



Kendall County Fair Association  
Homestead Heritage Exhibition Hall

*Promoting agriculture and horticulture  
education and leadership as well as livestock  
management in our youth and community.*

Herff Park - 1307 River Rd, Boerne, Texas

Welcome to the 2023 Kendall County Fair! We love that you are interested in the Homestead Exhibit Hall and all that it represents. We've geared this handbook to everyone who is interested in things that relate back to America's agriculture and heritage. There are so many categories to choose from. We hope you find one that peaks your interest and encourages you to submit your entry for judging during this year's fair!

We want to say thank you to numerous volunteers that show up every year to help ensure the Exhibit Hall goes off without a hitch! It takes you, the dedicated and supportive friends of the fair to keep these traditions alive and moving forward. These volunteers jump right into chair the different exhibit divisions, judge, help with office work, work booths, and so much more! Most volunteers log over 30 hours of volunteer time during fair time. All of you are vital to the success of the fair each year! We truly thank you for everything you do for us!





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**Mission Statement**

The mission of the Kendall County Fair Association, Inc., as a 501 (c)3 non-profit corporation is to encourage and promote agricultural, horticultural and livestock education and related industrial interests of the citizens of Kendall and surrounding counties.

**Vision Statement**

The Kendall County Fair Association envisions Kendall and surrounding counties as vibrant rural community where the agricultural industry is encouraged, agricultural education is promoted and where the industries of agricultural, horticultural and livestock management are flourishing, both now and in the future.

**Members of the:**

Boerne Chamber of Commerce, Comfort Chamber Of Commerce, and Texas Association Of Fairs And Events.

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The Kendall County Fair not only entertains and educates, but also has an immense economic, educational, social and cultural impact to our community.

This would not be possible without the continued support of our sponsors, volunteers, exhibitors, vendors, advertisers, entertainers, judges, monetary donors, in-kind service/gift donors, underwriting sponsors/donors, directors and families, senior directors and families, fair association membership, supporters of the fair, royalty court and families (past and present) and fair visitors of all ages.

The Kendall County Fair Association respectfully requests that you take the time to recognize all the above listed. Without them it would not be possible to present the 117th Annual Kendall County Fair.

## **\*\* Kendall County Fair Association \*\***

### **Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall History**

The first exhibition hall was built in 1918 and had been the center stage of fair events and celebrations throughout the early years of the Kendall County Fair Association. A devastating misty early morning fire on Friday, February 17, 1984, completely burned the sixty-six-year-old building to the ground, along with a structure history, a wealth of Kendall County Fair memorabilia and mementos were destroyed. Burned also and never to be replaced were seventeen antique showcases that was stored inside the hall. With a plea from the association to the community for donations of fair memorabilia and mementos the association replaced many of the destroyed items lost in the fire. Only a few of the early president's pictures and catalogs have not been replaced along with selected fair mementos such as trophies, ribbons, and pictures. Shortly before the fire the exhibition hall had just gone under a remodel and was electrically re-wired. With the remodel complete the solid aged structure promised many more decades of usefulness. The actual cause of the fire has never been determined. With the help of association members, women's auxiliary, and community volunteers the now existing exhibition hall was built with donated funds and many volunteered hours. With all this effort and pride for the Kendall County Fair Association the newly built exhibition hall doors were opened for the 79th Annual Kendall County Fair on September 1st, 1984.

From the earliest days of the Kendall County Fair exhibition hall was and is the "Heart" of the annual fair. It continues to showcase the many talents of Kendall County citizens year after year. Each year the locals from all ages enter exhibits into judging competition against their fellow friends, neighbors and even family members for a chance to win a ribbon or the "Best of Division" Award for Best Overall Entry in divisions from baking to taxidermy or maybe the "Best of Show" Award chosen from the "Best of Division" winners or an "Honorable Mention". Showcases are brimful of fair memorabilia and mementos of the past and present. "The President's Wall" atop the showcase displays pictures of the association's presidents from 1949 to 2023. Selected walls throughout the hall display pictures of fair royalty, projects, and celebrations. A wall of plaques honoring association individuals is displayed listing their designated titles and years of service. The exhibit hall will be open daily and nightly with selected hours for fair visitors to enjoy the exhibits and take a trip down memory lane by viewing the history on display from the first exhibition hall to memorabilia of the Kendall County Fair Association since its first fair held in downtown Boerne on September 4th, 1905.

## Scholarship Program

The Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Scholarship was established in 2008. The association became an IRS designated 501 (c) 3 Corporation in 1913 and the Exhibit Hall was a program under the tax exemption. The Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Scholarship was established to comply with the Mission and Vision statements of the association. Funded by donations, sponsorships and /or proceeds of raffles and other fundraising opportunities such as the annual garage sale and from donated premium money exhibitors donate back to the fund during the annual Kendall County Fair. The Scholarship Program is to financially assist high school graduating Seniors who are continuing their studies in any field. Any high school senior from Boerne High School, Champion High School, Comfort High School , Home School Program and/or Private School within the boundaries of Kendall County, Texas who are a candidate for high school graduation in the current year is encouraged to apply for the scholarship within the scholarship applicant criteria requirements. The first Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Scholarship(s) presented was in 2014 and has been presented annually except in the years 2020 and 2021 due to COVID-19 pandemic.

The following listed names are recipients of the Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Scholarship from the years 2014-2023.

**2014 Recipients:**

Claudia Arlene Vogt  
Clayton Ross Owens  
Daniel Zoeller

**2015 Recipients:**

Sterling Nicole Shrum  
Steely Tess Lott  
Colton Phillip Finke  
Devon Alexandra Lucero

**2016 Recipients:**

Callie Marie Morgan  
Chloe'Michelle Lozano

**2017 Recipients:**

Jordan Maldonado  
Kortini Langlinais  
Page Hovey

**2018 Recipients:**

Hannah BriAnn Culak  
Lauren Ashley Nelson

**2019 Recipients:**

Trent Wisian  
Leighton Dorman  
Augusta Gus Stehling

**2020/2021**

No Applications

**2022 Recipients:**

Lacey Asher  
Natalie Burkholder  
Shelby Wright  
Natan Wilson  
Madeline McFarland

**2023 Recipients:**

Brianna Thomason  
Giorgana Kate Stehling

## General Information, Rules and Regulations

1. Exhibitors must be from Kendall County or the surrounding trade area. (Trade area is defined as the area served by the Boerne, Fair Oaks, or Comfort school districts or those who participate in and consider themselves a part of the communications situated in Kendall County). In keeping the local trade area open only to local Kendall County residents the Kendall County Fair Association provides an opportunity for county residents to exhibit their skills and receive recognition for their achievements. No out of county residents will be allowed to enter an exhibit into any division and/or judging competition. Can enter exhibit(s) as "DISPLAY ONLY".
2. Every entry/exhibit in the Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall entered for judging competition or for display purposes shall be under the control of the Kendall County Fair Association and while every possible precaution will be taken for the safekeeping of entries/exhibits the Kendall County Fair Association will in no case be responsible for damage, theft, breakage, or any type of loss which may occur from any cause. Exhibitor(s) accept the preceding conditions as set forth when their exhibits are entered and received for show during the fair.
3. All exhibitors must pay a \$5.00 entry fee before being assigned an exhibitor number. For record keeping exhibitor entry forms must provide the exhibitor's name and complete address. The exhibitor must provide telephone numbers for fair official/exhibitor contact. No information on the identity of the exhibitor will ever be used in any inappropriate manner. All names of exhibitors remain unidentified until judging process is complete and the "Best Of Division" award for the best overall outstanding entry in each division is awarded and the "Best Of Show" award is judged and awarded. "Best Of Show" award is chosen from all the "Best Of Division" winning entries from all divisions as a whole as well as the "Honorable Mention".
4. Entries/Exhibits must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor and shown in the exhibitors name. We desire to showcase the work of the past year in the exhibit hall from fiscal calendar year September 2022-2023 with the exception of article(s), item(s) that have never been entered or placed in judging competition in previous years. Any false statement in regard to any entry/exhibit shall be grounds to exclude the exhibitor from awards and future competition during the 2023 Kendall County Fair.

5. The Kendall County Fair Association, Inc. reserves the right to decline or reject any article(s), item(s) for entry /exhibit into the Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall for judging competition or display purposes. Entry/Entries/Exhibits(s) must be clean in presentation and appearance and conform to the division and class specifications listed in the 2023 Exhibitor Handbook. No miscellaneous classes for any entry/entries/exhibits. No competing against oneself in any division or class. Unclassified Entry Classes is allowed in noted Divisions or can be added to any Division under discretion of Division Chairman. The fair is a family event and the Kendall County Fair Association, Inc. reserves the right to determine content appropriate for family viewing therefore no nude or indecent entry/entries/exhibit(s) will be allowed to enter.

6. Division Chairman's will receive and place entries/exhibits in divisions with the help of fair members/volunteers. Division Chairman's have the care and complete supervision and are authorized to refuse, decline and/or reject any entry/entries/exhibit(s) in their designated division.

7. Dispute and protests not settled by the division chairman will be decided by the Kendall County Fair Association Exhibit Hall director in charge. If the dispute or protest is not resolved by the two named, the President of the Kendall County Fair Association will make the deciding and final decision.

