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# SOUTHERN IOWA FAIR

Open Class Rules, Contest Details & Events

## July 14-19, 2025

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## **OPEN CLASS JUDGING SCHEDULE**

### **Monday, July 14, 2025**

Quilts- 11:00 AM

Culinary- 11:00 AM

Needlecraft- 1:00 PM

Holidays- 2:00 PM

### **Tuesday, July 15, 2025**

Jr. Arts & Crafts- 9:00 AM

Photography- 10:00 AM

Family History- 10:00 AM

Care Centers- 10:00 AM

Hobbies- 10:00 AM

Horticulture/Floriculture- 11:30 AM

Art- 2:00 PM



## **OPEN CLASS GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Exhibit Hall Hours: 9:00 AM – 8:30 PM

### **1. Premiums:**

- The Association will award cash premiums as listed in the premium catalog to encourage participation.
- Space will be provided for all appropriate exhibits.
- In the event of inclement weather, the Association reserves the right to extend the fair by one or two days. Exhibits must remain in place until officially released by the secretary. Exhibits removed without authorization will forfeit any premiums won.

### **2. Exhibit Delivery:**

- Exhibitors are responsible for ensuring the delivery of their exhibits to the Exhibit Hall on the fairgrounds.

### **3. Previous Exhibits:**

- Items that have been previously exhibited at the Southern Iowa Fair will not be accepted in Open Class.

### **4. Liability:**

- While the Board of Directors and Superintendents will take reasonable precautions to protect exhibits, the Association is not responsible for any loss or damage.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to monitor their property and collect their exhibits promptly at the close of the fair.

### **5. Judging Conduct:**

- Exhibitors are strictly prohibited from commenting during the judging process. Violations will result in disqualification.
- Questions may be addressed after the conclusion of judging.

### **6. Judges:**

- Individuals with a direct interest in a particular department's premiums may not serve as judges for that department.
- The Association will appoint qualified judges for each department.

### **7. Parking:**

- Starting Monday at 4:00 PM and on Saturday, all vehicles must park in the designated general parking lot. A parking fee will apply.

### **8. Premium Payment and Exhibit Pick-Up:**

- Premiums for Open Class exhibits will be paid by the fair office personnel on Saturday, July 19, from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM in the Exhibit Hall.
- If you are unable to collect your exhibit during this time, please arrange for someone to pick it up on your behalf.
- Exhibits not picked up may be retrieved from the Fair Office the following week.

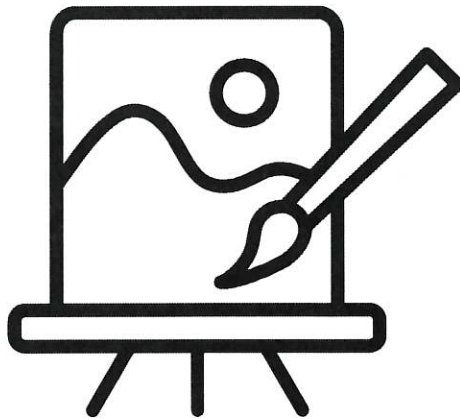
Thank you for your participation and cooperation. We look forward to a wonderful fair!



## Open Class Superintendents

Superintendents shall have full charge of their department, being responsible to the Secretary and the Fair Board. Each superintendent is expected to be on the grounds each day of the fair, to attend to the reception and arrangement of articles to be exhibited in his or her division and to exercise great care in preserving and returning entry books, as soon as entry of awards are in them, and upon no other authority can warrants be drawn for premiums.

Rita Antolik and Karen McBeth oversee the Open Class Department.



DIVISION I  
JUNIOR ARTS

Superintendents .....Paulette Williams, Connie Stout, Jayne Rozenboom

Judge.....Becky Nibe

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am & Closes at 8:30 pm

Judging: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 – 9:00 am

Rules:

Entries will be received 3:00 – 5:00 pm, Sunday, July 13, 2025 in the Exhibit Hall, or 8:00 – 10:00 am Monday, July 14, 2025 in the Exhibit Hall. These entries **CANNOT** be entered prior to this date. **NO ENTRY FEE FOR THIS CLASS.**

**ABSOLUTELY NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME.**

All exhibits must have been completed since September 1, 2024.

Limit of ONE ENTRY PER ENTRY NUMBER, such as 1a, 1b, and 1c, with a limit of 6 entries overall.

**Child will be given a number by the JUNIOR ARTS SUPERINTENDENT at check in, not prior to entry in the Exhibit Hall.**

**All pictures must be mounted on card stock, poster board or matted. NO CONSTRUCTION PAPER!**

Premiums: First, second place – Money and Best of Show ribbon will be awarded at the Judge's discretion.

Exhibits will be released from 7:00 – 8:00 pm Saturday, July 19, 2025. If you cannot pick up your exhibit at this time, please make arrangements for someone else to pick it up or you may pick it up the following week at the Fair Office. **ABSOLUTELY NO EARLY RELEASES.**

Premiums awarded: First Place - \$2.00 Second Place - \$1.00 Rosette - \$5.00

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**ALL CHILDREN MAY ENTER ANY OF THE CATAGORIES LISTED, BUT ARE LIMITED TO 6 ENTRIES PER CHILD.**

**CLASS P.S. – PRESCHOOL – 4 & 5 YR. OLDS (MUST BE 4 BY SEPTEMBER 1, 2024**

**CLASS A – KINDERGARTEN**

**CLASS B – FIRST & SECOND GRADES**

**CLASS C – THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES**

**CLASS D – FIFTH AND SIXTH GRADES**

**CLASS E – SEVENTH & EIGHTH GRADES**

**CLASS SP – SPECIAL NEEDS**

**ENTRY #**

- |                            |  |                             |                |
|----------------------------|--|-----------------------------|----------------|
| 1. 3-D Paper Construction  | 7. Clothes Pin art                               | 15. Dioramas (Shoe Box 3-D) |                |
| 2. Bird Feeder             | 8. Collage – Any Media                           | 16. Dolls – Any Media       |                |
| 3. Bird Houses – any media | 9. Construction Blocks <b><u>(NOT LEGOS)</u></b> | 17. Dough Art               |                |
| 4. Booklet                 | 10. Craft sticks                                 | 18. Drawings                |                |
| 5. Button Art              | 11. Crayon Art                                   | a. Chalk                    | b. Charcoal    |
| 6. Clay Pieces             | 12. Decorated Tile                               | c. Colored Pencil           | d. Crayon      |
| a. Hand Built              | 13. Design – Any Media                           | e. Cray-Pas (pastels)       | f. Ink         |
| b. Molded                  | 14. Diamond Art                                  | g. Magic Marker             | h. Lead Pencil |

19. Duct Tape
20. Fairy Garden
  - a. Smaller than 18"
  - b. Larger than 18"
21. Flower Construction
  - a. Cardboard (Egg Carton)
  - b. Fabric
  - c. Paper
  - d. Plastic
  - e. Shell
  - f. Tissue
22. Flower Pot Art
23. Foam Art
24. Foil Pictures
25. Free Hand -Scrap or Paper Cutting
26. Free Hand Enlarging
27. Fuse Beading
28. Glass Etching
29. Holiday Themed
  - a. Christmas
  - b. Halloween
  - c. Thanksgiving
  - d. Valentines
  - e. Other
30. Homemade Candles
31. Homemade Hair Accessories
32. Homemade Jewelry
33. Homemade Key Chain
34. Homemade Stuffed Item
35. Leaf Painting
36. Leather Craft
37. Lego Art — 12x12 Base (No Larger)  
**MUST BE IN CONTAINER**
38. Mini Lego Farm Scene --Base 18x18"  
**NO LARGER**
39. Macaroni Art
40. Magnets
41. Match Stick Art
42. Metal Relief
43. Metal Work
44. Mobile
45. Models — Assembled by child only.  
Must be in container not to exceed  
2" larger than item.
  - a. Airplane
  - b. Boat
  - c. Car
  - d. Truck
  - e. Other Than Mentioned
46. Mosaic — Any Style
47. Nature Arrangement
48. Nature Art
49. Painting
  - a. Acrylic
  - b. Finger Paint
  - c. Oil Pastels
  - d. Tempura
  - e. Watercolors
  - f. Other
50. Painted Apparel
  - a. Pillows
  - b. T-Shirts
  - c. Other
51. Painted Wood Craft
52. Paper Mache
53. Perspective
54. Pipe Cleaner
55. Placemats
56. Plastic Grid
57. Photography
  - a. Animal
  - b. Flower
  - c. Scenery
  - d. People
  - e. Other
58. Posters (No larger than 16x20")
  - a. Acrylic
  - b. Crayon
  - c. Magic Marker
  - d. Mixed Media
  - e. Pencil
59. Pot Holder
60. Quilting
61. Recycled Items
  - a. Cardboard
  - b. Marbles
  - c. Metal
  - d. Paper
  - e. Plastic
  - f. Other
62. Rock Art
  - a. Painted
  - b. Decor
63. Sand or Salt Art
  - a. 3-D art
  - b. Flat (on paper)
  - c. Sandpaper Art
64. Scrapbook Page
65. Soap Carving
66. Stained Glass
67. Stamp Art
68. Stencil Art
69. Stepping Stone
70. Stitchery
71. String Art
72. Sun Catchers
73. Tissue Art
74. Toothpick Art
75. Tye Dye
76. Wall Hanging
77. Weaving
  - a. Paper
  - b. Yarn
  - c. Other
78. Wreath
79. Wire Sculpture
80. Writing (Paragraph of 5 sentences)
  - a. Cursive
  - b. Manuscript
81. Wood Burning
82. Wood Carving
83. Wood Project
84. Yard Art
85. Yarn Art
86. Yarn Pictures
87. Other Than Mentioned

