

2021  
EXHIBITOR GUIDEBOOK  
GRANGE DEPARTMENT



# 2021 CENTRAL WASHINGTON STATE FAIR



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# ADMISSION INFORMATION

## SEPTEMBER 24 – OCTOBER 3, 2021

### GATE HOURS

|  |                   |
|--|-------------------|
| Fri. Sept. 24 <sup>th</sup> :                                | 12:00PM – 11:00PM |
| Sat. Sept. 25 <sup>th</sup> :                                | 11:00AM – 11:00PM |
| Sun. Sept. 26 <sup>th</sup> :                                | 11:00AM – 10:00PM |
| Mon. Sept. 27 <sup>th</sup> - Thur., Sept 30 <sup>th</sup> : | 12:00PM – 10:00PM |
| Fri. Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup> :                                  | 12:00PM – 11:00PM |
| Sat. Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup> :                                  | 11:00AM – 11:00PM |
| Sun. Oct. 3 <sup>rd</sup> :                                  | 11:00AM – 9:00PM  |

Kiddy Land will be open on Tues., Wed, & Thurs. at 1PM. Major rides will open @ 3PM. The rest of the day's opening will be noon

### BUILDING HOURS

- ❖ Livestock Barns, Valley Building, Ag Building, Modern Living Building, Expo Building & Washington Building all close one (1) hour prior to Fair Closing, except for the last Sunday when all buildings close at Fair End.

### FAIRGROUNDS INFORMATION

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|-----------|--|
| Location: | 1301 S. Fair Ave.<br>Yakima, WA 98901                      |
| Phone:    | 509-248-7160   |
| Fax:      | 509-248-8093   |
| Email:    | <a href="mailto:agdept@fairfun.com">agdept@fairfun.com</a> |
| Website:  | <a href="http://www.fairfun.com">www.fairfun.com</a>       |

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

By submitting an entry into the Fair, exhibitors agree to abide by all the rules, regulations, and entry requirements of the Fair and of the department(s) to which they are submitting their entries.

**It is important that exhibitors read and be familiar with the rules in this book, as well as:**

**Central Washington State Fair  
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

### PASSES

#### General Exhibits:

Exhibitors in Open/Youth Home Arts, Floriculture, Valley Produce, & 4-H General: Processing Fee of \$10.00 will be charged. One (1) pass will be assigned to each exhibitor that pays the \$10.00 fee. For the \$10.00 fee, exhibitors may enter as many exhibits as they wish within the Modern Living Building (Foods, Threads, Crafts). Ag Building, you may enter as many as you wish in Valley Produce and Floriculture. Please see Photo and Fine Arts for their fees. No cross over between buildings. The Livestock Department is not included in this program.

### GATE ADMISSION & PARKING

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Adults – Weekdays                        | \$14.50 |
| Adults – Week Ends                       | \$16.00 |
| Seniors (65 years & Up)                  | \$11.50 |
| Children (6-12 years)                    | \$9.50  |
| Children 5 & Under, accompanied by adult | FREE    |
| Parking (per carload)                    | \$10.00 |

**DISCOUNT DAYS,  
PROMOTIONS, & DEALS**

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### GRANGE & COMMUNITY DISPLAYS DEPARTMENT

Please read General Information, Rules & Regulations of the Fair.

RELEASING: Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020, 9:00am to 6:00pm.

\* Fair will not be responsible for exhibits after 6:00pm.

### GRANGE & COMMUNITY DISPLAYS JUDGING

Independent judges will review each Grange Booth; points will be given, and the total will be divided by three. If a tie occurs the judging team will re-evaluate the booths and with discussion break the tie. If the tie cannot be broken, one different judge will be called in to re-judge both booths.

