

DIVISION A

Dairy Cattle

Entry Deadline: Thursday, July 31st at 7 p.m.

Judging: Tuesday, August 12th concurrent with the Jr. Fair Dairy Show at 10 a.m.

Lyndon Engler, Director In Charge, 419-309-2494;

Tim Brinkman, 419-966-5587; Garrett Rettig, 419-766-0000



Lyndon Engler

Competition is open to the world. Entry fees must accompany entries, \$5.00 per animal. All entries to be in place by 10 p.m. Wednesday, August 6th, including entries made by Jr. Fair youth. Cattle will be released Thursday, August 14th at 5 p.m. Bedding must be of straw, shavings, or sawdust. All exhibitors (except Henry

Co. Jr. Fair youth showmen) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Must be purebred cattle. No waters in barn without automatic floats. All large trucks and trailers should park in the parking lot east of SR 108 at the far east end of the lot.

PREMIUM LIST FOR DAIRY CATTLE

SECTIONS: BS (Brown Swiss), G (Guernsey), H (Holstein); J (Jersey)

CLASSES:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
1. Bull Calf, born on or after Sept. 1 last year	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R	R
2. Bull, 12 mo. to 24 mo.	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R	R
3. Grand Champion Male	Rosette					
4. Reserve Champion Male	Rosette					
5. Spring Heifer Calf, born on/after March 1 this year	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R	R
6. Winter Heifer Calf, born from Dec. 1 last year thru Feb. 29 this year	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R	R
7. Fall Heifer Calf, born Sept. 1-Nov. 30 last year	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R	R
8. Summer Yrlg. Heifer, born from June 1-August 31 last year	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R
9. Spring Yrlg. Heifer, born March 1-May 31 last year	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R
10. Winter Yrlg. Heifer, born from Dec. 1, 2023 - Feb. 28, 2024	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R
11. Fall Yrlg. Heifer, born from Sept. 1, 2024 thru Nov. 30, 2024	\$13	\$11	\$9	\$7	\$5	R
12. Jr. Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female	Rosette					
13. Cow, 2 years and under 3 years	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	R
14. Cow, 3 years and under 4 years	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	R
15. Cow, 4 years and under 5 year.	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	R
16. Cow, 5 years and older	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	R
17. Dry Cow, 3 years and older	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6	R
18. Senior Champion Female & Reserve Champion Female	Rosette					
19. Grand Champion Female	Rosette					
20. Produce of Dam, 2 animals any age, male or female	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	R	R
21. Best Udder in Milk	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	R	R
22. Mother and Daughter	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	R	R
23. Best 3 females bred and owned by exhibitor	\$14	\$12	\$10	\$8	R	R

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DIVISION B

Beef Cattle

On-Site Registration: Sunday, August 10, 6:30 to 9:00 A.M.

Online Entries at www.henrycountybeef.org or showman.app

Judging: Sunday, August 10 at 11:00 A.M.

Tim Brinkman 419-966-5587, Director in Charge

Committee: Todd Fedderke 419-439-1059, Austin Genter 419-572-1275,

Competition is open to exhibitors of all ages.

Entry fee is \$50 per head of cattle.



Tim Brinkman

Check-in will take place near the scales located in the Henry County Event Center at the north side of the fairgrounds. Exhibitors should enter the South Gate off Huddle Road.

Parking will be available at the north end of the racetrack in-field. Please stay off the track. No tie space available in the barns, please tie cattle to your trailer. No power provided; generators strongly encouraged. Exhibitors tying to trailers must clean up their tie areas, leaving the area as they found it without any bedding remaining. No bedding will be furnished by the Fair.

Entry fees are \$50 per head due at weigh-in, including those made by Junior Fair youth. Fees are payable to Henry County Cattlemen's Association. Out of state cattle are welcome, but must provide health certificates at check-in.

Show will include: dairy feeder calves (maximum weight 700 lbs.), dairy market steers, beef feeder calves (maximum 700 lbs.), beef market steers and beef breeding heifers. (No classes for bulls or cow-calf pairs.) Market heifers/heifer feeder calves are welcome, but will be shown as a division within the steer and feeder calf shows respectively. Market heifers can also be shown in the breeding heifer show, but must pay an additional entry fee.

Breed classes will be available in the breeding heifer show only, however, the exhibitor must provide a registration certificate at check-

in. The animal must have a legible tattoo, otherwise, the heifer will be entered as a crossbred. Three head must be present to have a class of a specific breed. If there are not three head to create a breed class, an All-Other-Breeds class will be created.

The show will follow the rules set by Ohio's Livestock Show Reform Law, Chapter 901, of the Ohio Revised Code. Prohibited grooming practices are as follows: no pigmented aides (paint), no pumping or building.

Cash prizes will be awarded to each class winner. In the division of dairy feeder calf and dairy market steer, only the champion will receive \$100. The other divisions include beef feeder calf, beef market steer and beef breeding heifers. In these divisions, the Champion will receive \$300 and the Reserve Champion will receive \$200.

Class breaks will be established as soon as possible after check-in concludes. Classes will be posted. Cattle show order will be dairy feeder calves, dairy market steers, beef feeder calves, beef market steers and beef breeding heifers.

Showmanship will take place at the conclusion of the cattle show. All ages are welcome to participate. Classes will be pee wee through adult. Pay your entry fee of \$5 at the show ring gate. The winner of each age division will be awarded a cash prize.

All exhibitors (except Jr. Fair youth) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase a day pass or season ticket at the entrance gate. Season tickets are available before the fair at the Senior Fair board office.



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DIVISION C

Swine

Entry Deadline: Thursday, August 3th at 7 p.m.
Judging: Thursday, August 10th at 6:30 p.m.
(starting after the Jr. Fair Gilt show concludes about 6:30) - Livestock Show Arena
John Poulson, Co-Director in Charge, 419-572-6403; Kevin Harper, Co-Director, 419-966-8139.



John Poulson

1. Entry fees will be \$10.00 per head if sign up occurs on the Google form from our Facebook page (Henry County Open Swine Facebook Event) by the entry deadline. Late entries will be accepted day of show at \$15 per head. All payments will be made on-site at the check-in table.
2. All entries must be in place by 5:30 p.m. Thursday, August 10. Entries being shown in the Saturday Jr Fair Market show may stay Thursday night for weigh-in Friday. All other entries will be released immediately after the show. IF JR FAIR, SENIOR FAIR, NOT SHOWING OPEN CLASS, THOSE PENS ARE OPEN TO OPEN CLASS THURSDAY NIGHT. Open class only may need to show off the trailer and walk from the track as pen space will be limited. Contact us about where to enter the grounds and pen.
3. Exhibitors showing in open class competition either need a fair pass or need to pay the gate entrance fee.

4. Only registered animals or those eligible to register are eligible to enter purebred gilt classes. Registration papers must be available upon request.
5. Exhibitors are limited to three entries per class.
6. All entries must have been owned & cared for by the exhibitor on or before June 1 of the current year.
7. Practice sound biosecurity by isolating animals between shows. All state fair animals must have their papers.
8. All exhibitors (except for Fair) showing at the fair must have a day pass or season ticket at the entrance gate. Season tickets are available before the fair at the Senior Fair. If you are a fair member, you can get a season ticket. All late trucks and trailers staying in the fairground park at the far east end of the lot. Those showing off-trailer may park in the infield or on the west side of the track. Entry at both fairground gates may be limited by other activities. Check with us about the schedule.

All exhibitors need to check in the day of show at the registration table to make payment and submit

weights and changes to online registration.
Please plan to complete the Google Form at the Henry County Open Swine Facebook Event page by 5:30 p.m. Thursday, August 10. B. MARKET HOGS-Barrows and Market Gils
Weigh-in of Barrows or Gilt designated as market animals (cannot show the same animal from 2025) will take place from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, August 10.
Premiums paid in each weight class:
Premiums will be paid for the top 6-there may be multiple heats per class): 1st - \$20; 2nd - \$16; 3rd - \$12; 4th - \$9; 5th - \$6; 6th - \$4. Rosettes will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Breeding Gilt overall, plus \$250 to the champion and \$150 to the reserve champion.
Premiums and awards shall apply to the following categories with purebreds, all ages, December - March, showing together:
NOTE: for Purebred Classes: There needs to be three entries to show as a breed. (Day of show, breed classes will be decided) If there are less than three head, they will show as Class #7, All Other Purebred.
Classes will be named – Purebred 1-6 7. All Other Purebred. Put the name of the breed on the tag and the age, sex, and form.
Market Hog Classes 8 -11 show by age: 8. Crossbred-December-March; 9. Crossbred- January; 10. Crossbred- February 11. Crossbred-March.
Classes will be adjusted based on head shown.
JACKPOT STYLE SHOW-MANSHIP will be held. Classes determined day of show. In 2022 we split into 4 classes. Showmanship is \$5/entry due day of show. All fees used for prizes.

DIVISION D

Poultry

There will be no open class poultry show at the 2025 Henry County Fair. There was not enough interest in the pilot project to warrant continuation of an open class poultry show.

Special thanks to Uncle Rusty's Pepper Patch for donating for the flower area, landscaping and Tomato Festival Pageant Stage, Winner's Circle, gazebo, covered picnic area the big sign and the many other places flower pots are set to beautify the grounds and buildings! And thank you to Jim & Patty Santa Maria for all their hard work on the landscaping around the fairgrounds. We greatly appreciate your support!



DIVISION F

Sheep

Entry Weigh-In and Registration: Friday, August 8th, 4:30-6:30 p.m.
Show Begins: Friday, August 8th at 7 p.m.
 Dan Wachtman, Director In Charge, 567-341-0782;
 Garrett Rettig, Director, 419-766-0000



Dan Wachtman

Annual Market Lamb Jackpot Show

1. Entry fees must accompany entries, \$12.00 per animal.
 2. All sheep must be in show condition and fitted to be eligible for premiums.
 3. All sheep exhibited must be a free from scabies and other infectious, contagious, or communicable diseases. All entries will have scrapies tags. Health papers may be required for out of state lambs.

4. Lambs must be born after January 1st, 2025.

5. Exhibitors under 13 do not need a pass to enter the fair grounds.

6. Classes will be 10 lambs per class if possible.

Use Huddle Rd. gate for entrance and you will be directed to the parking area. For additional information and entry forms, please contact Henry County Fair Office 419-592-9096 or download the form from the fairbook on the fair's website.

Premiums - First place \$20; Second place \$15; Third place \$10; Fourth place \$8; Fifth place \$5; Grand Champion \$250; Reserve Champion \$150.



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DIVISION G

Dairy Goats

There will be no open class dairy goat show at the 2025 Henry County Fair. There was not enough interest in the program to warrant continuation of an open class dairy goat show.



Jim Flowers

The Draft Horses, hitched to the show wagons, will parade in front of the grandstand before the Tomato Festival Parade at approx. 6:30 p.m., Sunday, August 10th. Please sign up if entering.

General Rules:

- 1. All stall registrations close Thursday, July 31st at 7 p.m. Stall rent: \$12 per head including bedding.
- 2. All entries must be in place by Friday, August 8th at NOON.
- 3. Entries can be released Sun., Aug. 10 at 11 PM., all other entries will be released Thurs., Aug. 14 at NOON. Entries released prior to Wed. Aug. 13, CANNOT participate in Farm Fun Day on Wednesday.
- 4. All exhibitors (except Henry Co.

Jr. Fair youth showing only their Henry Co. Jr. Fair Projects.) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Exhibitors 13 and under (as of Jan.1) do not need a pass.

(Premiums will be available at 5pm on Thursday, Aug. 14th. If you want your check mailed, bring a stamped self-addressed envelope to the fair secretary's office.)