## DIVISION II

### CULINARY

Superintendent.....Linda VanDonselaar, Lori McKinney, Sherry Elliott

Judge.....Ronda Magnusson

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am and Closes at 8:30 pm

Judging: Monday, July 14, 2025 – 11:00 am

#### Rules:

1. Entries at the Fair Office prior to the Fair. Sunday, July 13, 2025 – 3:00 – 5:00 pm at the Exhibit Hall. Monday, July 14, 2025 8:00 – 10:00 am at the Exhibit Hall. **NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME.** Entry Fee is \$.50 per item. You must get an exhibitor number at the front table before taking your items to the Division they will be entered in. You will need a separate sheet for each Division you enter items.
2. Exhibitor may pick up baked goods as soon as all food items have been judged, not before judging is over. Only a portion of the baked items will be retained for exhibition. Any item not picked up by 8:00 pm July 15<sup>th</sup> will be disposed of.
3. Limit of one entry in each entry number. Identical items cannot be entered in two different classes. Entries must have been prepared since last year's fair.
4. Entry tag is to be placed on outside of each container.
5. Best of Show Ribbons will be awarded at Judge's discretion.
6. All baked goods are to be in zip lock bags.
7. No mixes are to be used unless altered to make a different product such as cookies from a cake mix, etc.
8. All canned goods, including Jam & Jellies are to be properly sealed with the screw bands left on the jars. All canned items must have a card attached with the following information:
  - a. Method of Preservation
  - b. Processing Time
  - c. Date Processed
  - d. List of ingredientsJars may be opened for judging.
9. **NO PANS.** Cakes are to be baked in an 8"x8" pan and placed upon cardboard (unless a different size is warranted, angel food etc.) No 9"x13" cakes. Yeast Breads in 7 3/8"x3 5/8" pans will not be accepted. (Bread Machines)
10. All entries need to be on HEAVY paper plates or heavy cardboard covered with white freezer paper. For cakes, cardboard is not to exceed 1" larger than the item. (White plates show off foods the best)
11. A card with the list of ingredients **Must** be attached to ALL items. Entries not having a card will **NOT** be accepted.
12. No frostings, glazes or drizzles will be allowed on ANY baked goods except on decorated cake/ cupcakes.
13. Entries using uncooked egg or cream cheese will Not be accepted. Cream Cheese mints will be accepted if there is at least 1-cup sugar to 8oz. cream cheese.
14. Younger exhibitor classes 23-27 will be judged first.
15. **All entries must be the work of amateurs unless stated on the entry tag.**
16. **Entries to be released Saturday, July 19, 2025 from 7:00 – 8:00 pm. If you cannot pick up your entry at this time please make arrangement for someone to pick it up or you may pick it up at the fair office the following week.**
17. **Premium money will be with office personnel at Exhibit Hall. Absolutely NO early releases.**

Premiums: First Place - \$3.00      Second Place - \$2.00      Rosette - \$5.00

#### CLASS 1

#### BREAD/ROLLS WITH YEAST

Please specify what brand of yeast was used.

#### ENTRY #

- |   |                      |                |            |
|---|----------------------|----------------|------------|
| 1. Cinnamon Rolls – 4 per plate                                 | 6. Bread             |                |            |
| 2. Coffeecake, whole cake                                       | a. Braided           | b. Cinnamon    | c. French  |
| 3. Dinner Rolls – unattached<br>(Butter horn, cloverleaf, etc.) | d. Honey             | e. Mixed Grain | f. Oatmeal |
| 4. Hamburger Buns   | g. Potato            | h. Rasin       | i. Rye     |
| 5. Pan Rolls – attached<br>8x8" or 9x9" pan (9 only)            | j. Sourdough         | k. Wheat       | l. White   |
|   | 7. Any Not Mentioned |                |            |

**CLASS 2**  
**QUICK BREADS & MUFFINS – NO YEAST**

**ENTRY #**

- |                            |                                |                       |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 8. Apricot Bread           | 13. Corn Bread Muffins (flour  | 18. Nut Bread         |
| 9. Banana Bread            | 14. Dried Fruit Bread          | 19. Pumpkin Bread     |
| 10. Biscuits (four)        | 15. Fresh Fruit Bread          | 20. Zucchini Bread    |
| 11. Coffeecake (non yeast) | 16. Fruit Muffins (flour)      | 21. Any Not Mentioned |
| 12. Corn Bread             | 17. Muffins (other than fruit) |                       |

**CLASS 3**  
**CAKES – NO FROSTING**

**ENTRY #**

- |                |  |                       |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|
| 22. Angel Food | 26. Chocolate                                    | 29. Pound Cake        |
| 23. Bunt       | 27. Coconut                                      | 30. White             |
| 24. Carrot     | 28. Fruit Cake (Apple,<br>Raisin, Rhubarb, etc.) | 31. Yellow            |
| 25. Chiffon    |  | 32. Any Not Mentioned |

**CLASS 4**  
**DECORATED CAKE/ CUP CAKES/COOKIES**  
**(NO Larger than 18 inches/ 4 to a plate)**

**Entry #**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 33. Decorated Cake                             | 34. Cupcakes/Cookies                           |
| a. Ages 7-11    b. Ages 12-17    c. 18 & Older | a. Ages 7-11    b. Ages 12-17    c. 18 & Older |

**CLASS 5**  
**PASTRY**  
**NO SOFT PIES/PECAN ACCEPTED – MAY BE IN GLASS, ETC. PIE PLATE**  
**LIST VARIETY OF FRUIT IF POSSIBLE**

**ENTRY #**

- |             |               |                                      |
|-------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| 35. Apple   | 38. Peach     | 41. Miscellaneous Pastries/Tarts - 4 |
| 36. Apricot | 39. Any Berry | 42. Any Not Mentioned                |
| 37. Cherry  | 40. Rhubarb   |                                      |

**CLASS 6**  
**BAR COOKIES**  
**No Frosting/ May have Edible Garnish – 4 to a Plate**

**ENTRY # 6**

- |                              |                        |                          |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 43. Blondies                 | 46. Peanut Butter Bars | 49. Rice Krispy Bars     |
| 44. Brownies                 | 47. Pecan Bars         | 50. Layered Bars         |
| 45. Fruit Bars (Apple, etc.) | 48. Pumpkin Bars       | 51. One-layer Bar Cookie |
|                              |                        | 52. Any Not Mentioned    |

**CLASS – 7**  
**COOKIES**  
**4 Pieces to a Plate**

**ENTRY #**

- |                                  |                            |                                   |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 53. Chocolate Base Cookies       | 57. No-Bake Cookies        | 61. Peanut Butter Based Cookie    |
| 54. Chocolate Chip (traditional) | 58. Oatmeal Butterscotch   | 62. Sugar Cookies                 |
| 55. Icebox (sliced)              | 59. Oatmeal Chocolate Chip | 63. White Chocolate (traditional) |
| 56. M&M Cookies                  | 60. Oatmeal Raisin         | 64. Any Not Mentioned             |



**CLASS – 8**  
**CANDY**  
**4 Pieces to a Plate**

**Entry #**

65. Candies  
66. Caramels

67. Fudge  
68. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS – 9**  
**SNACK FOODS**  
**Either 2 cups in bag or 4 to a plate**

**ENTRY #**

69. Carmel Corn  
70. Cereal

71. Flavored Popcorn  
72. Party Mix

73. Sweetened Nuts  
74. Any Not mentioned

**CLASS – 10**  
**JAM**  
**No Freezer or Refrigerator Jam**

**Entry #**

75. Apricot  
76. Blackberry  
77. Blueberry  
78. Cherry

79. Combination of Fruits  
80. Gooseberry  
81. Grape  
82. Peach

83. Plum  
84. Raspberry  
85. Strawberry  
86. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS – 11**  
**JELLIES**  
**No Freezer or Refrigerator Jan**  
**May not contain commercial fruit Juices**

**ENTRY #**

87. Apple  
88. Blackberry  
89. Cherry  
90. Combination of Fruits

91. Crab Apple  
92. Elderberry  
93. Grape  
94. Peach

95. Plum  
96. Raspberry  
97. Strawberry  
98. Any Not Mentione

**CLASS 12**  
**BUTTERS & PRESERVES**

**ENTRY #**

99. Blackberry  
100. Cherry  
101. Peach

102. Raspberry  
103. Tomato

104. Apple Butter  
105. Any Not Mentioned (2 allowed)

**CLASS 13**  
**CANNED FRUITS**  
**Must be canned in quart or pint jars**

**ENTRY #**

106. Apples  
107. Applesauce  
108. Apricots  
109. Cherries  
110. Blackberries  
111. Mixed Fruit

112. Peaches  
113. Pears  
114. Pie Filling  
115. Plums  
116. Raspberries  
117. Rhubarb

118. Spiced Apple Ring  
119. Berries other than mentioned  
120. Fruits (except berries) other than mentioned  
121. Juice  
122. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 14**  
**CANNED VEGETABLES**  
**Must be canned in pint or quart jars**

**Entry #**

- |                       |                         |                         |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 123. Asparagus Spears | 128. Mixed Vegetables   | 133. Tomato Juice       |
| 124. Beets            | 129. Sauerkraut         | 134. Vegetable Soup     |
| 125. Carrots          | 130. Shelled Green Peas | 135. Yellow (wax) Beans |
| 126. Corn             | 131. Potatoes           | 136. Any Not Mentioned  |
| 127. Green Beans      | 132. Tomatoes           |                         |

**CLASS – 15**  
**PICKLES, RELISHES, KETCHUP, SALSA & SAUCES**  
**Must be canned in pint jars except otherwise specified**

**Entry #**

- |                             |                    |                        |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| 137. Beets                  | 142. Sweet Pickles | 146. Salsa             |
| 138. Bread & Butter Pickles | 143. Chutney       | 147. Tomato Ketchup    |
| 139. Pickled Peppers        | 144. Pickle Relish | 148. Watermelon        |
| 140. Dill Pickles           | 145. Chill Sauce   | 149. Any Not Mentioned |
| 141. Lime Pickles           |                    |                        |

**CLASS – 16**  
**MEATS**  
**Must be canned in pint or quart jars**

**ENTRY #**

- |              |              |                        |
|--------------|--------------|------------------------|
| 150. Beef    | 152. Pork    | 154. Any Not Mentioned |
| 151. Chicken | 153. Venison |                        |

**CLASS 17**  
**MISCELLANEOUS**

**ENTRY #**

- |                            |                        |
|----------------------------|------------------------|
| 155. Dehydrated Fruit      | 157. Dehydrated Herbs  |
| 156. Dehydrated Vegetables | 158. Any Not Mentioned |

**CLASS – 18**  
**HONEY**  
**3 Jars**

**ENTRY #**

- |                                  |                                 |                        |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| 159. White Extracted Honey       | 161. Amber Extracted Honey      | 163. Section Honey     |
| 160. Light Amber Extracted Honey | 162. Dark Amber Extracted Honey | 164. Any Not Mentioned |

**CLASS – 19**  
**ITEMS MADE WITH HONEY**

**ENTRY #**

- |              |                     |                        |
|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 165. Bread   | 167. Granola/Cereal | 169. Any Not Mentioned |
| 166. Cookies | 168. Muffins        |                        |

**CLASS – 20**  
**GIFT JAR MIXES**

**ENTRY #**

- |              |   |                        |
|--------------|---|------------------------|
| 170. Cookies | 172. Soups                              | 174. Any Not Mentioned |
| 171. Drinks  | 173. Best Decorated Jar (with contents) |                        |

CLASS - 21  
SUGAR FREE

ENTRY #  
Any Item 1 – 174

CLASS – 22  
GLUTEN FREE

ENTRY #  
Any Item 1-174

CLASS 23  
CREATE A FAMILY BAKING LEGACY

This division is only open to two-member team of Grandparent/ Grandchild or Parent/Child from the same family.  
Please list on recipe the team members' relationship to one another.