8. Exhibitor age groups are as follows:

- Adult (age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (age 13 through 17 Years)
- Youth age group A (Ages 4, 5, 6)
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

Some division are age group classified as "No Age Requirement".

9. All entries/exhibit(s) will be accepted as stated on the following pages with **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

## Exhibitor Entry Dates and Deadlines

1. Exhibitor entry days for Art and Photography: (NO EXCEPTIONS)
  - This is the ONLY date and time Art And Photography can be entered.  
\*\*Saturday, August 26, 2023 From 9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.
  - Judges Books Close At 3:00 P.M. On August 26, 2023 For All Art And Photography.
  - No Art And Photography Can Be Entered On Thursday-August 31, 2023.
2. Early entry day: Non-perishable entries
  - Exhibitors wanting to enter on Thursday-August 31, 2023 can complete the exhibitor application and be assigned an exhibitor number on Saturday, August 26, 2022 to avoid the rush on Thursday-August 31, 2023.
3. Regular entry day: For all non-perishable and perishable entries
  - Thursday-August 31, 2023 from 8:00 am-5:00 pm
4. All exhibitors must pay a \$5.00 entry fee per exhibitor not per entry.
5. All exhibitors must be from Kendall County.
6. No professional or dealers will be allowed to enter exhibits.
7. Exhibit Hall hours:
  - Thursday-August 31, 2023, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
  - Closes at 5:00 pm for judging
  - Friday, September 1, 2023, 5:00 pm - 11:00 pm
  - Saturday, September 2, 2023, 10:00 am - 11:00 pm
  - Sunday, September 3, 2023, 10:00 am - 10:00 pm
8. Release day for exhibitor entries:
  - Monday, September 4, 2023, 8:00 am - 11:00 am
  - All entries must be picked up on this date and during these hours.
9. No bicycles, skateboards, roller blades, shoe skaters or scooters allowed inside exhibit hall at any time. rule will be strictly enforced during Exhibit Hall hours.
10. No smoking or any tobacco products allowed in Exhibit Hall.



11. No pets (Except for Service Animals).

12. Exhibit Hall is wheelchair accessible., except for the restrooms.

**Exhibit Hall Contact Information:**

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### **"Enter Your Best"**

Whether you enjoy hobbies, baking, art, crafts, collecting, or many other passions, there is likely a division in the 117th annual Homestead Exhibit Hall. We encourage anyone above the age of 4 with any skill level to enter their best work in one of the 19 divisions for judging competition.

### **"Best of Division"**

The "Best of Division" award will be awarded to one 1st place entry within the division for each age group. If there are 3 age groups in a division, there will be 3 best of division awards.

### **"Honorable Mention"**

The "Honorable Mention" award will be awarded to one 1st place entry within the division. The "Best of Division" Winner is not eligible for the "Honorable Mention" award.

### **"Best of Show"**

The "Best of Show" award will be awarded to one "Best of Division" winner from the entire show. There is only 1 award given for "Best of Show".

## Question & Answer

### **Question: Who Can Enter Exhibits?**

Answer: Anyone who lives in Kendall County. You must be the owner of and the individual who grew, built, created or raised the exhibit you want to enter.

### **Question: What Does It Cost To Enter?**

Answer: Each exhibitor must pay an entry fee of \$5.00 per exhibitor. (Not Per Exhibit).

### **Question: Can I Enter Exhibits In More Than One Division And Class In A Division?**

Answer: Individuals are not limited to the number of divisions or classes in which they submit entries. However, if an individual enters more one entry in a division class this would be competing against one self and we strongly suggest this not to happen. Each division requires an individual entry form

### **Question: How Far In Advance Must I Enter An Exhibit?**

Answer: Deadlines vary from individual divisions. Exhibit entry days for art and photography are as follows:

- Saturday, August 26, 2023 From 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
- Please note this is the ONLY day Art and Photography can be entered
- Early entry day for Non-Perishable Entries is Saturday, August 26, 2023 from 9:00 am till 3:00 pm
- Regular entry day for all perishable and non-perishable, Thursday, August 31, 2023 from 8:00 am till 5:00 pm

### **Question: I Have An Unusual Item That I Would Like To Enter, But Not Sure If It Will Be Accepted, What Do I Do?**

Answer: We Welcome and encourage unusual items. We are limited to space so we ask you if you have an entry of unique collections and/or large scale item(s) to contact the fair office before entry day so we can work with you to see if we have the space and area to secure the entry.

### **Question: How Are Exhibits Judged?**

Answer: The American Judging System is used for judging. Under the American System, the judges evaluate all exhibits in each division and class and select a first, second, and third place in each class of each division. From all the qualified first

place winners in each class of each division the judges than pick a Best of Division. An Honorable Mention award will be awarded to one of the remaining 1st place winners in each division for each age group. A panel of Judges than pick a Best Of Show from the qualified Best Of Division winners.

**Question: What Do I Do When I Bring My Exhibit To The Exhibit Hall?**

Answer: After entering the Exhibit Hall go directly to the Exhibitor Entry table located at the front of the entrance to the Exhibit Hall and complete an Exhibitor Application. After completing you will directed to the area assigning entry numbers and collecting the exhibitor fee. After completing you now take your entry and entry number to the appropriate division. Volunteers are available for helping and directing you into the right direction.

**Question: Who Do I Call If I Have Questions Before Entry Day(s)?**

Answer: Contact Marilyn Culak (Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Director) at home (830) 537-4096, cell (210) 488-6877 or [kmculak@gvtc.com](mailto:kmculak@gvtc.com)

**Question: Will Information Be On Your Web-Site?**

Answer: Our web-site [www.kcfa.org](http://www.kcfa.org) is updated regularly weeks before the fair with information. Forms for the Exhibit Hall will not be listed on the web-site to print out. These forms will be available once you enter the Exhibit Hall or contact Marilyn Culak (Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Director) at 830-537-4096 or [kmculak@gvtc.com](mailto:kmculak@gvtc.com) to have form emailed directly to you.

All Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Exhibitors Will Become Eligible For A Prize Drawing For A VIP Weekend Family (4) Pack. Drawing And Notification Of Winner Will Be On Thursday, August 31, 2023 And Can Be Picked Up on Thursday, August 31, 2023 After 6:00 pm Or On Friday, September 1, 2023 Before Noon At The Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall Office.



## Division 1 Children's Crafts

Judy Hubbard, Rachel McCallum - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be hand-crafted or made by the exhibitor from 2022-2023.
- Entries must be 100% finished and/or completed.
- Entries of any paint or color by number, coloring color wonder pages, or drawings using crayons, markers, pencil, pen ink and/or chalk must be entered in Division 18: Children's art and photography.

### Age Categories:

- Youth age group A (Ages 4, 5, 6),
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

### Class 1-Hand Crafted Articles

- 1.Basket weaving
- 2.Beadwork
- 3.Clay
- 4.Collections
- 5.Constructed from a kit
- 6.Creative construction
- 7.Decorated item
- 8.Dish garden(s)
- 9.Doll making
- 10.Flower arrangements
- 11.Holiday decorations
- 12.Jewelry
- 13.Leanerwork
- 14.Lego's
- 15.Metal works
- 16.Models
- 17.Mosaics
- 18.Painted
- 19.Pottery
- 20.Paper crafts
- 21.Recycle Art
- 22.Rock art
- 23.Sand art
- 24.Sculpture
- 25.Stained Glass
- 26.Stenciling
- 27.Tye Dye
- 28.Woodworking

### Class 2-Yarn and Thread Articles

- 1.Constructed from a kit
- 2.Crochet
- 3.Embroidered
- 4.Knitted
- 5.Macrame
- 6.Quilted
- 7.Sewn
  - a.Accessories
  - b.Clothes
  - c.Linens
  - d.Toys
- 8.Weaving

### Class 3-Unclassified Articles

1. Hand crafted unclassified article
2. Yarn and thread unclassified article

### 2022 Division 1 Winners

Chloe Bland



Brianna Hulce



Mia Immel



**Division 2**  
**Taxidermy & Tanning**

Kirk Culak-Chairman  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

**No Age Requirement.**

**Class 1-Mounted Heads**

1. Antelope
2. Bear
3. Boar
4. Deer
  - a. Axis
  - b. Mule Deer
    - i. Harvested in 2021
    - ii. Harvested in 2022
  - c. Sika
  - d. White Tail
    - i. Hill Country White Tail
      1. Harvested in 2021
      2. Harvested in 2022
    - ii. South Texas White Tail
      1. Harvested in 2021
      2. Harvested in 2022
  5. Elk
  6. Goat
  7. Moose
  8. Sheep

**Class 2-Horns**

1. Caribou
2. Deer
  - a. Axis
  - b. Mule Deer
    - i. Harvested in 2021
    - ii. Harvested in 2022
  - c. White Tail
    - i. Hill Country White Tail
      1. Harvested in 2021
      2. Harvested in 2022
    - ii. South Texas White Tail
      1. Harvested in 2021
      2. Harvested in 2022
  3. Dicor (Horn Mount)
  4. Moose
  5. Sheep

**Class 3-Unclassified Mounts**

1. Bobcat
2. Bird
3. Coyote
4. Duck
5. Fish
6. Porcupine
7. Skull
8. Snake
9. Turkey
  - a. Full Mount
  - b. Head Mount
  - c. Tail Mount

**Class 4-Hides and Skins**

1. Animal
2. Exotic Deer
3. Mule Deer
4. White Tail Deer

**2022 Division 2 Winners**

Tammy Juliano - Best of Division



Todd Edward  
Honorable Mention



**Division 3**  
**Agriculture - Field groups, Mohair & Wool**

Judy Seibert-Chairman  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

**No Age Requirement.**

**Additional Rules for this Division:**

- Entries of field crops must be sheared entries of mohair and wool from animals raised. Containers will be provided for requiring entries.