Henry County Fair Draft Horse Show Rules:

- 1. Stall assignments will be based on the amount of total animals in barns/tents. You may not necessarily be in the same stalls or barn as previous years. Assignments are based on Director's discretion.
- 2. Tack stalls are by request only, but not guaranteed. To request a tack stall you must have a minimum of four head. Empty stalls will be evaluated as community tack stalls. Please be

courteous of others.

- Only register as many head as you are bringing. If purposely registered incorrectly for extra stalls you can be charged a \$25.00 penalty fee.

- 3. All animals registered to be in barn must be shown (no boarding)

- 4. All animals are in the public eye and must be fed, watered, exercised and maintained accordingly. Please keep stalls neat and clean. Fair board members should not get any complaints or comments.

- 5. Actual class registration will be from 7/23-7/31/25 in the Fair Entry Office. You must fill out an entry form and list your classes at this time and not with the Director just prior to the fair. If you are not signed up by 7/31/25 you may be considered a non exhibitor and unable to show. Call if you have any questions.

- 6. On show days there will be a three minute window from when a class is opened to when the class is closed. If more time is needed due to technical difficulties please communicate this to the announcer as soon as possible.

- 7. Only 3 entries per class per farm unless family members or full time show hand is showing animal. On FARM DAY, only 2 entries per team or per Equine.

8. Dress Code:

- For halter classes please wear appropriate attire. A nice collared shirt, nice dress slacks (khakis, blue, black, etc.), appropriate footwear clean boots or shoes. NO sneakers/tennis shoes.

- For hitch classes please wear appropriate attire.

- For men nice dress shirt, nice dress slacks, jacket and hat optional. (A good rule of thumb is if the judge is wearing a hat and jacket you should be) appropriate footwear clean boots or shoes. NO sneakers/tennis shoes.

- For women a nice dress, a nice

blouse with a nice skirt or dress slacks. Appropriate footwear clean boots or shoes. NO sneakers/tennis shoes.

- 9. Horse trailer parking is not allowed in fenced in camping area. Trailer parking is allowed on the parking lot east of SR 108 at the far east end. One or two trailers will be allowed to be used as community tack trailers if space is available. Unless used as a camper.

- 10. Trailers will be allowed on the infield the day of the show for harness purposes. All trailers must be moved from the infield immediately after the show is done.

- 11. **Camping:** See Jim Flowers. You WILL NOT be guaranteed a camping space near the Draft Horse barns, unless you actively participate in the Draft Horse/Draft Pony/Mule/Donkey program. Just like stall assignments, it may change year to year depending on participation and space allowed. Active participation includes: showing, grooming, announcing, handling, assistance with the show. It does not include horse ownership or watching/attending the shows.

- 12. Driving Horse is any breed of horse, any size, must be shown in light harness (breast collar, no hames). Driving horse cannot enter in Draft Horse or Draft Pony classes or vice versa.

REMINDER: This is the Henry County Fair Draft Horse Show and under the control of the Henry County Fair Board. All rules and regulations will be enforced and are subject to change at the discretion of the Henry County Fair Board. Any concerns or suggestions may be submitted, preferably in writing to the Draft Horse Director and Chairman or the Henry County Draft Club committee members.

Section 1A - Hitch Class Sunday, August 10th at 10:00 A.M. In front of the Grandstand

Draft Horse

1. Men's Cart Draft Horse	25	20	15	10	R
2. Ladies Cart Draft Horse	25	20	15	10	R
3. Youth Cart 15-18 yrs. old Draft Horse	10	7	5	3	R
4. Youth Cart 9-14 yrs. old Draft Horse	10	7	5	3	R
5. Youth Cart 8 and under Draft Horse	10	7	5	3	R
6. Tandem Cart Draft Horse	30	25	20	15	R
7. Six Horse Hitch Draft Horse	80	70	60	50	R



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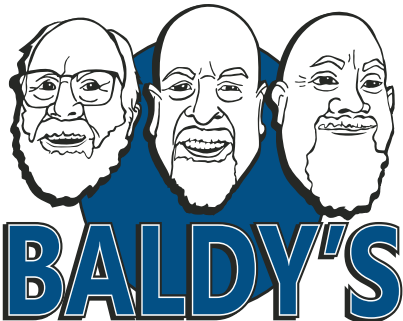
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DIVISION I

Draft Horse Pony/Mule/Donkey (continued)

8. Four Horse Hitch Draft Horse.....	70	60	50	40	R
9. Unicorn Hitch Draft Horse.....	60	50	40	20	R
10. Men's Team Hitch Show Wagon Draft Horse.....	30	25	20	15	R
11. Ladies Team Hitch Show Wagon Draft Horse.....	30	25	20	15	R
12. Youth Team Hitch Show Wagon 15-18 Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
13. Youth Team Hitch Show Wagon 14 & under Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
<u>Draft Pony</u>					
14. Men's Cart Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
15. Ladies Cart Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
16. Youth Cart 15-18 yrs. old Draft Pony.....	10	7	5	3	R
17. Youth Cart 9-14 yrs. old Draft Pony.....	10	7	5	3	R
18. Youth Cart 8 and under Draft Pony.....	10	7	5	3	R
19. Tandem Cart Draft Pony.....	30	25	20	15	R
20. Six Horse Hitch Draft Pony.....	80	70	60	50	R
21. Four Horse Hitch Draft Pony.....	70	60	50	40	R
22. Unicorn Hitch Draft Pony.....	60	50	40	20	R
23. Men's Team Hitch Show Wagon Draft Pony.....	30	25	20	15	R
24. Ladies Team Hitch Show Wagon Draft Pony.....	30	25	20	15	R
25. Youth Team Hitch Show Wagon 15-18 Draft Pony..	15	10	7	5	R
26. Youth Team Hitch Show Wagon 14 and under Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
<u>Diverse</u>					
27. Youth Cart 15-18 Driving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey.....	10	7	5	3	R
28. Youth Cart 9-14 Driving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey.....	10	7	5	3	R
29. Youth Cart 8 & under Driving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey.....	10	7	5	3	R
30. Driving Horse cart (any driver).....	20	15	10	7	R
31. Miniature Horse cart (any driver).....	20	15	10	7	R
32. Miniature Horse Team Hitch (any driver).....	25	20	15	10	R
33. Mule Cart (any driver).....	25	20	15	10	R
34. Donkey Cart (any driver).....	25	20	15	10	R
35. Tandem Cart Mule or Donkey.....	30	25	20	15	R
36. Mule or Donkey Team Show Hitch (any driver).....	30	25	20	15	R
37. Sunday Parade.....	\$50 Per Entry				

Section 1B - Halter Class Monday, August 11th at 10:00 A.M.
In front of Draft Horse Barn

<u>Draft Horse</u>					
1. Stallion, 1 years and older Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
2. Grand & Reserve Champion Stallion Draft Horse.....	Rosette Only				
3. Mares, 3 years and older Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
4. Mares, 1-2 years Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
5. Grand & Reserve Champion Mare Draft Horse.....	Rosette Only				
6. Mare & Foal Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
7. Stallion or filly foal Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
8. Geldings 4 years and older Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
9. Geldings 3 years and under Draft Horse.....	15	10	7	5	R
10. Grand and Reserve Champion Gelding Draft Horse.....	Rosette Only				
11. Youth Showmanship 15-18 years Draft Horse.....	Ribbons Only				
12. Youth Showmanship 9-14 years Draft Horse.....	Ribbons Only				
13. Youth Showmanship 8 & under Draft Horse.....	Ribbons Only				
<u>Draft Pony</u>					
14. Stallion, 1 years and older Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
15. Grand & Reserve Champion Stallion Draft Pony.....	Rosette Only				
16. Mares, 3 years and older Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
17. Mares, 1-2 years Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
18. Grand & Reserve Champion Mare Draft Pony.....	Rosette Only				
19. Mare & Foal Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
20. Stallion or filly foal Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
21. Geldings 4 years and older Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
22. Geldings 3 years and under Draft Pony.....	15	10	7	5	R
23. Grand and Reserve Champion Gelding Draft Pony.....	Rosette Only				
24. Youth Showmanship 15-18 years Draft Pony.....	Ribbons Only				
25. Youth Showmanship 9-14 years Draft Pony.....	Ribbons Only				
26. Youth Showmanship 8 & under Draft Pony.....	Ribbons Only				
<u>Diverse</u>					
27. Mule any age, any sex.....	15	10	7	5	R
28. Grand and Reserve Champion Mule.....	Rosette Only				
29. Donkey any age, any sex.....	15	10	7	5	R
30. Grand and Reserve Champion Donkey.....	Rosette Only				
31. Driving Horse any age, any sex.....	15	10	7	5	R
32. Grand and Reserve Champion Driving Horse.....	Rosette Only				
33. Miniature Horse 38" or less, any age, any sex.....	15	10	7	5	R
34. Grand and Reserve Champion Miniature Horse	Rosette Only				

<u>Showmanship</u>					
35. Youth Driving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey 15-18 years.....	Ribbons Only				
36. Youth Driving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey 9-14 years.....	Ribbons Only				
37. Youth Diving Horse/Miniature Horse/Mule/Donkey 8 & under.....	Ribbons Only				
38. Best Matched Pair - Any Breed.....	Trophy Sponsored				

Section 1C - Farm Fun Day Wednesday, August 13th at 10:00 A.M.
At the south end of the Infield

1. Team Hitch Farm Wagon any driver Draft Horse.....	25	20	15	10	R
2. Obstacle Course Team any driver Draft Horse.....	25	20	15	10	R
3. Log Pull any driver Draft Horse.....	25	20	15	10	R
4. Obstacle Cart any driver Draft Horse.....	25	20	15	10	R
5. Barrel Race Cart any driver Draft Horse.....	25	20	15	10	R
6. Team Hitch Farm Wagon any driver Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
7. Obstacle Course Team any driver Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
8. Log Pull any driver Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
9. Obstacle Cart any driver Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
10. Barrel Race Cart any driver Draft Pony.....	25	20	15	10	R
11. Team Hitch Farm Wagon any driver Mule/Donkey.....	25	20	15	10	R
12. Obstacle Course Team any driver Mule/Donkey.....	25	20	15	10	R
13. Log Pull any driver Mule/Donkey.....	25	20	15	10	R
14. Obstacle Cart any driver Mule/Donkey.....	25	20	15	10	R
15. Barrel Race Cart any driver Mule/Donkey.....	25	20	15	10	R
16. Obstacle Cart any driver Driving Horse/miniature Equine.....	25	20	15	10	R
17. Barrel Race any driver Driving horse/miniature Equine.....	25	20	15	10	R
18. Men's Anvil Toss.....	Sponsored				
19. Women's Frying Pan Toss.....	Sponsored				
20. Equine Riding - must have saddle.....	Sponsored				



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DIVISION J

Farm Products

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.
Judging: Thursday, August 7th at 8 a.m.