- a. Age 5 & under                      b. Age 6 – 10  
Select from any category

CLASS - 24  
GIRLS & BOYS: 4-8 YEARS OF AGE  
State age on entry tag

ENTRY #  
Any Item 1-174

CLASS – 25  
GIRLS & BOYS: 9 – 12 YEARS OF AGE  
State age on entry tag

Entry #  
Any Item 1 – 174

CLASS – 26  
GIRLS & BOYS: 13 – 18 YEARS OF AGE  
State age on entry tag

ENTRY #  
Any Item 1- 174

CLASS – 27  
SPECIAL NEEDS

Any Item 1-174

DIVISION III  
QUILTS & NEEDLECRAFT

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am and Closes at 8:30 pm.

Rules

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You must get an exhibitor number at the front table before taking your items to the Division they will be entered in.
2. Any articles previously exhibited at the Southern Iowa Fair will not be shown or judged, if positive proof is shown. This rule will be enforced. If proof is found, ALL premium money will be withheld.
3. Entries must have regulation entry tags.
4. Each article entered must be the work of the exhibitor and shown in clean and neat condition.  
We reserve the right not to judge a dirty article.
5. **All entries must be the work of amateurs unless stated on the entry tag.**
6. Exhibitors are limited to one entry in each entry number, but as many classes as you wish. **Identical items cannot be entered in two different classes.**
7. All articles and garments must have an entry tag secured to it.
8. Any name tags on articles or garments must be covered.
9. A Best of Show Ribbon will be awarded at the Judges discretion.
10. **Entries will be released Saturday, July 19, 2025 from 7:00 – 8:00 pm. If you cannot pick up your exhibits at this time please make arrangements for someone to pick it up or come to fair office the following week. Premium money will be with office personnel in the Exhibit Hall.**

**ABSOLUTELY NO EARLY RELEASES.**

Premiums: First Place - \$3.00    Second Place - \$2.00    Rosette - \$5.00

**QUILTS**

Superintendents.....Portia Figland, Barbara Johnson

Judge .....Aleta Gustavson

Judging: Monday, July 14, 2025 – 11:00 am

Entry Fee is \$.50 per item

Definition: A quilt is a fabric sandwich (3 layers) held together with tying, hand or machine quilting stitches. The same individual, with the exception of entries for team and group quilts, must do piecing and quilting.

Perimeter is the measurement around the outside edge of the quilt. All items must be finished. List the name of the quilt if known.

**CLASS 1**

**BED SIZE QUILT (total perimeter of 300 inches or more).**

**MACHINE QUILTED, DONE ENTIRELY BY ONE INDIVIDUAL**

**ENTRY #**

- |  |                   |                                 |
|--|-------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Appliqued   | 5. Pieced         | 9. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics) |
| 2. Hand Embroidered  | 6. Memory         | 10. Patriotic                   |
| 3. Machine Embroidered   | 7. My first quilt | 11. Amy Not Mentioned           |
| 4. Mixed Technique (2 or more:<br>Pieced, appliqued, embroidery, etc.) | 8. Novelty        |                                 |

## CLASS 2

### BED SIZE QUILT (total perimeter of 300 inches or more) HANDQUILTED, DONE ENTIRELY BY ONE INDIVIDUAL

#### ENTRY #

- |   |                    |                                  |
|---|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| 12. Appliqued   | 16. Pieced         | 20. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics) |
| 13. Hand Embroidered  | 17. Memory         | 21. Patriotic                    |
| 14. Machine Embroidered   | 18. My First Quilt | 22. Any Not Mentioned            |
| 15. Mixed Technique (2 or more:<br>Pieced, appliqued, embroidery, etc.) | 19. Novelty        |                                  |

## CLASS 3

### BED SIZE TEAM OR GROUP QUILT (total perimeter of 300 inches or more)

**MACHINE QUILTED.** Please provide names of others who have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.

#### ENTRY #

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 23. Appliqued   | 28. Pieced   |
| 24. Block Exchange Quilt  | 29. Mixed Technique (2 or more-<br>pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) |
| 25. Hand Embroidered  | 30. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics)   |
| 26. Machine Embroidered   | 31. My First Quilt   |
| 27. Found & Finished (quilt blocks<br>"found & finished) for yourself or<br>someone else. | 32. Patriotic  |
|   | 33. Any Not Mentioned  |

## CLASS 4

### BED SIZE TEAM OR GROUP QUILT (total perimeter of 300 inches or more)

**HAND QUILTED.** Please provide names of others how have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.

#### ENTRY #

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 34. Appliqued   | 39. Pieced  |
| 35. Block Exchange Quilt  | 40. Mixed Technique (2 or more -<br>pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) |
| 36. Hand Embroidered  | 41. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics)  |
| 37. Machine Embroidered   | 42. My first Quilt  |
| 38. Found & Finished (quilt blocks<br>"found & finished) for yourself<br>or someone else. | 43. Patriotic   |
|   | 44. Any Not Mentioned   |

## CLASS 5

### WALL QUILT (total perimeter less than 300 inches)

**Can be machine or hand quilted. Done entirely by one individual**

#### ENTRY #

- |  |  |                       |
|--|--|-----------------------|
| 45. Appliqued  | 49. Machine Embroidered                        | 52. My First Quilt    |
| 46. Memory   | 50. Pieced – total perimeter<br>less than 150" | 53. Patriotic         |
| 47. Mixed Technique (2 or more-<br>pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 51. Pieced – total perimeter<br>less than 300" | 54. Any Not Mentioned |
| 48. Hand Embroidered   |  |                       |

### CLASS 6

#### WALL QUILT (total perimeter less than 300 inches)

Can be machine or hand quilted. Team or Group. Please provide names of others who have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.

##### ENTRY #

- |  |   |                       |
|--|---|-----------------------|
| 55. Appliqued  | 59. Machine Embroidered                     | 62. My First Quilt    |
| 56. Memory   | 60. Pieced – total perimeter less than 150" | 63. Patriotic         |
| 57. Mixed Technique (2 or more - pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 61. Pieced – total perimeter less than 300" | 64. Any Not Mentioned |
| 58. Hand Embroidered   |   |                       |

### CLASS 7

#### LAP/YOUTH QUILTS (total perimeter less than 300 inches)

Can be machine or hand quilted. Done entirely by one individual

##### ENTRY #

- |  |                                  |                         |
|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 65. Appliqued  | 68. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics) | 72. Machine Embroidered |
| 66. Mixed Technique ( 2 or more- pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 69. My First Quilt               | 73. Any Not Mentioned   |
| 67. Pieced   | 70. Memory                       |                         |
|  | 71. Hand Embroidered             |                         |

### CLASS 8

#### LAP/YOUTH QUILTS (total perimeter less than 300 inches)

Can be machine or hand quilted. Please provide names of others who have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.

##### ENTRY #

- |   |                                  |                         |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 74. Appliqued   | 77. Scrap (more than 20 fabrics) | 81. Machine Embroidered |
| 75. Mixed Technique (3 or more- pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 78. My First Quilt               | 82. Any Not Mentioned   |
| 76. Pieced  | 79. Memory                       |                         |
|   | 80. Hand Embroidered             |                         |

### CLASS 9

#### BABY/CRIB QUILTS

Done entirely by one individual. Can be machine or hand quilted.

##### ENTRY #

- |  |                      |                         |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 83. Appliqued  | 85. Pieced           | 88. Machine Embroidered |
| 84. Mixed Technique (2 or more – pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 86. My First Quilt   | 89. Any Not Mentioned   |
|  | 87. Hand Embroidered |                         |

### CLASS 10

#### BABY/CRIB QUILTS

Team or Group. Can be machine or hand quilted. Please provide names of others who have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.

##### ENTRY #

- |  |                      |                         |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 90. Appliqued  | 92. Pieced           | 95. Machine Embroidered |
| 91. Mixed Technique (2 or more – Pieced, appliqued, embroidered, etc.) | 93. My First Quilt   | 96. Any Not Mentioned   |
|  | 94. Hand Embroidered |                         |



**CLASS 11**

**OTHER QUILTED ITEMS**

**Done entirely by one individual. Can be machine or hand quilted.**

**ENTRY #**

**97. Miniature Quilt** – A Miniature Quilt is a quilt 12"- 24" finished. Blocks are to be 4" or less. It may be pieced, appliqued or a combo. The finished quilt should be a replica of a big quilt.

**98. Novelty Quilt**

**99. T-Shirt Quilt**

**100. Art Quilt**

**101. Any Not Mentioned**

**CLASS 12**

**OTHER QUILTED ITEMS**

**Team or Group. Can be machine or hand quilted. Please provide names of others who have done any part of the quilt on the back of the entry tag or on a card attached to the quilt.**

**ENTRY #**

**102. Miniature Quilt** – A Miniature Quilt is a quilt 12" – 24" finished. Blocks are to be 4" or less. It may be pieced, appliqued or a combo. The finished quilt should be a replica of a big quilt.

