appropriately wrapped in plastic wrap or plastic bags.

Class

- 01. Apple Pie-Sweet
- 02. Apple Pie-*Tart*
- 03. Apple Pie-Fancy; additional ingredients such as other fruits, cream cheese, etc.

Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	3^{rd}	
All Classes	\$50	\$25	\$15	

We will award

1st – 6th Place- Rosettes

Three County Fair Best Overall Apple Pie Award-Rosette

Grange - Division 124

Score Card for Competitive Exhibits:

Educational Value and Originality	50%
Tells a story to the public	
Presented in an interesting manner, has eye appeal	
General Effect	25%
Attractiveness, neatness, scale, color scheme, lighting, and arrangement	ent
Quality of material used and Workmanship	10%
Signs:	10%
(a) Title of exhibit (subject or theme)	
(b) Concise/complete project information	
(c) Others as needed	
Judges Information: (enclosed in an envelope)	5%
(a) Title of exhibit	
(b) Project Information	
(c) Nature of the program	

Class

- 01. Grange Exhibit Score Card for Competitive Exhibits (Approved by Mass. Dept. of Agricultural Fairs Association).
- 02. Large Educational Display Score Card for Competitive Exhibits. Organizational or Family display to consist of a central theme, which emphasizes and promotes a specific theme of agriculture or community living. *Must fill a large Fair display booth and must be pre-entered due to space*.

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	$3^{\rm rd}$	4 th	
Class 01	\$200	\$180	\$160	N/A	
Class 02	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$50	

YOUTH EXHIBITS



ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Please use the entry form on last page, online, or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Sunday, 8/29/21, 2:00 - 7:00 PM

Wednesday, 9/1/21, 2:00 – 7:00 PM, Grange and Educational Displays Friday, 9/3/21, 9:00 – 11:00 AM, All Baking and King Arthur Baking

SHOW TIMES: Friday, 9/3/21, 5:00 PM – King Arthur Judging

RELEASE TIME: Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (Please see details on next page)

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Sweepstakes Award-Rosette

To the winner of the most blue ribbons.

If a tie exists, second place ribbons will be counted.

RULES FOR THE EXHIBIT HALL

- All entries are received upon the express condition that the society shall not be responsible for the loss or damage to any such property.
- Please "READ & FOLLOW THE RULES" exactly as given in the Exhibitor's Guide.
- All articles must be made by the exhibitor personally during this past 12 months.
- An exhibitor shall make only one entry in each class (unless otherwise stated).
- Placing will be awarded based on quality of exhibit and the decision of the Judges will be final.
- If a class is available for an item, the "Any Other" class CANNOT be used.
- No names should be visible on any items.
- In event of fewer than 3 entries in any given class, the Management reserves the right to combine comparable classes. If there are sufficient entries, classes may be divided at the discretion of the Judge.
- The Management reserves the right to reclassify an exhibit if they think it is in the wrong class.
- All premium money will be paid from awards as marked in the Judge's book and NOT from the ribbons that may be attached to exhibits, as ribbons are sometimes misplaced.
- YOUTH EXHIBITS are open to any person up to 18 years of age as of January 1 of current year.
- CHILD EXHIBITS are open to any person up to 9 years of age as of January 1 of the current year.
- If you have any questions, please email, or call the Superintendent.

REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

NO EARLY REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS. The building will be closed to the public at 8:00 P.M. on Monday, Sept. 6th. Exhibits must be removed on **Tuesday, Sept. 7th from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM. Please bring your claim tickets to pick up items.** If you have a problem, please discuss it with the Superintendent. The fair is **NOT** responsible for exhibits left beyond this time. Please check your list of awards with the Superintendent, or her representatives, for any clerical errors.

DISCREPANCIES MUST BE CORRECTED AT PICK UP.

Educational Exhibits - Division 200



Score Card for Exhibits:

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Educational Value and Originality	50%
Tells a story to the public	
Presented in an interesting manner, has eye appeal	
General Effect	25%
Attractiveness, neatness, scale, color scheme, lighting, and arrangement	t
Quality of material used and Workmanship	10%
Signs:	10%
(a) Title of exhibit-subject or theme	
(b) Name of club & town-Names of leaders & members	
(c) Others as needed	
Judges Information-enclosed in an envelope	5%
(a) Title of exhibit	
(b) Name of club or individual	
(c) Ages of individual(s)	

4-H, FFA, VO-AG, Scouts, Club, or School Exhibits (Size 6' x 3'-Must supply own backdrop)

Class

01. Project should depict club activities / learning experiences. A central theme should dominate and tell a story.

Individual Exhibits (Size 3' x 3'-Must supply own backdrop)



Class

- 02. Project/exhibit other than Solar Energy, Energy Conservation or Wind Energy
- 03. Project/exhibit must have the theme Solar Energy, Energy Conservation or Wind Energy
- 04. Project/exhibit must have the theme Any other Conservation Concern

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	$3^{\rm rd}$	4 th	
Class 01	\$40	\$37	\$34	\$31	
Class 02 - 04	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$8	

Youth Conservation - Division 201

Specimens must be dried and pressed where applicable. Collections must consist of at least 15 DIFFERENT species. Endangered species are not acceptable. All should be pressed (when possible), mounted, and named.



Class

- 01. Collection of different leaves or leaf prints
- 02. Collection of different native wildflowers
- 03. Collection of different insects
- 04. Collection of different native woods
- 05. Collection of different common weeds

- 06. Collection of different seashells
- 07. Collection of different geology and rocks
- 08. Any other Conservation Collection-such as seeds (not packaged seeds), etc.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$10	\$8	\$5

Youth Needlecrafts - Division 202



Class

- 01. Pillow-Embroidery or Crewel
- 02. Pillow-Needlepoint or Bargello
- 03. Pillow-Patchwork
- 04. Pillow-Latch Hook
- 05. Pillow-Quilted
- 06. Pillow-Any Other
- 07. Crewel or Embroidery-Picture
- 08. Crewel or Embroidery-Sampler
- 09. Crewel or Embroidery-Any Other
- 10. Counted Cross Stitch-Picture
- 11. Counted Cross Stitch-Sampler
- 12. Counted Cross Stitch-Any Other
- 13. Any Latch Hook-All Competing Together

- 14. Macramé-*Jewelry*
- 15. Macramé-Any other
- 16. Needlepoint or Bargello-Picture
- 17. Needlepoint or Bargello-Plastic Canvas
- 18. Needlepoint or Bargello-Sampler
- 19. Needlepoint or Bargello-Any Other
- 20. Patchwork-Wall Hanging
- 21. Patchwork-Any Other
- 22. Quilt-Name Type: Tied, Handmade, Machine

Made

- 23. Quilt-Made by a Group
- 24. Quilted Item-Any Other
- 25. Needlecraft-Any Other: name type of needlecraft

Premiums:	1^{st}	2^{nd}	3^{rd})
Class 01 – 21, 24 & 25	\$3	\$2	\$1	
Class 22 & 23	\$10	\$8	\$5	J

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Quilt Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Youth Needlecraft Award- Rosette

Youth Knitting or Crocheting - Division 203

Please specify if the article is knitted or crocheted



Class

- 01. Afghan
- 02. Baby Set
- 03. Mittens
- 04. Mittens, Hat & Scarf Set
- 05. Scarf

- 06. Shawl
- 07. Slippers
- 08. Sweater-Fancy
- 09. Sweater-Plain
- 10. Knitting of Crocheting-Any Other

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Knitting or Crocheting Award- Rosette

Youth Crafts - Division 204



Class

- 01. Basketry
- 02. Candles
- 03. Ceramics
- 04. Decoupage
- 05. Doll-apple, corn husk, clothespin, etc.
- 06. Handmade jewelry
- 07. Holiday Decoration-other than Xmas
- 08. Model Kit-model to be made from a kit
- 09. Pottery

- 10. Everyday Wreath
- 11. Tin Piercing-metal punch
- 12. Sand Painting
- 13. Seashell Craft-not sculpture
- 14. Tie Dye
- 15. Puppet
- 16. String Art: Symmography
- 17. Any other craft-list craft

Class

18. Collection of Handmade Crafts-must be made by the exhibitor. Collection of 5 or more objects of one craft. To be judged on quality, originality & set up of display. Exhibit size 3' x 3'. Must supply own backdrop.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Classes 01-17	\$3	\$2	\$1
Class 18	\$5	\$4	\$3

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Outstanding Crafter Award-Rosette

Youth Dried Arrangements - Division 205



Class

01. Wall Hanging-Natural material

02. "Flowers Forever"-Silk Flowers

03. "A Tisket, A Tasket"-Arrangement in a basket

04. "Drift Away"-Arrangement on driftwood

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	\bigcap
All Classes	\$2	\$1.50	\$1	

Youth Woodworking - Division 206

No kits - Only one entry per class allowed.