Doug Powell, Co-Director In Charge, 419-262-2480; John Poulson, Co-Director In Charge, 419-572-6403; Kelly Behrman, Director, 419-439-2470; Barb Powell, 419-278-2296



Doug Powell



John Poulson

1. All entries must be in place by 7 p.m. SHARP on Wednesday, August 6th.
2. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showmen and youth under 13 as of Jan. 1 of the current year) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/ season ticket.
3. Entries not properly named will not receive recognition by judge.
4. NOTE: Correct names, must be given entries of standard grain and vegetables, and all entries must be grown in 2024-2025 by exhibitor.
5. Shelled corn, wheat, oats and soybeans to be shown in quart glass jars.
6. Exhibitors may make only one entry per class.
7. All entries will be judged on market quality.
8. If, in the opinion of the judge, no exhibit is worthy of a first-place premium, only second and third place premiums may be issued in that class.
9. Plates or containers will be furnished for vegetable entries.
10. Exhibits released on Thursday, August 14th at 5:00 pm
- Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.
- CLASSES: 1-94**
Premiums, classes 1-50 & 52-95:
1st - \$4.00; 2nd-\$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00
- SECTION A - BEANS (Shelled)**
- Quart. 1. Kidney (Red); 2. Baby Limas; 3. Limas; 4. Marrowfat; 5. Navy; 6. Red Valentine; 7. Golden Wax.
- SECTION B - BEANS (Soy)**
- Quart. 8. Any variety, specify variety.
- SECTION C - FIELD CORN** - 3 Ears. 9. Any variety, specify variety.
- SECTION D - CORN (Shelled)**
- Quart. 10. Any variety, specify variety.
- SECTION E - CORN (Pop)** - 5 Ears. 11. Black Beauty; 12. Red (variety); 13. Yellow (variety); 14. White (variety); 15. Strawberry; 16. Other Variety (specify variety).
- SECTION F - CORN (Ornamental)** - 3 Ears. 17. Indian; 18. Purple.
- SECTION G - CORN (Sweet)** - 3 Ears. 19. White (specify variety); 20. Bicolor (specify variety); 21. Yellow (specify variety).
- SECTION H - OATS** - Quart. 22. Any variety, specify variety.
- SECTION J - ONIONS** - Three. 23. Bermuda; 24. Bottle; 25. Multiplier; 26. Red; 27. White (Spanish); 28. Yellow Globe.
- SECTION K - POTATOES** - Five. 29. Kennebec; 30. Cobbler; 31. Early Ohio; 32. Pontiac (Red); 33. Katahdin; 34. Sweet Potato; 35. Other Variety.
- SECTION L - PUMPKINS** - One. 36. Common; 37. Sweet; 38. Yellow; 39. Largest (any variety).
- SECTION M - SQUASH** - Two. 40. Acorn; 41. Delicious; 42. Early White; 43. Butternut; 44. Banana; 45. Spaghetti; 46. Giant Summer Crooked Neck; 47. Other Variety; 48. Zucchini; 49. True Hubbard; 50. Warty Hubbard; 51. Largest (any variety).
- SECTION N - BEST VEGETABLE DISPLAY.** Premiums: 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$7.50 3rd - \$5.00. Container Furnished. 52. Best Display of Eight Vegetables (one each). Judged on vegetables only. Tomato may be used.
- SECTION O - WHEAT** - Quart. 53. Any variety, specify variety.
- SECTION P - HAY**, baled, 1 Slice, wrapped in clear plastic. 54. Alfalfa; 55. Red Clover; 56. Mixed Hay.
- SECTION Q - MISCELLANEOUS.** 57. Beets, table (3); 58. Broccoli (bunch); 59. Cabbage, late (1); 60. Cabbage, red (1); 61. Cabbage, largest (1); 62. Carrots (5); 63. Cucumbers, Burpless (3); 64. Cucumbers, field (3); 65. Cucumbers, pickles (5); 66. Cucumbers, other hybrid (3); 67. Eggplant (1); 68. Kale (3); 69. Kohlrabi (3); 70. Mangoes, red (3); 71. Mangoes, yellow (3); 72. Cantaloupe, largest (1); 73. Cantaloupe, Crenshaw (1); 74. Cantaloupe, Honeydew (1); 75. Cantaloupe, any other variety; 76. Sweet Pepper (3); 77. Pepper, Jalapeno (1/2 pint); 78. Pepper, any other variety (3); 79. Rhubarb (5); 80. Sunflower, largest head (1); 81. Tomatoes, red (3); 82. Tomatoes, yellow (3); 83. Tomatoes, green (3); 84. Tomatoes, Beefsteak (3); 85. Tomatoes, cherry (1/2 pint); 86. Tomatoes, any other variety (3); 87. Parsnips (3); 88. Gourds, ornamental (plate); 89. Watermelon, Ice Box (1); 90. Watermelon, largest (1); 92. Watermelon, any other variety (1) 93. Okra (3); 94. String Beans, green (pint); 95. String Beans, purple (pint).



Floral Hall Rules

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.
Exhibits Released: Thursday, August 14th at 5-7 p.m.
Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412;
Ashley Klein, 419-575-1387



Jeanne Gerdeman

Divisions Shown In The Floral Hall include:

K – Baked Goods; L – Canned Goods; M – Needlework; N – Antiques; O – Flowers; P – Art, Adult; P1 – Art, Children; Q – Photography; S – Crafts

RULES

- 1. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showmen and youth under 13 as of January 1st of the current year) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket.
- 2. Entry tags must be fastened securely to entry.
- 3. Entries in all divisions are open to the world.
- 4. All divisions are open to amateurs only. Amateurs are those exhibitors who grow flowers, do crafts, paint, photograph, create, etc., for pleasure only, not for profit or gain or the sake of livelihood.
- 5. All articles entered must have been made or grown by the exhibitor except those articles entered in Division N (Antiques).
- 6. All exhibits other than Antiques must have been made within the past two years. Articles exhibited are not eligible to compete for premium more

- than two years.
- 7. To insure variety from year to year, first (1st) prize-winning items in all divisions may NOT be entered a second year.
- 8. All articles entered in Floral Hall divisions must be in place by 7 p.m. Wednesday, August 6th, unless otherwise noted under the department listing.
- 9. Superintendents or their assistants will assign locations of exhibits and have full charge of his or her division.
- 10. Premiums will be awarded according to quality and artistic execution of work. Unfinished, soiled or worn articles will be disqualified by the judge.
- 11. Premiums are paid from records in the judge's book, which are final.
- 12. Checks will be issued in each division.
- 13. Exhibits unclaimed after 7 p.m. Thursday, August 14th will not be the responsibility of division superintendents. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.
- 14. A guard will be on duty at all times, but neither the Henry County Agricultural Society, Inc. nor the superintendents will be liable for theft or damage.

DIVISION L

Canned Goods

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m. **Judging:** Friday, August 8th at 9:00 a.m.
Children's Division, Adult Division immediately follows the Children's Division judging.
With Salsa judging on Saturday, August 9 at Noon. Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412; Ellie Panning, Superintendent, 419-438-4317 (Text or call)



Ellie Panning

- 1. Amateur Classes only: see the Floral Hall Rules.
- 2. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair Youth showing only their Henry Co. Jr. Fair Projects.) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Exhibitors under 13, (as of January 1st) do not need a pass at all.
- 3. All entries must be delivered to the Canned Goods Booth between 1 and 7 p.m. on Wednesday, August 6th.
- 4. One entry per exhibitor per class.
- 5. Standard canning, one-half pint, pint or quart jars must be used **with new rings and lids**. Other containers will be disqualified.
- 6. All entries must have been canned in 2024 or 2025.
- 7. Three premiums will be paid if there are more than two entries. Single entries must be worthy of first premium, or second prize will be awarded. A Rosette will be given for Best Canned Good in the division.
- 8. Entries will not be opened. They will be judged by general appearance.
- 9. Exhibitors entering canned goods for the special feature typically

- arrange items in decorated basket- i.e. printed tea towels, ribbon, etc. All items returned to exhibitor.
- 10. All Floral Hall rules apply to this division. Exhibits will be released on Thursday, August 14th at 5-7 p.m. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th.
- No premium checks will be mailed.
- Homemade SALSA TASTE-OFF - SATURDAY, AUGUST 9 AT NOON**
- 2 CATEGORIES - Fresh and Canned**
- Bring your quart size container salsa with your name on it to the Floral Hall Canned Goods area between 10:30 -11:00 am August 9th to register. No entry ticket (exhibit tag) from fair office required. Prizes awarded sponsored by Azul Tequila, Napoleon OH.
- CLASSES: 1-38**
- Premiums:** 1st-\$4.00; 2nd-\$3.00; 3rd-\$2.00
- SECTION A - FRUITS AND VEGETABLES** Pints or quarts. 1. Beans (string) 2. Beets 3. Carrots 4. Sauerkraut 5. Corn 6. Whole Tomatoes 7. Tomato Juice 8. Applesauce 9. Peaches 10. Peas
- SECTION B - CANNED MEATS** Pints or quarts 11. Beef 12.

- Pork 13. Chicken or Turkey 14. Venison
- JAMS, JELLIES, BUTTERS, PRESERVES AND PICKLES** One-half pint, pints or quarts. Premiums: All Entries 1st - \$2.00 2nd - \$1.50 3rd - \$1
- SECTION C - JAMS** - 15. Peach 16. Strawberry 17. Raspberry 18. Other Jam, not peach, strawberry or raspberry
- SECTION D - JELLIES** - 19. Grape 20. Red or Green Pepper 21. Strawberry
- SECTION E - BUTTERS** - 22. Apple 23. Other butter, not apple
- SECTION G - PICKLED** - 24. Pickled Beets 25. Chili Sauce 26. Sweet Pickles 27. Dill Pickles 28. Relish 29. Bread and Butter 30. Pizza Sauce 31. Spaghetti Sauce 32. Salsa 33. Peppers
- SECTION H - JR. DIVISION CANNED GOODS** Limited to youth 15 and younger as of Jan. 1 of current year. Must be in quart, pint or 1/2 pint jars. 34. String Beans 35. Peas 36. Peaches 37. Tomato Juice 38. Pickled Beets 39. Strawberry Jam
- SECTION I - HONEY** 40. Any size jar.
- SECTION J - SPECIAL FEATURE** 41. 1 Jelly, 1 Jam, 1 Canned Fruit & 1 Canned Pickle in group display



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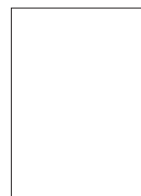
DIVISION K

Baked Goods

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m. **Judging:** Thursday, August 7th at 9:00 a.m.

Adult Division immediately follows the Children's Division judging

Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412; Ellie Panning, Superintendent, 419-438-4317 (Text or call)



Ellie Panning

1. All Floral Hall Rules apply to this division. Amateur Classes only.
2. All entries must be delivered to the superintendent between 1:00 and 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 6th. Please use non-returnable containers and include the recipe on a card no larger than 4x6.

3. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showing only their Henry Co. Jr. Fair Projects) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Exhibitors under 13 (as of January 1st) do not need a pass at all.

4. Exhibitors in the Youth or Junior Divisions may not compete in open class competition.

5. One entry per exhibitor per class.

6. Baked goods will be judged on general appearance, lightness, texture, tenderness and taste. Decorated cakes will be judged on appearance only.

7. Three premiums will be paid if there are more than two entries. Single entries must be worthy of first premium, or second will be awarded.

8. A rosette will be awarded for the best entry in the division. Deco-

rated cakes will be judged separately for best entry in that class, decorated cakes are not eligible for best entry in the division.

9. Section A- Special Feature winner will be given an additional award item.

10. Exhibits will be released on Thursday, August 14th at 5:00p.m. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.

28th BAKED GOODS AUCTION

The Annual Baked Goods Auction will be held Thursday, August 7th at 5:30 p.m. in the Ag Hall. Pies, cakes, breads, cookies and rolls will be auctioned to the public. Decorated items will not be sold. Submitted recipes will be compiled in a cookbook to be auctioned. Thank you for supporting this auction.

SECTION A - SPECIAL FEATURE:

60. Sourdough Bread

CLASSES: 1-56

SECTION B - CAKES - Premiums: Decorated Cakes - 1st - \$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00 Other Cakes - 1st \$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00. 1. Chocolate Cake 2. Angel Food Cake 3. Banana Cake; 4. Bundt Cake 5.

