

Adult and Junior Farm and Garden

Farm and Garden Superintendent

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Farm & Garden Department

General Rules

- 1. Entering into the Fair:
 Sunday, July 31, from 1:00pm to 7:00pm
 Monday, August 1, from 7:00am to 1:00pm
 Entry application must accompany each exhibit
 No late entries will be accepted
- 2. Exhibitors having 10 or more entries are encouraged to pre-register. Entry Forms will be accepted at the Extension Office until Friday, July 22, 2022.
- 3. All products must have been grown during the 2022 season with the exception of nuts which can be from the previous year.
- 4. Entry Fee: \$1.00 per entry for the first three entries. Please keep receipt from other entries to avoid additional entry fee charges.
- 5. Junior: 18 (as of December 31) and under- Must designate on Entry form the appropriate classes.
- 6. All products must have been grown by the individual making the entry.
- 7. No Exhibitor will be allowed in the department during judging.
- 8. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of the superintendent.
- 9. Adult and Junior entries will be judged separately.
- 10. Premiums on all classes: 1st- \$2.00; 2nd- \$1.00
- 11. Best of Show Adults and Juniors Premium: \$5.00
- 12. There is a premium cap set at \$25.00.
- 13. Premiums will be given on Sunday, August 7, 2022 in the Yucca Building from 8am to 1pm. Any premiums not collected during this time will be forfeited.



Class

- 01. One stalk of cotton
- 02. Corn, white, dent (5 ears)
- 03. Corn, yellow, dent (5 ears)
- 04. Popcorn (5 ears)
- 05. Corn, any other variety (5 ears)
- 06. Grain Sorghum, red (5 heads)
- 07. Grain Sorghum, white (5 heads)
- 08. Grain Sorghum, yellow (5 heads)
- 09. Hegari (5 heads)

- 10. Alfalfa, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center band)
- 11. Sudan (bundle 3" to 5" at center band)
- 12. Sweet Sorghum, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 13. Grain Sorghum, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 14. Sheaf forage, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 15. Sunflowers (1 head)

Division 2 - Vegetables

Class

- 01. Beans, Snap, Green (12 pods)
- 02. Beans, Snap, Yellow (12 pods)
- 03. Beans, Green, Lima (12 pods)
- 04. Beets, Table (5 roots without tops)
- 05. Cabbage, salad (1 head)
- 06. Cabbage, Kraut (1 head)

- 07. Carrots, (6 roots without tops)
- 08. Cauliflower (1 head)
- 09. Corn (5 ears in husk, do not cut tips)
- 10. Cucumbers, Slicing (3 fruits 4" min) 47
- 11. Cucumbers, Pickling (6 fruits 4" max)
- 12. Eggplant (1 fruit)



- 13. Lettuce, head (1 head w/wrapper leaves)
- 14. Muskmelons, Cantaloupe (1 fruit)
- 15. Muskmelons, Casaba (1 fruit)
- 16. Muskmelons, Honey Dew (1 fruit)
- 17. Muskmelons, any other variety (1 fruit)
- 18. Okra (6 pods)
- 19. Onions, White Globe (3 mature bulbs)
- 20. Onions, White Flat (3 mature bulbs)
- 21. Onions, Yellow Globe (3 mature bulbs)
- 22. Onions, Yellow Flat (3 mature bulbs)
- 23. Onions, Red, any type (3 mature bulbs)
- 24. Onions, Green (12 plants, roots and tops not trimmed)
- 25. Peas, Green, Black eyed (12 pods)
- 26. Peas, Green, Crowder (12 pods)
- 27. Peas, Green, any other variety (12 pods)
- 28. Pepper, Green, Bell (3 fruits)
- 29. Pepper, Red, not dry, Bell (3 fruits)
- 30. Pepper, Green, Chile (5 fruits)
- 31. Pepper, Red, not dry, Chile (5 fruits)
- 32. Pepper, Yellow, Long, Chile (5 fruits)
- 33. Pepper, Small, Green, Serrano type (5 fruits)
- 34. Pepper, Small, Red, Serrano type (5 fruits)
- 35. Pepper, Yellow, Small, pungent type (5 fruits)
- 36. Pepper, Green, Cherry type (5 fruits)
- 37. Pepper, Red, Cherry type (5 fruits)
- 38. Pepper, Small, Green, Jalapeno (5 fruits)
- 39. Potatoes, Irish, White (5 tubers)