**Class 1-Ear Corn 6 (Six) Ears**

1. Hybrid
  - a. Yellow Dent
  - b. White Dent
2. Regular
  - a. Yellow Dent
  - b. White Dent
3. June
4. Popcorn
5. Ornamental

**Class 2-Shelled Corn 1(one) Gallon**

1. Hybrid
  - a. Yellow Dent
  - b. White Dent
2. Regular
  - a. Yellow Dent
  - b. White Dent
3. June

**Class 3-Grass Sorghum Ears 6 (six)**

1. Hegari
2. Millet
3. Milo
  - a. Red
  - b. Yellow

**Class 4-Grass Sorghum 1 (one) Gallon**

1. Hegari
2. Millet
3. Milo
  - a. Red
  - b. Yellow

**Class 5-Smooth Grain 1 (one) Gallon**

1. Barley
2. Oats
3. Wheat

**Class 6-Forage Crops**

Bales must be 6 inches in diameter at center band.

1. Corn Tops
2. Hegari
3. Millet
4. Milo
  - a. Red
  - b. Yellow
5. Sudan

**Class 7-Baled Hay and Grain**

1. Annuals
  - a. Summer
  - b. Winter
2. Coastal Bermuda
3. Hegari
4. Oat Straw

**Class 8-Unclassified Field Crops**

1. Cotton-1- boils or complete stalk
2. Sunflower Head
  - a. Head
  - b. Stalk with Head

**Class 9-Mohair and Wool**

1. Mohair
  - a. Grown
  - b. Kid
  - c. Yearling
2. Wool

**Class 10-Unclassified Entry**

1. Any Unclassified Item

## Division 4 Gardening

Judy Seibert-Chairman  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### No Age Requirement.

#### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be of specified amounts or will be disqualified from judging process.
- For requiring entries containers and/or plates are provided.
- Entries must be clean of dirt, debris, and grown by the exhibitor.
- Entries will be judged on general appearance, health and shape of entered fruit or vegetable

#### Class 1-Above Ground Vegetables

- 1.Beans, fresh - 6 pods
  - a.Green
  - b.Lima
  - c.Pinto
  - d.Snap
  - e.String
  - f.Wax
- 2.Beans, Shelled, dried, 1 pint
  - a.Lima
  - b.Pinto
- 3.Broccoli, 1 head
- 4.Cabbage, 1 head
  - a.Green
  - b.Purple
- 5.Cucumbers, 3
  - a.Pickling
  - b.Slicing
- 6.Egg Plant, 1
- 7.Kohlarbi, 1
- 8.Okra, 6 pods
  - a.Green
  - b.Red
- 9.Peas, fresh, 6 pods
  - a.Black-eyed
  - b.Green English
  - c.Green Snap
  - d.Green Snow
- 10.Peas, Shelled, dried, 1 pint
  - a.Black-eyed

#### Class 1-Continued

- 11.Peppers
  - a.Banana, 6
  - b.Bell, 3
    - 1.Green
    - 2.Red
    - 3.Yellow
- 12.Hot Peppers
  - a.Anaheim, 6
  - b.Cayenne, 6
  - c.Chili Paten, 12
  - d.Habanera, 6
  - e.Hungarian hot wax, 6
  - f.Jalapeno, 6
  - g.Pablano,3
  - h.Serrano, 6
- 13.Squash
  - a.Acorn, 1
  - b.Butternut, 1
  - c.Yellow, 2
  - d.White, 2
  - e.Zucchini, 2
- 14.Tomatoes
  - a.Cherry, 6
  - b.Grape, 6
  - c.Roma, 3
  - d.Slicing, 3

## Division 4 - Continued Gardening

### Class 2-Root Vegetables

- 1.Beets, 3
- 2.Carrots, 3
- 3.Garlic, 3
- 4.Onions
  - a.Green onions, 3 bunches
  - b.Leeks, 3 bunches
  - c.Red/Purple, 3 bunches
  - d.Scallions, 3 bunches
  - e.Shallots, 3 bunches
  - f.Sweet, 3
  - g.White, 3
  - h.Yellow, 3
- 5.Potatoes, 3
  - a.Red
  - b.Russet
  - c.Sweet
  - d.White
  - e.Yellow
- 6.Radises, 6 bunches
  - a.Red
  - b.White
- 7.Turnips, 3
- 8.Turnips with tops, 3 bunches

### Class 3-Fruits

- 1.Apples, 3
  - a.Crab apples
  - b.Golden
  - c.Green
  - d.Red
- 2.Figs, 6
- 3.Nectarines, 3
- 4.Peaches, 3
  - a.Clingstone
  - b.Doughnut
  - c.Freestone
  - d.White flesh

### Class 3-Fruits Continued

- 5.Pears, 3
  - a.Green
  - b.Red
- 6.Persimmons, 3
- 7.Pecans
  - a.Whole, quart
    - i.Improved variety
    - ii.Native, wild variety
  - b.Shelled, halves, 1 pint
    - i.Improved variety
    - ii.Native, wild variety
- 8.Plums, 3
  - a.Cultivated
  - b.Native
- 9.Pomegranates, 3

### Class 4-Melons

- 1.Cantaloupe, 1
- 2.Gourds, 1
- 3.Muskmelon, 1
- 4.Pumpkin, 1
- 5.Watermelon, 1

### 2022 Division 4 Winners

Kirk Culak - Best of Division



David Adams -  
Honorable Mention





## Division 5 Home Preservation Products

Denise Fischer & Bailey Fischer -Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be in compliance with named listed item in each class.
- Entries must be canned, prepared, cured, and /or processed by the exhibitor in the year 2023.
- Entries in class 1 and class 5 will be tasted by judges.
- Entries in Class 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7 will not be tasted by judges. These classes will be judged on each judges criteria or as needed.
- Best Egg Display Aware for best overall display of eggs.

### Age Categories:

- These are the only age groups that are eligible to enter in Division 5
- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

Cured meats can be processed from venison, and/or beef only. They must be entered in a plastic baggie. Processed meats will be tasted during judging at their discretion.

### Class 1-Processed / Cured Meats

- 1.Jerky
  - a.Chunk, 1
  - b.Strips, 6
- 2.Salami, 1/2 roll
- 3.Sausage
  - a.Ring, 1
    - i.Dry
  - b.Stick, 6
    - i.Buck stick



## Division 5 - Continued

### Home Preservation Products

Denise Fischer & Bailey Fischer -Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

Dried fruits and vegetables must be in clear standard mason jars and/or any decorative mason jar. No less than 8 ounces and contain at least 1/2 cup of product.

#### Class 2-Dried Fruits

1.Any dried fruits - 1

#### Class 3-Dried Vegetables

1.Any dried vegetables - 1

Eggs must be produced by the exhibitor's home stock. Eggs must be fresh and clean, but not washed. Eggs must be displayed in a fresh egg carton, display container or basket. Eggs will be judged on uniformity, shape, shell texture and thickness of egg. How eggs are displayed will not affect the judging criteria. An award for the best display of eggs will be awarded to the overall best presentation of eggs.

#### Class 4-Eggs

- 1.Chicken eggs, 1 dozen
  - a.Bantam
  - b.Brown
  - c.Green
  - d.White

#### Class 4-Eggs con't

- 2.Duck eggs, 1/2 dozen
- 3.Goose eggs, 1/2 dozen
- 4.Guinea eggs, 1/2 dozen
- 5.Turkey eggs, 1/2 dozen
- 6.Quail eggs, 1/2 dozen
- 7.Peacock eggs, 1/2 dozen

#### Class 5-Fruit Leathers

1.Any Fruit, 3 Strips

Fruit leathers must be individually wrapped with plastic wrap and presented in a standard jar, display basket, and/or container. No plastic bags or zip lock bags will be accepted. Fruit leathers will be tasted during judging at their discretion.

Will Thomason -  
Division 5 Winner  
Best of Division



## Division 5 - Continued

### Home Preservation Products

Honey, Molasses, Syrup

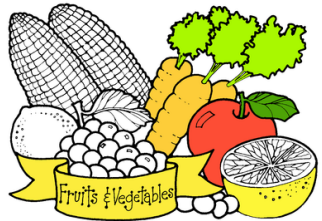
#### Class 6-Honey, Molasses and Syrup

- 1.Beeswax, 1/2 pound
- 2.Combination Minimum of 4-6
- 3.Extract, 1 pint
- 4.Honey, 1 pint
- 5.Molasses, 1 pint
- 6.Syrup, 1 pint

Vinegars can be entered in any size decorative container and/or decorated as exhibitor wishes. Must be sealed with a lid, ring or cork stopper. No certain amount of vinegar is required.