Double Layer Cake 6. One Layer Cake 7. Any Flavor of Four (4) Cupcakes 8. Decorated Other Occasion Cake; 9. Four (4) Decorated Cupcakes.

SECTION C-K Premiums: 1st-\$4.00; 2nd-\$3.00; 3rd-\$2.00

SECTION C - COOKIES - 10. Chocolate Chip 11. Molasses 12. Oatmeal 13. Sugar; 14. Peanut Butter 15. Pumpkin 16. Cut-Outs 17. Brownies 18. Other Flavor Bars. 19. Snickerdoodles 20. Any Other Flavor Cookie

SECTION D - PIES - 21. Apple 22. Peach 23. Pumpkin 24. Pecan 25. Cherry 26. Any Berry or Rhubarb 27. Coconut Cream

SECTION E - BAKING - 28. Coffee Cake 29. Donuts 30. White Bread 31. Pecan Roll 32. Cinnamon Rolls

SECTION F - QUICK BREADS - 33. Banana Bread 34. Muffins (4) 35. Corn Bread 36. Gingerbread. 37. Pumpkin Bread 38. Zucchini Bread

SECTION G - HOMEMADE CANDIES - Not less than six (6) pieces to be displayed. 30. Buckeyes 40. Chocolate Fudge 41. Other Flavor Fudge 42. Uncooked Candy. 43. Bonbons

SECTION H - YOUTH DIVISION Limited to youth 10 and younger as of Jan. 1 of the current year. - 44. Decorated Cupcakes (display of 4) 45. Decorated Cookies (display of 4) 46. Chocolate Chip Cookies (display of 4)

SECTION I - JUNIOR DIVISION Limited to 11-15 years as of Jan. 1 of the current year. 47. Decorated Cupcakes (4) 48. Decorated Cookies (4) 49. Chocolate Chip Cookies (4)

SECTION J - MEN ONLY DIVISION - 50. Chocolate Chip Cookies (4) 51. Favorite Brownies.

SECTION K - GLUTEN FREE: 52. Four Cupcakes, decorated 53. Brownies 54. Muffins 55. Cookie, any flavor

DIVISION M

Needlework

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.

Judging: Saturday, August 9th at 9 a.m.

Exhibits Released: Thursday, August 14th at 5-7 p.m.

Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412;

Deb Hastedt, Superintendent, 419-966-4183



Deb Hastedt

In The Show Ring" concludes.

General Rules:

1. All entries must be made using some type of needle.

This may be crochet, knitting, machine, hand, quilting or any other type of needle. Other items should be entered under Division S-Crafts. **Entries are open to the world.**

2. All entries must be delivered to Floral Hall between 2 and 7 p.m. on Wed., Aug. 6th.

3. Any item not meeting the rule above will not be judged, but may be displayed.

4. Children's Open Class Division is for children under the age of 13 as of January 1st of the current year.

5. All Floral Hall Rules apply.

6. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showing only their Henry Co. Jr. Fair Projects.) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Exhibitors under 13 (as of January 1st) do not need a pass at all.

7. Entry must be made by the exhibitor within the last year.

8. One entry per class.

9. First prize winning items may not be entered a second year, to ensure variety.

10. Exhibits released on Thu., Aug. 14th at 5-7 p.m. **Not responsible for items not picked up by 7 p.m.** Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th.

No premium checks will be mailed.

Classes 1-81:

SECTION A-C: Premiums: 1st -\$5.00; 2nd-\$4.00; 3rd-\$3.00

SECTION A - Quilts: 1. Pieced and quilted by hand; 2. Pieced and quilted by domestic machine; 3. Pieced and quilted by Longarm machine; 4. Appliqued by hand; 5. Appliqued by machine; 6. Cross stitch or embroidery; 7. Open class

SECTION B - T-Shirt Quilts - 8. Pieced and quilted by hand; 9. Pieced and quilted by domestic machine; 10. Pieced and quilted by longarm machine.

SECTION C - Throws and Crib

Quilt Auction:

The quilt created from the 2024 quilt squares, "Quilters Delight", will be auctioned after the Cookie Auction Tuesday, August 12th in the event center show ring after "Shine

Quilts (Note: crib quilts 36"x52", Throws 50"x65") - 11. Pieced and quilted by hand 12. Pieced and quilted by machine 13. Appliqued by hand 14. Appliqued by machine 15. Cross stitch or embroidery 16. Open class.

SECTION D THRU Q: Premiums: 1st - \$4.00; 2nd - \$3.00; 3rd \$2.00

SECTION D - Wall Hangings 17. Pieced and quilted by hand; 18. Pieced and quilted by machine; 19. Appliqued by hand; 20. Appliqued by machine; 21. Open class. 22. Pieced and quilted by hand; 23. Pieced and quilted by domestic machine; 24. Pieced and quilted by longarm machine

SECTION E - Knitting 25. Afghans; 26. Adult sweater or vest; 27. Childs sweater or vest; 28. Open class.

SECTION F - Crochet - 29. Granny square afghans; 30. Shell afghans; 31. Ripple afghans; 32. Mile a minute afghans; 33. Adult sweater or vest; 34. Child sweater or vest; 35. Doilies; 36. Open class

SECTION G - Pillows - 37. Quilted or appliqued; 38. Crochet or knitted; 39. Cross stitch or embroidery; 40. Open class

SECTION H - Linens (pillow cases, tablecloth, runners, placemats, towels, pot holders)- 41. Quilted; 42. Appliqued; 43. Open class

SECTION I - Rugs - 44. Hooked; 45. Rag; 46. Open class.

SECTION J - Bag - 47. Backpack; 48. Tote bag; 49. Diaper bag; 50. Purse; 51. Open class

SECTION K - Infants - 52. Bibs (Cross stitch, crochet, knitted); 53. Hats (knitted, crochet); 54. Clothing (sewn, knitted, crochet); 55. Open class

SECTION L - Gifts and Toys - 56. Dolls; 57. Clothes; 58. Stuffed animals; 59. Open class

SECTION M - Children Under 12 - 60. Quilting; 61. Knitting; 62. Crochet; 63. Cross stitch or embroidery; 64. Machine sewing; 65. Pillows; 66. Gifts or toys; 67. Open class

SECTION N - Cross Stitch or Embroidery - 68. Wall hanging (not framed); 69. Wall hanging (framed); 70. Open class

SECTION O - Holiday- 71. Tree skirt; 72. Stocking; 73. Ornament; 74. Open class

SECTION P - Machine Sewing - 75. Adult casual; 76. Adult formal; 77. Childs clothing; 78. Childs costume

SECTION Q - Repurposed Goods - 79. Decorative; 80. Functional; 81. Wearable



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DIVISION N

Antiques

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.
Judging: Friday, August 8th at 9 a.m.
Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412;
Wendy Geil, Superintendent, 419-235-6013



Wendy Geil

NOTE: Locked and guarded cabinets.

1. Antique dealers and/or families not permitted to exhibit.
2. Points of judging antique exhibits: Age, Beauty, Rarity, Condition

and Quality.
3. Because of limited display space, specimen means one piece only.
4. Entry tags must be securely fastened to entry.
5. Each exhibitor is allowed one entry per class.
6. Rosette for Best China, Best Glass, Best Miscellaneous, Best Special Feature and Best of Show.
7. Floral Hall rules apply to this division. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showmen and youth under 13 as of January 1st of the current year) showing in open competitions shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket.
8. Please do not re-enter a prize winning item for 3 years.
9. **Entries will be received between 1 and 7 p.m. on Wednesday, August 6th.** Please your entry tickets **MUST** be attached to items when you bring them to the Floral Hall.
10. Entries will be released at 5-7 pm on Thursday, August 14th. We will remove your claim check and return it to you for pick-up. 2026 Antique Treasure Hunt List will be available at pick-up. - Thank you for your cooperation and **HAPPY HUNTING!!!**
Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.
Premiums: 1st - \$4; 2nd - \$3; 3rd

- \$2
Antique Treasure Hunt - 2025
CHINA: 1. Cookie jar; 2. Hall Tea Pot; 3. Covered Vegetable Dish; 4. Hair Receiver; 5. Limoges Trinket Box; 6. S&P Cats; 7. Flow blue Vase; 8. Gold rimmed teacup; 9. Nippon salad plate; 10. Hall Autumn Leaf bowl; 11. China head doll; 12. Child's Dish; 13. China Disney figurine; 14. Your choice-not listed
GLASS: 15. Midcentury modern juice glass; 16. Flower frog; 17. whiskey glass; 18. stained glass suncatcher; 19. Boyd glass figurine; 20. paperweight; 21. Apollo Mission decanter; 22. King's Crown goblet; 23. Fostoria lidded candy dish; 24. Refrigerator dish w/lid; 25. Snowflake Pyrex; 26. Coin bank; 27. Mini hen on nest; 28. Your choice- not listed
MISC: 29. Chicago World's Fair memorabilia; 30. Maple syrup tin; 31/1950's car manual; 32/3-tined wooden handle fork; 33. Advertising hair comb; 34. Patriotic sheet music; 35. Henry County postcard; 36. Stanley plane; 37. Vietnam War memorabilia; 38. miniature oil painting; 39. Railroad padlock key; 40. Animal wood carving(small); 41. Advertising feedsack; 42. Oil Company advertising; 43. National Park guidebook; 44. Bullet pencil; 45. nail puller; 46. comic book; 47. chalkware figure; 48. Small alarm clock; 49. gasoline cap; 50. Leather baby shoe; 51. Child's toy iron; 52. SK/Lectrolite tool; 53. sparkplug; Special Feature; 54. Ohio Art Globe
Please do not re-enter a prize winning item for 3yrs.. also... **YOUR ENTRY TICKETS MUST BE ATTACHED TO ITEM WHEN BRINGING IT IN TO FLORAL HALL. If you come across a Henry County Fair Book from 1991, the fair is missing that year & would love to find one! HAPPY HUNTING!**





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DIVISION O

Flower Show

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.;
Judging: **Show 1- Thursday, August 7th at 12:30 p.m.;**
Show 2- Monday, August 11th at 3:00 p.m.
Abbie Babcock, Acting Director, 419-906-1852;
Judge – Cathleen Nelson, accredited OAGC judge

SHOW I - Thursday, August 7th
Exhibits due8:30-11:30 a.m., Thursday, August 7th
Judging12:30 p.m., Thursday, August 7th
Release & Tear Down9:00 a.m., Monday, August 11th

SHOW II – Monday, August 11th
Exhibits due 12:00-2:30 p.m., Monday, August 11th
Judging3:30 p.m., Monday, August 11th
Release & Clean-up5:00 p.m., Thursday, August 14th

Both Shows: Registration Deadline for both Shows is 7pm, Monday, August 4th
Photos of Winners from Show I and II will be taken 5pm, Thursday, August 14th
Premium checks will be issued 5 pm, Thursday, August 14th
Premium checks not picked up on Thursday, August 14th will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.

