

Department 15 – Flowers and Houseplants

Judging begins at 6:30 PM on TUESDAY

Entry Information:

- Only one entry per class/lot number.
- Maximum of **30** entries per exhibitor.

Exhibit Information:

- Entries must be checked in between Noon and 6 PM on TUESDAY.
- No foliage is allowed in the water, but foliage is allowed on the flower above the water.
- Be sure to clean your exhibits before bringing them to the fair. Check for insects or damage on the exhibit that will lower the placing.
- If entered in the wrong category or if directions are not followed, exhibit will be disqualified or given a lower placing at the discretion of the judge.
- Do **not** include invasive species such as Purple Loosestrife, Dame's Rocket, or Wild Parsnip in any exhibit.
- All are welcome to be present and ask questions of the judge after items are judged.

CLASS A – Cut Flowers - All flowers must be grown by exhibitor, except wild flowers.

Premiums: \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25 - \$1

Lot Numbers

101. Ageratum – 3 stems
102. Astilbe – 1 stem
103. Bachelor Buttons – 3 blooms
104. Black-Eyed Susans – 3 blooms
105. Calla Lily – 3 blooms
106. Calendula – 3 blooms
107. Coral Bells – 3 stems with blooms
108. Coreopsis – 3 blooms
109. Cosmos – 3 blooms
110. Daffodils – 3 blooms
111. Dahlia – Large – 1 bloom
112. Dahlia – Small – 1 bloom
113. Daisies – Alaska – 3 blooms
114. Daisies – Gloriosa – 3 blooms
115. Daisies – any other – 3 blooms
116. Daylilies – 1 stem
117. Delphinium – Perennial Larkspur – 1 stem with blooms
118. Dianthus - pinks – 3 blooms
119. Echinacea - Coneflower – 3 blooms
120. Gaillardia – 3 blooms
121. Gladiola – 1 stem
122. Gypsophila - Baby's Breath – 1 stem with blooms
123. Hollyhock – 1 stem
124. Hyacinth – 3 blooms
125. Hydrangea – 1 bloom
126. Iris – 3 stems
127. Lilac – 3 stems
128. Lilies – 1 stem
129. Lupine – 1 stem
130. Marigold – small – 1 bloom
131. Marigold – giant – 1 bloom
132. Monarda – Mint Plant – 3 blooms
133. Pansies – 3 blooms
134. Peony – 1 bloom
135. Petunia – Double – 1 bloom
136. Petunia – Single – 1 bloom
137. Phlox – 1 stem with blooms
138. Rhododendrons – 3 stems
139. Rose – Tea – 1 bloom
140. Rose – Floribunda – 1 stem with multiple blooms
141. Rose – Miniature Grandiflora – 1 bloom
142. Rose – Miniature Tea – 1 bloom
143. Salvia – 3 stems with blooms
144. Scabiosa – 3 blooms
145. Sedum – 1 bloom
146. Snapdragon – 1 stem with blooms
147. Stocks – 1 stem with blooms
148. Sweet Peas – 1 stem with blooms
149. Sweet William – 1 stem with blooms
150. Verbena – 1 stem with blooms
151. Veronica – 1 stem with blooms
152. Yarrow – Yellow – 1 stem with blooms
153. Yarrow – Any other – 1 stem with blooms
154. Zinnia – small – 1 bloom
155. Zinnia – large – 1 bloom
156. Any other cut flower not listed (must specify name of flower on entry tag) – 1 stem



CLASS B – Fresh Bouquets

No silk, plastic, artificial, or dried materials

Premiums: \$2.50 - \$2.25 - \$2 - \$1.50



157. Fresh flower bouquet using mixed garden flowers
158. Fresh flower bouquet using 1 color of garden flowers
159. Fresh flower bouquet using 1 variety of garden flower (example: all daisies or all marigolds)
160. Fresh flower bouquet using wildflowers
161. Fresh roadside material – 6 or more varieties – may be no more than 24” in height, including the vase/container

NOTE: DO **NOT** include invasive species such as Purple Loosestrife, Dame's Rocket, or Wild Parsnip in any exhibit.