Class

01. Bird/Bat/Butterfly House	06. Lamp-Wired, with Shade
02. Bookcase	07. Shelf
03. Bookends	08. Toys
04. Bread Board	09. Woodworking-Any Other
05. Footstool	10. Carving or Wood Burning

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Classes 01, 03 - 10	\$3	\$2	\$1
Class 02	\$5	\$4	\$2

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Woodworking Award-Rosette

Youth Art - Division 207

Must be appropriately framed or mounted. No Crayon Drawings.



Class

- 01. Drawing-Pencil
- 02. Drawing-Colored Pencil
- 03. Drawing-Charcoal
- 04. Drawing-Pen/Ink
- 05. Drawing-Marker
- 06. Painting-Oil
- 07. Painting-Acrylic

- 08. Painting-Watercolor
- 09. Slate Painting
- 10. Sculptures
- 11. Any other media
- 12. Wearable Art-Tee Shirt, Sweatshirt, or Other; stenciled, sponge printing, appliqué, puff paints, etc.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
Class 01, 02, & 12	\$4	\$3	\$2	
Class 03 - 11	\$3	\$2	\$1	

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Art Award- Rosette Three County Fair Youth Reserve Art Award- Rosette

Youth Photography - Division 208

Photos should be matted only, no frames. Final Dimensions including matting are to be no larger than 11" x 14".

Actual photo size is your choice. All photos must not have been exhibited before.

Limited to 7 Photos per Exhibitor.



Black & White

Class

- 01. Animal Photograph
- 02. Photo of a person(s)
- 03. Landscape
- 04. Still Life
- 05. Garden Flowers
- 06. Nature Study

- 07. Trees/Wildflowers
- 08. Water in Nature
- 08. Farm Scene
- 09. Architecture
- 10. Any Other black & white photo

Color

Class

- 11. Animal Photo
- 12. Photo of a person(s)
- 13. Landscape
- 14. Still Life
- 15. Garden Flowers
- 16. Nature Study

- 17. Trees/Wildflowers
- 18. Water in Nature
- 19. Farm Scene
- 20. Architecture
- 21. Any Other Color Photo

Color or Black & White

Class

- 22. Photograph of 2019 Three County Fair
- 23. Any photo of a 2019 Massachusetts Fair-Please state name of Fair & location.
- 24. Photograph of a Town Landmark-List the town. Town to be located in Hampshire, Franklin, or Hampden County.
- 25. Digital art-computer altered

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All Classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Photography Award- Rosette
Three County Fair Youth Reserve Photography Award- Rosette

2021 MAFA State Youth Photography Competition



Contest Rules & Regulations:

Contest Rules & Regulations:

- The photo must be exhibited in a MAFA member's 2021 Fair by a youth exhibitor.
- By exhibiting at the Three County Fair you are automatically qualified for the competition, as long as the subject of your photo is agricultural in nature or depicting the agricultural aspects of a Massachusetts Fair.
- The photo must be exhibited & judged to be best overall agricultural photo at the originating member Fair.
- An 8x10 un-matted and unframed photo will be judged at the convention.
- Winner must supply either an 8x10 photo or a jpeg file so an 8" x 10" photo can be reprinted.
- The winning photograph will reproduce with the best quality if it is taken with a minimum of 300 dpi, but this is not a requirement for submission.
- MAFA and MDAR have the right to use the winning photograph in publications promoting agriculture in the state of Massachusetts.

Youth Childcare - Division 209

NO KITS – Must be able to be played with by a child and must be HANDMADE.



Class

- 01. Scrapbook-At least 25 pages of pictures of interest to a child
- 02. Handmade game of wood or metal-*Game* instructions to be included
- 03. Doll or Stuffed Toy-Suitable for a small child

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	
All Classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	

Youth Christmas in September - Division 210



Class

- 01. Wreath-any Christmas
- 02. Decorated Wreath
- 03. Ornament from a kit

- 04. Handmade Christmas Card-no larger than 5" x 7"
- 05. Any Tree Ornament
- 06. Any Other Christmas Item

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	\bigcap
All Classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	

Youth Sewing - Division 218

Only one (1) entry is allowed per person in each class.



Class

- 01. Apron
- 02. Blouse or Shirt
- 03. Dress-Formal gown
- 04. Dress-Informal
- 05. Robe or Nightwear
- 06. Jacket-unlined
- 07. Pocketbook or Tote

- 08. Skirt
- 09. Slacks or Pants
- 10. Sportswear
- 11. Vest
- 12. Suit-2-piece, skirt or pants
- 13. Any other sewn article

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd
Classes 01, 02, 04 – 11, & 13	\$3	\$2	\$1
Classes 03 & 12	\$4	\$3	\$2

We will award Three County Fair Youth Clothing Award- Rosette

Youth Canned and Preserved Goods - Division 223



Rules and Regulations:

- The products shown must be canned in the past 12 months and have been made by the exhibitor.
- Labeling and Jars shall all be uniform. Each entry shall be of the Standard Commercial Jar size & type.
- All products, including jam and jelly, shall be sealed by processing—hot water bath for fruits, pressure for tomatoes, vegetables, and vegetable combinations.
- Foods to be canned must be fresh produce, not previously canned or frozen.
- The owner's name and address must be clearly written on the underside of each jar for identification.
- Preference shall be given to practical packs, rather than to fancy packs.
- Rings should be removed and jars should be clean & clear of sticky residue.

Youth Jar Collections

3 Jars

Class

01. 3 different Jams	04. 3 different Relishes
02. 3 different Jellies	05. 3 different Vegetables
03. 3 different Pickles	06. 3 different Fruits

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$4	\$3	\$2

Vegetables

2 Jars



Class

07. Beets

08. Carrots

09. Corn

10. Peas

11. String Beans-*Green*

12. String Beans-Yellow

13. Tomatoes

14. Vegetable-Any Other

Fruits

2 Jars

Class

- 15. Applesauce
- 16. Berries-Any Type
- 17. Fruit Cocktail

- 18. Peaches
- 19. Pears
- 20. Fruits-Any Other

Pickles

2 Jars



Class

- 21. Pickles-Bread & Butter
- 22. Pickles-Dill
- 23. Pickles-Sweet Cucumber

- 24. Pickles-Any Other
- 25. Relish-Any Type

Jellies

2 Jars

Class

- 26. Berry Jelly-Any Type
- 27. Grape Jelly

- 28. Peach Jelly
- 29. Jelly-Any Other

Jams

2 Jars



Class

30. Raspberry Jam

31. Peach Jam

32. Strawberry Jam

33. Blueberry Jam

34. Jam-Any Other

35. Jam-Any Other Berry

Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	3 rd
All Classes	\$2	\$1.50	\$1

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Canning Award-Rosette

Youth Foods - Division 219

Recipes must be included with all baked goods. Entries without recipes will be DISQUALIFIED. No package mixes are to be used. **Must be displayed on a paper plate**. Please use Ziploc bags when possible, otherwise clear plastic covering. Exception: pies must be in disposable pans.





Class

- 01. Fruit Bread-loaf
- 02. Cereal Bread-loaf
- 03. Quick Bread-loaf
- 04. Yeast Bread-loaf
- 05. Coffee Cake
- 06. Bread-Any Other
- 07. Dinner Rolls-6 Rolls
- 08. Muffins-6 Any Type
- 09. Cupcakes-6 Any Type
- 10. Cookies-6 Chocolate Chip

- 11. Cookies-6 Oatmeal
- 12. Cookies-6 Drop
- 13. Cookies-6 Rolled
- 14. Cookies-6 Bar
- 15. Cakes-Any Type
- 16. Pies-All Competing Together
- 17. Fudge-6 pieces, Any Type
- 18. Homemade candy-6 pieces, Any Type
- 19. Packed adequate School Lunchmenu for the day must accompany lunch

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	
All Classes	\$3	\$2	\$1	J

We will award

Three County Fair Youth Baking Award- Rosette

CHILDREN EXHIBITS (Youth under 9 years old)- Division 211

For Youth 5 to 8 years old as of January 1 of the current year.