		JR PREMIUMS	SR PREMIUMS
ARTISTIC DESIGN (Classes 1-16)	First Place	\$3.00	\$4.00
	Second Place	\$2.00	\$3.00
	Third Place	\$1.00	\$2.00
HORTICULTURE (Classes 17-111)	First Place	\$2.00	\$2.50
	Second Place	\$1.25	\$1.75
	Third Place	\$1.00	\$1.00

Abbie Babcock

GENERAL RULES
The flower shows are open to anyone who purchases a Henry County Fair Season Ticket at the Fair Office. (Exceptions – FREE – youth 12 years as of January 1st of current year or younger, 4-H and F.F.A.) Deadline for ticket purchase, entry registration and entry tags is **Monday, August 4th, 7:00 p.m.**
The Junior Division is open to youth 15 years or younger as of January 1st of current year.
Amateur classes are open to anyone who grows flowers and plants for pleasure only, not for the purpose of a livelihood.
Each entry must be accompanied by an exhibitor's tag correctly filled in with the name, exhibitor number and class number. Exhibitors may enter as many classes as they wish in either one or both shows.
No responsibility is assumed for exhibits, other property or injury. Personal property should be marked with owner's name and address.
Judging will be by the Standard System of the Ohio Association of Garden Clubs (OAGC). At the discretion of the judge, first, second and third places will be awarded for each class, plus honorable mentions for Junior Division. The judge's decision is final.
During judging, no one will be allowed to touch, remove or rearrange any exhibit without the consent of the director.
During judging, exhibitors are asked to not engage in conversation with the judge, except during oral judging of designs.
AWARDS PRESENTED AT EACH SHOW
*Sweepstakes *Best Senior Artistic Design *Best Herb *Best Rose

*Best Junior Gardener *Best Annual
*Best Hosta *Best Junior Artistic Design *Best Bulb, Rhizome, Tuber
*Best Perennial/Biennial
Artistic Design- "Moving Forward..."
ARTISTIC DESIGN RULES
Artistic classes are open to anyone other than professional arrangers.
All plant materials MUST be listed on the front of the entry tag or a 3"x5" card. Entry tags should include variety names, if known.
It is highly recommend that designers explain how they interpreted the theme into their design on another 3"x5" card.
Live and dried materials may be obtained from any source for arrangements. Fresh plant material must be predominant, unless otherwise stated. Dried, painted and treated materials may be used in all designs unless otherwise stated. Fresh plant materials may not be painted or dyed. Protected wildlife feathers are not permitted.
No silk or plastic plant materials may be used.
Bases and accessories are permitted and are judged as part of the entry.
Handcrafted items from natural materials are allowed.
Foliage is permitted in arrangements unless otherwise stated.
Plant materials may be replaced to insure freshness; the design cannot be changed.
The design must be the work of the exhibitor.
All entries will be placed as directed by the committee.
ARTISTIC DESIGN TERMS – also see Ohio Association of Garden Clubs (OAGC) Handbook
Incorporating - the material incorporated must be an integral part of the design
L-Shaped Design - an asymmetrical, thinned, controlled portion of a triangle: one vertical cone, two horizontal cones, one very short; an

Flower Show (continued)

L can be reversed, facing left rather than the standard right.

Parallel Design - Creative design with 3 or more strong parallel groupings of plant materials and/or other components. Open spaces between the groupings are important. Some material may be arranged at or near the base to create a connection.

Stretch Design - A 3D creative design using two similar containers, where one is smaller and appears to have been pulled away from the other by straight connective line material having dynamic tension and qualities. The stretch may be in any direction (diagonal, vertical, or horizontal). The connective line must be straight and forceful, creative and compatible with other elements of the design. The connective line must be in scale and in good proportion to the overall design.

Creative Mass - Creative design where plant materials of all types and kinds are grouped together in the same area as opposed to scattering of materials. Creative containers with multiple openings can help to achieve this design.

Vertical Design - exaggerated, stretched version of a triangle; height emphasis managed with elongation

Mound Design - rounded or half-round spheres which result in small designs. In a round container, a first row of materials is distributed with spaces much like spokes on a wheel. Round form flowers go in slightly higher, in spaces from the placement series.

SHOW 1 - Senior

1. Moving Forward: Grow Your Own - Creative Mass using home-grown plants 2. Moving Forward: From this Point - Parallel Design 3. Moving Forward: As a Nation - Traditional L-Shaped Design

SHOW 1 - Junior

4. Moving Forward: New Hori-

zons - Design using red, orange, and yellow colors (youth ages 3-6 years old) 5. Moving Forward: Next Steps - Design incorporating a shoe (youth ages 7 -10 years old) 6. Moving Forward: Social Media - Own Interpretation (youth ages 11-15 years old)

SHOW II - Senior

7. Moving Forward: Down the Road - Design incorporating Wild-flowers & Roadside plants 8. Moving Forward: Into the Future - Stretch Design 9. Moving Forward: At the Fair - Design Showing Motion

SHOW II - Junior

10. Moving Forward: On Wheels - Design incorporating a small toy with wheels (youth ages 3-6 years old) 11. Moving Forward: Building Blocks - Vertical Design (youth ages 7 -10 years old) 12. Moving Forward: Teamwork - Traditional Mound Design (youth ages 11-15 years old)

HORTICULTURE RULES

Exhibitors (juniors and adults) must grow their own horticulture exhibits.

If possible, junior exhibitors (not parents/guardians) are to place their own exhibit.

Exhibitors may enter more than one specimen per class, providing that each entry is a different **NAMED VARIETY or DIFFERENT COLORS IN GLADIOLUS AND ZINNIA CATEGORIES.**

For classes with the same description: **an exhibitor may not enter more than one of these classes unless the entry is a different NAMED variety**

Foliage must be attached, unless otherwise stated. Foliage should be clean with no evidence of spray residue, mildew, insect damage or infestation. No artificial polishing is permitted.

The same class number will apply to both shows.

All entry tags (exception - miniature & mini-flora) are to be fastened to the container with a rubber band, and the bottom of tag with name should be folded under. **No string, staples, paper clips or tape permitted.**

The specimens must be displayed in containers provided by the Committee.

The Committee reserves the right to delete, combine or redistribute the entries within any classes, if necessary. Classes with no entries shall be withdrawn.

Exhibits that have been entered at the time of judging cannot be removed without permission of the director.

HORTICULTURE TERMS

Bloom - one flower disbudded with all foliage attached to its stem above the water line

Class - a group of entries in a flower show which conform to the same specifications

Disbudding - removing side buds when they first appear in order to produce a larger terminal bloom

Exhibit of 3 - flowers in the same stage of development on 3 separate stems with same color, variety, diameter of flower and stem length.

Round form - disbudded, petals uniform in size and shape and even-

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ly touching or overlapping. The disc should be round and well-centered.

Spike form – single stalk in which the bottom floret usually blossoms first; two-thirds of the florets should be open and one-third in bud.

Spray form – a single main stem with blooms or florets born on pedicels or lateral branches, led by a terminal bloom which blossoms first.

JUNIOR DIVISION
All specimens must be planted, grown and cared for by the Junior exhibitor whose name is on the entry tag. Foliage must be attached unless otherwise stated. FOLIAGE IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR ZINNIA CLASSES BUT IS NOT REQUIRED

Section 1.
13. Marigold (Tagetes) - dwarf yellow or gold, with foliage – 1 spray
14. Marigold (Tagetes)- dwarf orange, with foliage – 1 spray
15. Marigold (Tagetes) – dwarf bicolor, with foliage – 1 spray
16. Marigold (Tagetes) – dwarf bicolor, with foliage – 1 spray
17. Marigold (Tagetes) – large – any color, disbudded- 1 bloom, foliage recommended but not required
18. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – any variety under 6”, disbudded – 1 bloom, foliage not required
19. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – any variety under 6”, disbudded – 1 bloom, foliage not required
20. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – any variety 6”

or over, disbudded – 1 bloom, foliage not required, displayed in jug provided by Committee
21. Zinnia – any variety under 3”, disbudded – 1 bloom, white, yellow or orange shades
22. Zinnia – any variety under 3”, disbudded – 1 bloom, pink, red or purple shades
23. Zinnia – any variety 3” or over, disbudded – 1 bloom, 24. Bulbs, Rhizomes & Tubers – for example, caladium, canna, dahlia, daylily, gladiolus, surprise lily(see Senior Division, Section 2 for exhibit instructions.)
25. Flowering Shrub - 1 branch in bloom- for example, butterfly bush, hydrangea, rose, Rose of Sharon
26. Any other annual not in another class
27. Any other perennial not in another class

SENIOR DIVISION
Section 1. ROSES
28. Hybrid teas and grandifloras-single bloom, ½ to ¾ open. All colors, including blends.
29. Miniature & Mini-floras – single bloom or spray as appropriate to variety. All colors, including blends.
30. Old fashioned, English, Shrub, Climbers - one spray any variety and color
31. Any other rose not in another class (including “Full Blown”)
Section 2. BULBS, RHIZOMES, & TUBERS
32. Caladium – 1 leaf
33. Dahlia –1 bloom, disbudded with laterals removed; foliage not required
34.

Daylily (Hermerocallis) –1 stem without foliage, any variety with buds and flower(s)
35. Gladiolus – Any Color; foliage not required
36. Surprise Lily, Magic Lily, Resurrection Lily (Lycoris) – 1 stem without foliage, not taller than 22”
37. Any other bulb, rhizome or tuber not in another class

Section 3. HERBS - one stem without blooms except Class 46 which must have blooms

38. Coleus, Perilla no blooms– to be sorted by Committee members
39. Coleus, Perilla no blooms- to be sorted by Committee members
40. Coneflower (Echinacea) **41. Featured Herb – Lavender – any variety**
42. Mint, includes Lemon Balm-no blooms
43. Any other ANNUAL herb no blooms-to be sorted by Committee members
44. Any other PERENNIAL herb no blooms-to be sorted by Committee members
45. Any other PERENNIAL herb no blooms-to be sorted by Committee members
46. Any annual or perennial herb in bloom

Section 4 – HOSTAS – one leaf, must be mature and measured in square inches (width x height)

47. Miniature - less than 6 sq. in. - not variegated
48. Small - 6 sq. in. and less than 30 sq. in. - not variegated
49. Medium – 30 sq. in. and less than 64 sq. in. - not variegated
50. Large – 64 sq. in. or greater. – not

variegated
51. Miniature, less than 6 sq. in. – variegated
52. Small – 6 sq. in. and less than 30 sq. in. – variegated
53. Medium – 30 sq. in. and less than 64 sq. in. – variegated
54. Large - 64 sq. in. or greater – variegated

Section 5 - PERENNIALS and BIENNIALS (with foliage attached unless otherwise stated)

55. Black-eyed Susan (Rudbeckia) – 1 spray, not over 20” tall
56. Dianthus – exhibit of 3 blooms on separate stems, 1 variety, disbudded, foliage not required
57. Flowering Shrub/Woody Perennial – 1 branch in bloom
58. Grass, ornamental – exhibit of 3 fresh cut stems, same variety, not over 35” tall from bottom of stem to top
59. Grass, ornamental - large – one stem, fresh cut, not over 48” from bottom of stem to top displayed in half gallon jug provided by Committee
60. Hibiscus moscheutos - 1 large bloom without foliage displayed in bowl provided by the Committee
61. Hosta in bloom – 1 stem without foliage
62. Rose of Sharon (Hibiscus syriacus) – 1 stem
63. Sedum – 1 green stem
64. Sedum – 1 red stem
65. Any other perennial or biennial not in another class – 1 stem, round form
66. Any other perennial or biennial not in another class – 1 stem, spike form
67. Any other perennial or biennial not in another class – 1 stem, spray form

Section 6 – ANNUALS (with foliage attached unless otherwise stated. FOLIAGE IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR ZINNIA CLASSES AND “ANY OTHER ANNUAL NOT IN ANOTHER CLASS” CLASSES BUT IS NOT REQUIRED)