**103. Novelty Quilt**

**104. T-Shirt Quilt**

**105. Art Quilt**

**106. Any Not Mentioned**

**CLASS 13**

**GIRLS/BOYS 4-8 YEARS OF AGE – ANY ITEM 1-106**

**CLASS 14**

**GIRLS/BOYS 9-12 YEARS OF AGE – ANY ITEM 1-106**

**CLASS 15**

**GIRLS/BOYS 13-18 YEARS OF AGE – ANY ITEM 1-106**

**CLASS 16**

**SPECIAL NEEDS – ANY ITEM 1-106**

**DIVISION III A  
NEEDLECRAFT**

**Superintendents.....Ruth Branderhorst**

**Judge.....Mary Bruhn**

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Premiums: First Place - \$3.00

Second Place - \$2.00

Rosette - \$5.00

**CLASS 17  
SEWING/QUILTING**

**ENTRY #**

- |                          |                            |                         |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Potholders – Set of 2 | 8. Girls Item              | 12. Small Personal Item |
| 2. Coasters – Set of 2   | a. Quilted b. Dress c. Top | a. Jewelry Bag/Roll     |
| 3. Table Runner          | d. Pants e. Other          | b. Eye Glass Case       |
| 4. Table Centerpiece     | 9. Ladies Item             | c. Curling Iron Bag     |
| 5. Place Mats – set of 2 | a. Quilted b. Dress c. Top | 13. Any Not Mentioned   |
| 6. Baby Item             | d. Pants e. Other          |                         |
| a. Quilted Item b. sewn  | 10. Men's Item             |                         |
| 7. Pillow Case           | a. Top b. Bottom c. Other  |                         |

**CLASS 18  
EMBROIDERY/APPLIQUE/FELTED WOOL**

**ENTRY #**

- |                              |                              |                                  |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 14. Potholders – Set of 2    | 21. Appliqued Clothing       | 25. Needlepoint                  |
| 15. Coasters – Set of 2      | a. Hand Appliqued            | 26. Decorated T-Shirt/Sweatshirt |
| 16. Table Runner             | b. Machine Appliqued         | 27. Pillow Case                  |
| 17. Table Centerpiece        | 22. Appliqued Household Item | 28. Patchwork Item               |
| 18. Place Mats – Set of 2    | a. Hand Appliqued            | 29. Embroidered Picture (framed) |
| 19. Tea Towels – Set of 2    | b. Machine Appliqued         | 30. Embroidered Clothing         |
| a. Hand Appliqued            | 23. Felted Wool Item         | 31. Any Not Mentioned            |
| b. Hand Embroidered          | a. Clothing b. Picture       |                                  |
| 20. Embroidered Wall Hanging | c. Other                     |                                  |
| a. Hand Embroidered          | 24. Printed Cross Stitch     |                                  |
| b. Machine Embroidered       | a. Small b. Large            |                                  |

**CLASS 19  
KNITTED**

**ENTRY #**

- |                           |                      |                       |
|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 32. Potholders – Set of 2 | 36. Afghan           | 38. Baby Item         |
| 33. Coasters – Set of 2   | 37. Clothing Item    | 39. Any Not Mentioned |
| 34. Table Runner          | a. Mittens b. Hat    |                       |
| 35. Table Centerpiece     | c. Slippers d. Other |                       |

**CLASS 20**  
**CROCHET**

**ENTRY #**

- 40. Potholders – Set of 2
- 41. Coasters – Set of 2
- 43. Table Centerpiece
- 44. Place Mats – Set of 2

- 45. Rug
- 46. Afghan
  - a. Large      b. Small      c. Baby
- 47. Stuffed Animal/Toy

- 48. Clothing Item
  - a. Mittens      b. Hat
  - c. Slippers      d. Other
- 49. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 21**  
**TATTING**

**ENTRY #**

- 50. Book Mark
- 51. Doily – Mounted (May be removed)

- 52. Edging
- 53. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 22**  
**PURSES/TOTES**

**ENTRY #**

- 54. Tote Bag (Larger than 12x12")
  - a. Quilted      b. Sewn
  - c. Made From Something Else (Jeans)
  - d. Any Not Mentioned

- 55. Tote Bag (Smaller than 12x12")
  - a. Quilted      b. Sewn
  - c. Made From Something Else (Jeans)
  - d. Any Not Mentioned

- 56. Purses
  - a. Quilted      b. Sewn
  - c. Made from Something Else
  - d. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 23**  
**COUNTED CROSS STITCH**

**ENTRY #**

- 57. Wall Hanging
  - a. Large – Over 12"
  - b. Small – Under 12"
- 58. Sampler
  - a. Larger – Over 12"
  - b. Small – Under 12"
- 59. Picture – Outside Scene
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller
- 60. Picture – Inside Scene
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller

- 61. Picture – Animals & Birds
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller
- 62. Picture – Precious Moments
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller
- 63. Picture – Original Design
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller

- 64. Picture – Sampler
  - a. Larger than 8x10"
  - b. 8x10" or Smaller
- 65. Pillowcases
- 66. Afghan
- 67. Article of Clothing
- 68. Jar Lids
- 69. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 24**  
**BLANKETS/QUILTS**

**ENTRY #**

- 70. Tied Quilt
  - a. Large      b. Small
- 71. Fleece Blanket
  - a. Large      b. Small

- 72. Minky Blanket
  - a. Large      b. Small
- 73. Rag Quilt
  - a. Large      b. Small

- 74. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 25**  
**MISCELLANEOUS**

**ENTRY #**

**75. Pillow**

- |                      |            |
|----------------------|------------|
| a. Appliqued         | b. Crochet |
| c. Folded Star       | d. Knitted |
| e. Quilted           | f. Sewn    |
| g. Any Not Mentioned |            |

**76. Rugs**

- |                      |          |
|----------------------|----------|
| a. Braided           | b. Woven |
| c. Any Not Mentioned |          |

**77. Child's Activity Book**

**78. Child's Toy**

**79. Apron**

**80. Doll**

- |                  |
|------------------|
| a. Handmade Doll |
| b. Doll Clothes  |
| c. Doll Blanket  |

**81. Recycled Item**

(Give Description)

**82. Any Not Mentioned**

**CLASS 26**  
**WORK OF Girls/Boys**  
**Ages:5-8 Years**  
**Please list age on Entry Sheet**

**ENTRY #**

**Any Items Previously Listed**

**CLASS 27**  
**WORK OF Girls/Boys**  
**Ages:9-12 Years**  
**Please list age on Entry Sheet**

**ENTRY #**

**Any Items Previously Listed**

**CLASS 28**  
**WORK OF Girls/Boys**  
**Ages:13-18 Years**  
**Please list age on Entry Sheet**

**ENTRY #**

**Any Items Previously Listed**

**CLASS 29**  
**WORK OF SPECIAL NEEDS**  
**Please list age on Entry Sheet**

**ENTRY #**

**Any Items Previously Listed**

**DIVISION IV  
HOBBIES**

Superintendent .....Beth Stout

Judge.....Pam VandeVoort

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am & Closes at 8:30 pm.

Judging: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 – 10:00 am

**Rules:**

1. Entries at Fair Office prior to Fair, Sunday, July 13, 2025 - 3:00 – 5:00 pm at the Exhibit Hall, Monday, July 14, 2025 – 8:00-10:00 at the Exhibit Hall. NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME. Entry fee is \$.50 per item. You must get an exhibitor number at the front table before taking items to the Division they will be entered in. You will need a separate sheet for each Division you enter items.
2. No entry will be accepted if not entered on official entry tags.
3. Each article must be the work of the exhibitor and shown in a clean and neat condition.
4. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry in each entry number (example: Class 3 one entry in a, one entry in b, etc.
5. Best of Show ribbon will be awarded at the Judge's discretion
6. Any article that comes in a set or grouping will be accepted.
7. Any article previously exhibited at the Southern Iowa Fair will not be accepted.
8. All entries must be the work of amateurs unless stated on the entry tag.
9. No exhibit to exceed 24"x36"x18".
10. Classes # 25-28 WILL BE JUDGED FIRST.
11. Exhibits will be released from 7:00 – 8:00, Saturday, July 19. IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ENTRY AT THIS TIME, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR SOMEONE TO PICK IT UP OR YOU MAY PICK IT UP AT FAIR OFFICE FOLLOWING WEEK. Premium Money will be with Office Personnel in the Exhibit Hall. ABSOLUTELY NO EARLY RELEASES.

Premiums: First Place - \$3.00

Second Place - \$2.00

Rosette - \$5.00

**CLASS 1  
CERAMICS**

**ENTRY #**

- |                               |                                    |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Stains                     | 5. Holidays – Other than Christmas |
| 2. Under Glaze                | 6. Glazes                          |
| 3. Porcelain                  | 7. Over Glaze                      |
| 4. Groupings                  | 8. Suede                           |
| (3 or more items coordinated) | 9. Other Than Mentioned            |

**CLASS 2  
WALL HANGINGS**

**ENTRY #**

- |                    |                     |  |
|--------------------|---------------------|--|
| 10. Macrame        | 13. Fabric          | 16. Latch Hooks                        |
| 11. Plaques Mosaic | 14. Plaques         | 17. Wood (original pieced wood design) |
| 12. Needle Punch   | 15. Plaster Plaques | 18. Other Than Mentioned               |

**CLASS 3  
POTTERY**

**ENTRY #**

- |  |           |                               |
|--|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 19. Wheel and Hand Built – Original Design |           |                               |
| a. Earthenware                             | d. Raku   | g. Design (3 entries allowed) |
| b. Porcelain                               | e. Glazes | h. Other Than Mentioned       |
| c. Stoneware                               | f. Stains |                               |

**CLASS 4****DOLLS****ENTRY #**

20. Crocheted

21. Fabric

22. Constructed

23. Heritage (pillowcase)

24. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 5****FABRIC****ENTRY #**

25. Fabric Frames

26. Fabric Boxes

27. Wreaths

28. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 6****FLOWER CRAFT****ENTRY #**

29. Silk

30. Beaded

31. Fiber

32. Artificial Arrangement

33. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 7****JEWELRY****ENTRY #**

34. Beads

35. Paper

36. Fabric

37. Kits

38. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 8****METAL CRAFT****ENTRY #**

39. Tin Can Craft

40. Metal Tooling

41. Copper

42. Tin Punching

43. Leaded Stained Glass Kits

44. Leaded Stained-Glass Originals

45. Liquid Lead Glass

46. Other Than Mentioned

**CLASS 9****SCULPTURE****ENTRY #**

47. Metal

48. Wire

49. Clay

50. Rosin

51. Plastic

52. Dough Art

53. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 10****STENCLING****ENTRY #**

