

B • HONEY & HONEY PRODUCTS

Superintendent: Lewis Cauble

Entry Deadline: August 23, 2024, by 11:55pm.

Exhibits received: Monday and Tuesday, September 2 and 3 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. *Requested to Register for a Drop-off Slot*

Location: Gate 1, Expo Building

Exhibit pick-up: Monday, September 16 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. *Requested to Register for a Pick-up Time Slot*

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Please read important information on preceding pages 4, 8, and 9.

- All honey and beeswax entered must have been produced by the exhibitor during the current season.
- No entries may be labeled, except with entry tags.
- All exhibits must be of required color, quality, and condition in order to receive premiums and prizes.
- All comb and extracted honey displayed must be protected from honeybees and other insects. Cellophane, glass, or other suitable transparent materials are recommended for this purpose.

***Superintendents or their family members are not eligible to enter exhibits in the department(s) they are overseeing for competition but can be used for Display Only.**

AWARDS

Place	Premiums	Award Type / Color
First Place	\$10	Blue Ribbon
Second Place	\$6	Red Ribbon
Third Place	\$4	White Ribbon
Best of Show		Blue Rosette Ribbon

HONEY

HONEY SECTIONS

CLASS

- B001 Light Exhibit, 3 sections, any size
B002 Dark Exhibit, 3 sections, any size

HONEYCOMBS

CLASS

- B003 One deep comb for extracting
B004 One shallow or medium comb/ extracting
B005 One deep comb for chunk cutting

HONEY EXTRACTED

CLASS

- B006 Light, 3 jars (not less than 14 oz. size)
B007 Dark, 3 jars (not less than 14 oz. size)

HONEY CHUNK

CLASS

- B008 Light, 3 jars (not less than 14 oz. size)
B009 Dark, 3 jars (not less than 14 oz. size)

HONEY PRODUCTS

BEESWAX PRODUCTS

CLASS

- B010 Display of beeswax products - candles, carvings, models, novelties, etc.
B011 Cosmetic Items containing Beeswax

BEESWAX

CLASS

- B012 Beeswax, in sizes and shapes commonly on sale by the apiarist (not less than 1 pound)

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - COMB HONEY

Uniformity of appearance (between and within sections)	= 20
Absence of uncapped cells	= 15
Uniformity of color	= 15
Absence of watery capping	= 10
Cleanliness and general appearance of sections or frames	= 15
Freedom from granulation and pollen	= 15
Appearance of capping and freedom from impurities	= 10
TOTAL	= 100

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - CHUNK

Density of liquid portion (moisture content over 18.6 DISQUALIFIED)	= 10
Cleanliness of liquid portion: absence of foam, dirt, wax, and crystallization	= 20
Neatness of comb cut: ragged edges, parallel cuts and uniformity of size of cut	= 20
Absence of watery capping, uncapped cells and pollen cells	= 15
Cleanliness: lack of travel stain and foreign matter in comb	= 15
Uniformity of appearance includes containers, cut comb, liquid honey and contents of jars	= 20
TOTAL	= 100

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - HONEY, EXTRACTED

Density (moisture content over 18.6 DISQUALIFIED)	= 15
Absence of granulation or crystallization	= 10
Cleanliness (absence of lint =8, dirt =12, wax =9, and foam =6)	= 35
Flavor: absence of overheating or fermentation	= 20
Accuracy of filling and uniformity	= 10
Container appearance	= 10
TOTAL	= 100

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - BEESWAX

Color: straw or canary yellow	= 25
Cleanliness: absence of honey, propolis and other impurities	= 30
Uniformity of appearance	= 20
Absence of cracking and shrinkage	= 15
Aroma and texture	= 10
TOTAL	= 100

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - BEESWAX PRODUCTS

Color: straw or canary yellow	= 20
Cleanliness: absence of honey, propolis and other impurities	= 30
Uniformity of appearance of all wax in entry	= 15
Aroma and texture	= 5
Quality and appearance of beeswax products	= 30
TOTAL	= 100

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN JUDGING - COSMETIC ITEMS

Cleanliness	= 20
Quality of wax	= 20
Design, craftsmanship, and overall appearance	= 35
Originality	= 25
TOTAL	= 100