68. Celosia – plumed or crested – crested form need not have foliage
69. Cosmos – exhibit of 3 blooms on separate stems, 1 variety, disbudded, foliage not required
70. Foliage plant (annual)- 1 stem (i.e. Sweet potato vine, annual ivies and ferns, dusty miller, etc.)
71. Marigold (Tagetes) – dwarf yellow or gold – 1 spray
72. Marigold (Tagetes) – dwarf orange – 1 spray
73. Marigold (Tagetes) – dwarf bi-color – 1 spray
74. Marigold (Tagetes) – large, any color, 1 bloom, disbudded. Foliage recommended but not required.
75. Marigold (Tagetes) – any other – 1 spray; single petaled, colors not mentioned, etc.
76. Featured annual – Mexican Sunflower (Tithonia)
77. Salvia – red, 1 stem. Foliage recommended but not required.
78. Salvia – any other color – 1 stem. Foliage recommended but not required.
79. Snapdragon (Antirrhinum) – 1 stem with foliage
80. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – 1 bloom less than 7”, disbudded; foliage not required
81. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – 1 bloom less than 7”, disbudded; foliage not required
82. Sunflower (Helianthus annus) – 1 bloom 7” and over, disbudded; foliage not required. Displayed in jug provided by Committee.
83. Zinnia – any variety, under 3” - 1 bloom, red, orange, and yellow shades, disbudded
84. Zinnia – any variety, under 3” - 1 bloom, red, orange, and yellow shades, disbudded
85. Zinnia – any variety, under 3” - 1 bloom, pink and purple shades, disbudded
86. Zinnia – any variety, under 3” –1 bloom, pink and

purple shades, disbudded
87. Zinnia – any variety, under 3” –1 bloom, any other color not listed
88. Zinnia - any variety, 3” or over - 1 bloom, red, orange, yellow shades, disbudded.
89. Zinnia – any variety, 3” or over – 1 bloom, any other color not listed
90. Zinnia – any other variety not listed (i.e. Cactus Variety, Variegated, etc.)
91. Any other annual not in another class

Section 7, CONTAINER OR POTTED PLANT – Must have been owned by exhibitor 3 months or more. No hanging plants. Plants may be multi-stemmed. The outer measurements of the container must not exceed 18” in any direction. All containers must have a water collection tray.

Must remove Show I entries between 9-10:00am on Monday, August 11th.

92. Cacti or succulents- one or more plants, may be of different varieties.
93. Any other house plant - one or more plants of the same variety.

MINIATURE GARDENS - (Both Junior and Senior Division)

A miniature garden containing a blend of tiny trees, plants, and garden accessories in scale with one another to create a lasting, living scene or vignette. **It does not need to include a fairy figure** but should reflect the theme given in the title. May be in any type of container but should still be in scale with the scene or vignette. The outer measurements of the container **must not exceed 24”** from side to side and 16” from front to back. A round container **must not exceed 16”** in diameter. **Entries will stay for BOTH shows.**

94. Senior Division – Ages 16+, No Theme to Fairy Garden
95. Junior Division – Ages 3-15 years old, No Theme to Fairy Garden

OPEN CLASS - any age may enter.

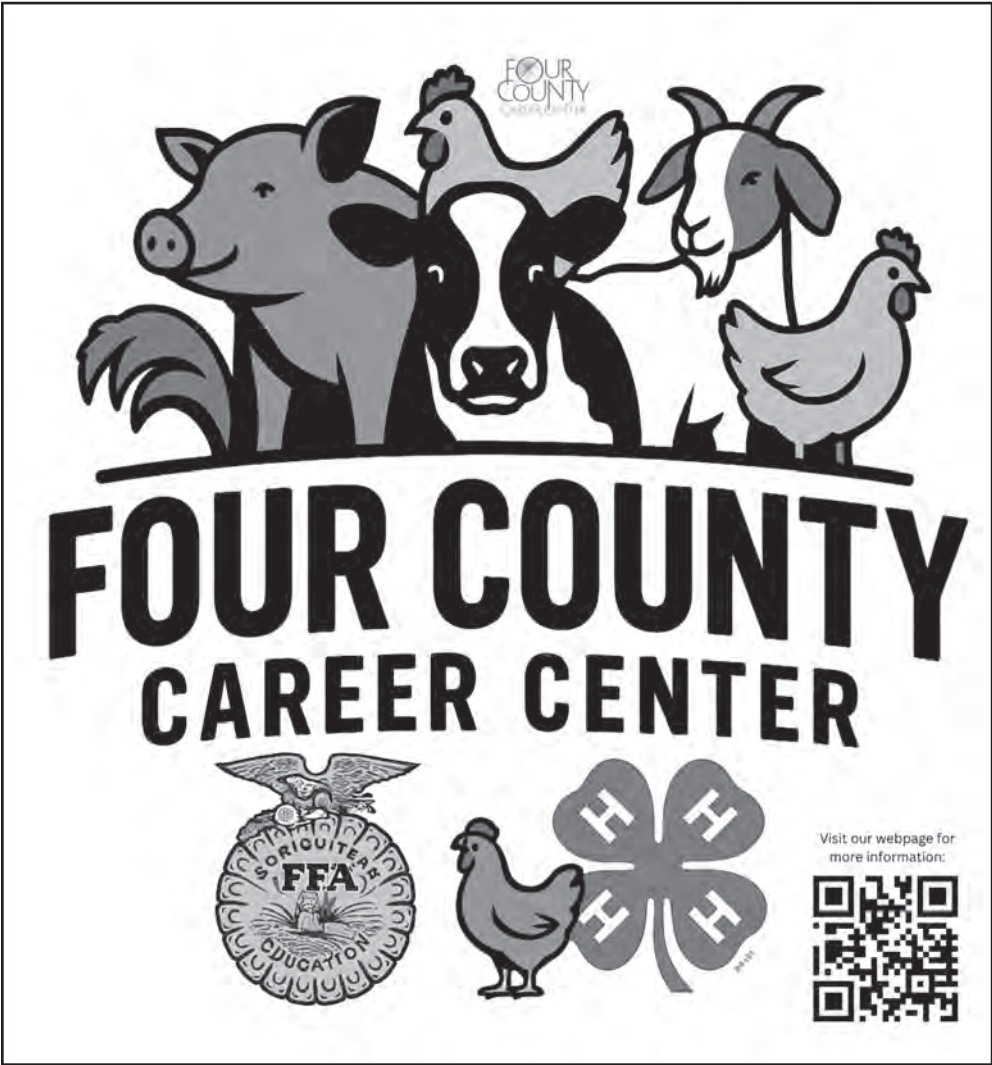
96. Moving Forward: Time for Tea – miniature garden in a teacup

Entries will stay for BOTH shows.

97. Wall Hanging – Down on the Farm. Own interpretation. Must include a sturdy hanger, loop, or other device on the back for placement by a committee member. May be brought to the Floral Hall on Tuesday, August 5th between 6 and 7:30 pm if desired. Dimension may not exceed 36” in any direction. Only natural materials as described in the Artistic Design Rules may be used. Entries will remain for both shows. Must include a sturdy hanger, loop or other device on the back for placement by a Committee member. May be brought to the Floral Hall on Tuesday, August 6th between 6:00 and 7:30 pm if desired. Dimension may not exceed 36” in any direction. Only natural materials as described in the Artistic Design Rules may be used. **Entries will remain for both shows.**

2025 Fair Flower Show Committee: Abbie & Tyler Babcock, Ronnie Henry, Christine Kistner, Sheri, Jeff, and Elizabeth Lloyd, Cecilia Nartker, Phil Parsons, Becky Hurst

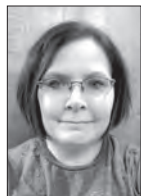
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DIVISION P

Adult Art

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.; **Judging:** Thursday, August 7th at 9 a.m.;
Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-592-2130; Renita Kuehner, Superintendent, 419-601-2372



Renita Kuehner

1. Open to any amateur artist ages 18 and older as of Jan. 1 of the current year. Artists currently in high school must enter in the Youth Art Division.
2. All Floral Hall rules apply.
3. Entries will be accepted at the art booth in the Floral Hall between 1 and 7pm on Wed., Aug. 6.
4. Entries will be released Thur., Aug. 14 at 5-7pm. Not responsible for items not picked up by 7pm.
5. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.
6. All exhibitors showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket.
7. Two entries per class may be submitted.
8. Entry tag must be picked up at the Secretary's Office. Tag must be securely fastened by string on back of artwork so tag can hang over the front of item. Names on entry tag will be displayed after judging.
9. Artwork must be entered in the correct class. Changes may not be made once the entry is brought to the booth. It will not be judged if it is in the wrong class.
10. Artwork **must** be matted or mounted on mat board or poster board. Framing is acceptable but not necessary. If framed, hangers or wires are required. **Artwork not matted per rule will be displayed but ineligible for judging.**
11. Special Theme for 2025 Fair is "Fantasy Creatures"
12. Call the superintendent if you have questions.

Premiums: 1st - \$5; 2nd - \$4; 3rd - \$3. Rosette for Best of Show. Ribbons for Honorable Mention.

SECTION A: CLASSES:

1. Drawing – Black & White (pencil, graphite, pen & ink, charcoal, etc.).
2. Drawing – Color (oil or chalk pastel, color pencil, pen & ink, etc.).
3. Painting – Oil or acrylic
4. Painting – Watercolor
5. Mixed Art – Paper Mixed media, air-brushing, printmaking, computer generated art/graphic design.
6. Mixed Art – 3D Sculpture, original pottery/ceramics (no molds), weaving, jewelry, stained glass, etc.
7. Special Theme – Complete an Artwork based on the theme for this year using classes 1 thru 5: Drawing, Painting or Mixed Art-Paper only, no 3D artwork.

DIVISION P-1

Youth Art

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.
Judging: Thursday, August 7th at 9 a.m.;
Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-592-2130;
Renita Kuehner, Superintendent, 419-601-2372



Renita Kuehner

1. Open to youth ages 1 through High School. Enter the Age Division listed below based on youth's age as of January 1st of the current year.
2. All Floral Hall rules apply.
3. Entries will be accepted at the art booth in the Floral Hall between 1 and 7pm on Wed., Aug. 6. Entries will be released Thur., Aug. 14 at 5-7pm. Not responsible for items not picked up by 7pm. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.
4. Artwork is judged on creativity and presentation. Judge will not be required to award all premiums in a class if entries are limited and/or not worthy.
5. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth and youth under 13 as of Jan 1 of the current year) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket.
6. One entry per class may be submitted.
7. Entry tag must be picked up at the Secretary's Office. Tag must be securely fastened by string on back of artwork so tag can hang over the front of item. Names on entry tag will be displayed after judging.
8. Artwork must be entered in the correct class. Changes may not be made once the entry is brought to the booth. It will not be judged if it is in the wrong class.
9. Artwork **must** be matted or mounted on mat board, poster board or construction paper. Framing is acceptable but not necessary. If framed, hangers or wires are required. **Artwork not matted per rule will be displayed but ineligible for judging.**
10. Special Theme for 2025 Fair is "Fantasy Creatures"
11. Call the superintendent if you have questions.
12. Awards for Section A: Ages 1-3 All entries will receive Honorable Mention Ribbons – Not Judged.
13. **Premiums:** Sections B-E: 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.00. Rosette for Best of Show. Ribbons for Honorable Mention.
15. **Premiums:** Section F: 1st - \$4; 2nd - \$3; 3rd - \$2. Rosette for Best of Show, Ribbons for Honorable Mention.

Classes for Section A: Ages 1-3

1. Black & White (crayon, pencil, marker, paint, etc.)

2. Color (crayon, pencil, marker, paint, etc.)

Classes for Section B: Ages 4-5-6; Section C: Ages 7-8-9; and Section D: Ages 10-11-12; Section E Ages 13-14-15

1. Drawing – Black & White (crayon, pencil, marker, ink, charcoal, etc.)

2. Drawing – Color (crayon, colored pencil, markers, pastels, etc.)

3. Painting – Acrylic, watercolor, finger paint, oil

4. Mixed Art – Paper (Mixed media, collage, printmaking, airbrushing, batik, etc.)

5. Mixed Art – 3D (Sculpture, pottery, weaving, jewelry, stained glass, etc.)

6. Special Theme Complete an Artwork based on the theme for this year using classes 1 thru 4: Drawing, Painting or Mixed Art-Paper only, no 3D artwork.