#### Class 7-Vinegars

- 1.Fruit
- 2.Herb
- 3.Red
- 4.White



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#### 2022 Best Egg Display & Best of Division 5 Winner

Brianna Thomason



## Division 6

### Canning

Denise Fischer & Bailey Fischer -Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

#### **Additional Rules for this Division:**

- Entries must be in compliance with named listed item in each class.
- Entries must be canned, prepared, cured, and /or processed by the exhibitor in the year 2023.
- Entries must be exhibited in a standard clear quart or pint canning jar.
- Entries will be judged un-opened and un-tasted.
- Entries will be judged on the following 100 point system:
  - \* Product - 60 points
  - \* Liquid and Pack - 30 points
  - \* General appearance - 10 points

#### **Age Categories:**

- Adult (age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (age 13 through 17 Years)
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

#### **Class 1-Canned Fruits**

- 1.Apples
- 2.Apricots
- 3.Berries (any kind of berry)
- 4.Cherries
- 5.Pears
- 6.Peaches
- 7.Plums

#### **Class 2-Canned Vegetables**

- 1.Beans
  - a.Green
  - b.Yellow
- 2.Beets
- 3.Corn
- 4.Okra
- 5.Okra & Tomatoes
- 6.Peppers
  - a.Hot
  - b.Sweet
- 7.Potatoes
- 8.Squash

#### **Class 2-Canned Vegetables con't**

- 9.Tomatoes
  - a.Diced
  - b.Stewed
  - c.Whole

#### **Class 3-Pickled Fruits/Vegetables**

- 1.Beans (Green)
- 2.Beets
- 3.Okra
- 4.Onions
- 5.Peaches
- 6.Peppers
  - a.Hot
  - b.Sweet
- 7.Squash
8. Watermelon Rind

## Division 6 - Continued Canning

### Class 4-Sliced Pickles

- 1.Bread & Butter
- 2.Dill
- 3.Garlic
- 4.Kosher
- 5.Salt
- 6.Sweet/Sour

### Class 5-Whole Pickles

- 1.Dill
- 2.Garlic
- 3.Kosher
- 4.Salt
- 5.Sweet/Sour

### Class 6-Relishes

- 1.Chow-Chow
- 2.Pepper
  - a.Hot
  - b.Sweet
- 3.Pepper/Tomato Relish
  - a.Hot
  - b.Sweet
- 4.Pickle Relish
  - a.Dill
  - b.Sweet

### Class 7-Sauces/Condiments

- 1.BBQ Sauce
- 2.Catsup
- 3.Chili Sauce
- 4.Hot Sauce
  - a.Red Tomato
  - b.Green Tomato
5. Picante Sauce
- 6.Spaghetti Sauce
- 7.Tomato Sauce

### Class 8-Salsa

- 1.Corn
- 2.Hot Pepper/Tomato
- 3.Tomato

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### Best of Division 6 Winners

Diane Hughes -  
Best of Division



Honorable Mention  
Debbie Wilcox



## Division 7 Soft Spreads

Debbie Pritko & Jane Collette -Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be in compliance with named listed item in each class.
- Entries must be canned, prepared, cured, and /or processed by the exhibitor in the year 2023.
- Entries must be exhibited as a 4oz, 8 oz, or 16oz amounts of Jam and/or Jelly.
- No entries will be accepted with more than 16oz of Jam and/or Jelly.
- Entries must be preserved using a hot boiling water canning method and must have a good seal.
- Entries using Paraffin wax as a preserver will not be accepted.
- Entries will be judged open and tasted.
- Entries will be judged on container, color, texture, and flavor.
- Entries will be disqualified if they are moldy and/or appear spoiled.
- Entries must be free from rust on jar, lid, and ring or will be disqualified.
- Exhibitors are asked to submit a recipe of entry at the time entry is accepted.  
(Optional)

### Age Categories:

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

### Class 1-Jams

\*Made from crushed or ground fruits, is less firm than jell, but hold shape.

- 1.Apple
- 2.Blackberry
- 3.Blueberry
- 4.Fig
- 5.Grape
- 6.James made with any added ingredient
- 7.Jalapeno
- 8.Peach
- 9.Pear
- 10.Plum
- 11.Strawberry
- 12.Strawberry made with Jell-o

### Class 2-Jellies

\*Made from fruit juices, is clear and firm enough to hold shape.

- 1.Apple
- 2.Blackberry
- 3.Blueberry
- 4.Fig
- 5.Grape
- 6.Mustang Grape
- 7.Jalapeno
- 8.Jelly made with any added ingredient
- 9.Peach
- 10.Pear
- 11.Plum
- 12.Strawberry
- 13.Strawberry made with Jell-o

## Division 7 - Continued

### Soft Spreads

#### Class 3-Preserves

\*Made from whole fruits or large pieces in a thick syrup.

- 1.Apple
- 2.Blackberry
- 3.Blueberry
- 4.Fig
- 5.Grape
- 6.Jams made with any added ingredient
- 7.Jalapeno
- 8.Peach
- 9.Pear
- 10.Plum
- 11.Preserves made with any added ingredient.
- 12.Strawberry
- 13.Strawberry made with Jell-o
- 14.Tomato
- 15.Watermelon

#### Class 4-Condiments/Sauces/Spreads

- 1.Butters, pureed fruit with less sugar
- 2.Chutneys, a condiment mixture of fruit (sweet or tart)
- 3.Conserves, jam like base, with chopped nuts added.
- 4.Honeys, crushed fruit cooked until clear in transparency
- 5.Marmalades, basic jams containing citrus peel and fruit

#### Class 5-Unclassified entry - any class

- 1.Any unclassified entry



## Division 7 Soft Spreads - 2022 Best of Division Winners

Diane Hughes - Best of Division



Debbie Wilcox - Honorable Mention



Helen Bauerschlag - Best of Division  
Age group B-7,8, &9





## Division 8 Baking & Candy

April Bland & Shannon Stuteville - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be home baked.
- Entries must not be made with mixes or pre-made pie crust, except cake mix in class#4-cakes, item #9.
- Entries requiring refrigeration are will not be allowed.
- Exhibitor can request judges score card after judging is complete.
- Entries will be judged on general appearance, texture, taste, color and presentation.

### Age Categories:

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)
- Youth age group A (Ages 4, 5, 6)
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

### Class 1-Breads-Quick

- 1.Biscuits, 1/2 dozen
- 2.Coffee Cake, 1/2 cake
- 3.Corn Bread, 1/2 pan
- 4.Fruit bread, 1/2 loaf
- 5.Muffins, 1/2 dozen
  - a.Bran muffins
  - b.Corn bread muffins
  - c.Dinner muffins
  - d.Fruit muffins

### Class 2-Breads-Yeast

- 1.Bread, 1/2 loaf
  - a.Multi-grain
  - b.Potato
  - c.Wheat
  - d.White
- 2.Coffee Cake, 1/2 cake
- 3.Streusel, 1/2 streusel
- 4.Tea ring, 1/2 tea ring
- 5.Yeast Doughnuts, 1/2 dozen

### Class 2-Breads-Yeast, con't

- 6.Yeast rolls, 1/2 dozen
  - a.Cinnamon
  - b.Dinner
    - i.Potato
    - ii.Wheat
    - iii.White

### Class 3-Cookies

- 1.Bar, 1/2 dozen
- 2.Brownies, 1/2 dozen
- 3.Drop, 1/2 dozen
  - a.Chocolate Chip
  - b.Oatmeal
  - c.Peanut Butter
  - d.Sugar
- 4.Rolled, 1/2 dozen
- 5.Assortment of displayed cookies, 1/2 dozen

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Division 8 - Continued  
Baking & Canning

**Class 4-Cakes**

1. Angel Food, 1/2 cake
2. Bundt Cake, 1/2 cake
3. Cake mix cake with cake mix as main ingredient, 1/2 cake
4. Chiffon/Sponge cake, 1/2 cake
5. Cup Cakes, 1/2 dozen
  - a. Iced decorated, any flavor
  - b. Iced only, any flavor
6. Decorated Cake, 1/2 cake
7. Layer Cake, 1/2 cake
8. Pound Cake, 1/2 cake
9. Rolled Cake, 1/2 cake
10. Sheet Pan Cake, 1/2 cake

**Class 5-Cobblers and Pies**

1. Cobbler, 1/2 cobbler
2. Fruit Pie, 1/2 cobbler
3. Nut Pie, 1/2 pie

**Class 6-Candy**

1. Brittle, 6 pieces
2. Divinity, 6 pieces
3. Fudge, 6 pieces
4. Pralines, 6 pieces



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2022 Division 8 Winners

Vera Smith



Vera Smith



Helen Bauerschalg



Barron White



Brook Stewart



Lily Adams



Juna Kirkpatrick



## Division 9 Needle Handwork

Rosann Rust - Chairman

Crocheting, Counted Cross Stitch & Knitting  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be work of Exhibitor made since 2022-2023

### Age Categories:

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)

### Class 1-Counted Cross Stitch

- 1.Book markers
- 2.Decorations
- 3.Pictures
- 4.Pillows
- 5.Pillow Cases
- 6.Tablecloths/Luncheon sets
- 7.Tea towels
- 8.Wearing apparel
- 9.Wall hangings