Children can participate for Ribbons Only.



Child Arts and Crafts
Drawings <u>must</u> be mounted.



Class

- 01. Crayon Drawing
- 02. Pencil Drawing
- 03. Painted Picture
- 04. Any other Art
- 05. Puppet

- 06. Any other Craft-Please state craft,
- no more than one (1) craft may be entered.
- 07. Needlecraft
- 08. Sewn Garment

Child Baking

Recipes must be included with all Baked Goods.

Entries without recipes will be disqualified.

No package mixes are to be used.

Must be displayed on paper plates with clear plastic covering.



Class

- 09. Halloween Jack-O-Lanterndecorated with paint or felt, NOT CUT OUT
- 10. Drop Cookies-6 Cookies
- 11. Any other Cookie-6 Cookies
- 12. Muffins-6 Any Type
- 13. Quick Bread

ADULT DAIRY SHOW



Superintendent: Faith Bisbee (413) 455-4772 clayhillfarm2010@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the *ShoWorks Passport* app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Friday, 9/3/21, 7:00 AM, open for all animals.

All Brown Swiss, Holsteins, and Milking shorthorns must be stalled by 7:00 AM, Saturday, 9/4/21.

All Ayrshires, Guernseys, and Jerseys must be stalled by 7:00 AM, Sunday, 9/5/21. Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and head toward Barns 8 & 9.

SHOW TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 10:00 AM Judging of Brown Swiss, Holsteins, and Milking Shorthorns.

Sunday, 9/5/21, 10:00 AM Judging of Ayrshires, Guernseys, and Jerseys.

RELEASE TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 5:00 PM Brown Swiss, Holsteins, and Milking Shorthorns.

Sunday, 9/5/21, 5:00 PM Ayrshires, Guernseys, and Jerseys.

ENTRY FEES: \$1.00 per head must be paid with entries

RULES FOR THE EXHIBITION OF CATTLE

- All cattle must be from an accredited herd or have passed tuberculin test within 60 days.
- All animals must be accompanied by registration papers and a current health certificate.
- Any animal showing signs of any communicable diseases will be barred.
- The Society reserves the right to reject any or all entries and will not accept entries in excess of the accommodations.
- Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam.
- No animal shall receive a prize unless worthy of it.
- Brucellosis must come from a certified herd or be tested within 30 days.
- All animals must be accompanied by registration papers
- Interfering with the Judge is prohibited.
- Animals and exhibits must be kept clean and neat at all times.
- Individual classes will be limited to 2 entries per class per exhibitor.
- Group classes will be limited to 1 entry per class per exhibitor. One entry per family or farm.
- All animals shown in group classes must have been shown in their individual classes.
- Best Uddered only one per exhibitor. **One entry per family or farm.**
- Positive social behaviors and interaction with the public, good sportsmanship, and cooperation is expected.
- While showing exhibitors will wear white or khaki pants, skirts, or dresses and white shirts or farm polos.
- A solid durable shoe must be worn at all times while on the grounds. No sandals, clogs, or bare feet will be allowed.
- Per Order of the Northampton Fire Department:
 - No Cooking in Any Barns
 - All Electrical Cords Must be 3 Prong
 - All Fans Must Be 3 Wire Grounded Plugs

*****NO CLIPPING CHUTES IN BARNS*****

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NO DUMPING OF WATER BUCKETS IN PENS AND STALLS



Divisions:

300 Ayrshire301 Brown Swiss302 Guernsey

Class

- 01. Spring Calf-Born on or after 3/1/21
- 02. Winter Calf-Born 12/1/20-2/28/21
- 03. Fall Calf-Born 9/1/20-11/30/20
- 04. Summer Yearling-Born 6/1/20-8/31/20
- 05. Spring Yearling-*Born 3/1/20-5/31/20*
- 06. Winter Yearling-Born 12/1/19-2/28/20
- 07. Fall Yearling-Born 9/1/19-11/30/19
- 08. Two-Year-Old-Born 9/1/18-8/31/19
- 09. Three-Year-Old-Born 9/1/17-8/31/18

303 Holstein 304 Jersey 305 Milking Shorthorn

- 10. Four-Year-Old-Born 9/1/16-8/31/17
- 11. Aged Cow-Born on or before 8/31/16
- 12. Dry Cow-one animal, calved at least once, not in milk
- 13. Best Uddered Cow-must be in milk
- 14. Dam/Daughter
- 15. Best 3 Females-Bred & Owned by Exhibitor
- 16. Exhibitors Herd 5 Females of Any Age-*One* entry per family or farm.

Premiums:	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Classes 01 - 15	\$30	\$27	\$22	\$19	\$15
Class 16	\$85	\$75	\$65	\$55	N/A

We will award the following awards per division (breed):

Grand Champion- Rosette & Trophy

Reserve Grand Champion- Rosette & Trophy

YOUTH DAIRY SHOW



Superintendent: Faith Bisbee (413) 455-4772 clayhillfarm2010@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Sunday, 9/5/21, 5:00 – 8:00 PM, or see superintendent.

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and head toward Barn 8 & 9.

SHOW TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 10:00 AM Fitting and Showmanship, followed by type classes.

LUNCH BREAK: Monday, 9/6/21, 12:00 - 1:00 PM

RELEASE TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 5:00 PM.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE DIVISIONS.

INSTRUCTIONS & RULES FOR DAIRY CATTLE

- All cattle must be from an accredited herd or have passed tuberculin test within 60 days.
- Any animal showing signs of any communicable diseases will be barred.
- The Society reserves the right to reject any or all entries and will not accept entries in excess of the accommodations.
- Each animal must have a sign or card over its stall showing name, date of birth, name of sire and dam.
- No animal shall receive a prize unless worthy of it.
- Brucellosis must come from a certified herd or be tested within 30 days.
- All animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor prior to May 1st of the current year. Registration will be checked on Sunday. All lease papers must be present. **No papers pending.**
- An exhibitor shall make only one entry in a given class, except animals shown in group classes must be shown in single classes. Group classes will be limited to 1 entry per exhibitor.
- Exhibitors and leaders will wear appropriate clothing and footwear at all times.
- Animals and exhibits must be kept clean and neat at all times.
- All animals shown in group classes must have been shown in their individual classes.
- Best Uddered only one per exhibitor. **One entry per family or farm.**
- Positive social behaviors and interaction with the public, good sportsmanship, and cooperation is expected.
- While showing exhibitors will wear white or khaki pants, skirts, or dresses and white shirts or farm polos.
- Exhibitors must show their own animals. However, help may be given in showing group classes.
- All exhibitors of Dairy animals must participate in Dairy Fitting and Showmanship Contest. Those who have
 previously won the Champion trophy at the Fair may participate in showmanship classes but will not be eligible to
 win the Champion Trophy again.
- Stall must be cleaned of all wet bedding and manure before leaving.
- All fitting of animals must be done by the exhibitor.
- NO ADULT ASSISTANCE IS ALLOWED. Any youth receiving help will forfeit all premiums.
- Per Order of the Northampton Fire Department:
 - No Cooking in Any Barns,
 - All Electrical Cords Must be 3 Prong,
 - All Fans Must Have a 3 Prong Grounded Plug

*****NO CLIPPING CHUTES IN BARNS**** FAVE PEN AND STALL AREAS CLEAN WHEN LEAVING

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Individual Herdsman Division 334

All exhibitors are automatically entered for Individual Herdsman Award. Judging shall be based upon keeping the animals and general area neat and clean and upon the cooperation and willing attitude of exhibitors, for the Fair week on and off the Fairgrounds. All animals should have stall cards with date of birth, name of animal, owner, owner's town and breed of animal on the card or on a farm sign. Extra consideration will be given for educational exhibits and exhibitor's positive interaction with the public. Any youth receiving adult help will be disqualified.

Exhibitors who fail to keep animals and area neat and clean may be asked to remove the animals from the Fairgrounds and forfeit all premiums awards

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<u>Premiums:</u>	1^{st}	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Class 01	\$35	\$20	\$25	\$20	\$15

Dairy Fitting & Showmanship Division 335

Monday, September 6, 2021 at 10:00 AM

Each exhibitor must participate in the Dairy Fitting & Showmanship Contest, unless they have previously won the championship at the Three County Fair. Failure to participate will result in forfeit of all prizes.