54. Fabric Items

55. Wood

56. Tin

57. Crockery

58. Glass

59. Holidays (No Christmas)

60. Any Not Mentioned



**CLASS 11  
SCRAPBOOKING**

**ENTRY #**

61. Scrapbook – 1 page (place in plastic sleeve)  
( Maximum of 4 per person)

- |            |             |                      |
|------------|-------------|----------------------|
| a. Animals | b. Birthday | c. Fair              |
| d. Family  | e. Scenery  | f. School            |
| g. Sports  | h. Wedding  | i. Any Not Mentioned |

63. Albums

- |                                  |
|----------------------------------|
| a. Regular – 8 ½ x 11" or larger |
| d. Calendar                      |

62. Cards (1 per entry)

- |                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| a. Birthday          | b. Get Well |
| c. Any Not Mentioned |             |

- |                               |
|-------------------------------|
| b. Mini – 8 ½ x 11 or smaller |
| e. Any Not Mentioned          |

c. Theme

**CLASS 12  
DIAMOND ART**

**ENTRY #**

64. Coaster  
65. Picture

66. Key Chain  
67. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 13  
NATURE**

**ENTRY #**

68. Seeds  
69. Weed Arrangements

70. Wreaths  
71. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 14  
REFINISHING**

**ENTRY #**

72. Large Item (over 10" long)  
73. Small Item (under 10" long)

74. Miniatures (under 4 inches)  
75. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 15  
WOODWORKING/WOOD CARVING**

**ENTRY #**

76. Large Item – (over 10" long)  
77. Small Item - (under 10" long)

78. Miniature Item (under 4" long)  
79. Grouping (3 or more pieces)

80. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 16  
MODELS**

Model must be put together by the person entering

**ENTRY #**

81. Plastics (1/24<sup>th</sup> scale)  
82. Die Cast (1/24<sup>th</sup> scale)  
83. Snap/Lego (must be in container)  
(not to exceed 12x12")

84. Ships, Planes or Trains  
85. Scratch Built  
86. Miniatures (1/43<sup>rd</sup> – 1/160<sup>th</sup> scale)

87. Any Not Mentioned  
(includes Pinewood Derby)

**CLASS 17  
DIORAMAS**

**ENTRY #**

88. Plastic Model Kit Used  
89. Die Cast Model Kit Used

90. Pre-Made Model May be Used  
91. Grouping (2 or more of 91, 92, 93. Used)

92. Scratch Built Everything  
93. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 18  
DECORATED ITEMS**

**ENTRY #**

94. Baskets

95. Kitchen Items

96. Eggs

97. Dolls

98. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 19  
COLLECTIBLES**

**ENTRY #**

99. Large Item (over 10" long)

100. Small Item (under 10" long)

101. Miniature Item (under 4" long)

102. Grouping

103. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 20  
RECYCLED ITEMS**

**ENTRY #**

104. Large Item (over 10" long)

105. Small Item (under 10" long)

106. Miniature Item (under 4" long)

107. Fabric

108. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 21  
RESTORED (SMALL)**

**ENTRY #**

109. Metal

110. Wood

111. Plastic

112. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 22  
STAMP ART/PAPER CREATIONS**

**ENTRY #**

113. Paper

114. Fabric

115. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 23  
PLASTER CRAFT**

**ENTRY #**

116. Painted

117. Sculptured

118. Any Not mentioned

**CLASS 24  
YARD ART**

**ENTRY #**

119. Wood

120. Metal

121. Clay

122. Ceramic

123. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 25**  
**WORK OF GIRLS/BOYS**  
Ages: 5-8 -years old  
Please list age on Entry Sheet  
**ENTRY # Any Item 1 – 123**

**CLASS 26**  
**WORK OF GIRLS/BOYS**  
Ages 9-12 years old  
Please list age on Entry sheet  
**ENTRY # Any Item 1-23**

**CLASS 27**  
**WORK OF GIRLS/BOYS**  
Ages: 13-19 years old  
Please list age on Entry Sheet  
**ENTRY # Any Item 1-123**

**CLASS 28**  
**SPECIAL NEEDS**  
Please list age on Entry Tag  
**ENTRY # Any Item 1-123**

## DIVISION V

### HOLIDAYS

Superintendents .....Virginia Pierson, Jeremy Pierson, Jeff Pierson

Judge.....Ann Ohms

Exhibit Hall opens at 9:00 am and closes at 8:30 pm.

Judging : Monday, July 14, 2025 – 2:00 pm

### RULES

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4. Best of Show ribbon will be awarded at the Judge's discretion.
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8. **Each item must use one of the following categories:**
  - a. Valentine's Day
  - b. Easter
  - c. 4<sup>th</sup> July
  - d. Halloween
  - e. Thanksgiving
  - f. Christmas

(Example: A crocheted heart could be entered as – Division V; Class A-1; Entry # 8. A crocheted flag could be entered as Division V; Class C-1; Entry #1.) Not all entry numbers will apply to each holiday.

Premiums: First Place - \$3.00      Second Place - \$2.00      Rosette - \$5.00

### CLASS 1 CROCHETING

#### ENTRY #

- |  |                     |                       |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Wall Hanging<br>(Unframed tapestry or other<br>small /large flat object | 4. Afghan           | 8. Tree Ornament      |
| 2. Pillow  | 5. Doily            | 9. Tree Skirt         |
| 3. Table Cover   | 6. Picture (framed) | 10. Any Not Mentioned |
|  | 7. Stocking         |                       |

### CLASS 2 KNITTING

#### ENTRY #

- |              |                   |                       |
|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 11. Pillow   | 14. Hat           | 17. Any Not Mentioned |
| 12. Afghan   | 15. Tree Ornament |                       |
| 13. Stocking | 16. Tree Skirt    |                       |

### CLASS 3

## TOLE PAINTING

### ENTRY #

- 74. Wood Item
- 75. Tin Ware Item

- 76. Crockery Item
- 77. Tree Ornament

- 78. Cement Block
- 79. Any Not Mentioned

## CLASS 10

### STAMP ART

If items are placed in a sip lock bag, entry tag is to be taped to outside of bag.

### ENTRY #

- 80. Winter Scenes
- 81. Religious
- 82. Cards

- 83. Gift Tags
- 84. Tree Decorations
- 85. Decorations

- 86. Any Not Mentioned

## CLASS 11

### PAPER CREATIONS

Items Must be Handmade With Exception of Gift Box

If items are placed in a zip lock bag, entry tag is to be taped to outside of bag.

### Entry #

- 87. Tree Ornament
- 88. Wrapped Gift Box  
(Decorations must be handmade)

- 89. Table Favor
- 90. Hand Crafted Card
- 91. Any Not Mentioned

## CLASS 12

SCRAPBOOK PAGE (INCLUDING PICTURES --( Maximum of 4 Sleeves per person)

### ENTRY #

- 92. 8 ½ x 11"
- 93. 12 x 12"

- 94. 6 x 6"
- 95. 8x8"

- 96. Any Not Mentioned

## CLASS 13

### FABRIC

### ENTRY #

- 97. Fabric Boxes
- 98. Table Cover
- 99. Tree Ornament
- 100. Baskets
- 101. Aprons
- 102. Stuffed Animal

- 103. Bottle Cover
- 104. Gift Bag
- 105. Tree Skirt
- 106. Stocking
- 107. Wall Hanging

- 108. Potholders
- 109. Purses
- 110. Casserole Cover
- 111. Sewn Item
- 112. Any Not Mentioned

## CLASS 14

### PINE CONE ITEMS

(other than a wreath)

### ENTRY #

- 113. Doll
- 114. Tree Ornament

- 115. Scene
- 116. Any Than Mentioned

## CLASS 15

**DUCT TAPE**

**ENTRY #**

160. Flowers

161. Wallet

162. Purse

163. Hair Accessory

164. Clothing

165. Decorative (no flowers)

166. Jewelry

167. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 24**

**OTHER THAN MENTIONED TECHNIQUE**

**ENTRY #**

168. Wall Hanging

169. Centerpiece

170. Chunky Blankets

171. Tree Ornament

172. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 25**

**WORK OF CHILDREN: AGE 5-8 YEARS**

Please state age on entry tag

**Entry #**

Any item 1-172

**CLASS 26**

**WORK OF Girls/Boys**

Ages:9-12 Years

Please list age on Entry Sheet

**ENTRY #**

Any Items Previously Listed

**CLASS 27**

**WORK OF Girls/Boys**

Ages:13-18 Years

Please list age on Entry Sheet

**ENTRY #**

Any Items Previously Listed

**CLASS 28**

**SPECIAL NEEDS**

Please list age on Entry Sheet

**ENTRY #**

Any Items Previously Listed

DIVISION VI  
CARE FACILITIES

Superintendent .....Judy Moody

Judge .....Peggy Wright

Judging Tuesday, July 15, 2025 - 10:00 am at Exhibit Hall.

Ribbons will be awarded.

Group displays are welcome. They will be judged as a group.

No entry fee or pre-registration is required.

The Activities Directors of the Care Centers have the responsibility for bringing and picking up the entries.

**All entries MUST have at least a FIRST NAME and the FACILITY THEY CAME FROM.**

**ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO 2 ITEMS PER PERSON.**

The entries are to be in place in the Exhibit Hall Monday, July 14, 2025 between 8:00 – 10:00 am.

Entries will be released on Saturday, July 19, 2025 between 7:00 – 8:00 pm. **IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ENTRY AT THIS TIME PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR SOMEONE TO PICK IT UP OR YOU MAY PICK IT UP AT FAIR OFFICE FOLLOWING WEEK.**



DIVISION VII

FINE ARTS

Superintendents.....Tammy Sparks, Michelle Van Donselaar, Laura Mann

Judge.....Photography – Patricia Herr/Art – Sarah Kargol

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am and Closes at 8:30 pm.

Judging: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 – Photography – 10:00 am/Art Judging Tuesday – 2:00 pm.