### Class 2-Crocheting

- 1.Afghan(s)
- 2.Animal(s)
- 3.Cap(s)
- 4.Cap/Scarf Set
- 5.Doilies
- 6.Doll(s)
- 7.Dress
- 8.Edging
- 9.Felted
- 10.Home Decor
- 11.Infant Sets
  - a.Blanket
  - b.Booties
  - c.Cap
  - d.Three piece set (sweater, cap and booties)
- 12.Jewelry
- 13.Mittens/Gloves
- 14.Nostalgia
- 15.Pillow(s)
- 16.Poncho

### Class 2-Crocheting, con't

- 17.Pot holders/Hot pads (set of 2)
- 18.Purse
- 19.Rug(s)
- 20.Scarves
- 21.Shawl
- 22.Stole(s)
- 23.Socks/Slippers
- 24.Sweater
- 25.Table attire

### Class 3-Knitting

- 1.Afghan
- 2.Animal
- 3.Cap
- 4.Doily
- 5.Doll(s)
- 6.Dress
- 7.Felted Items
- 8.Infant Sets
  - a.Blanket
  - b.Booties
  - c.Cap
  - d.Three piece set (sweater, cap and booties)
- 9.Poncho
- 10.Scarf
- 11.Shawl
- 12.Slippers
- 13.Socks
- 14.Sweater
- 15.Vest

## Division 9 - Continued Needle Handwork

### Class 4-Fancy Needlework

1. Appliqueing
2. Candlewicking
3. Crewel
4. Embroidery
5. Machine Embroidery
6. Needlepoint
7. Punch
8. Silk Ribbon Embroidery
9. Tatting

### 2022 Division 9 Winners

Chuck Bowler - Best of Division

Laura Ruffo - Honorable Mention



**Division 10**  
**Sewing - Hand or Machine**  
**Non-Clothing and Home Decor**

Rosann Rust - Chairman  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

**Additional Rules for this Division:**

- Entries must be hand or machine sewn by exhibitor from 2022-2023
- Entries will be judged on general appearance, design, color, stitching and finishing.

**Age Categories:**

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)

**Class 1-Adult Wear**

1. Apron
2. Blouse
3. Coat
4. Dress
5. Formal
6. Jacket
7. Mens shirt
8. Night wear
9. Outfit
10. Pants
11. Shorts
12. Skirt

**Class 2-Children's Wear**

1. Apron
2. Blouse
3. Coat
4. Costume
5. Dress
6. Formal
7. Jacket
8. Night wear
9. Outfit
10. Pants
11. Shirt
12. Shorts
13. Skirt

**Class 3-Infant and Toddler Wear**

1. Blanket
2. Christening Gown
3. Costume
4. Infant Wear
5. Layette

**Class 4-Non-Clothing & Home Decor**

1. Decorative Home
2. Pillow(s)
3. Place Mats-Set of 4 (four)
4. Pot Holders
5. Purse
6. Spreads
  - a. Appliqued-Hand
  - b. Appliqued-Machine
7. Table Runner
8. Tote Bag
9. Toy
10. Quilt Top(s)



**2022 Division 9 Winners**

Terry Brower - Best of Division



Brienne Heywood  
Honorable Mention



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## Division 11 Quilting

Dale Flashberg Quilting Around The Bend, Cibolo Creek Guild Members - Chairman  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- No limits on the number of quilts entered in any category.
- All quilts must be clean.
- All quilts must be bona fide property of the exhibitor and entered in the exhibitors name.
- Ribbons are a recognition of merit and excellence per generally accepted quilting standards. All ribbons may not be awarded. Duplicate ribbons may be awarded. It will be at the discretion of the judges.

### Age Categories:

- Adult (age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (age 13 through 17 Years)

### Class 1-One Person Quilt (only one person working on quilt)

- 1.Hand Quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced
- 2.Home sewing machine quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced
- 3.Long arm machine quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced

### Class 2-Multiperson Quilt (Two or more people working on quilt)

- 1.Hand Quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced
- 2.Home sewing machine quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced

Denice Brockmeyer

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### Class 2-Multiperson Quilt, con't (Two or more people working on quilt)

- 3.Long arm machine quilted
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced
- 4.Professional Quilted-Paid for Quilting
  - a.Combination-pieced or appliqued
  - b.Hand or machine
  - c.Pieced
- 5.Other

### 2022 Best of Division 11 Winner Best of Show Winner



## Division 12

### Hobbies

Phyllis & Mike Bravi - Chairmen

1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

#### **Additional Rules for this Division:**

- Entries will be judged on workmanship, adaptability of color and overall appearance.
- Exhibitors may only submit one entry in each item number listed to be judged. This is to avoid the same item competing against each other. Any amount over this will be for "Display Only".
- Division chairmen have the right to refuse any entry when in doubt of it being handcrafted or made by the exhibitor for the judging competition.

#### **Craft & Ceramic Additional Rules:**

- Exhibit must be handcrafted or made by Exhibitor made since 2022-2023
- Exhibit must fit in Display case before entry can be accepted for security & safety purposes.

#### **Ceramic Additional Rules:**

- Entries must have all been kiln fired.
- Exhibitor must provide stand or easel if required.
- Entries of lamps must be complete with shade. Cords must be folded and secured with tie strips, tape, etc.
- Electricity will not be available for any electrical entry in competition.
- Entries of planters must be exhibited without plants.

#### **No Age Requirement**

##### **Class 1-Crafts**

- 1.Arrangement(s)
- 2.Bead work
- 3.Belts
- 4.Candle making
- 5.China making
- 6.Clocks
- 7.Clothing
  - a.Decorated
  - b.Handmade
- 8.Decoupage
- 9.Decorative/Folk art painting
- 10.Doll making (porcelain, plastic, cloth)
- 11.Diamond painting
- 12.Doll clothing
- 13.Egg Decorating (4-6)

##### **Class 1-Crafts, con't**

- 14.Handmade popourri
- 15.Handmade soap
- 16.Handmade stationary
- 17.Holiday decorations
- 18.Jewelry
  - a.Bracelet
  - b.Combo
    - i.Earrings
    - ii.Necklace
- 19.Lathercraft-handmade stitching with tooling
- 20.Lather craft-Machine stitching with tooling
- 21.Macrame



## Division 12 - Continued

### Hobbies

#### Class 1-Crafts, con't

- 22.Metal work (welded etc.) No items wider or higher than 3ft x 3ft)
- 23.Mosaic artwork
- 24.Ornaments (4-6)
- 25.Paper Articles
- 26.Plastic Canvas
- 27.Pressed Paper Items
- 28.Sculpture (metal or wood)
- 29.Scrapbooks
- 30.Recyclable art (created items must be 75% recycled materials or products)
- 31.Yard art (no larger than 3ft x 3ft)
- 32.Wood items (no larger than 3ft x 3ft)
  - a.Burned
  - b.Combo (three or more of categories)
  - c.Hand carved
  - d.Decorated
  - e.Painted
  - f.Saw cut
  - g.Turned
- 33.Beads

#### Class 2-Ceramics

- 1.Glazed
  - a.Animals or Fowl
  - b.Centerpiece
- 2.Under glazed
- 3.Stained

#### Class 3-Clay/Pottery

- 1.Hand formed
- 2.Painted
- 3.Sculpture

#### Class 4-Stained Glass

- 1.Disks
- 2.Table decor
- 3.Wall hangings
- 4.Window hangings

#### 2022 Best of Division 12 Winner

Jamie Stavinocha



## Division 13 Collections

1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Entries must be the collection of the exhibitor
- Entries must be a collection of 4 articles of likeness

### No Age Requirements

#### Class 1-Collections of 4 articles of Likeness

- 1.Book Collection
- 2.Button Collection
- 3.Clutch Purse Collection
- 4.Coin Collection
- 5.Doll Collection
- 6.Glass Collection
- 7.Leaf Collection
- 8.Minature Collection
- 9.Mixed Glass Collection
- 10.Photo Album Collection
- 11.Picture Collection
- 12.Rock Collection
- 13.Salt & Pepper Collection
- 14.Scrapbook Collection
- 15.Shell Collection
- 16.Stamp Collection
- 17.Texas Souvenir Collection

#### Class 2-Collections of 4 articles of likeness made from:

- 1.Ceramic
- 2.China
- 3.Glass
- 4.Material
- 5.Metal
- 6.Paper
- 7.Plastic
- 8.Porcelain
- 9.Wood

### 2022 Division 13 Winners

Alice Bauerschlag  
Best of Division



Chrysti Frair  
Honorable Mention



## Division 14

### Relics

Sally Beer & Lea Koentopp - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

#### **Additional Rules for this Division:**

- No professional or dealer entries will be allowed in judging competition
- Professional or dealers can enter for "Display Only"
- Entries must be near original condition.
- Judging criteria for entries will be age (genuine relic), condition (chips, paint, cracks, etc.) and parts added (legitimate parts, beauty and rarity)

#### **No Age Requirements**

##### **Class 1-Hand work and materials**

- 1.Baby cap
- 2.Bedspread
- 3.Crocheted article
- 4.Doily
- 5.Doll Clothes
- 6.Embroidery
- 7.Garment
- 8.Hair pin lace
- 9.Homespun, thread or article
- 10.Knitted articles
- 11.Lace
- 12.Linen
- 13.Quilt