Classes for Section F: Ages 16-17-18 (still in High School)

1. Drawing – Black & White (pencil, graphite, pen & Ink, charcoal, etc.)

2. Drawing – Color (colored pencils, oil or chalk pastels, etc.)

3. Painting – Oil or Acrylic

4. Painting – Watercolor

5. Mixed Art – Paper (Mixed media, printmaking, airbrushing, computer generated art/graphic design etc.)

6. Mixed Art – 3D (Sculpture, pottery, ceramics, weaving, jewelry, stained glass, etc.)

7. Special Theme Complete an Artwork based on the theme for this year using classes 1 thru 5: Drawing, Painting or Mixed Art-Paper only, no 3D artwork.



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DIVISION Q

Photography

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7:00 p.m.; **Judging:** Thursday, August 7th at 2:00 p.m.
Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412; Cheri Oxender, Superintendent, 419-308-7043



Cheri Oxender

1. Each item to be exhibited must have an entry tag. Entry tags must be obtained at the Fair Office.

2. Bring entries to the photography booth in the Floral Hall between 1:00 pm and 7:00 p.m. on

Wednesday, August 6th. Keep claim checks from entry tags for reclaiming entry at release time.

3. Entries will be released at 5-7 pm Thu. Aug. 14th. Entries removed prior to that time forfeit any premium or ribbon won. The fair board or division superintendent are not responsible for entries not picked up by 7:00 pm. Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th.

No premium checks will be mailed.
4. All Floral Hall rules apply to this division.

5. All exhibitors (except for Henry Co. Jr. Fair Youth Showmen and youth under 13 as of Jan. 1 of the current year) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor/season ticket.

6. Limit of two photographs per exhibitor per class.

7. No photograph that has won a first prize may be entered a second year.

8. Entries must be in good taste and suitable for public display. The superintendent will exercise his or her discretion in displaying photos. Entries may not have filters applied unless in the experimental category.

9. Precautions will be taken to protect photos, but neither the Henry County Fair Board nor the superin-

tendent nor his or her assistants will assume responsibility for any loss or damage to entries.

10. Entries will be judged on merit and suitability to the class in which they are entered. Judge will not be required to award premiums in a class if entries are limited and he or she deems no entry worthy.

Mounting - All photos MUST be securely mounted on a sturdy flat backing board. Photos DO NOT need to be displayed with matting surrounding the exterior of the photo. If you choose to matte your photo it can not extend more than 1/5" by 2". Frames are NOT allowed. Your name and address must be on the back of the backing board.

Experimental Classes - Experimental classes shall include photos edited with Photoshop or filters

The following PREMIUMS awarded at Judge's discretion in each class:

Sections A: 1st-\$3.00; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd-\$1.00; Rosette for Best of Show

Section B: 1st-\$4.00; 2nd-\$3.00; 3rd-\$2.00; Rosette for Best of Show

Sections C-G: 1st-\$5.00; 2nd-\$4.00; 3rd-\$3.00; Rosette for Best of Show

Placement of Entry Tags - Tags will need to be affixed to the bottom right corner so that the tag part that folds can be flipped up for judging and then easily flipped down after judging. Only one piece of tape on the back of the photo at the top of the tag so that we can still see the classes they need to be placed in.

CLASSES: 1-26

SECTION A - Color (children Pre-school - 10):

5"x7" or 8"x10": 1. Scenery; 2. Animals Nature; 3. Flowers; 4. Architec-

ture; 5. Experimental

SECTION B - Color (children 11-15):

5"x7" or 8"x10": 6. Scenery; 7. Animals Nature; 8. Flowers; 9. Architecture; 10. Experimental; 11. Portrait

SECTION C - Color (age 16 and older):

5"x7" or 8"x10": 12. Scenery; 13. Animals Nature; 14. Flowers; 15. Architecture; 16. Experimental; 17. Portrait

SECTION D - Black & White (age 16 & older)

5" x 7": 18. Scenery; 19. Animals; 20. Portrait

SECTION E - Color (age 16 & older)

5" x 7": 21. Scenery; 22. Animals; 23. Nature; 24. Portrait

SECTION F - Open class (age 16 & older)

25. Any subject, 5"x7" or 8"x10", black & white, or color

SECTION G -Special Feature:
2025 Flying High in the Sky 5"x7" or 8"x10", black & white, or color

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DIVISION R

Youth Vegetables

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.;
Judging: Thursday, August 7th at 8 a.m.
Doug Powell, Co-Director In Charge, 419-262-2480;
John Poulson, Co-Director In Charge, 419-572-6403;
Kelly Behrman, Director; Barb Powell, 419-278-2296.



Doug Powell **John Poulson**

OPEN CLASS COMPETITION.

1. Open to all youth under 16 as of January 1st of the current year.
2. All exhibitors (except Henry County Jr. Fair youth showmen and youth under 13 as of January 1st of the current year) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Entry tags must be obtained at Fair Office.
3. Entries improperly named will not receive recognition by judge.
4. Exhibitors may make 1 entry per class.
5. Entries must be in place by 7 p.m., SHARP on August 6th.
6. All entries judged on market quality.
7. If, in the opinion of the judge, no exhibits are worthy of a 1st-place premium, only 2nd, 3rd and/or 4th place premiums may be issued in that class.
8. Plates or containers furnished.
9. Exhibits released on Thursday, August 14th at 5:00 pm for 2024 only.
Premiums: 1st, \$4.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00; 4th, \$1.00.
Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.

CLASSES: 1-52

SECTION A - Beans - 1. Green or Purple String (pint box); 2. Golden Wax (pint box).

SECTION B - Beets - 3. Table (3)

SECTION C - Cabbage - 4. Late (1); 5. Red (1); 6. Largest (1)

SECTION D - Carrots - 7. Any Variety (5)

SECTION E - Corn - 8. Yellow Sweet (3 ears); 9. White Sweet (3 ears); 10. Bicolor Sweet (3 ears)

SECTION F - Eggplant - 11. Any Variety (1)

SECTION G - Kohlrabi - 12. Any Variety (3)

SECTION H - Peppers - 13. Sweet Peppers, California Wonder (3); 14. Any Other Variety (3)

SECTION J - Gourds - 15. Ornamental (5 or more)

SECTION K - Cucumbers - 16. Market (3); 17. Burpless (3)

SECTION L - Cantaloupe - 18. Largest (1); 19. Any Variety (1)

SECTION M - Onions - 20. Bermuda (3); 21. White Sweet Spanish (3); 22. Yellow Globe (3); 23. Red (3); 24. Bottle (3); 25. Largest (1)

SECTION N - Potatoes - 26. Cobblers (5); 27. Kennebec (5); 28. Katahdin (5); 29. Red Pontiac (5); 30. Early Ohio (5); 31. Sweet (5); 32. Any Other Variety (5); 33. Largest (1)


SECTION O - Pumpkins - 34. Sugar (1); 35. Any Other Variety (1); 36. Largest (1)

SECTION P - Squash - 37. Zucchini (2); 38. Acorn (2); 39. Butternut (2); 40. Yellow Squash (2); 41. Spaghetti Squash (2); 42. Any Other Variety (2); 43. Largest (1)

SECTION Q - Sunflower - 44. Largest and Best Looking (head only)

SECTION R - Tomatoes - 45. Red (3); 46. Yellow (3); 47. Pink (3); 48. Field (3); 49. Cherry (pint); 50. Largest (1)

SECTION S - Watermelon - 51. Ice Box (1); 52. Largest (1)



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DIVISION S

Crafts

Entry Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m.

Judging: Thursday, August 7th at 5 p.m. (Subject to change)

Jeanne Gerdeman, Director In Charge, 419-966-6412,
Tracy Black, Superintendent, 419-966-3067



Tracy Black

1. **All classes are for amateurs only.** If you make a regular profit from your craft, you are considered a professional and not eligible to enter those items. Entries are open to the world.

2. **Entries will be received Wednesday, August 6th from 1-7 p.m. in the Floral Hall.** If your item is 2 feet high or larger, please contact the Superintendent to let them know how big the item you want to enter is as special arrangements may be needed to display it. All items meant to hang, must have a hanging device attached. Scrapbook pages must be enclosed in a page protector, such as a 2 gallon baggy.

3. All Floral Hall Rules apply.

4. All exhibitors (except Henry Co. Jr. Fair youth showing only their Henry Co. Jr. Fair Projects) showing in open competition shall be required to purchase an exhibitor's/season ticket. Exhibitors under 13 (as of Jan.1) do not need a pass at all.

5. Work submitted must have been created within the past two years and not shown before at the Henry County Fair. Work may not be created using a needle, other than scrapbook pages and cards.

6. Exhibitors may enter only one item per class. All junior and youth entries must include their age as of Jan.1 if the current year. Adult is age 16 or older (as of Jan. 1 of the current year)

7. Contact the superintendent if you have any large or difficult to display items, or if you have any division questions.

8. Entries will be released Thursday, August 14th at 5-7 p.m. Not responsible for items not picked up by 8 p.m. **No early releases!** Premium checks not picked up at the time exhibits are released will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th. No premium checks will be mailed.

The following premiums & ribbons awarded at the Judge's discretion in each class:

Adult (age: 17+): 1st-\$4.00; 2nd-\$3.00; 3rd-\$2.00; honorable mention - ribbon

Youth (16 & under): 1st-3.00; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd-\$1.00; honorable mention - ribbon

SECTION A WOOD CRAFTS

1. Wood Burning 2. Wood carved item 3. Open class handmade wood item
SECTION B - CERAMICS & CLAY

4. Light up item 5. Easter item 6. Glazed item 7. Ceramic vase 8. Ceramic or clay bowl 9. Ceramic or clay animal
SECTIONS C - WALL & DOOR HANGINGS (all wall and door hangings must have a secure marked way to hang)

10. Cross 11. Stained Glass 12. Macrame 13. Using strong or yarn 14. Diamond art
SECTION D - RECYCLED CRAFTS

15. Recycled wood 16. Thrift store

find 17. Recycled clothing 18. Recycled metal

SECTION E - MISCELLANEOUS CRAFTS

19. Painted rock 20. Decorated Flower Pot 21. Tie Dyed Item 22. Mosaic Tile Item 23. Nailed It item- Recreate any craft item using any form of media for inspiration and see how well you can make it your own. (must include picture of your inspiration)

SECTION F - SCRAPBOOKING (New this year we are allowing you to enter scrapbook pages or cards for these categories unless otherwise stated as page or card.)

