

# HORTICULTURE

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1. Read General Rules.
2. All Horticulture, Pomiculture, and Floriculture exhibits must be entered from 8:00-10:00 on Thursday of the fair.
3. Your display plate should be no larger than the items you are displaying and should not be decorated.
4. Exhibits in this division need not be mature. Efforts should be made, however, to select as mature entries as possible.
5. Quality, condition, and uniformity of exhibit will be considered. Choose vegetables for exhibit that will hold up well during the Fair. Avoid over-ripe or over-mature specimens. Those that are slightly under-ripe or slightly immature when picked may last longer.
6. Exhibits must be grown by exhibitor. The judge has the right to not judge any exhibit they feel has not been grown by the exhibitor with no explanation needed.
7. Superintendent reserves the right to add, divide, shift, or rearrange entries or classes if/as needed in horticulture, pomiculture and floriculture areas.
8. Vegetable class size distinctions are as follows:

**Large;** one each-Cabbage, Cantaloupe, Eggplant, Large Pumpkin, Squash, Watermelon

**Medium;** five each- Beets, Carrots, Cucumbers, Decorative Gourds, Potatoes, Mini Pumpkins, Okra, Onions, Peppers, Sweet Potatoes, Sweet Corn, Tomatoes, Turnips, or other similar sized vegetable.

**Small;** twelve each- Cherry tomatoes Green Snap Beans, Wax Beans, English Peas, Radishes or other similar sized vegetables.

## **BEETS**

100Y- Beets- 5 of same variety

100A- Beets- 5 of same variety

100S- Beets- 5 of same variety

## **CARROTS**

101Y- Carrots- 5 of same variety

101A- Carrots- 5 of same variety

101S- Carrots- 5 of same variety

## **CUCUMBERS**

102Y - Pickling Cucumbers -5 of same variety

102A - Pickling Cucumbers -5 of same variety

102S - Pickling Cucumbers -5 of same variety

103Y - Slicing Cucumbers - 5 of same variety

103A - Slicing Cucumbers - 5 of same variety

103S - Slicing Cucumbers - 5 of same variety

## **EGGPLANT**

104Y - Eggplant - 1 for exhibit

104A - Eggplant - 1 for exhibit

104S - Eggplant - 1 for exhibit

## **GARLIC**

105Y - Garlic - 5 for exhibit

105A - Garlic - 5 for exhibit

105S - Garlic - 5 for exhibit

## **GREEN BEANS**

106Y - Green Beans - 12 of same variety

106A - Green Beans - 12 of same variety

106S - Green Beans - 12 of same variety

## **ONIONS**

107Y - Red Onions - 5 of same variety

107A - Red Onions - 5 of same variety

107S - Red Onions - 5 of same variety

108Y - White Onions - 5 of same variety

108A - White Onions - 5 of same variety

108S - White Onions - 5 of same variety

109Y - Yellow Onions - 5 of same variety

109A - Yellow Onions - 5 of same variety

109S - Yellow Onions - 5 of same variety

## **PEPPERS**

110Y - Bell Peppers - 5 of same variety

110A - Bell Peppers - 5 of same variety

110S - Bell Peppers - 5 of same variety

- 111Y - Other Sweet Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 111A - Other Sweet Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 111S - Other Sweet Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 112Y - Jalapeno Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 112A - Jalapeno Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 112S - Jalapeno Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 113Y - Other Hot Peppers - 5 of same variety
- 113A - Other Hot Peppers - 5 of same variety

#### **POTATOES**

- 114Y - Red Potatoes - 5 of same variety
- 114A - Red Potatoes - 5 of same variety
- 114S - Red Potatoes - 5 of same variety
- 115Y - White or Russet Potatoes - 5 of same variety
- 115A - White or Russet Potatoes - 5 of same variety
- 115S - White or Russet Potatoes - 5 of same variety

#### **RHUBARB**

- 116Y - Rhubarb Stalks - 5 of same variety
- 116A - Rhubarb Stalks - 5 of same variety
- 116S - Rhubarb Stalks - 5 of same variety

#### **SQUASH**

- 117Y - Slicing Zucchini - (10" or less) -2 for display
- 117A - Slicing Zucchini -(10" or less) -2 for display
- 117S -Slicing Zucchini -(10" or less) -2 for display
- 118Y -Baking Zucchini -(10 +") -2 for display
- 118A -Baking Zucchini -(10 +") -2 for display
- 118S -Baking Zucchini -(10 +") -2 for display
- 119Y - Yellow Summer Squash - 2 for display
- 119A - Yellow Summer Squash - 2 for display
- 119S - Yellow Summer Squash - 2 for display