RULES

1. Entries at Fair Office prior to Fair, Sunday, July 13, 2025 - 3:00 – 5:00 pm, Monday, July 14, 2025 - 8:00 – 10:00 am, NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME. You must get an exhibitor number at the front table before taking your items to the Division they will be entered in.
2. All articles entered for premiums must NEVER have been entered in the Southern Iowa Fair before. All work must be original, no kits or molds. PICTURES MUST HAVE BEEN TAKEN IN THE PAST 5 YEARS.
3. Exhibitors are limited to 1 entry in each number, but as many classes as you wish. The Judge has the right to disqualify one.
4. No work will be accepted unless prepared by the exhibitor for display.
5. Watercolors and prints must be framed UNDER PLEXIGLASS ONLY – NO GLASS. Oil and acrylics must be framed with wires for proper hanging. No glued on hangers will be accepted. No string with tape fasteners.
6. If a picture is not equipped with a hanging wire, it will not be judged.
7. All pictures that are not framed do not require a hanger of any kind, but must be mounted on Poster Board or matted. (they will be hung with binder clips) If they are framed they must have a hanging wire.
8. The name and address of the exhibitor and title of the work must be firmly affixed on the back of each exhibit. Affix entry tag to the top right corner of the back.
9. All paintings or exhibits must be hand painted. Work must have been done entirely by the exhibitor.
10. “Other Than Mentioned” cannot be used if it’s for a 2<sup>nd</sup> picture already in that category!
11. All work will be judged on originality of subject, quality and handling the materials used, graphic appeal and overall pictorial representation.
12. Copyright Law applies to all entries.
13. We will not be responsible in case of breakage.
14. All entries must be the work of amateurs unless stated on the entry tag.
15. No talking to the Judge is allowed during judging.
16. Best Of Show Ribbon will be awarded at the discretion of the Judge.
17. Entries will be released Saturday, July 19 from 7:00 – 8:00 pm. IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ITEMS AT THIS TIME PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR SOMEONE TO PICK IT UP OR YOU MAY PICK IT UP AT THE FAIR OFFICE THE FOLLOWING WEEK.

Premium money will be with Office Personnel in the Exhibit Hall. **ABSOLUTELY NO EARLY RELEASES.**

Premiums: First Place - \$3.00 Second Place - \$2.00 Rosette - \$5.00

**CLASS 1**  
**PICTURES MUST BE TAKEN SINCE JULY, 2020**  
**PHOTOGRAPHY DIGITAL CAMERA PICTURE (BLACK & WHITE)**  
**Photo 5 x 7 "**

**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTER BOARD OR MATTED**

(If your picture is framed, it must have a wire hanger.

All other pictures will be hung with binder clips)

**ENTRY #**

- |                          |                                 |   |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| 1. Sports                | 7. Scenes                       | 10. Picture series mounted together on poster board. Example – same boat. |
| 2. People                | a. At Fair    b. Other          | May be snapshots.   |
| 3. Animals               | 8. Collage – 4 or more pictures | a. Four Pictures    b. More than 4 pictures                               |
| 4. Still Life            | 9. Landscapes                   | 11. Any Not Mentioned   |
| 5. Flowers/Plants        |                                 |   |
| 6. Altered – Explain How |                                 |   |

**CLASS 2**

**PICTURES MUST BE TAKEN SINCE JULY, 2020**  
**PHOTOGRAPHY DIGITAL CAMERA PICTURE (COLOR)**  
**Photo 5 x 7 " or larger**

**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTER BOARD OR MATTED**

(If your picture is framed, it must have a wire hanger.

All other pictures will be hung with binder clips.)

**ENTRY #**

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|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 12. Sports                | 18. Scenes                       | 21. Picture series mounted together on poster board. Example – same boat. |
| 13. People                | a. At Fair    b. Other           | May be snapshots.   |
| 14. Animals               | 19. Collage – 4 or more pictures | a. Four Pictures    b. More than 4 pictures                               |
| 15. Still Life            | 20. Landscapes                   | 22. Any Not Mentioned   |
| 16. Flowers/Plants        |                                  |   |
| 17. Altered – Explain How |                                  |   |

**CLASS 3**

**OIL**

**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTER BOARD OR MATTED**

(See Rule #6)

**ENTRY #**

- |                       |                           |                       |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 23. Landscapes        | 26. Still Life            | 29. Flowers/Plants    |
| 24. Seascapes         | 27. Portraits and Figures | 30. Any Not Mentioned |
| 25. Animals and Birds | 28. Modern Art            |                       |

**CLASS 4**

**WATERCOLOR**

**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

(See Rule #6)

**ENTRY #**

- |                       |                           |                       |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 31. Landscapes        | 34. Still Life            | 37. Flowers / Plants  |
| 32. Seascapes         | 35. Portraits and Figures | 38. Any Not Mentioned |
| 33. Animals and Birds | 36. Modern Art            |                       |

**CLASS 5**  
**ACRYLICS**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**  
**(See Rule #6)**

**ENTRY #**

39. Landscapes  
40. Seascapes  
41. Animals and Birds

42. Still Life  
43. Portraits and Figures  
44. Modern Art

45. Flowers / Plants  
46. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 6**  
**PASTELS**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTER BOARD OR MATTED**  
**(See Rule #6)**

**ENTRY #**

47. Landscapes  
48. Seascapes  
49. Animals and Birds

50. Still Life  
51. Portraits and Figures  
52. Modern Art

53. Flowers / Plants  
54. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 7**  
**PEN, PENCIL & INK**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

**ENTRY #**

55. Landscapes  
56. Seascapes  
57. Animals and Birds

58. Still Life  
59. Portraits and Figures  
60. Modern Art

61. Flowers / Plants  
62. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 8**  
**CHARCOAL & CRAYON**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

**ENTRY #**

63. Landscapes  
64. Seascapes  
65. Animals and Birds

66. Still Life  
67. Portraits and Figures  
68. Modern Art

69. Flowers / Plants  
70. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 9**  
**TEMPERA**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

**ENTRY #**

71. Landscapes  
72. Seascapes  
73. Animals and Birds

74. Still Life  
75. Portraits and Figures  
76. Modern Art

77. Flowers / Plants  
78. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 10**  
**MIXED MEDIA**  
**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

**ENTRY #**

79. Landscapes  
80. Seascapes  
81. Animals and Birds

82. Still Life  
83. Portraits and Figures  
84. Modern Art

85. Flowers / Plants  
86. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 11**

**MUST BE MOUNTED ON POSTERBOARD OR MATTED**

Method Painting is the result of the use of an instructional book, which gives the artist assistance with color mixing, color placement, composition, etc., whether the picture was copied in part or in whole. This category also includes paintings resulting from classroom instruction.

**ENTRY #**

87. Landscapes

90. Still Life

93. Any Not Mentioned

88. Seascapes

91. Portraits and Figures

89. Animals and Birds

92. Flowers / Plants

**CLASS 12**

**PAINTED METAL ART**

**Any Media**

**ENTRY #**

94. Large 14" and up

95. Small 13" and under

**CLASS 13**

**PHOTO ALBUMS**

**Non-Professional**

**ENTRY #**

96. Family / People

98. Holidays

a. Regular

b. Mini

a. Regular

b. Mini

c. Themed

d. Any Not Mentioned

c. Themed

d. Any Not Mentioned

97. Vacations

99. Other Than Mentioned

a. Regular

b. Mini

a. Regular

b. Mini

c. Themed

d. Any Not Mentioned

c. Themed

d. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 14**

**WORK OF STUDENTS: AGES 5-8 YEARS. Please State Age on Entry Tag.**

ENTRY # - Any Item 1-99

**CLASS 15**

**WORK OF STUDENTS: AGES 9-12 YEARS. Please State Age on Entry Tag.**

ENTRY # - Any Item 1-99

**CLASS 16**

**WORK OF STUDENTS: AGES 13-18 YEARS. Please State Age on Entry Tag.**

ENTRY # - Any Item 1-99

**CLASS 17**

**SPECIAL NEEDS**

ENTRY # - Any Item 1-99

**CLASS 18**

**WORK OF PROFESSIONALS**

ENTRY # - Any Item 1-99

**DIVISION VIII  
FLORICULTURE & HORTICULTURE**

Superintendent.....Marlene Maxwell

Judges.....Eileen Blom, Joy Prothero

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am and Closes at 8:30 pm.

Judging: Tuesday, July 15, 2025 – 11:30 am.

Entry Fee is \$.50 per item.

**Rules:**

1. No entry forms accepted in the Fair Office. No early entry necessary.
2. Entries will be accepted in the Exhibit Hall on Tuesday, July 15, 2025 – 8:00 – 10:00 am . Judging begins promptly at 11:30 am.
3. Exhibitors are limited to one entry in each number. Example: #36 Daisies, you may enter one in a, one in b and one in c.
4. You must have your own entry list filled out. One can be obtained from the Fair Office prior to the Fair.
5. All specimens must have been grown by the exhibitor. If there is positive proof that the exhibitor is at fault, all of their premium money from each department will be withheld.
6. Floriculture Exhibits will exhibit in clear glass container; colored glass will not be accepted, sized for specimen in class exhibited. Please add rocks or marbles for weight, so they will not blow over. Horticulture Exhibits must be on paper plates. Can be wedged with foam.
7. The decision of the Judge is final.
8. Each entry must be checked by an authorized person before judging. There is always someone to help you if you have questions.
9. Premiums designated by ribbons, Blue and Red. A Best of Show Ribbon will be awarded at the discretion of the Judge for Adult and Youth divisions. Master Gardeners will be giving outstanding exhibitor ribbons also – no premium.
10. If there is any spillage, the Superintendents have the right to dispose of the Exhibit.
11. The entry will be disqualified if not entered in the correct-entry number, once judging begins.
12. Please name specimen, if possible, on entry tag.
13. Artistic Division Rules will be listed in Class 8.
14. **ALL ENTRIES MUST BE THE WORK OF AMATEURS UNLESS STATED ON THE ENTRY TAG.**
15. Exhibits will be released Saturday, July 19, 2025 from 7:00 – 8:00 pm. IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ITEMS AT THIS TIME, PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR SOMEONE TO PICK IT UP OR YOU MAY PICK IT UP AT FAIR OFFICE FOLLOWING WEEK. Premium Money will be with Office Personnel in the Exhibit Hall. **ABSOLUTELY NO EARLY RELEASES.**
16. Premiums: First Place - \$3.00 Second Place - \$2.00 Rosette - \$5.00
17. Roses will be judged first, Vegetable Baskets, then Flower Arrangements.
18. The following are NOT permitted in flower shows: Noxious weeds, natural Bird's nests, stuffed birds, butterflies or other insects, fish, birds or animals or cut fruit or vegetables. Wild bird feathers (except those for which there is a hunting season in Iowa) are not permitted.
19. Number of specimen's is different than 4-H rules
20. Use references: ISU publication #462 "Harvesting and Preparing Vegetables for Exhibit, #464 Preparing Cut Flowers and Houseplants for Exhibit", #551 Harvesting and preparing Herbs for Exhibit and #552 "Preparing Floral Arrangements for Exhibit".

