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# AGRICULTURE-GRANGE SCHEDULE

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**MONDAY, JULY 27**

Entry Deadline for Agriculture-Grange & Grange Club Exhibits

**MONDAY, AUGUST 10**

1:00 PM - 8:00 PM

All Ag-Grange entries must be brought to the Fair

- Commercial Growers
- Community Garden Competition
- Farm Products
- Fruits, Nuts, Berries
- Horticulture
- Jr Veggie Creature 7 Jr Scarecrows
- Sprouting Chef's Competition
- Vegetables

9:00 PM

Grange Club Exhibits to be set up and in place

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 11**

Judging for Commercial Growers, Community Garden Competition, Farm Products, Fruits, Nuts, Berries, Horticulture, Sprouting Chef's Competition & Vegetables

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12**

Judging for Grange Club Exhibits

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 18 - SUNDAY, AUGUST 23**

11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Premium Checks/ Ribbons may be picked up from the Ag-Grange Info Desk

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*NOTE: Any check not picked up will be mailed; \*Checks are VOID 60 days from issue date and WILL NOT BE REISSUED. Ribbons will not be mailed.*

**MONDAY, AUGUST 24**

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

Horticulture, Maple and Apiary Product Entries must be removed by 9am, any items left after 9am will be donated to the local food bank or composted. \*Vegetables and Fruit are mandatory donations.

All Day

Grange Club Exhibit Removal

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## THE ERIE COUNTY FAIR RULES AND REGULATIONS

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1. The Erie County Agricultural Society assumes no responsibility in case of loss or damage and, upon this condition only, entries are accepted.
2. A service charge of \$39.00 will be added for checks returned for non-sufficient funds.
3. **All articles for exhibition must remain on the grounds according to the rules of each department, or forfeit their premium unless excused by the Fair Manager of the Society.**
4. Any item receiving a placing may pick up ribbons at the Ag-Grange Info Desk along with the premium check beginning August 18.
5. Competitors for premiums must be holders of a Society Membership or Exhibitor's Fee.
6. Any person making false entry shall forfeit any award on such entry.
7. No entry fee will be refunded.
8. The Erie County Agricultural Society reserves the right to reject any or all entries.
9. The judges shall withhold a premium where the article or animal is unworthy of an award, except for educational exhibits. Judges are especially directed to withhold the first premium to animals or articles without competition.
10. All premium checks will be void after 60 days of the check's date.
11. All protests must be in writing and filed with the Fair Manager before 10:00 AM of the last day of the Fair.
12. All trucks making deliveries on the Fairgrounds must be off the inner grounds prior to 9:00 AM.
13. As a condition of exhibiting at the Erie County Fair, the exhibitor authorizes the Erie County Fair to use any photographs from the event for future publication.
14. All persons violating the above rules shall be subject to ejection from the Fairgrounds or property of the Erie County Agricultural Society at Hamburg, New York, and shall also be subject to such other penalties as may be provided by the law for any and all offenses committed by such persons in violation of the law.

Address all communications to:  
**JESSICA UNDERBERG, CEO/FAIR MANAGER**  
5600 McKinley Parkway  
Hamburg, New York 14075  
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***FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS***

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**Q: When do I receive my passes (exhibitor tickets)?**

**A:** You will be sent a promo code for three (3) admission passes to the fair. This promo code will be sent to the email address used when making entries once entries have been confirmed to have arrived for exhibition.

**Q: Is the cost to exhibit \$25 for each item or \$25 total?**

**A:** The cost is \$25 total, regardless of the number of items you enter.

**Q: I am going to be out of town on entry day, can someone else drop off my entries?**

**A:** Yes, another person can drop off your items if you are unable to make it.

**Q: Which is the best gate to come in and how do I get to the Grange building?**

**A:** Enter the Fairgrounds from South Park Avenue (Route 62), turn right just before Event Center, drive to the south end of the building. Enter through the Purveyor Gate. Veer left at the Family Entertainment Complex. The Grange Building is straight ahead behind the big blue umbrellas.