- 40. Potatoes, Irish, Red (5 tubers)
- 41. Potatoes, Sweet, any variety (5 tubers)
- 42. Pumpkins, Field (one)
- 43. Pumpkins, Sugar or Pie (one)
- 44. Pumpkins, Cushaw (one)
- 45. Radishes, red Globe type (10 roots without tops)
- 46. Radishes, Long White icicle type (10 roots without tops)
- 47. Rhubarb (3 stalks)
- 48. Squash, White Summer (3 fruits)
- 49. Squash, Yellow Summer (3 fruits)
- 50. Squash, Italian green type (3 fruits)
- 51. Squash, Italian yellow type (3 fruits)
- 52. Squash, Spaghetti type (1 fruit)
- 53. Squash, Winter, Acorn (3 fruits)
- 54. Squash, Winter, Banana (1 fruit)
- 55. Squash, Winter, Hubbard (1 fruit)
- 56. Squash, Winter, Turban (1 fruit)
- 57. Squash, Winter, any other variety (1 fruit)
- 58. Tomatoes, red commercial (3 fruits)
- 59. Tomatoes, Cherry (5 fruits)60. Tomatoes, pasta (Italian) (3 fruits)
- 61. Tomatoes, Green (3 fruits)
- 62. Turnips, any variety (3 roots without leaves)
- 63. Watermelon, long type, any variety (1 fruit)
- 64. Watermelon, round type, any variety (1 fruit)
- 65. Ornamental Gourds (3 fruits)

Division 3 - Herbs

All herbs shall consist of a bundle of 5 stems.

May be fresh or dried (current season) specimens.

Fresh specimens should be brought in a small water filled container.

Class

- 01. Dill
- 02. Sage
- 03. Sweet Basil
- 04. Rosemary
- 05. Borage
- 06. Thyme

- 07. Spearmint
- 08. Lovage
- 09. Oregano
- 10. Garlic
- 11. Any Other

Division 4 – Fruit & Nuts

Three specimens unless otherwise noted. 2018 Changes to nuts, exhibit to be split into 3 equal parts: 1/3 whole nut, 1/3 cracked and 1/3 shelled, use your artistic imagination to display.

Class

- 01. Apples, any variety, red
- 02. Apples, any variety, yellow
- 03. Grapes, white (3 bunches) 04. Grapes, purple (3 bunches)
- 05. Nectarines, any variety
- 06. Peaches, yellow freestone
- 07. Peaches, yellow clingstone
- 08. Peaches, white freestone
- 09. Peaches, white clingstone10. Plums, any variety (5 fruits)
- 11. Pears, any variety
- 12. Pecans, in hull (1 quart)
- 13. Walnuts, in hull (1 quart)



Division 5 - Adult Garden Exhibit

Section A

- 1. A collection of five (5) or more different products grown in Exhibitor's own 2022 garden.
- 2. Quantity of each variety should consist of at least half the amount required as single item exhibits in this department or 1 whole item.
- 3. Exhibitor must arrange exhibit using a basket, crate, tray or plate, container is not to exceed 2'X2'X6" in size.
- 4. Do not over clean or trim vegetables.
- 5. Judging Criteria:

Section B- Shoe Box Exhibit

Exhibit in decorated shoebox

- 1. A single vegetable but any variety of that vegetable.
- 2. Veggies should mostly fit in box.
- 3. Judged on overall attractiveness.
- 4. Do not overly decorate the shoe boxes.



Division 6 - Herb Basket

- 1. A collection of five (5) or more different herbs.
- 2. Quantity submitted for each should be five (5) stems, dried, and tied in a bundle.
- 3. Must be arranged in a basket, tray or plate not to exceed 12" X 18" approximately in size.
- 4. Judging Criteria for Division V will be used.
- 5. Premiums: 1st- \$5.00 2nd- \$4.00 3rd- \$2.00

Division 7 - Junior Garden Exhibit

Section A

- 1. This division is open to Lea County youth from the ages of 9-18.
- 2. The exhibit shall be made up of a collection of 4 or more different products grown in Exhibitors own 2022 garden.
- 3. Quantity of each variety should consist of enough to make an attractive display.
- 4. The vegetables must be in a basket or tray not to exceed 2'X2'X6".
- 5. Premiums: 1st- \$5.00; 2nd- \$4.00; 3rd- \$2.00; 4th- \$2.00; 5th- \$1.00

<u>Section B</u> – Shoe Box Exhibit. See Adult comments

Scoreboard for Judging: Same criteria as adult except for number of varieties

Adult Farm & Garden Award

Criteria:

- 1. Must enter at least three divisions in Farm and Garden Department.
- 2. Maximum eligible points in each division are nine, points determined as followed:

1st place—3 points; 2nd place—2 points; 3rd place—1 point

3. If no entrant meets the minimum required three divisions the Superintendent will make the appropriate adjustment in requirements.

Junior Farm & Garden Award

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- 1. Same as adult except will only require a minimum of two divisions.
- 2. In case of any ties the Judge and Superintendent will break the tie.