#### **TOMATOES**

- 120Y - Large tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 120A - Large tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 120S - Large tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 121Y - Roma Tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 121A - Roma Tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 121S - Roma Tomatoes - 5 of same variety
- 122Y - Small tomatoes -12 of same variety
- 122A - Small tomatoes - 12 of same variety
- 122S - Small tomatoes - 12 of same variety

#### **COLLECTION OF VEGETABLES**

- 123Y - Collection: 5 onions and 5 potatoes
- 123A - Collection: 5 onions and 5 potatoes
- 123S - Collection: 5 onions and 5 potatoes
- 124Y - Collection: 10 onions from 2 varieties - 5 of each
- 124A - Collection: 10 onions from 2 varieties - 5 of each
- 124S - Collection: 10 onions from 2 varieties - 5 of each
- 125Y - Collection: 10 potatoes; 2 different varieties of 5 each
- 125A - Collection: 10 potatoes; 2 different varieties of 5 each
- 125S - Collection: 10 potatoes; 2 different varieties of 5 each
- 126Y - Collection: 10 Peppers; from 2 varieties - 5 of each
- 126A - Collection: 10 Peppers; from 2 varieties - 5 of each
- 126S - Collection: 10 Peppers; from 2 varieties - 5 of each

#### **LARGE VEGETABLES**

- 127Y - Large Vegetable-only 1 specimen required in this class
- 127A - Large Vegetable-only 1 specimen required in this class
- 127S - Large Vegetable-only 1 specimen required in this class

#### **OTHER VEGETABLES**

The following two classes are for the entry of vegetables other than those listed previously. Vegetables entered here are not eligible if there is a class listed. Must follow the guidelines of small or medium vegetables listed in the Gardening general rules.

- 128Y - Other Veg.- same variety and number as in guidelines
- 128A - Other Veg.- same variety and number as in guidelines

- 128S - Other Veg.—same variety and number as in guidelines
- 129Y - Medium Veg.—same variety and number in guidelines
- 129A - Medium Veg.- same variety and number in guidelines
- 129S - Medium Veg.—same variety and number in guidelines

**VEGETABLE CREATIVITY**

130Y , 130A, 130S - Decorated vegetable; creativity with use of other materials and or vegetables

**SPECIAL GARDENING CLASSES**

- 131Y - Mutant Veggies
- 131A - Mutant Veggies
- 131S - Mutant Veggies
- 132 - Largest Tomato
- 133 - Largest Zucchini
- 134 - Largest Potato
- 135 - Largest Cucumber

**HERBS**

- 136Y - 6 specimens of the same variety
- 136A - 6 specimens of the same variety
- 136S - 6 specimens of the same variety
- 137Y - 2 specimens of three herbs (totaling 6 cuttings)
- 137A - 2 specimens of three herbs (totaling 6 cuttings)
- 137S - 2 specimens of three herbs (totaling 6 cuttings)

**COLLECTIVE GARDENING DISPLAY**

1. Exhibit consists of five different fresh vegetables, using a combination of the 1, 5, or 12 specimen requirement. Canned vegetables are not acceptable. Only one variety of a specific vegetable may be exhibited. Display is to 4 square feet of space per gardening display.

- 138Y - Garden Display - 5 different vegetables
- 138A - Garden Display - 5 different vegetables
- 138S - Garden Display - 5 different vegetables

A Grand Champion/Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from all horticulture entries. Youth, adults and seniors will be competing against each other.

**POMICULTURE - FRUITS**

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- 100 - Best bundle of Grapes
- 101 - Best display of fruit. Min. 3 different fruits grown by exhibitor.
- 102 - Best display of fruit. Min. of 5 of same variety

A Champion/Reserve Champion will be selected from all pomiculture entries. Youth, adults, and seniors will be competing against each other.

~\*-**Special Award Pomiculture**-Sponsored by Harlan/Barbara Davenport \$25 - Best of Show exhibit

**FLORICULTURE**

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1. It is suggested that flower entries be brought to the fair in disposable containers. However, if exhibitor chooses otherwise, it is his/her responsibility to pick them up at fair's end.
2. Exhibitor will furnish all size appropriate containers for proper staging of exhibit and display.
3. No aluminum cans will be accepted.
4. There is no limit to the number of entries an exhibitor may enter.
5. Exhibits must be grown by exhibitor.
6. Plants must be owned by exhibitor at least 60 days prior to the fair.
7. When 1 stem is designated, there is no limit to the number of blooms on stem.
8. Flowers and plants will be judged on excellence, uniformity of color and size, freshness, peak of perfection, and quality of stems and foliage.
9. Display may contain foliage to make the exhibit more attractive.
10. If need be, superintendent reserves the right to add, divide, shift, or rearrange classes if/as needed.