**Primary Noxious Weeds:** Buckhorn, Bull Thistle, Canadian Thistle, Field Bindweed, Hoary Cress, Horse nettle, Leafy spurge, Musk Thistles, Perennial Sow Thistle, Quack Grass, Russian Knapweed and Tall Thistle.

**Secondary Noxious Weeds:** Buckhorn Plantain, Cocklebur, Wild Sunflower, Curly Dock, Poison Hemlock, Puncture Vine, Red Sorrel, Smooth Dock, Teasel, Velvet Leaf, Wild Carrot (Queen Anne's Lace) and Wild Mustard.

**Explanation:** Bloom – Full Bloom; Spike – (such as Glad) Stalk – 1 stem Spray – (bud & blooms – branch)

## CLASS 1

### ANNUALS

(Items must be grown by exhibitor)

(Please add rocks or marbles to stabilize) Please Name if Possible)

#### ENTRY #

1. African Daisy – 3 stems
2. Ageratum
  - a. Blue b. Purple c. Other
3. Bachelor Buttons – 3 stems
4. Balsam
5. Bells of Ireland – 2 stems
6. Fountain Grass (tie stems)
7. Calendula – 3 blooms
8. Celosia
  - a. Plume – 2 stems
    1. Red 2. Yellow 3. Other
  - a. Crested
    1. Orange 2. Cockscomb 3. Other
9. Cleome – Spider Flower – 1 stem
  - a. Pink b. Purple c. White
10. Coleus – 3 stems
11. Cosmos – 3 sprays
12. Dahlia
  - a. Miniature – up to 4" b. Small – 4-6"
    - c. Medium – 6-8" d. Large – 8-10"
  - e. Giant – Over 1'-"
13. Dianthus (pinks) 3 blooms
14. Everlasting Flowers – 5 stems
15. Gazania – 3 – blooms
16. Gladiolus
  - a. Large – 1 spike
    1. Pink 2. White 3. Red 4. Purple
    5. Yellow 6. By/color 7. Any Other
  - b. Miniature – 1 spike
    - 1-7 of above
17. Impatiens – 1 spray
  - a. Single b. Double
18. Lantana – 3 stems
19. Marigold – 1 spray (with leaves)
  - a. French b. African
20. Nasturtium 3 blooms
21. Pansy – 3 blooms
22. Petunia ( Double) - 1 spray
  - a. White b. Variegated c. Pink d. Purple
23. Petunia ( Single) - 1 spray
  - a. White b. Variegated c. Any color
24. Salvia – 1 stem
  - a. Red b. Any Color
25. Snapdragon – 3 spikes
  - a. Tall b. Bush Type
26. Sunflower
  - a. Large (measures above 5")
    1. Yellow 2. Any 3. Largest Head
  - b. Small (measures 3-5")
    1. Yellow 2. Any Other
27. Torenia
28. Verbena – 3 sprays
29. Collection of any – 6 each named
30. Zinnia
  - a. Small, Under 1.5" – 3 blooms
    1. Red 2. Pink 3. Purple 4. White
    5. Yellow 6. Varied 7. Other
  - b. Large – 3 blooms
    1. Red 2. Pink 3. Purple 4. White
    5. Yellow 6. Varied 7. Other
31. Any Not Mentioned
  - a. Small – 3 specimens
  - b. Large – 1 specimen

## CLASS 2

### PERENNIALS

Must be named and exhibitor must grow items.

(Please add rocks or marbles to stabilize)

#### ENTRY #

32. Achillea Yarrow – 3 sprays
  - a. Pink b. White c. Purple d. Red
  - e. Gray f. Salmon
33. Black Eyed Susan – 3 stems
  - a. Rudbeckia b. Irish Eyes
34. Chrysanthemums – 1 spray
  - a. Daisy Type b. Cushion c. Old Fashioned Hardy
39. Hollyhock – 1 stalk
35. Coneflower
  - a. Purple b. White c. Yellow d. Green
  - e. Orange f. Red g. Other
36. Daisy – 1 stem
  - a. Gloriosa b. Shasta c. Gerbera
37. Delphinium – Larkspur – 1 stem
38. Gaillardia – 2 stems
43. Ornamental Grasses – 5 stems (Tie in bunch)



40. Liatris – Blazing Star – 1 spike

41. Lilies

a. Day Lilies – 1 stem

1. Yellow 2. Red 3. White 4. Peach  
5. Pink 6. Gold 7. Orange 8. Purple

b. Small Bloom 3" or less, 1 stem

c. Tiger Lily – 1 stem

d. Double

42. Lilies (Hybrid)

a. Oriental – 1 stem

1. White 2. Pink 3. Yellow 4. Other

b. Trumpet – 1 stem

1. White 2. Pink 3. Yellow 4. Other

44. Phlox – 1 stem

- a. White b. Pink c. Any Purple d. Red

45. Russian Sage – 3 stems

46. Scabiosa (Hot Pincushion) 3 stems

47. Collection of 6 – each named

48. Hosta's – Name Variety

a. Leaves (single)

b. Flower (single)

49. Any Not Mentioned

a. Large specimen – 1 stem

b. Small specimen – 1 stem

### CLASS 3

#### SHRUBS

Must be named if possible & blooming

#### ENTRY #

50. Buddleia (Butterfly Bush) 1 spray

- a. Pink b. Purple c. White

51. Hydrangea – 1-stem

- a. White b. Pink c. Red

- d. Blue e. Green

52. Hardy Hibiscus – 1 bloom

- a. White b. Red c. Pink

53. Rebloom Lilac – 1-stem

54. Smoke Bush = 1 stem

55. Viburnum – 1 stem

56. Rose of Sharon – 1 stem

- a. Orchid b. White c. Pink d. Any Other Color

### CLASS 4

#### ROSES

#### ENTRY #

57. Hybrid Tea – 1 stem

- a. White b. Yellow c. Orange d. Pink  
e. Red f. Red Blend g. Mauve  
h. Any other color not listed

58. Floribundas – multi-bloom on 1 stem

- a. White b. Apricot c. Orange d. Pink  
e. Red f. Any other color not listed

59. Miniature Roses, multi bloom on one stem

- a. White b. Yellow c. Pink d. Red  
e. Any other color not listed

60. Climbing Rose – Shrub Rose-Old Garden – 1 stem

- a. White b. Yellow c. Pink

61. Knock Out Roses – 1 stem

- a. Pink b. Red c. Any other color

62. Buck Roses – 1 stem

- a. Red b. Pink c. Yellow d. Any other color

## CLASS 5

### CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS

Plant must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for 2 months.

One plant to a container and must be named if possible

#### ENTRY #

63. African Violet  
a. Blue b. Pink c. Variegated d. Violet
64. Begonia  
a. Blooming b. Foliage c. Tuberous
65. Bougainvillea
66. Cactus  
a. Small (5" pot or under  
b. Large (6" pot or larger)
67. Succulent  
a. Small (5" pot or under b. Large (6" pot or larger)
68. Lantana
69. Mandevilla

70. Rubber Plant
71. Gerbera Daisy
72. Impatient  
a. Super Elfin b. New Guinea c. Regular
73. Jade
74. Geraniums  
a. Red b. Pink c. White d. Other
75. Unusual – must be named
76. Sansevieria  
a. Green b. Variegated c. Dwarf
77. Any other not mentioned above  
a. Small b. Large

## CLASS 6

### BASKETS & POTS

Must be named

#### ENTRY #

78. Hanging Basket  
a. Small Blooming b. Large Blooming  
c. Small non blooming d. Large non blooming

79. Pots  
a. Small blooming b. Large blooming  
c. Small non blooming d. Large non blooming

## CLASS 7

### CONTAINER GARDENS

Collection of assorted plants grown in combination pots

Must be named

#### ENTRY #

80. Container Gardens
- |                          |                 |   |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---|
| a. Common Annual Flowers | e. Fairy Garden | f. "Beauty of the Leaves" (a collection of assorted plants) |
| b. Green Foliage         | 1. Large        |   |
| c. Tropical              | 2. Small        |   |
| d. Terrarium             |                 |   |

## CLASS 8

### ARTISTIC DIVISION

### FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

#### Rules:

1. No age restriction or residency requirements
2. Artistic entry must be done by the exhibitor. Flowers, dried, treated and plant materials need NOT be Grown by the exhibitor. No noxious weeds allowed;
3. Be sure to mark your containers and accessories on the bottom
4. A minimum amount of painting permitted on dried or treated materials.
5. Your Choice of any plant material and container but **label flowers in arrangement.**
6. NO flags in any arrangement please

**ENTRY #**

81. I'm a Little Teapot

83. Sunflowers Galore

85. Born to be Wild

82. Rosey Roundup

84. Summertime Bliss

**MASTER GARDENERS BUCKET OF FLOWERS**

Buckets planted for display at the Southern Iowa fair should be brought to the Exhibit Hall on Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-8:00 pm. Please attach a card to your bucket with your name, the words "Master Gardner" and a list of the plants in bucket. They will be judged for Most colorful, Most Unique and Best Use of Plants. Winners will be announced and then posted at the Horticulture Open Class Booth. After judging, the buckets will be placed around the fairgrounds. Buckets should be picked up Saturday night between 7:00 -8:00 pm. Ribbons will be awarded by the Master Gardner's. No premiums.

**CLASS 9****VEGETABLES IN A BASKET**

(Items must be grown by exhibitor and named) No Flowers.