##### **Class 2-Household articles**

- 1.Album
- 2.Bead work
- 3.Bowl and Ewer
- 4.Brass article
- 5.Butter molds
- 6.Carving
  - a.On ivory
  - b.On wood
- 7.Churns
- 8.Clock
- 9.Cookie or cracker jar
- 10.Cooking articles
- 11.Copper articles
- 12.Crockery
- 13.Document

##### **Class 2-Household articles con't**

- 14.Doll
- 15.Enamel article
- 16.Fan
- 17.Glass article
- 18.Iron article
- 19.Knife
- 20.Ladies accessories
- 21.Lamp
- 22.Leaner article
- 23.Mirror
- 24.Mother of pearl
- 25.Musical instrument
- 26.Old fruit jars
- 27.Oldest book
- 28.Oldest Coin
- 29.Pewter article
- 30.Pictures
- 31.Pipe
- 32.Scissors
- 33.Sewn item
- 34.Spectacles
- 35.Steins
- 36.Tin articles
- 37.Toy
- 38.Walking cane
- 39.Wood article

## Division 14 Relics

### Class 3-Unclassified

1. Gun
2. Hand work and materials
3. Household articles
4. Party article

### 2022 Division 14 Winner

Glenda Dunn - Honorable Mention



## Division 15

### Antiques

Sally Beer & Lea Koentopp - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

#### Additional Rules for this Division:

- No professional or dealer entries will be allowed in judging competition
- Professional or dealers can enter for "Display Only"
- Entries must be near original condition.
- Judging criteria for entries will be age (genuine relic), condition (chips, paint, cracks, etc.) and parts added (legitimate parts, beauty and rarity)

#### No Age Requirements:

##### Class 1-China or porcelain

- 1.American
- 2.Austrian
- 3.Bavarian
- 4.Bowl
- 5.Child's dishes
- 6.Clock
- 7.Cup (any china)
- 8.Cup and saucer (any china)
- 9.English
- 10.German
- 11.Hand Painted
- 12.Haviland
- 13.Hull
- 14.Ironstone
  - a.Plain
  - b.Decorated
- 15.McCoy
- 16.Minature
- 17.Mustache Cup
- 18.Nippon China
- 19.Oriental
- 20.Pitcher
- 21.Plate (any china)
- 22.Platter (any china)
- 23.Portrait, plate couplet
- 24.Prussian
- 25.Powder Box
- 26.Roseville
  - a.Plain
  - b.Fancy

##### Class 1-China or porcelain con't

- 27.Shawnee
- 28.Worcester

##### Class 2-Glass

- 1.Any set of glass
- 2.Art glass vase
- 3.Berry set
- 4.Blown
- 5.Carnival
  - a.Marigold
  - b.Purple
  - c.Other
- 6.Candlestick
- 7.Clear
- 8.Cranberry
- 9.Depression glass
  - a.Bowls
  - b.Cake plates
  - c.Cup
  - d.Pitcher
  - e.Plates
  - f.Platter
  - g.Relish dish
  - h.Sandwich plate
  - i.Set of glasses
  - j.Sugar and creamer
  - k.Syrup
  - l.Vase
  - m.Wine glasses

## Division 15 Antiques

### Class 3-Jewelry

- 1.Bracelet
- 2.Broche
- 3.Earrings
- 4.Locket
- 5.Necklace
- 6.Ring
- 7.Sets
- 8.Watch

### Class 4-Silver

- 1.Bowl
- 2.Cup
- 3.Flatware
  - a.Plated
  - b.Sterling
- 4.Hollow ware
- 5.Jam jar
- 6.Mirror
- 7.Set
- 8.Tea Pot
- 9.Tea service set
- 10.Tray

### Class 5-Unclassified

- 1.Any other china or porcelain
- 2.Any other glass
- 3.Any other jewelry
- 4.Any other Silver

### 2022 Best of Division 15 Winner

Lea Koentopp - Honorable Mention



## Photography & Art Rules and Regulations

Judy Hubbard & Rachel McCallum - Chairmen

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Amateur photography and art entries only.
- No professional artist or photographer entries allowed.
- Prior year entries will not be accepted.
- No copies allowed in any division.
- Glass inside frames will be accepted, however plastic or plexiglas are suggested.
- Enter submissions at your own risk. Every precaution is taken to ensure the safety of each entry. The Association will not be held responsible for any breakage of frame, glass, etc.
- Handmade or commercial frames may be used.
- Entry must be clean in presentation and appearance.
- No nudity or profanity.
- Entries must follow "Ready for Hanging" guideline.

### Ready for Hanging Rule:

- A hanging wire must be adhered to the back of entry.
- No saw tooth type hanger on back of entry will be accepted.
- Division chairman have the right to refuse any entry when "Ready for Hanging" rule is not followed by the exhibitor.



## Division 16 Amateur Photography

Judy Hubbard & Rachel McCallum - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Additional Rules for this Division:

- Photographs must be a minimum of 5x7 and a maximum of 11x14
- Ready for hanging rule must be followed

### Ready for Hanging Rule:

- A hanging wire must be adhered to the back of entry.
- No saw tooth type hanger on back of entry will be accepted.
- Division chairman have the right to refuse any entry when "Ready for Hanging" rule is not followed by the exhibitor.

### Age Categories:

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)

### Class 1-Black and white photography

- 1.Action
- 2.Animals
- 3.Around the Kendall County Fair (2022 Fair)
- 4.Around the Kendall County Fair (any fair prior to 2022)
- 5.Holiday
- 6.Humor
- 7.Landscape
- 8.Nature
- 9.Portraits
- 10.Still Life
- 11.Social
- 12.Weather (2022-2023)

### Class 2-Color con't

- 6.Humor
- 7.Landscape
- 8.Nature
- 9.Portraits
- 10.Still Life
- 11.Social
- 12.Weather (2022-2023)

### Class 3-Digitally manipulated

- 1.Collages
- 2.Color Manipulation
- 3.Exposure
- 4.Layering
- 5.Mirror Images or Imaging
- 6.Special Effects
- 7.Sepia
- 8.Weather (2022-2023)

### 2022 Best of Division 16 Winner

### Class 2-Color photography

- 1.Action
- 2.Animals
- 3.Around the Kendall County Fair (2022 Fair)
- 4.Around the Kendall County Fair (any fair prior to 2022)
- 5.Holiday

Hunter George





## Division 17 Amateur Art

Judy Hubbard, April Bland & Rachel McCallum - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Ready for Hanging Rule:

- A hanging wire must be adhered to the back of entry.
- No saw tooth type hanger on back of entry will be accepted.
- Division chairman have the right to refuse any entry when "Ready for Hanging" rule is not followed by the exhibitor.

### Age Categories:

- Adult (Age 18 Plus Years)
- Junior (Age 13 through 17 Years)

### Class 1-Acrylic & oil

- 1.Abstract
- 2.Animal Life
- 3.Floral
- 4.Landscape
  - a.Land
  - b.Water
- 5.Nature
- 6.People
- 7.Seascape
- 8.Still Life

### Class 2-Watercolor

- 1.Abstract
- 2.Animal Life
- 3.Floral
- 4.Landscape
  - a.Land
  - b.Water
- 5.Nature
- 6.People
- 7.Seascape
- 8.Still Life

### Class 3-Graphic art

- 1.Charcoal
- 2.Computer Art
- 3.Mixed Media
- 4.Pastel
- 5.Pen, pencil, ink
- 6.Still life

### 2022 Best of Division 17 Winner

Cassie Bland - Best of Division



Aspen McCallum -  
Honorable Mention



## Division 18 Children's Art & Photography

Judy Hubbard & April Bland - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### Ready for Hanging Rule:

- A hanging wire must be adhered to the back of entry.
- No saw tooth type hanger on back of entry will be accepted.
- Division chairman have the right to refuse any entry when "Ready for Hanging" rule is not followed by the exhibitor.

### Age Categories:

- Youth age group A (Ages 4, 5, 6),
- Youth age group B (Ages 7, 8, 9)
- Youth age group C (Ages 10, 11, 12)

### Class 1-Graphic art

1. Coloring pages
2. Computer art
3. Mixed media
4. Paint by number

### Class 2-Drawings

1. Charcoal
2. Chalk
3. Crayon
4. Finger Paint
5. Marker
6. Pen
7. Pencil
8. Paint
  - a. Acrylic
  - b. Oil
9. Watercolor

### Class 3-Black & white photography

1. Action
2. Animals
3. Around the Kendall County Fair (2022 fair)
4. Around the Kendall County Fair (any fair prior to 2022)
5. Holiday
6. Humor
7. Landscape

### Class 3-Black & white photography con't

8. Nature
9. Portraits
10. Still life
11. Social
12. Weather (2022-2023)

### Class 4-Color photography

1. Action
2. Animals
3. Around the Kendall County Fair (2022 fair)
4. Around the Kendall County Fair (any fair prior to 2022)
5. Holiday
6. Humor
7. Landscape
8. Nature
9. Still Life
10. Social
12. Weather (2022-2023)

Helen Bauerschlag  
Best of Division



Juna Kirkpatrick  
Best of Division



Helen Bauerschlag  
Honorable Mention



## Division 19 Plants & Floral

Martha Hawkins & Paula McGehee - Chairmen  
1st Place-\$5.00, 2nd Place-\$3.00, 3rd Place-\$1.00

### **Additional Rules for this Division:**

- Floral entries must be exhibitor grown
- Artistic arrangements must be created and designed by the exhibitor
- Must furnish attractive container which has been freshly painted or constructed.
- Must make sure plants are clean, pest and disease free.
- Artistic arrangements and dish garden entries must be finished, except for touch up at entry time.
- No artificial flowers or foliage may be used in artistic arrangements or dish garden entries.
- Containers are considered part of the arrangement
- An Entry that was entered in a prior year is not eligible to be entered again for judging. It will be placed in the "Display Only" category.