This contest will place emphasis on the fitting of the animals and the showmanship of the exhibitor. Appearance and behavior of both exhibitor and animal will be considered in the judging.

Class

- 01. Novice-For exhibitors in their first year of showing dairy animals.
- 02. Junior-For exhibitors up to 12 years of age as of 1/1/21 who have shown animals before.
- 03. Intermediate-For exhibitors 13 -14 years of age as of 1/1/21 who have shown animals before.
- 04. Senior-For exhibitors 15 19 years of age as of 1/1/21 who have shown animals before.
- 05. Advanced-For exhibitors 14+ years of age who have won 1st place in senior showmanship contest before.

Premiums: 1 st 2 nd 3 rd 4 th 5
lasses 01 - 05 \$30 \$27 \$24 \$21 \$3



Dairy Cattle Show Divisions:

328 Ayrshire

329 Brown Swiss

330 Guernsey

331 Holstein 332 Jersey

333 Milking Shorthorn

Class

- 01. Spring Calf-Born on or after 3/1/21
- 02. Winter Calf-Born 12/1/20-2/28/21
- 03. Fall Calf-Born 9/1/20-11/30/20
- 04. Summer Yearling-Born 6/1/20-8/31/20
- 05. Spring Yearling-Born 3/1/20-5/31/20
- 06. Winter Yearling-Born 12/1/19-2/28/20
- 07. Fall Yearling-Born 9/1/19-11/30/19
- 08. Junior Champion
- 09. Dry Cow-One animal, calved at least once, not in milk
- 10. Two-Year-Old-Born 9/1/18-8/31/19
- 11. Three-Year-Old-Born 9/1/17-8/31/18
- 12. Four-Year-Old-Born 9/1/16-8/31/17
- 13. Aged Cow-Born on or before 8/31/16
- 15. Senior Champion
- 16. Grand Champion
- 17. Best Bred & Owned-One animal bred & owned by exhibitor
- 18. Dam & Daughter-both owned by exhibitor
- 19. Exhibitors Herd-3 animals of the same breed owned by one exhibitor
- 20. Costume Class-Prizes for funniest, prettiest, and most creative

(Premiums:						All Other)
l		1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Worthy	
l	All classes	\$35	\$32	\$29	\$26	\$23	\$16	

We will award the following awards per division (breed):

Grand Champion- Rosette & Trophy

Senior Champion-Rosette & Trophy

Junior Champion- Rosette & Trophy

ADULT SHEEP

Superintendents: Kyle Thayer (413) 584-2237 info@3countyfair.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Thursday, 9/2/21, after 12:00 PM. Sheep must be in their pens by 10:00 AM, Friday,

9/3/21. Late arrival from other fairs with superintendent permission. Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 4 and head toward Barn 1.

SHOW TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, at 9:00 AM

RELEASE TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, after 5:00 PM

ENTRY FEE: \$1.00 per head all sheep **must be paid with entries**

SHEEP RULES

- In making entries, the exhibitor must specify owner's name and address.
- Registration on all animals shown must be furnished to Superintendents on demand.
- Breed classes for: Cheviot, Corriedale, Dorset, Hampshire, Shropshire, Southdown, Suffolk and Tunis, any other Breed Wool and any other Breed Meat.
- Age of animals will be figured as of September 1ST.
- Show Clothes: Dark pants in good repair white or farm shirt.
- All sheep and lambs must be free of contagious and infectious diseases, including foot rot, pink-eye and sore
 mouth. Animals found to have or be developing symptoms of disease may be sent home by the
 Superintendent.
- Show Condition: All sheep must be properly fitted and blocked or they may be disqualified.
- Each exhibitor may show and take premiums for no more than two animals per individual class.
- Exhibitors are responsible for feeding and exhibiting their animals. Bedding will not be provided.
- The decision of the judge shall be final.
- Exhibitor Potluck lunch at noon. Bring a dish to share and your own tableware.
- Priority to adults first!
- Youth need to choose either open or youth show but *not both*.
- Per Order of the Northampton Fire Department:
 - No Cooking in any Barns
 - o All Electrical Cords Must be 3 Prong

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Sheep Show -Divisions

316 Cheviot 317 Corriedale 318 Dorset 319 Hampshire 703 Jacob 701 Montadale 325 AOB Meat 702 Natural Colored 320 Shropshire 321 Southdown 322 Suffolk 323 Tunis 324 AOB Wool

Class

- 01. Yearling Ram-1 year & under 2 years
- 02. Senior Ram Lamb-Sept 1 Dec 31
- 03. Intermediate Ram Lamb-Jan 1 Feb 15
- 04. Junior Ram Lamb-Feb 16 on
- 05. Pair Ram Lambs
- 06. Yearling Ewe-1 year & under 2 years
- 07. Pair Yearling Ewes
- 08. Senior Ewe Lamb-Sept 1 Dec 31
- 09. Intermediate Ewe Lamb-Jan 1 Feb 15

- 10. Junior Ewe Lamb-Feb 16 on
- 11. Pair Ewe Lambs
- 12. Exhibitors flock-2 Yearling Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs, 1
- 13. Breeders Flock-Bred & Owned 2 Yearlings Ewes, 2 Ewes Lambs, 1 Ram
- 14. Get of Sire 4 head-both rams & ewes must be represented

Exceptions: Dorset

Senior-Sept 1 - Nov 30 Intermediate-Dec 1 – Jan 31

Junior-Feb 1-on

Cheviot

Intermediate-Jan 1 – Feb 28

Junior-Mar 1-on

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
Class 01	\$20	\$18	\$16	N/A	N/A	N/A
Classes 02 - 14	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10

Market Lambs - Division 326

Class

01. Light 02. Medium 03. Heavy

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
All Classes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$10

Shepherd Award - Division 327

Best Decorated and Most Informative Pen Awards

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd		
		Class 01	\$50	\$25

We will award the following awards per division (breed):

All places, all classes- Rosettes

The Luther A. Belden Memorial Award-trophy

Presented to the exhibitors of the Best Ram & Best Ewe of the show.

Must be bred and owned by exhibitor.

The Maurice Hynes Memorial Award- plaque

Presented for the Best Pair of Ewe Lambs, bred and owned by the exhibitor.

YOUTH SHEEP SHOW



Superintendent: Sharon Parsons (413) 584-8251 sparsons204@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM. *This is a one-day show*.

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 4 and proceed to Barn 1.

SHOW TIME: Monday, 9/6/21 at 10:30 AM

RELEASE TIME: Monday, 9/6/21 after 6:00 PM

ENTRY FEE: \$1.00 per head to be paid with entry.

RULES

- Exhibitors will wait to be assigned pens before unloading. **Bedding will not be provided**; exhibitors are responsible for feeding their own animals.
- Youth need to choose either youth or open show but *not both*.
- All sheep & lambs must be free of contagious and infectious diseases, animals found to have symptoms of disease may be sent home by the Superintendent.
- All sheep must be registered in the name of the exhibitor prior to 8/1/21. Registration Papers will be checked, and ear tags or tattoos must be on animals. Registration numbers must be on entry form and premiums paid to owner of record.
- Exhibitors will be allowed to show no more than 2 sheep in their respective classes with the exception of yearling rams, where only one may be shown.
- Any exhibitor contesting the final decision of the judge will forfeit their premiums. Premiums will be awarded on a sliding scale.
- Any breed without 2 or more exhibitors will be shown in the other breed classes.
 - Per Order of the Northampton Fire Department:
 - No Cooking in any Barns
 - All Electrical Cords Must be 3 Prong

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Sheep Fitting and Showmanship - Division 360

All sheep exhibitors must participate in Fitting & Showmanship. Exhibitors are limited to showing one sheep in this contest, and this animal must be shown later in a single class.

Exhibitors must wear proper attire: white shirts or club shirts, khakis or jeans (without holes). No shorts, <u>hats</u>, sandals, or bare feet allowed in the ring.