CLASS C – Fresh Floral Arrangements

- No silk, plastic, artificial, or dried flowers.
 - All arrangements are to consist of fresh cut materials, grown or collected by the exhibitor.
 - Arrangements should include foliage (plant leaves, twigs, boughs).
 - The use of floral foam, frogs, and oasis blocks is encouraged.
 - No more than 25% accessories in arrangement
 - Premiums: \$3 - \$2.50 - \$2 - \$1.50
200. All green arrangement in a green container
 201. Basket (with handle) arrangement
 202. Buffet arrangement (viewed from one side)
 203. Buffet arrangement (viewed from one side) for a specific holiday, which must be specified on the entry tag
 204. Coffee mug or teacup (with or without saucer) as a container arrangement
 205. Corsage – must be in a zip lock bag
 206. Creative arrangement – unusual design
 207. Featuring 1 kind of flower
 208. Floral centerpiece (viewed from all sides)
 209. Floral centerpiece (viewed from all sides) for a specific holiday, which must be specified on the entry tag
 210. Foliage arrangement – Foliage only
 211. Gentlemen’s Arrangement – no more than 12” in height

212. Hanging wreath or swag – fresh materials only
213. Metal container arrangement
214. Roadside materials arrangement - collected by exhibitor
215. Small arrangement (3-6” in height)
216. Table wreath – fresh materials only
217. Using at least 3 kinds of annual/bulbs
218. Using at least 3 kinds of perennials/biennials
219. White flowers in a white container, green or white filler only

SPECIAL THEME CATEGORIES FOR 2024

220. “Sunday Funnies” arrangement in a funnies lined container
221. “Bottled” arrangement in any type bottle (no size restriction)
222. “Scent-sational” interpretation
223. “Night Light” interpretation
224. Arrangement using 2024 fair theme

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220. “Wisconsin Pride” - composition
221. “You Can” – Arrangement in a can, jar, or pot
222. “In Tune” – Interpretation using anything music related
223. “Let Your Light Shine” – centerpiece using a candle
224. Arrangement using 2025 fair theme

CLASS D – Potted Plants

- Exhibits cannot exceed 24” beyond the container or be more than 48” long.
 - All plants must be identified with a wooden or plastic marker in the container.
 - Please attach entry tag to the marker.
 - No Spanish moss allowed.
 - Exhibits must weigh 15 pounds or less.
 - Premiums: \$2 - \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25
300. African Violets in bloom – 1 specimen
 301. African Violets in bloom – collection of 3 or more
 302. Miniature African Violets in bloom
 303. Baby Tears
 304. Begonia – Rex
 305. Begonia – Tuberous
 306. Begonia – Wax
 307. Begonia – any other
 308. Cactus with spines
 309. Cacti – collection of 3 or more
 310. Coleus
 311. Coleus – collection of 3 or more different varieties
 312. Fern – Boston
 313. Fern – any other
 314. Flowering Maple
 315. Geranium in bloom – common type
 316. Geranium in bloom – any other

317. Impatiens
318. Ivy – English
319. Ivy – any other
320. Jade Plant
321. Orchids
322. Peperomia
323. Philodendron
324. Pothos
325. Sansevieria
326. Succulent
327. Succulents – collection of 3 or more
328. Wax Plant – Hoya
329. Zebrina (Wandering Jew)
330. Any other flowering house plant in bloom
331. Any other non-flowering house plant not listed
332. Cacti and Succulents (3 or more plants in container)
333. Container with 3 or more different annual plants with flowers (specify varieties)
334. Container with 3 or more different non-flowering plants (specify varieties)
335. Covered Terrarium (3 or more varieties of foliage)
336. Dish Garden (at least 3 plants)
337. Fairy Garden (indoor or outdoor) with 3 or more different plants
338. Herb garden – collection of 3 or more in a pot
339. Outdoor window box – 3 or more different varieties
340. Potted Annual – flowering