### **No Age Requirements**

#### **Class 1-Cacti & succulents**

- 1.Agave
- 2.Aloe
- 3.Cacti-Desert Type
- 4.Cacti-Forest Type
- 5.Collection
- 6.Euphorbia
  - a.Crown of thorns
  - b.Pencil
  - c.Representative
- 7.Hoyas
- 8.Jade
- 9.Kalanchoe
  - a.Flowering
  - b.Non-flowering
- 10.Sansaveria
- 11.Sedem
- 12.Succulent
  - a.typical
  - b.unusual
- 13.Yucca

#### **Class 2-Fresh flowers, artistic arrangements & wreaths**

- 1.Fresh flowers
  - a.Bouquet-5 stems any variety
  - b.Single flower any variety

#### **Class 2-Fresh flowers, artistic arrangements & wreaths con't**

- 2.Artistic Arrangements
  - a.Dried branches and fresh flowers
  - b.Dried materials, leaves, grasses, pods, etc. (spray paint permitted)
  - c.Foliage and / or succulent
  - d.Holiday, using fruit, vegetables, flowers and/or foliage (spray paint permitted)
  - e.Novelty
  - f.Vegetable and fruits, flowers and/or foliage permitted.
  - g.Wreaths

#### **Class 3-Hanging baskets & plants in unusual containers or displays**

- 1.Dish garden
- 2.Growing in unusual container
- 3.Growing in/on rocks
- 4.Growing in/on wood
- 5.Hanging baskets
  - a.Single plant flowering
  - b.Single plant, non-flowering
  - c.Multiple plants
- 6.Minature garden
- 7.Terrarium

## Division 19 - Continued

### Plants & Floral

#### Class 4-Outdoor plants

- 1.Bedding-flower
- 2.Bougainvillea
- 3.Caladium
- 4.Coleus
- 5.Croton
- 6.Geranium
- 7.Ground Cover
- 8.Hibiscus
- 9.Iris
- 10.Lily
- 11.Mandervilla
- 12.Vines

#### Class 5-Popular house plants

- 1.Airplane
- 2.Begonia
  - a.Flowering
  - b.Foliage
- 3.Cordyline
- 4.Diffenbachia
- 5.Dracena
- 6.Ferns
  - a.Asparagus
  - b.Boston
  - c.Fox tail
  - d.River fern
  - e.Staghorn
- 7.Ficus
- 8.Ivy
- 9.Palm
- 10.Philodendron
- 11.Schelfera
- 12.Wandering jews

#### Class 6-Unusual plants

- 1.African violets
- 2.Bonsai
- 3.Bromiliads
- 4.Fruit & food plants
- 5.Herbs
- 6.Insectivores
- 7.Orchids
- 8.Plumeria
- 9.Tillandsia-air plants
- 10.ZZ

#### 2022 Division 19 Winners

Glenda Dunn Sanseveria  
Best of Division



Rosann Rust  
Honorable Mention



## 16th Annual Apple Pie Contest



They were oozing with fruity apples and flavor inside a flaky crust. The ingredients varied from regular flour to mixtures of apples along with sour cream, pralines, to fire ball whisky along with basic spices. The Homestead Heritage Exhibition hall was filled with the aroma of the pies entered in this year's contest from early morning when check in began.

A panel of judges tasted and rated the home baked pies using a scoring point system of 1-5, with 5 being the highest point. Pies were judged before the initial slicing on overall appearance for 15 points and 10 points for creativity. After slicing the pies, they were judged on the crust for 20 points, 25 points for the filling and 30 points for flavor. After tallying the scores, the results were announced giving three local bakers bragging rights for the next year for baking the Best Apple Pie in Kendall County. Winners were presented with cash premiums along with a rosette placement ribbon.

### Official Rules for the Apple Pie Contest:

1. Open to all residents of Kendall County, except for professional bakers.
2. As long as a different recipe is used, more than one pie can be entered by exhibitor.
3. Entry Fee is \$5.00 per pie entered.
4. Pie(s) must be homemade from scratch, to include filling and crust.
5. Pie(s) must be freshly baked in a 9" inch disposable baking tin.
6. Pie(s) must be 100% apples. No other fruits or ingredients.
7. No store bought canned apple pie filling or store bought pie shells or rolled crust allowed.
8. Pie(s) must be crusted and /or crumb crusted topping.
9. Pie(s) recipe(s) must be typed, printed or legible hand writing on a 5" x 8" index card.
  - a. All ingredients must be listed and entrants name must not be listed on index card.

## Official Rules for the Apple Pie Contest - Con't:

10. Check in Pie(s) and recipe from 8:00 am till 10:00 am on Sunday, September 3, 2022 at the Exhibit Hall Office.
11. Judging begins at 2:00 pm and is open to the public.
12. A panel of judges will use a scoring scale point system of:
  - a. 1 through 5, with 5 being the highest point
  - b. A perfect score is 100.
  - c. Before slicing, pie(s) will be judged on:
    - i. Overall appearance for 15 points
    - ii. Creativity for 10 points.
  - d. After slicing sliced they will be judged on crust for 20 points, 25 points for filling and 30 points for flavor. Scoring will be sole responsibility of the judges and the judge's results will be final. Judges score sheets will be available to entrants upon request after contest is over and winners have been announced.
13. All entrants are asked to attend a Group Contestant Picture after the contest.
14. All entrants are asked to donate their pie(s) for public tasting after the contest. This is not a mandatory request and any entrant can opt out of request.
15. First Place-\$75.00, Second Place-\$50.00 and Third Place-\$25.00 Plus a Rosette Ribbon for each placement.
16. Questions or concerns please contact Marilyn Culak at 830-537-4096 or [kmculak@gvt.com](mailto:kmculak@gvt.com)



### 2022 Winner of the Apple Pie Contest

1st Place: Payton Brady  
2nd Place: Eileen Strom  
3rd Place: Roseman Hickman

Proud sponsor of the 16th  
Annual Apple Pie Contest.  
Sunday, September 3, 2023



## 9th Annual Coloring Contest

The 2023 Coloring Contest is in full swing this year! Be sure to go to our website to download the coloring page and color to your delight! Last year we had over 60 children enter and we look forward to having many more this year. Below you'll see a list of all the winners from last year's contest. This year's age groups run from age 4 through age 12. Divisions broken out below:

- Age Group (4, 5,6)
- Age Group (7,8,9)
- Age Group (10,11,12)

A special thanks to all the judges that help us every year and most of all, the children who make some remarkable entries for all to see. We look forward to seeing you again this year!



### Kendall County Roofing

Thank you to Kendall County Roofing for sponsoring the 9th Annual Coloring Contest in 2022!

### Coloring Contest Winners

1. Age Group Ages 4,5,6
  - a. 1st Place-Tilden Matthew Keller
  - b. 2nd Place-Julia Gomez
  - c. 3rd Place-Adilyn Schmidt
  - d. Honorable Mention-Hayes Muck
2. Age Group Ages 7,8,9
  - a. 1st Place-Mary Warzecha
  - b. 2nd Place-Piper Flynn
  - c. 3rd Place-Cooper Hohmann
  - d. Honorable Mention-Myla Flynn
3. Age Group Ages 10,11,12
  - a. 1st Place-Makenna Jurecki
  - b. 2nd Place-Taylor Schmidt
  - c. 3rd Place-Shane Jurecki
  - d. Honorable Mention-Lillie Vogt



## 4th Annual Salsa Contest

The 4th Annual Homemade Salsa Contest is sponsored this year by Kendall County Roofing. Last years contest was a hit with many entries of Homemade Salsa in the Red and Green categories as well as from Mild to Hot.

Three Judges sample and score each of the entries from aroma, color, flavor, heat and texture with scoring points on a scale from 1 to 5. Once all the scores are tallied, the winners are announced.

During the judging the "People's Choice Award" judging is in full force. Anyone in the room can taste and vote for their favorite Homemade Salsa. Fair visitors choosing to volunteer and participate they are each given one ticket along with their very own tasting spoons and a sampling of chips to taste all of the entries.

After 30 minutes of consistent tasting and re-tasting, comparing likes and dislikes, the crowd of sampler's cast their individual votes in the vote box for each individual entry. They will be counted and then award the crowd pleaser they've chosen!

