2024 PUTNAM COUNTY AGRICULTURAL FAIR

4-H CLUB-WIDE & INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS



SPONSORED BY: Putnam County Fair Authority, Inc.

ENTRY LOCATION: 4-H Office 111 Yelvington Road

E. Palatka, FL 32131

ENTRY DATE & TIME: 4-H Club-Wide & Individual Exhibits

Friday, March 15, 2024

3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. (No exceptions)

JUDGING: Tuesday, March 19, 2024

REMOVAL: Monday, **April 1, 2024**, 3-6 p.m.

DIVISIONS OF EXHIBITS: There will be four divisions based on age as of Sep. 1, **2023**.

Cloverbud ages 5-7*
Junior ages 8-10
Intermediate ages 11-13
Senior ages 14-18

RULES & REGULATIONS

4-H Club-Wide Exhibits

1. Must be designed as educational displays and will be displayed and judged separately from the 4-H Individual exhibits booth. The Fair Authority is allowing 4-H clubs to enter these displays free of charge. Exhibits must be free standing and must not exceed 9 feet in width and 8 feet deep (front to back).

4-H Individual Exhibits

- 1. ANY **PUTNAM COUNTY 4-H** MEMBER may enter exhibits. 4-H Membership is required. Member does not have to be present to enter exhibits.
- 2. Exhibitors may not dictate the class or lot desired to the entering official. The entering officials will make these decisions.
- 3. All exhibits must have been made by the exhibitor since the **March 2023** Fair and must be clean and in good condition.
- 4. Each exhibit must be labeled with claim check provided by the 4-H volunteer when entered. Please keep your copy of the claim check and present it when you claim your exhibit.
- 5. All articles must be picked up during the set removal time as noted above. Items left behind will be disposed of and any premium money will be forfeited unless special arrangements were made in advance.
- 6. The Putnam County Fair Authority will take every reasonable precaution for the safeguard of the exhibits; however, since articles are entered in competition for prizes, the owner assumes all responsibility for any

^{*} Cloverbud entries are for exhibit and comment only. They will not be considered for competition. However, special recognition will be given to all cloverbud exhibitors.

accident, loss, or damage.

7. Cloverbud Judging

Cloverbud entries are not judged for competition. The judges will examine the entries and provide comments on the entries for the youths benefit. All Cloverbud entries will receive a specially designed participation ribbon and \$1.00 premium.

Junior, Intermediate and Senior Judging

All exhibits may receive a Blue, Red or White award ribbon plus premium money as listed below. A First and Second Place overall winner in each CLASS will be awarded a rosette and premium. Premiums will be awarded according to the judges' records only.

- 8. Premiums will be paid as listed below under awards. See below Class information.
- 9. All premiums will be paid in cash when you pick up your exhibit on removal day. No premiums will be paid without correct information on registrations forms and all requirements followed.
- 10. Exhibitors will be limited to seven (7) articles. Each article must be a different lot (i.e., a studded T-shirt and a painted T-shirt, but not 2 painted T-shirts).
- 11. All Home Arts and Crafts will be judged according to beauty and originality of design; harmony of color and materials; suitability of articles to purpose; and workmanship.
- 12. Educational Displays (displayed in 4-H booth Class 7) must fall within the following maximum size criteria: Linear width 36 inches depth 15 inches height 48 inches.
- 13. Perishable food items will not be displayed for the whole week and will not be returned.
- 14. All items must remain on display through the duration of the Fair. Articles will be released **Monday**, **April 1**, between 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m or may be picked up at County Council on April 2nd.
- 15. Judging will use the Modified Danish System
- 16. For further details, see GENERAL RULES.

CLASSES AND LOTS

CLASS 1 PHOTOGRAPHY

LOT

- 1. Color
- 2. Black and White
- 3. Still Life
- 4. Scenic

CLASS 2 DECORATED ITEMS

LOT

- 7. Clothing / Apparel Accessories
- 8. Wall Hanging / Home Accessories
- 9. Woodwork

10. Toys

6. People

11. Holiday Items

5. Flora/Fauna (Plants / Animals)

12. Other Item

CLASS 3 RECYCLED ITEMS

LOT

- 13. Wearable Items/Accessory
- 14. Home Decoration or Holiday Item
- 15. Duct Tape Items
- 16. Other Item

CLASS 4 CONSTRUCTED ITEMS

LOT

- 17. Scrapbook or Collage18. Wall Hanging / Home Accessories21. Sewn Articles22. Toys
- 19. Legos / Robotics 23. Other Items
- 20. Woodwork

CLASS 5 ART

LOT

- 24. Ceramics 28. Water Color Painting
- 25. Beadwork26. Metalwork29. Drawings30. Leatherwork
- 27. Oil and Acrylic Paintings 31. Other Items

CLASS 6 FOOD

LOT

- 32. Canned (after **March 2023**) 35. Food Art Decorated Cakes
- 33. Baked 36. Food Creations Snacktivities, Candy Design, etc.
- 34. Baked Goods (Casseroles, Side Dishes, Etc) 37. Other Items

CLASS 7 EDUCATIONAL DISPLAYS

LOT

- 38. Animal Science
- 39. Environmental Education, Science and Technology
- 40. Individual & Family Resources
- 41. Collections (Leaves, rocks, insects, etc.)
- 42. Citizenship, Leadership, Communication Arts and Career Education
- 43. Family History / Heritage
- 44. General Category

AWARDS

All entries will be judged on their own merit using the Modified Danish System and will be awarded one of the following:

Blue ribbon - First Place and \$3.00

Red Ribbon - Second Place and \$2.00 or

White Participant Ribbon and \$1.00

BEST OF CLASS - There will be a First and Second Place winner in the Class for each Age Division. They will be chosen from the Blue Ribbon Winners.

1st Place - Large Blue Rosette and \$10.00

2nd Place - Large Red Rosette and \$ 5.00

Division Winners-will be chosen from the First Place class winners of each age division

BEST OF SHOW will be chosen from the three age division winners.

1st Place - Rosette and \$25.00