Class

01. Senior-Any youth 14 - 20 as of January 1st 02. Junior-Under 14 years old as of January 1st

03. Novice-First year showing

04. All other

Premiums:						All Other
	1 st	2^{nd}	3^{rd}	4 th	5 th	Worthy
All classes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$5

We will award

Champion Showman- Rosettes

Grand Champion Showman (chosen from Class 1-3)- Rosette and trophy provided by The Pioneer Valley Sheep Breeders Association. 1st – 5th Place- Ribbons

SHEEP CLASSES

Market Lambs - Division 361

Class

01. Light

03. Heavy

02. Medium

04. Pair-all worthy not paid

Sheep Show Divisions

364 Dorset 365 Hampshire

366 Shropshire

367 Southdown

368 Suffolk

369 Any Other Breed, Meat 370 Any Other Breed, Wool

371 Natural Color

Class

01. Yearling Ram-1 year & under 2 years

02. Senior Ram Lamb-Sept 1 – Dec 31

03. Intermediate Ram Lamb-Jan 1 - Feb 15

04. Junior Ram Lamb-Feb 16 - on

05. Pair Ram Lambs

06. Yearling Ewe-1 year & under 2 years

07. Pair Yearling Ewes

08. Senior Ewe Lamb-Sept 1 – Dec 31

09. Intermediate Ewe Lamb-Jan 1 – Feb 15

10. Junior Ewe Lamb-Feb 16 – on

11. Pair Ewe Lambs

12. Produce of dam-2 animals

13. Pen of 3 lambs, both sexes, bred & owned by exhibitor

14. Exhibitors Flock-2 Yearlings Ewes, 2 Ewe Lambs, 1 Ram

Premiums:						All Other
	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}	4 th	5 th	Worthy
All Classes	\$20	\$18	\$16	\$14	\$12	\$5

We will be award

Champion Ewe and Ram (in each breed)- Rosettes Best Ewe and Ram in Show-Rosettes and The Dennis J. Hukowicz Award **Shepherds Award**- The Fred K. Yale Shepherds Award

The Dennis J. Hukowicz Awards will be given to the Best Ewe and Best Ram in show. Dennis was a long-time member of the Three County Fair Association and a great supporter of all youth sheep activities. He enjoyed giving his time and assistance to benefit all youth.

The Fred K. Yale Shepherds Award

All exhibitors are automatically eligible for this Award. You will be judged on the appearance of your exhibit, attitude, cooperation, sportsmanship, and personal appearance. The trophy will be

The Tim Parsons First Time Exhibitor Award - Division 372

This \$25.00 award is given in memory of Tim Parsons, who passed away on April 6, 2018, in order to encourage young exhibitors to begin to exhibit at the Three County Fair Youth Sheep Show.

Youth Sheep Club Exhibits - Division 373

Exhibits will be accepted for display in the Youth Sheep Barn. Exhibits must be entered by a club. The exhibit must identify the club and its members.



Class

01. Youth Club Exhibits

Premiums:			
	1^{st}	2 nd	3 rd
All Classes	\$25	\$20	\$15

THE THREE COUNTY FAIR ABGA SANCTIONED BOER GOAT SHOW



Superintendent: Richard Dicey (603) 313-1284 RDicey@peopleslinen.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 30th. Please use the entry form on last page, online, or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app.

ARRIVAL TIMES: Saturday, 9/4/21, 8:00 – 10:00 PM or Sunday, 9/5/21, 7:00 – 9:00 AM.

CHECK IN: All animals must be checked in by Sunday, 9/5/21, 9:00 AM.

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 4 and head toward Barn 1.

SHOW TIMES: Sunday, 9/5/21, 11:00 AM and 2:00 PM.

RELEASE TIME: Sunday, 9/5/21, 5:00 PM. All animals must be out of the barn by 6:00 PM.

ABGA JUDGES: Jerrod Helms and Larry Epting

RULES

- NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER SEPTEMBER 4th.
- No refunds will be issued after the close of entries on 9/4/21.
- Substitutions allowed at no additional fee until 9:00AM on Sunday, 9/5/21.
- Owner's name and address must be specified on entry form.
- A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) is required for all animals and must be signed by an accredited veterinarian. Out-of-state animals originating from states not classified as "TB/Brucellosis Free" must also be accompanied by proof of negative test results for TB and Brucellosis within 30 days before the show.
- All animals must be free of contagious and infectious diseases, including foot rot, pink-eye, sore mouth, ringworm, abscesses, etc. Animals found to have or be developing symptoms of disease may be dismissed from the grounds by show officials at any time.
- Original ABGA registration certificates for all entries must be furnished at check-in for all animals 3 months of age or older. Kids under 3 months of age may be shown with a copy of their registration application, stamped with the date received by ABGA.
- It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to ensure all tattoos are legible and match registration certificate before presenting animals for judging.
- Market goats are not required to be registered, but must be appropriately identified and comply with USDA Scrapie Eradication Program Guidelines. For more information, call 1-888-USDA TAG (873-2824) or visit the following website: http://www.aphis.usda.gov/animal_health/animal_diseases/scrapie/
- Only goats entered in the show or nursing offspring where the dam and/or offspring is entered in the show will be permitted on the grounds.
- Exhibitors are responsible for the security, safety, and care of their animals.
- The decision of the judge shall be final.
- There is no limit on the number of animals an exhibitor may enter in each class.
- If entries must be limited based on pen availability, priority will be given to entries in the order they are received.
- Animals will not be allowed to run free in the aisles.
- Dogs are not permitted in the barns.
- The use of any substance to enhance the performance or appearance of any goat is strictly prohibited. Any exhibitor determined to be using such substances will be banned from the show and will forfeit all awards.

Boer Goat Show-Division 429

SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship classes are open to all exhibitors at no additional entry fee.

Class

S2: Senior Youth Showmanship (12-19 years old on 9/5/2021) S3: Junior Youth Showmanship (under 12 years old on 9/5/2021)

ABGA CLASSES

Class age breaks calculated as of 9/5/2021.

Percentage Boer Does

Class

01: Doe Kids: 0-3 months (Born 6/6/21-9/5/21) 10: Yearling Division Champion Percentage Boer Doe 02: Doe Kids: 3–6 months (Born 3/6/21–6/5/21) 11: Yearling Division Reserve Champion Percentage Boer Doe 03: Doe Kids: 6–9 months (Born 12/6/20–3/5/21) 12: Two-Year-Old Does: 24-36 months (Born 9/6/18–9/5/19) 04: Doe Kids: 9–12 months (Born 9/6/20–12/5/20) 13: Aged Does: 36 months plus (Born on or before 9/5/18) 05: Junior Division Champion Percentage Boer Doe 14: Senior Division Champion Percentage Boer Doe 06: Junior Division Reserve Champion Percentage Boer Doe 15: Senior Division Reserve Champion Percentage Boer Doe 07: Yearling Does: 12–16 months (Born 5/6/20–9/5/20) 16: Grand Champion Percentage Boer Doe 08: Yearling Does: 16–21 months (Born 1/6/20–5/5/20) 17: Reserve Champion Percentage Boer Doe 09: Yearling Does: 21–24 months (Born 9/6/19–1/5/20)

Fullblood/Purebred Boer Does

Class

27: Yearling Division Champion Fullblood Boer Doe 18: Doe Kids: 0–3 months (Born 6/6/21–9/5/21) 28: Yearling Division Reserve Champion Fullblood Boer Doe 19: Doe Kids: 3–6 months (Born 3/6/21–6/5/21) 20: Doe Kids: 6–9 months (Born 12/6/20–3/5/21) 29: Two-Year-Old Does: 24–36 months (Born 9/6/18–9/5/19) 21: Doe Kids: 9–12 months (Born 9/6/20–12/5/20) 30: Aged Does: 36 months+ (Born on or before 9/5/18) 22: Junior Division Champion Fullblood Boer Doe 31: Senior Division Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Doe 32: Senior Division Reserve Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Doe 23: Junior Division Reserve Champion Fullblood Boer Doe 24: Yearling Does: 12–16 months (Born 5/6/20–9/5/20) 33: Grand Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Doe 25: Yearling Does: 16–21 months (Born 1/6/20–5/5/20) 34: Reserve Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Doe 26: Yearling Does: 21–24 months (Born 9/6/19–1/5/20)