24. School or Activity Item 25. Digital Scrapbook page 26. Item using flap-pable tabs 27. Rubber Stamped item 28. Greeting Card 29. Book no larger than 8x8 (can be traditional or digital)

SECTION G - JR. CRAFT (AGES 11-16 AS OF JAN. 1, 2025)

30. Wood craft 31. Ceramic or clay item 32. Wall or door hanging (must have secure way to hang) 33. Recycled clothing 34. Recycled book 35. Recycled kitchen item) 36. Recycled plastic 37. Fall or Halloween decoration 38. Jewelry 39. Thrift store find 40. 3D printed design 41. Rock painting 42. Nailed It item- 1.Recreate any craft item using any form of media for inspiration and see how well you can make it your own. (must include picture of your inspiration) 43. Scrapbook page(s) or card school activity 44. Scrapbook page(s) or card celebration 45. Scrapbook page(s) or card fair or festival

SECTION H - INTERMEDIATE CRAFTS (AGES 7-10 AS OF JAN. 1, 2025)

46. Wood craft 47. Ceramic Item 48. Hand formed clay 49. Wall or door hanging (must have secure way to hang) 50. Recycled clothing 51. Recycled wood 52. Thrift store find 53. Item using google eyes 54. Jewelry 55. Fall or Halloween decoration 56. Rock painting 57. Decorated hat 58. Nailed It item- Recreate any craft item using any form of media for inspiration and see how well you can make it your own. (must include picture of your inspiration) 59. Scrapbook page(s) or Card Celebration 60. Scrapbook page(s) or Card "Fair or Festival"

SECTION I - YOUTH CRAFTS (AGES 0-6 AS OF JAN. 1, 2025)

61. Wood craft 62. Ceramic item 63. Hand formed clay figurine 64. Wall or door hanging (must have secure way to hang) 65. Recycled clothing 66. Recycled wood 67. Thrift store find 68. Item using google eyes 69. Jewelry 70. Fall or Halloween decoration 71. Rock painting 72. Decorated hat 73. Nailed It item- Recreate any craft item using any form of media for inspiration and see how well you can make it your own. (must include picture of your inspiration) 74. Scrapbook page(s) celebrations 75. Scrapbook page(s) "Fair or Festival"

SECTION J - SPECIAL FEATURE - BEACH THEME

76. Adult 77. Jr. (ages 11 to 16 as of Jan. 1, 2025) 78. Intermediate (ages 7 to 10 as of Jan. 1, 2025) 79. Youth (ages 0-6 as of Jan. 1, 2025)



Emily Cordes

Rules and Regulations

1. Competition is open to all amateur brewers 21 years of age and older.

2. All entries must be home-made and intended for private, non-commercial use. Blending or addition of any commercial beer/ale is strictly prohibited

3. Entries will be judged according to Beer Judge Certification Program style standards (2015 revision). Complete style descriptions and information can be found at http://www.bjcp.org/docs/2015_Guidelines_Beer.pdf.

4. All exhibitors must comply with Henry County Fair General Rules.

5. All exhibitors must purchase a Henry County Fair Exhibitors/Season Pass. No other entry fee is required.

6. All exhibitors must complete a Non-livestock Entry Form. The class number of each entry must be indicated in the "Class" column of the entry form. The style of the entry must be written in the "Class Description" column.

7. Exhibitors may make up to two entries in each class.

8. Exhibitors must provide two (2) bottles per entry. Bottles should be free of labels. Any type of standard closures are allowed including crown caps, flip-top (Grolsch) style stoppers and cork & wire stoppers. Caps which have logos or lettering should be blacked out. Bottles must be standard 11.2 to 16 oz. sizes. EXCEPTION: Entries in Class #7, Belgian and French Ales, may be entered in bottles and seals appropriate to the style. If a 22 oz. (approx.) bottle is entered, only one (1) bottle is needed per entry.

9. First, second and third place premiums will be awarded in each class at the discretion of the judges

based on quality of entries. Judges are not obligated to award placings or premiums if there are no worthy entries in the class. Judges decisions are final.

10. Judges will compare the top entries of each class to determine Best of Show and Reserve Best of Show awards.

11. One empty bottle from each entry will be retained for the fair exhibit. In place of unmarked bottles, exhibitors are encouraged to bring one empty bottle with a decorative label for exhibition. Labeled bottles will be put on display and judged by the Henry County Arts Council. First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded.

PREMIUMS AND AWARDS

Premiums per Class: \$5 First, \$4 Second, \$3 Third. Rosettes will be provided by the Henry County Fair Board.

Entries will be released Thursday, August 14th between 5-7 pm. Fair officials and superintendents are not responsible for entries not picked-up by 7:00 pm. Checks not picked up at the time of release, will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th.

No checks will be mailed.

SECTION A HOMEBREWED ALE AND LAGER CLASSES

CLASS #1 – Pale Lagers

Examples: Light American Lager, Standard American Lager, Premium American Lager, Munich Helles, Dortmund Export, German Pilsner, Bohemian Pilsner, Classic American Pilsner, Maibock/Helles Bock, all other pale lagers.

CLASS #2 – Amber and Dark Lagers

Examples: Vienna Lager, Octoberfest/Märzen, Dark American Lager, Munich Dunkel, Schwarzbier, Traditional Bock, Doppelbock, Eisbock, all other amber/dark lagers.

CLASS #3 – Hybrid Beers

Examples: Cream Ale, Blonde Ale, Kölsch, American Wheat or Rye, North German Altbier, Düsseldorf Altbier, California Common.

CLASS #4 – American Ales

Examples: American Pale Ale, American Amber Ale, American Brown Ale, American IPA.

CLASS #5 – English & Commonwealth Ales

Examples: Standard/Ordinary Bitters, Special/Best/Premium Bitter, Extra Special/Strong Bitter (English Pale Ale), English IPA, Southern English Brown Ale, Northern English Brown Ale, Australian Pale & Sparkling Ales.

CLASS #6 – Scottish and Irish Ales

Examples: Scottish Light 60/-, Scottish Heavy 70/-, Scottish Export 80/-, Scotch Ale, Irish Red Ale.

CLASS #7 – Belgian and French Ales

Examples: Witbier, Saison, Belgian Blonde, Dubbel, Tripel, Golden Strong, Dark Strong, Biere de Garde, Belgian Specialty, Flanders Red and Brown, all Lambics, Sour Ales.

CLASS #8 – German Wheat and Rye Ales

Examples: Weizen/Weissbier, Dunkelweizen, Weizenbock, Berliner Weisse, Roggenbier.

CLASS #9 – Porters and Stouts

Examples: Brown Porter, Robust Porter, Baltic Porter, Dry Stout, Sweet Stout, Oatmeal Stout, Foreign Extra Stout, Imperial Stout.

CLASS #10 – Specialty/Experimental Beers

Styles include but are not limited to: Olde Ale, English Barleywine, American Barleywine, Spice/Herb/Vegetable Beers, Christmas/Spiced/Winter Specialty Beers, Smoke-flavored and Wood Aged Beers, Fruit Beers, Historical Beers, Wild Fermented Beers, Alternative Grain Beers, Local Styles.

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Homemade Wine Competition

Registration Deadline: Monday, August 4th at 7 p.m. at Fair Office; **Entries accepted:** Saturday, August 9th at 10:30 a.m.- 12 Noon in Ag Hall; **Judging:** Saturday, August 9th at 1 p.m. in the Ag Hall
Emily Cordes, Superintendent; 419-591-1428, Directors: Austin Genter, 419-572-1275; Doug Powell, 419-278-2296; Jay Agler, 419-438-9040



Emily Cordes

Rules and Regulations:

- 1. Competition is open to all amateur winemakers 21 years of age and older.
- 2. All exhibitors must comply with Henry County Fair General Rules.
- 3. All exhibitors must purchase a Henry County Fair Exhibitors/Season Pass. No other entry fee is required.
- 4. All entries must be homemade and intended for private, non-commercial use. Wines must not be blended with commercial wines. Wines appropriate for fortification may be fortified with suitable commercial spirits.
- 5. Wines may be made from grapes, other fruits, berries, vegetables, grains, juices, concentrates and other suitable ingredients or blends of ingredients. Blended wines should be entered in the class that best describes the declared

- majority component.
- 6. It is the responsibility of the entrant to correctly classify his/her wine.
- 7. All exhibitors must complete a Non-livestock Entry Form. The class of each entry must be indicated in the "Class" column of the entry form. The main ingredients or components of the entry must be written in the "Class Description" column.
- 8. Exhibitors may make up to two entries in each class.
- 9. One bottle per entry is required. Bottles must be 750 ml. (or American equiv.) standard size and of a generally recognized wine bottle shape. EXCEPTION – ice wine may be bottled and presented in 375 ml. splits. Bottles entered for competition should not have raised lettering or labels. Bottles may be closed with cork, screw top, or plastic stopper. Bottles must be filled so that 1" to 2" of air space remains under the fully installed top or cork.
- 10. Wines typically served cold should be brought to the judging cold

- and will be kept chilled until the judging.
- 11. Sparkling wines should be presented in industry standard packaging. Champagne bottles with wired conventional champagne stoppers are highly recommended.
- 12. Entries will be judged on appearance, aroma/bouquet, finish, overall impression, taste.
- 13. First, second and third place premiums will be awarded in each class at the discretion of the judges based on quality of entries. Judges are not obligated to award placings or premiums if there are no worthy entries in the class. Judges decisions are final.
- 14. Judges will compare the top entries of each class to determine Best of Show and Reserve Best of Show.
- 15. Empty bottles will be retained for the fair exhibit. In place of unmarked bottles, exhibitors are encouraged to exhibit an empty bottle with a personal decorative label. Labeled bottles will be put on display and judged by the Henry

County Arts Council. Judging will take place on Saturday afternoon during the wine competition. First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded

PREMIUMS AND AWARDS

Best of Show awards will be presented courtesy of Leisure Time Winery, 16982 Co. Rd. M2, Napoleon, OH (<http://www.facebook.com/leisuretimewinery.napoleon/>). Rosettes will be provided by the Henry County Fair Board. Cheese for wine tasting is graciously provided by Sattler Family Meats and Chief Supermarket, Napoleon, Ohio, and smoked pheasant is being provided by Imbrock Pheasant Farm, Hamler, Ohio.

Entries will be released Thursday, August 14th between 5-7 pm. Fair officials and superintendents are not responsible for entries not picked-up by 7:00 pm. Checks not picked up at the time of release, will be available in the fair office Friday, August 15th.

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SECTION A
WINE CLASSES

CLASS #1 – White Grape, Dry
Dry wines made from white grapes, grape juice or concentrates.

CLASS #2 – Red Grape, Dry
Dry wines made from red grapes, grape juice or concentrates.

CLASS #3 – Berry and Fruit Wine, Dry
Dry wines made from berries, fruits, juice or concentrates.

CLASS #4 – Sparkling Wine
Sparkling wines made from any category. Entry form must indicate "dry sparkling" or "sweet sparkling." Champagne bottle with wired enclosure recommended. Wine must be chilled.

CLASS #5 – Rosé/Blush

Wines may be made from grapes, fruits, berries, juices, concentrates or a blend of ingredients and can be dry or sweet. Qualifying attribute of this class is color.

CLASS #6 – Specialty and Novelty Wine

Wines made from ingredients including vegetables, grains, seeds, flowers, spices, leaves, barks, roots, sap, honey (meads), etc. Main ingredient must be listed on entry form. May be dry or sweet.

CLASS #7 – White Grape, Sweet
Sweet wines made from white grapes, grape juice, concentrates or a blend of ingredients.

CLASS #8 – Red Grape, Sweet
Sweet wines made from red grapes, grape juice, concentrates or a blend of ingredients.

CLASS #9 – Berry and Fruit Wine, Sweet

Sweet wines made from fruits, berries, juices, concentrates or a blend of ingredients.

CLASS #10 - Cider and Perry
Standard cider and perry including common, English, French, traditional and specialty including New England, fruit ciders, applewine and other specialties. For detailed style descriptions see the style guidelines at http://www.bjcp.org/docs/2015_Guidelines_Cider.pdf

CLASS #11 – Dessert/Aperitif
Still wines of 14% abv. or greater made from any of the categories above. Each entry will be judged according to the entrant's description of style (eg. Ice Wine; Ruby Port; Dry Vermouth; etc.). Wines may be fortified with commercially produced spirits if appropriate to style.

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