- 100Y - Bachelor Buttons - single stem
- 100A - Bachelor Buttons - single stem
- 100S - Bachelor Buttons - single stem
- 101Y - Black-Eyed Susan - single stem
- 101A - Black-Eyed Susan - single stem
- 101S - Black-Eyed Susan - single stem
- 102Y - Coleus - single stem
- 102A - Coleus - single stem
- 102S - Coleus - single stem

103Y - Coneflowers - single stem  
103A - Coneflowers - single stem  
103S - Coneflowers - single stem  
104Y - Coreopsis - single stem  
104A - Coreopsis - single stem  
104S - Coreopsis - single stem  
105Y - Cosmos - single stem  
105A - Cosmos - single stem  
105S - Cosmos - single stem  
106Y - Dahlia - single stem  
106A - Dahlia - single stem  
106S - Dahlia - single stem  
107Y - Daisies - single stem  
107A - Daisies - single stem  
107S - Daisies - single stem  
108Y - Dianthus - single stem  
108A - Dianthus - single stem  
108S - Dianthus - single stem  
109Y - Gaillardia - single stem  
109A - Gaillardia - single stem  
109S - Gaillardia - single stem  
110Y - Gladiolas - single stem  
110A - Gladiolas - single stem  
110S - Gladiolas - single stem  
111Y - Lantana - single stem  
111A - Lantana - single stem  
111S - Lantana - single stem  
112Y - Lilies - single stem  
112A - Lilies - single stem  
112S - Lilies - single stem  
113Y - Marigolds - single stem  
113A - Marigolds - single stem  
113S - Marigolds - single stem  
114Y - Petunias - single stem  
114A - Petunias - single stem  
114S - Petunias - single stem  
115Y - Phlox - single stem  
115A - Phlox - single stem  
115S - Phlox - single stem  
116Y - Roses - single stem  
116A - Roses - single stem  
116S - Roses - single stem  
117Y - Salvia - single stem  
117A - Salvia - single stem  
117S - Salvia - single stem  
118Y - Snapdragons - single stem  
118A - Snapdragons - single stem  
118S - Snapdragons - single stem  
119Y - Zinnias - single stem  
119A - Zinnias - single stem  
119S - Zinnias - single stem  
120Y - Vinca - single stem  
120A - Vinca - single stem  
120S - Vinca - single stem  
121Y - Other annual/perennial not listed - single stem  
121A - Other annual/perennial not listed - single stem  
121S - Other annual/perennial not listed - single stem  
122 - Moss Rose - potted plant  
123 - Geranium - potted plant  
124 - Hibiscus - potted plant  
125 - Hydrangea—potted plant  
126 - Patio Planter

- 127 - Dish Garden
- 128 - Hanging Baskets
- 129 - Specimen Houseplants, large: ie., figs, rubber tree, yucca, palms, dracaenas
- 130 - Specimen Houseplants, small: ie., African violet, begonia, kalanchos, philodendrons, sansaverias, cyclamen, crotons, pepperomias, etc.
- 131 - Ornamentals (Gourds, Grasses, Bittersweet, etc.)
- 132 - Cactus or succulents
- 133 - House vine plants
- 134 - Unusual plant
- 135 - Miscellaneous house plant not listed
- 136 - Dried Floral arrangement (cannot be artificial)
- 137 - Seasonal Live Arrangement: Jan.-June; accessories permitted
- 138 - Seasonal Live Arrangement: July-Dec.; accessories permitted
- 139 - Sunflowers: single flower or stem or arrangement
- 140 - Wildflower arrangement
- 141 - Miniature Flower Arrangement made with dried flowers. The arrangement can be no larger than 5" .  
A Champion/Reserve Champion will be selected from all the single stem flower entries: classes 100-121.  
A Champion/Reserve Champion will be selected from all the potted plant entries: classes 122-135.  
A Champion/Reserve Champion will be selected from all the floral arrangement entries: classes 136-141.  
A Grand and Reserve Grand Champion will be selected from the Floriculture entries: Youth, Adult and Senior will be competing against each other. ~\*~**Special Award:** \$10 gift certificate to winners of classes 129,130,131,132,133 and 139 sponsored by Harlan/Barbara Davenport  
~\*~**Special Award Floriculture:** Sponsored by Harlan/Barbara Davenport \$25.00 to the Best of Show (best exhibit overall)

#### **CONTAINER GARDENS**

- 142 - Container decorated in a "Strike It Rich" theme with a potted flowering plant in the container. The container should not be any larger than 16" x 16"