Fullblood Boer Bucks

Class

35: Buck Kids: 0-3 months (Born 6/6/21-9/5/21) 44: Yearling Division Champion Fullblood Buck 45: Yearling Division Reserve Champion Fullblood Buck 36: Buck Kids: 3-6 months (Born 3/6/21-6/5/21) 46: Two-Year-Old Bucks: 24-36 months (Born 9/6/18–9/5/19) 37: Buck Kids: 6–9 months (Born 12/6/20–3/5/21) 38: Buck Kids: 9–12 months (Born 9/6/20–12/5/20) 47: Aged Bucks: 36 months plus (Born on or before 9/5/18) 39: Junior Division Champion Fullblood Buck 48: Senior Division Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Bucks 40: Junior Division Reserve Champion Fullblood Buck 49: Senior Division Reserve Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Bucks 41: Yearling Bucks: 12–16 months (Born 5/6/20–9/5/20) 50: Grand Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Bucks 42: Yearling Bucks: 16–21 months (Born 1/6/20–5/5/20) 51: Reserve Champion Fullblood/Purebred Boer Bucks 43: Yearling Bucks: 21–24 months (Born 9/6/20–1/5/20)

We will award the following awards:

Grand Champion- Rosette

Reserve Champion-Rosette

All classes, 1st - 5th Place- Straight Ribbons





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SEND ENTRY FORM AND PAYMENT TO: (Please make checks payable to "THREE COUNTY FAIR") Three County Fair, P O Box 305, Northampton, MA 01061

DRAFT HORSE TEAMSTER'S CHALLENGE (RAIN OR SHINE!)



Superintendent: Donnie Bisbee (413) 250-6678 Clayhillfarm2010@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

REGISTRATION TIME: Entries will be received by superintendent starting at 8:30 AM

ARRIVAL TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 6-8 AM

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7.

SHOW TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 10:00 AM

RELEASE TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, as soon as classes are completed.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER THIS COMPETITION.

DRAFT HORSE CHALLENGE – Division 604

In the Draft Horse teamsters Challenge, teamsters will compete in classes designed to challenge their skills as a driver and the ability of their horses.

The course will include obstacles such as bridges, logs, backing & parking, moving feed and other challenges draft teamsters encounter while working with their animals.

RULES FOR DRAFT HORSE TEAMSTER'S CHALLENGE

- Teamsters will earn points for completing obstacles cleanly and within specific boundaries.
- The team's behavior, presentation, and responsiveness to the driver will also earn points.
- Points will be deducted for incomplete obstacles.
- Timing will be factored in if a tie breaker is necessary.
- Coggins must be presented.
- Teams can be used by different drivers.
- No Driver can compete more than 1 time per class.

Class

- 01. Obstacle Course: complete obstacles using a forecart or wagon.
- 02. Log Scoot: complete obstacles that replicate logging with horses.
- 03. Draft Barrel Race: Ride your draft horse/pony around the barrels. Teamster and horse may only compete once.
- 04. Judge's Choice: if the judge chooses to run this class, they will design a challenge of their choice.

Premiums:					
	$1^{\mathbf{st}}$	2^{nd}	3 rd	4 th	5 th
All classes	\$100	\$85	\$75	\$50	\$25

We will award the following awards: 1st-8th Place- Ribbons High Point for the Day- \$50 and trophy

NEW ENGLAND CHAMPIONSHIP HORSE PULL (RAIN OR SHINE!)



Superintendent: Donnie Bisbee (413) 250-6678 Clayhillfarm2010@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

REGISTRATION TIME: Entries will be received by superintendent starting at 8:30 AM

ARRIVAL TIME: Friday, 9/3/21, 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Friday, 9/3/21, 12:30 PM Weigh In

Exhibitors should enter via Gate 7 and head toward Pull Ring.

SHOW TIME: Friday, 9/3/21, 4:15 PM – 3400 Pound Class

Friday, 9/3/21, 7:30 PM - Free for all

RELEASE TIME: Friday, 9/3/21, as soon as classes are completed.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THIS COMPETITION.

~ MASSACHUSETTS FAIR PULLING RULES WILL PREVAIL ~

- 1. Pullers may be required to submit to breathalyzer tests per Division of Fairs.
- 2. No use of reins as a whip. This is a no touch competion.
- 3. Management reserves the right to have a registered Veterinarian examine one or all horses at any time while on the grounds.
- 4. All horses must have Coggins Papers with them in order to stay on the Fairgrounds.
- 5. All horses are subject to drug tests.
- 6. Entries will close one half hour before each class.
- 7. Horses cannot be stalled.

Division 312

~ 15 Foot Pull NO TOUCH ~

Class

 $01 - 3400 \,\mathrm{lb}$ $02 - \mathrm{Free}\text{-For-All}$

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	$7^{ ext{th}}$	8 th	
Class 01	\$330	\$305	\$275	\$250	\$240	\$210	\$200	\$190	
Class 02	\$460	\$430	\$380	\$340	\$275	\$250	\$225	\$200	

We will award

1st Place (in each class) - Trophy

Donors

Lamore Lumber Post & Beam, Deerfield

C.D. Davenport Trucking and Crane Services, Greenfield

OX DRAWING CONTEST

Superintendent: Bryan Mollison (413) 743-0029

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

WEIGH IN TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 8:00 – 10:00 AM

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and unload near the Pull Ring.

SHOW TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 10:00 AM Oxen, 1st Class

RELEASE TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, as soon as classes are completed.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER THIS COMPETITION.

OX DRAWING RULES

- Ox Drawing will be run under the 2021 Massachusetts State Fair rules and the New England Ox Teamsters rules.
- Any individual found guilty of administering drugs which may affect the conduct, actions, endurance, strength, speed or performance of any animal competing in any pulling competition within the Commonwealth of Mass. Shall forfeit all prize monies won that day and shall be barred from any pulling competition of the next calendar year. Second offenders shall be barred for life in any pulling competition in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
- Any owner and/or teamster who has been convicted, or found in violation in any other state's statute relating to the use of drugs or stimulants, or other animal protection statute shall be barred from participation in any contest, in this state, for the period prescribed by that state.
- Any team disqualified by an agent of Humane Society appointed under Chapter 147, Section 10, of the M.G.L. Shall be taken out of the contest immediately.
- All participants will be properly dressed. The drinking of alcoholic beverages in and around the ring is prohibited. Any foul or abusive language to the public or anyone connected with the draw, by the driver or his helpers will cause the driver and team to be disqualified.
- A twisted whip only with a braided lash or gord stick may be used in the pit or on the fairgrounds.
- The whip shall only be used to guide the oxen outside of the pit area. The whip may be used lightly to place the oxen, after being hitched to the boat. Then the oxen may be touched once only to start the boat and once only while the boat is in motion.
- No driver shall strike the ox in the face or anywhere about the head with the whip.
- All calves over the age of 6 months must be castrated to show or enter any classes.
- All trucks & trailers **must park** in lot opposite cattle barn. (**known as Klecot Lot**)
- Any variation of these rules shall be in the spirit of aforesaid rules and at the discretion of the judges.

Ox Draw – Division 313

Class

01. 2000-2500# 03. 3300# & Under 02. 2900# & Under 04. Over 3300#

	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7^{th}	8 th
Class 01	\$100	\$80	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$35	\$30	\$20
Class 02	\$125	\$100	\$85	\$75	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35
Class 03	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75	\$65	\$55	\$45	\$35
Class 04	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$80	\$65	\$55	\$45

YOUTH OXEN



Superintendent: Tom Jenkins (413) 537-5878 info@3countyfair.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21.

Exhibitors should enter the fair via gate 7 and head to Teamster's Ring.

SHOW TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 10:30 AM Oxen

RELEASE TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, as soon as classes are completed.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE DIVISIONS.

Youth Oxen – Division 601



Junior Class – *Under 14 Years*

Senior Class – 14 Year & Older

Class

17. Yoke of Steers, Junior Showmanship

19. Trained Steers, Junior Class

21. Youth Cart, Junior Distance Course

18. Yoke of Steers, Senior Showmanship

20. Trained Steers, Senior Class

22. Youth Cart, Senior Distance Course

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3^{rd}	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th
All classes	\$15	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6	\$5

We will award

Youth Oxen Best Teamster Award and \$20 premium

POULTRY & RABBITS



Superintendent: Sandy Broughman (413) 323-5161 hensnchicks101@gmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Thursday, 9/2/21, 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Friday, 9/3/21, 7:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and head toward Barn 7.