- Painting of booths is not permitted except white on back and sides. Booths shall be left CLEAN at the end of the Fair. Flowers and fruits must be kept fresh.
- The judges will score on the following items for a possible maximum total of 1,000 points.
- These Points are to establish 1<sup>st</sup> thru 5<sup>th</sup> places and Participation.
  - Diversity of Products Shown ..... 150 Points
  - Quality of Products Shown ..... 150 Points
  - General Attractiveness ..... 400 Points
  - Theme Development ..... 150 Points
  - Education ..... 150 Points
- "Waxing of apples is permissible." Vegetable oil can be used.
- **Diversity of Products:** The completeness with which the exhibit displays the various products grown in Washington. Products shown are limited to those produced in Washington and may be fresh, canned, or dried. Non-farm products are not to count in the calculation of points under Diversity. Each Display should include as many as possible of the following that are grown in Washington.
  - Hops, nuts, legumes, cereals, grains (sheaves and/or threshed) and corn (on ear and/or shelled ear.)
  - Fruits: Tree fruits, small fruits, grapes, grape seeds, and berries.
  - Wine, beer, juices, and any processed/manufactured product - labels should indicate that item is made in Washington - avoid the look of Sponsorship by displaying more than one label.
  - Vegetables, root crops, herbs & flowers. Vegetables should be trimmed.
  - Livestock, poultry, fish products and honey. If using live bees, they must be contained.
  - Dairy (avoid fresh milk which sours and detracts from the exhibit). Use of cottage cheese or butter cartons is permitted.
  - Trees and/or wood by-products.
- **Quality:** The character of the products shown. All produce should be of the best grade obtainable and should be uniform in size.
- **Theme Development:** The working out of a unique or unusual idea, suitable for use as a central theme around which the display may be built. Theme is left entirely to the individual exhibitor. (Use of Fair Theme not required.)
- **Education:** Should inform the Fairgoer about Agriculture. Educational signage should be large enough to read from ten (10) feet. It should convey the message in under one minute.
- **General Attractiveness:** General balance, color & design, lighting effects, and visual appeal.
  - Floral decorations may be used, must be maintained throughout the fair.
  - Dried & fresh flowers may count for quality or diversity of products. Artificial foliage may count for general attractiveness only.
  - Turntables, moving objects, colored lighting and special effects are permissible, if their use does not affect adversely any competitor's

display.

- **Judging of Displays:** Will commence Friday morning, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>. The Judges will tally their scores and plaques will be placed. All exhibits must be in place and ready for judging by 8:00am, Friday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>. Exhibits not ready for judging will be penalized 50 points from their score.
- **Chairperson's Responsibility:** Each booth's chairperson is responsible for removing spoiled products and replacing them with fresh products to keep the booth attractive for the duration of the Fair. Chair may do so, between 8:00am and 9:30am. You may still freshen up your booth after that time but will not be able to park cars on the fairgrounds.
- **Judging of Junior Displays:** Will be done by the judging team that evaluates the Subordinate Granges, using the Subordinate Granges' point system. Nonagricultural products and events will be a part of diversity. When only one Junior Grange booth is displayed, the following point system will determine their placing for award:
  - 1st: 900-1000; 2nd: 800-899; under 800: Other Award.

**SCORING:** Exhibits scoring 750 points or more will receive awards as follows:

#### Subordinate Granges – Division 1

|               |               |                 |
|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| 1st: \$625.00 | 2nd: \$610.00 | 3rd: \$595.00   |
| 4th: \$585.00 | 5th: \$575.00 | Other: \$540.00 |

#### Special Animation Award - Division 2

Special Animation Award: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$75.00 & 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$50.00

#### Junior Granges – Division 3

Participation - \$275.00

#### People's Choice Award

This award is in memory of Russ Duffield who was a 68-year member the Terrace Heights Grange #586 and an integral part of the Central Washington State Fair's Valley Produce Department. Central Washington State Fair Association is providing a trophy for the winning Grange to display in their booth the last Sunday of the Fair. Fair attendees may vote for their favorite Grange Booth at the Grange Apple Booth located in the Ag Building. This trophy will be displayed after the Fair in the Deccio Building trophy case.

#### The Fred Yahn Award

Presented in memory of Fred Yahn, Past President, Central Washington State Fair Association & Deputy at Large, Washington State Grange. The trophy will be awarded to the Subordinate Grange winning first prize and will become the property of the Grange winning it three times.

#### The Elmer & Dorothy Clark Award for Best Animation

Sponsored by Lower Naches Grange, in memory of Elmer's love of animation and 50 years of Grange Service. Elmer was the first to animate a Grange Booth at the Central Washington State Fair. The trophy will be awarded to the Subordinate Grange winning best in animation and will become the property of the Grange winning it three times.

#### The Sid Morrison Award

Central Washington State Fair Association will award a trophy to the Subordinate Grange featuring the most outstanding agricultural message in the opinion of the judges. This award is not chosen on total educational points. Trophy will become the property of the Grange winning it three times.