

The Nashville Fair – Floral Arranging & Miniature/Fair-y Habitat Divisions

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Entry Fee	Adult-\$2.00 per entry	Registration:	Online by Sun., Aug. 24, 2025 10:00 p.m.
Receiving Date:	Thurs., Sept. 4 th 9 a.m. – 11 a.m.		
Exhibits Released:	Mon., Sept. 15 th 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.		
Please review Creative Arts General Rules			
Premiums Offered:	\$582		
Premiums: unless indicated	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Adult Show	\$10	\$8	\$5
Miniature/Fair-y Habitats	\$10	\$8	\$5
Youth Habitats	\$10	\$8	\$5

307A Floral Open Show

A typical flower arrangement is a display of flowers in a container. Miscellaneous material can be used such as filler flowers or materials, foliage from other plants, etc. The arrangement and display of the container, materials, and flowers used are important elements judges consider. Design, creativity, technique, color choices, and condition of the flowers are evaluated when judging. Please treat your fresh exhibits before your arrival so that the entries will remain fresh as long as possible through the duration of the fair.

Class	Description	Size Requirement
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Arrangements, Fresh

01	Large	Taller and/or wider than 12"
02	Small	No taller and/or wider than 12"

Arrangements, Dried, Silk, Paper, Felt, Other

03	Large	Taller and/or wider than 12"
04	Small	No taller and/or wider than 12"

Wreaths, any type of materials

05	Wreaths, any theme
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Special Awards

Best of Show	Rosette & \$15
People's Choice	Rosette

Miniature/Fair-y Habitats Show

Create a miniature habitat or fairy garden containing small plants, inhabitants, and accessories. Design is limited only by your imagination – be creative as possible! Entries are scored on concept, originality, creativity, execution, workmanship and how the inhabitants interact with their environment.

307B Adult

01	Large	Area not to exceed 20" x 30" X 4'
02	Small	Area smaller than 12" x 12" x 12"

308A Youth

01	Any Fair-y Habitat-Ages 5-12	Area not to exceed 20" x 30" x 4'
02	Any Fair-y Habitat-Ages 13-18	Area not to exceed 20" x 30" x 4'

Special Awards to be awarded to both Adult & Youth

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The Nashville Fair – Tabletop Christmas Tree Decorating Contest

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Adult/Youth Contests	\$25	\$18	\$12

Contest Requirements:

- Contestants must provide everything for their exhibit except the table. Trees may be real or artificial. Tree and decorations should fit on a flat area not to exceed 30” deep x 24” wide x 48” high. You may place your lights and/or decorations on your tree at home or within the time limit we provide for set up. Any store-bought pre-decorated trees or fiber optic or fiber glow trees will be disqualified. Please provide an extension cord if using electric decor. Unlit candles only due to fire regulations. The Fair is not responsible for loss or breakage of items used for entries.
- Tree decor theme is up to the entrant. Themes must be appropriate for audiences of all ages and submitted with registration.
- Decorating will only be allowed during the designated time (see above.) Only the person whose name appears on the entry form is allowed in the exhibit area during set-up. No one may touch their own completed entry once the end time is reached or another exhibitor’s entry. Trees must be removed on Monday after the close of the fair during the Creative Arts pick-up times (see Creative Arts General Rules)
- Fair management reserves the right to remove any items if deemed improper or hazardous. Although reasonable efforts will be undertaken to safeguard exhibitor’s property against loss, damage or theft, TNF will not be responsible for any loss, damage, or theft of exhibitors’ property. Every precaution will be taken in the handling and exhibiting of entries.

307C Adult	
01	Adult 18 & Up
308B Youth	
02	Youth 17 & Under

Judging Criteria	
Suitability for occasion/theme	25 pts
Attention to detail/neatness	25 pts
Decorativeness/Eye Appeal	25 pts
Creativity and Originality	25 pts

The Nashville Fair – Table Setting Contest

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Contest Requirements:

- Exhibitors will provide a standard card table, not to exceed 36" diameter, round or square.
- Each display must consist of 1 or 2 place settings and a centerpiece. Themes are exhibitor's choice and must be displayed along with menu on a minimum 5"x7" card. Place settings must be appropriate to menu and theme. Fresh flowers and greenery are allowed. Unlit candles only due to fire regulations.
- Entry set-up will only be allowed at the designated time (see above.) Only the person whose name appears on the entry form is allowed in the exhibit area during set-up. No one may touch their own completed entry, or another exhibitor's entry, once the end time is reached. Table and decor must be removed on Monday after the close of the fair during the Creative Arts pick-up times (see Creative Arts General Rules)
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Judging Criteria:		Classes Offered:	
Creative Idea/Theme	25 pts	307D Adult Contest	
Suitability to Occasion/Theme	25 pts	01	Casual
Appearance/Attractiveness	25 pts	02	Formal
Proper use of all tableware	25 pts	03	Holiday/Special Event
		308C Youth Contest	
		04	Youth