JUDGING TIME: Saturday, 9/4/21, 9:00 AM Poultry

RELEASE TIME: Monday, 9/6/20, 6:00 PM-The Fair is not responsible for exhibits left after 7:00 PM

ENTRY FEES: \$1.00 for each large fowl, Turkey, Bantam & Rabbit-Fees to be paid with entries

When entering, please enter your breed in the subclass box.

RULES FOR EXHIBITION OF POULTRY AND RABBITS

• Please refer to 2021 Animal Health Fair Rules for health certificate or CVI requirements

- No express shipments can be accepted
- Care should be taken to enter exhibits in their right classes. <u>There will not</u> be any last-minute changes and/or substitutes in entries by exhibitors. The Superintendent reserves the right to reject entries.
- All entries must contain Division #, breed, sex and age, Class, and color. <u>Incomplete entries will be returned.</u> The Superintendent reserves the right to limit entries. Please mail your entries early.
- Three or more entries by one or more exhibitors will fill each class. This applies to all entries.
- The Superintendent reserves the right to double coop, if necessary.
- No fowl shall be exhibited unless they have been blood tested and have a "Pullorum Passes" or "Pullorum clean" requirements. Birds will also be examined for infections, bronchitis, and coryza.
- Every care will be exercised to protect the exhibits, but the Three County Fair will not be responsible for any loss or damage from whatever the cause.
- All entries are to be shown as singles. No trios.
- Youth exhibitor 9 through 18 years of age as of 1/1/21.
- No rabbits or poultry may be sold during the Fair.



Division

314 Adult 315 Youth

Large Fowl

04. Pullet

05. Production Hens

06. Production Pullets

Class

01. Cock

02. Hen 03. Cockerel

Turkeys

Class

07. Young Tom 08. Young Hen

Bantams and Ornamental Fowl

Class

09. Cock 11. Cockerel 10. Hen 12. Pullet

RABBITS



Division

314 Adult 315 Youth

Show Quality Rabbits

Class

13. Senior Buck-over 1 year

14. Senior Doe-over 1 year

15. Junior Buck-*under 1 year* 16. Junior Doe-*under 1 year*

Pet Rabbits

Class

17. Senior Buck-over 1 year

18. Senior Doe-over 1 year

19. Junior Buck-*under 1 year* 20. Junior Doe-*under 1 year*

Premiums:			
	1 st	2^{nd}	3 rd
All Classes	\$6	\$4	\$2

We will award

Champion (Youth & Adult) [Large Foul, Rabbit, & Bantam]- Rosette Reserve Champion (Youth & Adult) [Large Foul, Rabbit, & Bantam]- Rosette

YOUTH RABBIT SHOW



Superintendent: Diane Mas (413) 348-9738 dmas@charter.net

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 9:00 - 9:45 AM. Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 7 and proceed to Barn 7.

SHOW TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 10:00 AM Showmanship, Written Test & ID Contest

Monday, 9/6/21, 11:00 AM Breed Judging (this is a one-day show)

RELEASE TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 5:00 PM or end of show

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE DIVISIONS.

RULES

- 1. This show WILL BE an official American Rabbit Breeders Association Youth Show.
- 2. Please refer to 2021 Animal Health Fair Rules for health certificate or CVI requirements
- 3. This youth shows is open to all youth through the age of 18. You do not have to be an ARBA member. Age is the age of the participant as of September 1, 2021. Please note the following age divisions:
 - a. Cloverbud: Age 5 through 7 as of January 1, 2021.
 - b. Novice: Age 8 through 13 as of January 1, 2021.
 - c. Junior: Age 9 through 13 as of January 1, 2021, and having shown in the department before. Alternatively, can be age 14 through 18 as of January 1, 2021, and showing in the department for the first time (excluding cloverbud years).
 - d. Senior: Age 14 though 18 as of January 1, 2021, and having shown in the department before.
- 4. All exhibitors are required to wear long sleeves while showing.
- 5. All purebred rabbits to be shown in Division 356, must have a permanent ear number tattooed in the left ear.
- 6. Rabbits showing signs of disease will be eliminated and barred from the show area. The Three County Fair cannot be held responsible for lost or injured animals.
- 7. There is a \$1.00 entry fee for each entry in Division 355 & 356. There is no entry fee for the identification contest, the written knowledge, and educational exhibits.
- 8. No entries are to be removed from the show ring area until the end of the show or 5:00 PM.
- 9. There is no cooping available at this show. Rabbits should be brought in carriers in which they can be safe and comfortable for the day.
- 10. Please indicate the breed, variety and ear number for all rabbits entered in Division 356.
- 11. All youth exhibitors must carry their own animals to the show table. Youth may assist each other as needed. Adults are not allowed to carry or groom youth animals.



Showmanship-Division 354

Class (please refer to age divisions in department rules)

01. Senior Exhibitor
02. Junior Exhibitor
04. Cloverbud Exhibitor

Pet Rabbits-Division 355 (There is a \$1.00 entry fee)

These classes are open only to rabbits not eligible to be shown in Division 356.

Class

01. Senior Buck 02. Senior Doe 03. Junior Buck 04. Junior Doe

Purebred Rabbits-Division 356 (There is a \$1.00 entry fee)

Please indicate the breed, variety and ear number for all rabbits entered in Division 356.

Class

01. Senior Buck04. Intermediate Buck02. Senior Doe05. Junior Buck03. Intermediate Buck06. Junior Doe

Identification Contest-Division 357

Participants will be asked to identify the breed, variety, etc. of 10 - 20 rabbits.

Class (please refer to age divisions in department rules)

01. Senior Exhibitor 03. Novice Exhibitor (9-10 yrs.) 02. Junior Exhibitor 04. Cloverbud Exhibitor (5-8 yrs.)

Written Knowledge Test-Division 358

Participants will be scored on correct responses to questions concerning rabbit care, management, and breeds.

Class

01. Senior Exhibitor (14-18 yrs.)
02. Junior Exhibitor (11-13 yrs.)
03. Novice Exhibitor (9-10 yrs.)
04. Cloverbud Exhibitor (5-8 yrs.)

Premiums:	$\mathbf{1^{st}}$	2^{nd}	$3^{\rm rd}$	4 th	$5^{ ext{th}}$	
Division 355	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	N/A	N/A	
Division 356 - 358	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00	

We will award a

Reserve Champion Rabbit- Rosette Best Pet Rabbit- Rosette

Fair Best of Bred (if 5 or more are shown)- Rosette

Nancy Searle Outstanding Exhibitor Award is given

to the youth with the highest combined point total in divisions 354, 357, and 358. The Award is given in memory of Nancy Searle to honor her dedication to helping youth through the 4-H Youth Rabbit Program and ARBA Youth events.

J. B. Binkerton Pet Rabbit Award will be given

to the best pet rabbit winner to honor the memory of the Mas Family rabbit that was an ambassador for pet and therapy rabbits at many fairs and events. He was a much-loved family companion rabbit.

YOUTH DOG SHOW



Superintendent: Lori Carver 802-338-2857 Seabreezedogs13@hotmail.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Monday, 9/6/21, 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Noon.

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 6 and head toward Arena.

REGISTRATION TIME: Monday, 9/6/2021, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Noon

SHOW TIME: Monday, 9/6/2021, 12:00 Noon, Rain or Shine. Details of schedule below.

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE DIVISIONS.

RULES

- Contestants may enter any or all classes
- General rules for all classes: All dogs must be brought and kept on a leash. All entries must present evidence of an up to date rabies vaccination. It is recommended that the dog be protected against distemper, hepatitis, leptospirosis, and parvo virus.
- Females in heat will not be allowed in the show.
- Any dog showing signs of illness may be excused at the discretion of the Superintendent.
- Dogs do not have to be purebred.
- Legal ownership may be in the name of any member of the handler's family, but dogs entered in showmanship or obedience must be the entire responsibility of the exhibitor and must have been trained by the exhibitor.
- All exhibitors are encouraged to present a clean, neat appearance. Suggested dress: white shirt or blouse, khaki pants, skirt, slacks, or other suitable attire.

Schedule:

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Noon Registration & General Knowledge

12:30 PM Showmanship 1:00 PM Costume Class 1:30 PM Obedience

Immediately following Rally

Fitting and Showmanship - Division 349

Dogs to be shown on a martingale leash or suitable light choke chain and cotton web on nylon leash. Both handler and dog will be judged. The conformation of the dog is not judged, but general condition and cleanliness is important. Contestants will be asked general knowledge questions about dogs and dog care.



