PREMIUMS AND SPECIAL AWARDS

General Awards

Grand Champion: \$15 & rosette ribbon to the best overall entry in each department.

1st place: \$7 & blue ribbon

2nd place: \$5 & red ribbon

3rd place: \$3 & white ribbon

** Cash awards will be available for pick-up during Premium Payouts.

Premier Exhibitor Award

The adult exhibitor accumulating the most overall points will be awarded \$40 and a special award. Second place earns \$30 and a certificate. **Youth premier exhibitor** will be awarded \$25 and a plaque. Second place youth earns \$15 and a certificate. Points for ribbons are as follows: Purple: 6 points, Blue: 5 points, Red: 4 points, and White: 3 points. Premier Exhibitor will only be paid to residents of the northern 10 counties of Idaho. Sponsored by: **North Idaho State Fair Board**

Superintendent's Award

A rosette ribbon will be awarded by the department Superintendent to the entry that merits special recognition. Entry does not have to be a placing exhibit to qualify.

Special Contest

A special rosette ribbon will be awarded to the winner in this class determined by the judge.

First Time Exhibitor

This category was created to offer the opportunity of exhibiting without the nerves and intimidation that potential exhibitors may have. This information will be requested when exhibitors first register. A Top First Time Exhibitor will be chosen for each department.

Special Entry

We encourage all community members to get involved, this award is for exhibitors with special needs and other circumstances. For questions whether you are a qualified exhibitor in this category, please contact the fair office. We trust that exhibitors are mindful and honest when entering.

Themed Contest

A special rosette ribbon will be awarded to the winner in this class determined by the judge. Emphasis is placed on entries with the best use of current fair theme.

Special Premium Awards

Judges will award entries warranting special recognition first place \$10 & a rosette ribbon, and second place \$5 & a rosette ribbon. Only to be awarded in the areas listed based upon sponsor associated with each award. Canning: Rider Ranch Cookies: Empire Airlines Sewing Enthusiast: Nancy's Notions Overall Hand Knit Item: Knit-n-Crochet Overall Novice Knitter: Alpaca Direct Overall Crocheting & Tatting: Empire Airlines Overall Garment: Log Cabin Spinners Overall Novice Handspun Item: Log Cabin Spinners Best Item Quilted by a Novice Quilter: Bear Paw Quilting & Bernina Best Quilted Holiday Item: Empire Airlines Needlecrafting: Spokane Falls Needlework Guild Overall General Crafts: Empire Airlines Holiday Decorations: Allegra Printing & Imaging Overall Literary Arts: Community Library Network Paintings & Drawings: Coeur d' Alene Art Association Overall Color Print: Chris Holloway Best Theme or Fair Scene Photo: Ken & Elaine Cook Youth Ceramics: Hands to Art Youth Legos: Marai Domme

Premium Payouts

4-H cash awards will be available Sunday, August 22 and Monday, August 23 from 2 pm – 4 pm as well as all open class cash award pickup times.

Open class cash awards will be available for pickup on Saturday, August 28 from 12 pm to 6 pm and Sunday, August 29 from 12 pm to 4 pm at the South end of Building 8. Beginning, Monday August 30 awards are paid at the Fair Office. Hours are as follows; Monday 3 pm – 7 pm, Tuesday through Friday September 3, 9 am – 4 pm. Exhibit awards are only paid to the entry record returned to the Fair Office by department Superintendents. **Award premiums not claimed by September 8, will be considered a donation to the Fair's general fund.**