### **Official rules, regulations, and guidelines:**

1. Contest is open to all residents of Kendall County and must be prepared by exhibitor as entered.
2. Entry is \$5.00 per exhibitor. (Non-refundable)
3. Only the first 20 entries will be accepted for judging.
4. Salsa must be homemade from scratch. All entries will be refrigerated until judging and People's Choice judging.
5. Exhibitor can entered more than one salsa into contest as long as it uses a different recipe.
6. Recipe used must be entered with the entry. Recipe must be typed or legibly hand written, or printed on ingredient list form. Exhibitors name should not be listed on ingredient form.
7. Salsa entry must be in clean pint mason jars. Lids must be rust free.
8. Exhibitor is required to submit 2 pint mason jars of Salsa. (Must be in Mason Jars). 1 pint for judging. 1 pint for the People's Choice Judging. Only mason jars will be returned to exhibitor after close of contest. For food safety reasons all salsa not consumed during judging will be disposed of.
9. Salsa jars entered for judging will be labeled with the entry number only.





# 4th Annual Salsa Contest con't

## Entry check-in:

Friday-September 1, 2022  
From 8:00 am till 1:00 pm  
Homestead Heritage Exhibit Hall.

## Main judging and awards:

1. Judging is closed to the public in a private area where only judges are allowed.
2. Judging will begin at 6:00 pm, Friday, September 1, 2023. Winners will be announced immediately after.
3. Judges will be selected and judge entries equally based on the following criteria:
  - a. Aroma, Color, Flavor, Heat and Texture.
  - b. Judging on each category will use a scale of 1-5, with 5 being the highest
  - c. Scoring is the sole responsibility of the judges and results will be final.
  - d. Score sheets will be available to all exhibitors upon request after contest is over and winners are announced.
4. All winners are required to attend a photo shoot after the contest.
5. Judges decisions are final.



## Awards:

1st place: \$75.00, & Rosette Ribbon  
2nd place: \$50.00 & Rosette Ribbon  
3rd place: \$25.00 & Rosette Ribbon  
Participant ribbons will be awarded to all exhibitors not placing.

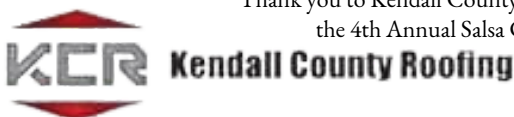
## People's Choice judging and awards:

1. People's Choice judging will begin at 6:00 pm on Friday, September 1, 2023 and is open to the public.
2. Tasting chips will be provided individuals judging the contest.
3. One ticket will be passed out to individuals judging to cast their vote for the winner.
4. Tickets will be counted after completion of judging and winner will be announced.
5. In the case of a tie, individual's will be presented another ticket for another routine of voting between the tied entries. Only the tied entries are eligible for second round of judging.
6. Judges decisions are final
7. Winner is required to attend a photo shoot after the contest.

## Award:

People's Choice Winner: \$25.00 & Rosette Ribbon

Thank you to Kendall County Roofing for sponsoring  
the 4th Annual Salsa Contest in 2023!



# 2021 Winners of the Apple Pie Contest & Salsa Contest

## Salsa Contest Winners



1st Place  
Misty Merkens



2nd Place  
Matt Carner



3rd Place  
Kirk Culak

## Apple Pie Contest Winners



People's Choice  
Eddie Onoford



1st Place - Payton Brady, 2nd Place - Eileen Strom, 3rd Place - Rosemary Hickman

# 6th Annual Egg Contest

Kendall County 4-H Backyard Poultry Club

The 5th Annual Egg Content Contest was held during the 116th Kendall County Fair. Contestants entered their freshest eggs into the contest. After each egg was cracked open and judged on the color, shape and form of the egg yolk and albumin, and on the freshness and visibility of the structure of the egg the following winners was announced as winners.

## Youth Age 7 And Under Group

### Bantam Entries

- 1st Place-Betty Neyland
- 2nd Place-Lane Massie
- 3rd Place-Sage Crabtree

### Standard Entries

- 1st Place-Hayes Muck
- 2nd Place-Harper Wester
- 3rd Place-None

## Youth Ages 8-12 Group

### Bantam -Entries

- 1st Place: Daren Neyland
- 2nd Place: Dashed Neyland
- 3rd Place: Colton Cooley

### Standard - Entries

- 1st Place: Daren Neyland
- 2nd Place: Taylor Schmidt
- 3rd Place: Dashle Neyland

## Teen Age 13-17 Group

### Bantam -No Entries

### Standard Entries

- 1st Place-Evan Anderson
- 2nd Place-Wyatt Jedicka
- 3rd Place-Colton Whitaker



## Egg Content Contest

### Standard & Bantam Classes

#### Age Groups:

- 7 years old & under
- 8-12 yrs old
- 13-17 yrs old
- Adult (18+)

**Saturday  
September 3rd**

Contact Marilyn Culak for more info: [kmculak@gvtc.com](mailto:kmculak@gvtc.com)

### Adult - Open Class

#### Bantam Entries

- 1st Place-Crabtree
- 2nd Place-Tracy Neyland
- 3rd Place-None

#### Standard Entries

- 1st Place-Leroy Denny
- 2nd Place-Jeff Smith
- 3rd Place-Sheree Denny

## Egg Content Contest Winners



# 6th Annual Egg Contest

Kendall County 4-H Backyard Poultry Club

Contest held: Saturday, September 2, 2023 at 1:00 pm

The egg entry is cracked open and judged on the color, shape, form of yolk and albumin, freshness and visibility of the structure. Run to your chicken coop, pick your freshest egg. Enter it and see how it stands up to the rest!

## Official Rules for the Egg Content Contest:

1. All contestants must complete an Exhibitor entry form. Entry form can be mailed prior to the contest or can accompany egg entry day of contest.
2. Exhibitor is only allowed one entry in selected age category.
3. Exhibitor must pay a \$2.00 entry fee per entry form.
4. Exhibitor must bring egg entry(s) to the registration table in the Exhibit Hall on Saturday, September 2, 2023 from 11:00 am till 12:00 pm. No entries will be accepted at any other time.
5. Eggs entered will be placed on a plate marked with your assigned exhibitor number for the judging.

## Awards & premium money awarded in each age category:

- 1st place: \$5.00
- 2nd place: \$3.00
- 3rd place: \$1.00

## Rosettes awarded in each age category for best overall entry in each category:

- Best Bantam Egg (4 awarded)
- Best Standard Egg (4 awarded)

## Presentation of awards:

End of contest and picture session. Group and individual winners.



## 2nd Annual Cookie Baking Contest



When did cookies begin? Research shows nobody is really sure who created the first cookie. It may have just been a mistake in the baking area. Some cooking experts believe that many many years ago cooks wanted to test the temperature of their oven so they would bake a small blob of cake batter to see if the oven was heated well enough to bake an entire cake. The Dutch called these little test cakes a "keokje" which means "little cake". This recipe or process was brought to America from the Netherlands by the Dutch. The term cookie likely derived from the Dutch version. England called these popular little cakes biscuits as does Australians. Spain calls them galletas and Italy biscotti. Almost every country has a word for the cookie. At the Kendall County Fair, we are going to go the distance and just call them GREAT! All great things are worthy of putting our baking hands in the dough and competing for the bragging rights of making the best COOKIE! We are excited to bring you the 2nd Cookie Baking Contest in the Exhibit Hall at this year's Kendall County Fair. Get your flour ready and come join the fun!

### Official Rules for the Cookie Contest:

- Exhibitor must bring cookie entry and a \$5.00 entry fee on:
  - Thursday - August 31st, 2023
  - Between the hours of 8am to 2pm
  - To the Baking Division in the Exhibit Hall.
  - You will be presented an entry number after your entry is accepted.
  - Age Requirements:
    - Adults (18 years plus)
    - Youth / Junior (7-17 years)
- Exhibitor must present an empty bag of King Arthur Flour and/or UPC Label from the flour bag when he/she submits the entry. King Arthur Flour can be purchased at HEB, Wal-Mart, Amazon and/or directly through King Arthur Flour web-site.
- Contestants must follow the designated chosen recipe of "Coconut Jam Drops". Recipe below.

- Entry of twelve (12) cookies must be submitted on/in a disposable covered container. Container is non-returnable. Cookies will be transferred to display plate prior to judging by Contest chairman. Entrants cookies will be displayed individually on the same likeness of display plate. Cookies will not be judged on presentation. Judging criteria points will be judged on taste, overall appearance and texture judging criteria:
  - Taste: 50 points
  - Over-all appearance: 25 points
  - Texture: 25 points
  - Total Points: 100 Points
- King Arthur Baking Company and the Kendall County Fair Association will not be responsible for replacing lost or misplaced gift cards and/or ribbons presented.
- Failure to follow any rule may result in disqualifications(s)
- Awards Presented:
  - Adult
    - 1st Place - \$75 gift card (King Arthur Products)
    - 2nd Place - \$50 gift card (King Arthur Products)
    - 3rd Place - \$25 gift card (King Arthur Products)
  - Youth/Junior
    - 1st Place - \$40 gift card (King Arthur Products)
    - 2nd Place - \$25 gift card (King Arthur Products)
    - 3rd Place - King Arthur Tote Bag
    - \*\*\*All participants will receive a participation rosette\*\*\*
- Judging will be on Thursday - August 31, 2023 and will be closed judging.
- Winner will be notified by phone and/or email after completion of judging.
- All cookie entries become the property of the Kendall County Fair Association and will be on display during the run of the fair.

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# 117th Kendall County Fair & Rodeo

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**AUGUST 31ST - SEPTEMBER 3RD 2023**

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**-PARADE-**

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HOMEGROWN ITEMS-**

**-ALL DAY ENTERTAINMENT-**

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