Class

- 01. Novice Showmanship-Less than 1-year experience
- 02. Intermediate Showmanship-1-3 years' experience
- 03. Advance Showmanship-More than 3 years' experience
- 04. Juvenile Showmanship-Exhibitor 8 years old & under

Obedience Classes - Division 350

All dogs entered in obedience must be trained by the exhibitor. You may enter the same dog in only one obedience class. Dogs to be shown with buckle or suitable chain, leather, or nylon choke collar.

A 6-foot leash is required. No dog may be entered for exhibition only.

Class

01. <u>Sub-novice A</u>: *Beginner handler and beginner dogs.*

Exercises will include: Heel on leash and Figure 8; Stand for examination; Recall; Sit for 1 minute; Down for 3 minutes. Dog will be on leash for all

exercises.

02. <u>Sub-novice B</u>: *Experienced handlers with beginner dogs.*

Exercises will be the same as for Sub-novice A.

03. Beginner Novice: Certified advancing skills of dogs.

Exercises will include: Heel on Leash & Figure Eight, Sit for Exam, Sit Stay off

Leash Handler Walks around the ring, Recall off Leash

04. <u>Novice</u>: *Certified increased advancing skills of dogs.*

Exercises will include: Heel on Leash & Figure Eight, Stand for Examination on Leash, Heel off Leash, Recall off Leash, Sit Stay – Get Your Leash, Sit and Down

Stay on Leash Group Exercise.

05. Graduate Novice: Certified further advancing skills of dogs.

Exercises will include: Heel off Leash & Figure Eight, Drop on Recall, Dumbbell Recall, Dumbbell Recall Over High Jump, Recall over Broad Jump, Stay Get

Your Leash

06. Open Class: For open or utility dogs.

Exercises include: Heel off leash & Figure 8; Command Discrimination; Drop on

recall; Retrieve on flat; Retrieve over high jump; Broad jump; Stay Get Your

Leash

General Knowledge - Division 351

Participants will complete a multiple-choice general knowledge quiz. Questions will cover areas of basic dog care, health, breeds, and obedience training. Contestants are encouraged to refer to the 4-H booklet on "The Care of Dogs and Puppies", "Grooming and Handling Dogs", and "The Official AKC Dog Book".



Class

- 01. Juvenile-8 & Under
- 02. Junior-9 to 12.
- 03. Senior-13 to 19

Costume Class - Division 352

Dogs are to be attired in a suitable costume according to the desires of the exhibitors.

Dogs must always be on leash.



Class

- 01. Juvenile-8 & Under
- 02. Junior-9 to 12
- 03. Senior-13 to 19

Rally - Division 353

Rally consists of approximately 10 stations which have signs with instructions which must be followed. All exercises are on leash. Dogs are judged on speed, accuracy, and enthusiasm.

Class

- 01. Juvenile-8 & Under
- 02. Junior-9 to 12
- 03. Senior-13 to 19

Premiums:	1 st	$2^{ m nd}$	3 rd	4 th	5 th
All Classes-except Costume class	<u>\$</u> 5	- \$4	\$3	\$2	\$1
Costume class	\$5	All other	worthy \$3		

We will award:

1st Place- Rosettes

2nd - 6th Place- Ribbons

Highest Score in Obedience - *West View Sir Moses Memorial Trophy*, donated by Lori Carver **Best Overall Costume-** Rosette

Champion Showman (All 1st Place winners will compete in a special class)- Rosette

Highest Total Score in Showmanship, Obedience, and General Knowledge - *Wallace Chevalier Memorial Trophy*, donated by the Belchertown Tailwaggers 4-H Dog Club

YOUTH SWINE SHOW



Superintendent:
Heather Perry
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heather.perry15@yahoo.com

ENTRIES CLOSE ON AUGUST 23rd. Enter via standard entry form, online, or with the ShoWorks Passport app.

ARRIVAL TIME: Sunday 9/5/21 between 8:00 - 10:00 AM

Exhibitors should enter the fair via Gate 4 and proceed to Barn 1.

SHOW TIME: Sunday 9/5/21 at 7:00 PM

RELEASE TIME: Sunday 9/5/21 at 9:00 PM

NO ENTRY FEES TO ENTER ANY OF THESE DIVISIONS.

RULES FOR THE EXHIBITION OF SWINE

1. All swine must be free of contagious & infectious diseases.

- 2. All exhibitors must have owned animals to be shown before July 1, 2021. Feeding and care of the animals is the responsibility of the exhibitor, **Bedding will not be provided.**
- 3. No boars will be allowed.
- 4. Each exhibitor is limited to showing one animal in this contest. This animal must be shown in both the Showmanship and market hog classes.
- 5. To be eligible for premiums, all animals must be shown in the ring by exhibitors and must respond to show-stick or cane. The following uniforms should be worn: White Shirts or Tee Shirts Gray, Khaki pants or Bermuda Shorts

PLEASE LEAVE PEN AND STALL AREAS CLEAN WHEN LEAVING

****NO DUMPING OF WATER BUCKETS IN PENS AND STALLS****

EXHIBITORS STANDARDS

The Fair is an educational activity.

Fairs should establish discretionary standards for dress.

Positive social behavior, good sportsmanship and cooperation should be encouraged.

It is recognized that in classes of swine, exhibitors have standards of dress which have been accepted by the industry;

khaki slacks or Bermuda shorts, and white or grey shirts (no farm names allowed on clothing).

A solid, durable shoe must be worn at all times while on the grounds.

No sandals, clogs, or bare feet will be allowed.

Failure to comply with these rules will mean forfeit of all premiums.

FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP Division 374

Class

- 01. Senior For exhibitors 14 to 19 years of age who have shown swine previous to this year.
- 02. Junior For exhibitors 9 to 13 years of age who have shown swine previous to this year.
- 03. Novice For exhibitors who have <u>not</u> shown swine in any show previous to this year.
- 04. Champion Showman The first place showman of the three Swine Showmanship Classes will compete for champion showman awards.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	
Classes 01-04	\$11	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	J

We will award

Grand Champion- Rosette **Reserve Champion**- Rosette **Honorable Mention**- Rosette

MARKET HOG CLASSES Division 375

Class division to be determined by the Superintendent, Market Hog can be barrow or gilt.

Class

- 01. Light
- 02. Medium
- 03. Heavy
- 04. Champion Market Hog The first place market hog of the three Market Hog Classes will compete for the champion market hog awards.

Premiums:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Classes 01-04	\$11	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7

We will award

Grand Champion- Rosette **Reserve Champion**- Rosette **Honorable Mention**- Rosette

1st – 3rd Place- Rosettes

KIDDIE PEDAL TRACTOR PULLS

Located in Barn 2
Department Head: Amy Parsons

Saturday September 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM Sunday September 5, 2021 at 2:00 PM Monday September 6, 2021 at 2:00 PM

The event is free to kids ages 3-9 years old.

(Sign-ups are on the day of the event. No early registration accepted)

Rules:

- Only children ages 3-9 will be allowed to enter
- There is no entry fee and each contestant will receive a participation ribbon.
- Trophies will be awarded for first place in each age group, each day.
- First place winners cannot compete again in the same year. All others will be allowed to pull on multiple days.
- The contestants must be able to pedal a tractor.
- All contestants must wear shoes.
- The pulling tractor must stay between the lines of the pulling lane at all times.
- In case of a tie, there may need to be a pull-off.
- Spectators must stay in the stands.
- The Kiddie Tractor Pull committee will decide discrepancies
- The official's decision will be final.
- Registration for the Kiddie Tractor Pull will start one hour before the pull begins.
- No registrations accepted once the class starts.

We will award the following awards: **All ages, each day, 1**st **Place-** Trophy **All other entries-** Straight Ribbons



ENTRY FORM

September 3rd – September 6th, 2021

All entries must be mailed, emailed, or faxed to: Three County Fair, P O Box 305, Northampton, MA 01061 Email: laurie@3countyfair.com

All entries should be received by August 30th, with fees, where required. You can also enter online at www.3countyfair.com or via the *ShoWorks Passport* app

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Entry form good for all departments

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In such instances, entry fees will be refunded.