**ENTRY #**

86. Vegetables in a Basket (9 or more)

- a. Large      b. Small      c. At least 9 different vegetables

**CLASS 10****VEGETABLES**

(Items must be grown by exhibitor and placed on a paper plate or container)

**ENTRY #**

87. Beans – 6 specimens

- a. Green    b. Yellow    c. Other color

88. Beets – 5 specimens

89. Broccoli – 1 head

90. Cabbage – 1 head

- a. Small    b. Large    c. Red

91. Carrots – 5 specimens

92. Cucumbers – 3 specimens

- a. Less than 5" (for pickling)    b. Over 5" (for slicing)

93. Okara – 3 specimens

94. Peppers – 3 specimens – Named

- a. Banana    b. Bell    c. Jalapeno  
d. Any Other    e. Display of 3 different varieties

95. Onions – 3 specimens

- a. Red    b. White    c. Yellow

96. Sweet Corn

- a. Yellow    b. White    c. Other

97. Tomatoes – 3 specimens (remove stems from all)

- a. Red – small    b. Red – large    c. Yellow – large

d. Cherry    e. Grape    f. Any other 3 varieties- 2 each

98. Eggplant – 1 specimen

99. Turnips – 3 specimens

100. Potatoes – 3 specimens

- a. Red    b. White    c. Yellow

101. Squash – 1 specimen

- a. Acorn    b. Butternut    c. Zucchini  
d. Spaghetti    e. Other

102. Any Not Named above (Garlic)

- a. Small – 3 specimens    b. Large 3-Specimens

103. First Year Exhibitor – 1 tomato, 1 pepper,  
2 other vegetables on a plate, NAMED

104. Herbs – 1 sprig or stem (in water)

- a. Basil    b. Oregano    c. Rosemary  
d. Sage    e. Mint    f. Dill

105. Any Not Mentioned in any Class

**CLASS 11****FRUIT****DISPLAY ON PAPER PLATE – Must be Ripe**

106. Apples – 4 specimens

107. Blackberries – 6 specimens

108. Blue Berries – 6 specimens

109. Raspberries – 6 specimens

110. Any Not Mentioned

**CLASS 12**  
**HEIRLOOM**

**ENTRY #**  
Any item, any class, named

**CLASS 13**  
**CHILDREN 5-12 YEARS OLD**

**ENTRY #**  
Any Item mentioned

**CLASS 14**  
**CHILDREN 13-18 YEARS OLD**

**ENTRY #**  
Any Item mentioned

**CLASS 15**  
**SPECIAL NEEDS AGES 5-18 YEARS OLD**

**ENTRY #**  
Any Item mentioned

**CLASS 16**  
**SPECIAL NEEDS AGES 19 AND OVER**

**Entry #**  
Any Item mentioned

DIVISION IX  
FAMILY HISTORY

Superintendent.....Kathy Virgil

Judge.....Jay DeYoung

Exhibit Hall Opens at 9:00 am & Closes at 8:30 pm

Rules

1. Entries at Fair Office prior to Fair.

Sunday, July 13, 2025 - 3:00 – 5:00 pm; Monday, July 14, 2025 - 8:00 – 10:00 am at the Exhibit Hall

**NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER THIS TIME. ENTRY FEE IS \$.50 PER ITEM.**

You must get an exhibitor number at the front table before taking your items to the Division they will be entered in.  
You will need a separate sheet for each Division you enter.

2. No more than one entry per entry number (example; Class1, you may have one entry in #1, #2, #3, etc.) Identical items cannot be entered in two different classes.
3. **All entries must be of a genealogical nature. Each entry should be accompanied by 3x5 sized card description explaining its family connection to the exhibitor, and how it has helped the exhibitor understand and appreciate his/her family history.**
4. **Both the ITEM and the DESCRIPTION will be considered when judging.**
5. Superintendents reserve the right to refuse or reclassify any exhibit.
6. Diligence will be used to ensure the safety of articles after their arrival and placement, but in no case will the management be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.
7. NO entry may have been previously exhibited at the Southern Iowa Fair.
8. Copies of photos, documents or research material are accepted
9. All framed items and all posters should be **very sturdy, framed or matted ready for hanging with a wire hanger attached.** The Exhibit will be refused if it is not equipped with a very strong hanger. We will not be responsible for breakage.
10. Best of Show ribbon will be awarded at the Judge's discretion.
11. **Exhibits will be released Saturday, July 19, 2025 from 7:00-8:00 pm. IF YOU CANNOT PICK UP YOUR ENTRY AT THIS TIME PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENT FOR SOMEONE TO PICK IT UP OR YOU MAY PICK IT UP AT THE FAIR OFFICE THE FOLLOWING WEEK. Your premium money will be with office personnel in the Exhibit Hall. All Entries must be picked up at this time. Absolutely NO early releases.**

Premiums: First Place \$3.00

Second Place \$2.00

Rosette \$5.00

CLASS 1  
PHOTOGRAPHS & PORTRAITS

ENTRY#

1. Ancestral Portrait or Photo (1 or 2 persons)
2. Family Group Picture (more than 2 persons)
3. Wedding Photo
4. 4 or more Generation Photo (in one picture)
5. Ancestral Home or Farmstead Picture
6. School, Church or Organizational Photo
7. Family Photo Album
8. Pictorial Family History or Photo Display (2 or more items, must be predominantly photographic material). Exhibit must be constructed so that all elements are visible at the same time, and should not be included in a book or folder.
9. Miscellaneous Photo or Picture Item.

**CLASS 2  
OLD DOCUMENTS**

**ENTRY #**

10. Records from Family Bible
11. Personal Letter
12. Birth Certificate
13. Marriage License or Certificate
14. Death Certificate
15. Land Grant, Deed, Mortgage or Plat Maps
16. Military Record
17. Will and Testament or Probate Record
18. Church or Religious Material
19. Display or documents (2 or more items, must be predominantly documentary). Exhibit must be constructed so that all elements are visible at the same time and should not be included in a book or folder.
20. Miscellaneous Document

**CLASS 3**

**GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH**

**ENTRY #**

21. Pedigree Chart (shows Parents, Grandparents, Great Grandparents, etc. of an individual)
22. Linage Chart (shows bloodline relationship between any two individuals).
23. Family Tree (shows ALL descendants of an individual).
24. Genealogy Research Notebook or Scrapbook created by exhibitor. May include family group sheets, clippings, computer generated lists, etc.
25. Gravestone Rubbing
26. Poster or display of Research Material. Exhibit must be constructed so that all elements are visible at the same time and should not be included in a book or folder.
27. Compiled Research Material presented in notebook or binder.
28. Miscellaneous Research Material
29. Other Miscellaneous Research Material (Does not need to be done by exhibitor; can be done by other family members).

**CLASS 4**

**HEIRLOOMS (RULE #4)**

**ENTRY #**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 30. Book  | 38. Child's Toy or Play Thing                      |
| 31. Old Scrapbook (clippings, greeting cards, etc.) | 39. Personal item (razor, comb, false teeth, etc.) |
| 32. Jewelry Item                                    | 40. Religious Item                                 |
| 33. Glassware                                       | 41. Silverware or Metal Ware                       |
| 34. China Item                                      | 42. School Related Item                            |
| 35. Kitchen Utensil                                 | 43. Military Related Item                          |
| 36. Small Household item                            | 44. Any Not Mentioned                              |
| 37. Small Tool                                      |  |

**CLASS 5**

**HEIRLOOM CLOTHING (Rule #4)**

**Entry #**

- |                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| 45. Baby Clothes      | 48. Adult Clothing  |
| 46. Child's clothing  | a. Wedding Dress, Shoes/Accessories   b. Favorite Dress     |
| 47. Any Not Mentioned | c. Men's/Women's Suits   d. Accessories (shoes, hats, etc.) |
|                       | e. Special Trendy/Fashionable Styles of the Past            |

**CLASS 6**

**MISCELLANEOUS (Rule #4)**

**Entry#**

49. Needlework

50. Old Quilts

a. Totally Old Quilt    b. Quilts Made of Old Material    c. Quilts Made of Ancestors Items

51. Heirloom Display (may include a limited number of supporting photos, documents, etc.) Exhibit must be constructed so that all elements are visible at the same time and should not be included in a book or folder.

52. Miscellaneous Heirloom Item

53. Any combination

**JUNIOR DIVISION**

**CLASS 7**

**Children 5-8 years old (Rule #8)**

**(Must tell whom it belonged to and how they are related to you) Please give full names and dates if possible.**

**ENTRY #**

54. Photos

- a. Grandparent or Grandparents (one or two people)
- b. Great Grandparent or Great Grandparents (one or two people)
- c. Family Group (three or more people)
- d. Any Family Photo Not Mentioned

55. Clothing

- a. Baby Clothes
- b. Other clothes
- c. Accessories (purses, shoes, ties, etc.)

56. Toys

- a. Your Toy
- b. Parent Toy
- c. Any Not Mentioned

57. Heirloom (Any well-loved item that is a treasure to your family, passed down from an earlier generation)

58. Family Tree

**CLASS 8**

**Children 9-12 years old (Rule #8)**

**(Must tell whom it belonged to and how they are related to you) Please give full names if possible.**

**ENTRY # Any Item # 53-58**

**CLASS 9**

**Children 13-18 years old (Rule #8)**

**(Must tell whom it belonged to and how they are related to you) Please give full names if possible.**

**Entry # Any Item #53-58**

**Class 10**

**SPECIAL NEEDS Entry # Any Item Previously Mentioned**





# SOUTHERN IOWA FAIR



## JOSH ROSS

FRIDAY, JULY 18, 2025

TICKETS: \$20

DOORS OPEN: 6:00 PM

SHOW TIME: 7:00 PM

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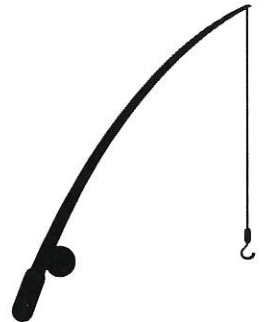
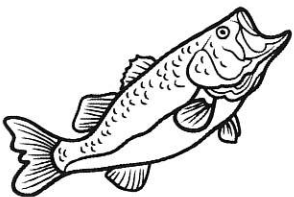
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Join us for an unforgettable night of country music at the Southern Iowa Fair!  
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dancing boots, and let's make some fair-time memories!



# Fisherman Dan's Comedy Show

(Tuesday - Saturday)





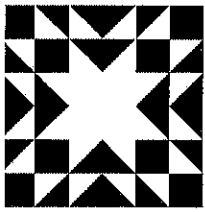
# Rhinestone Roper

(Tuesday - Saturday)

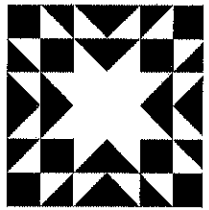








## **NEW! Southern Iowa Fair Quilt Block Contest**



Join the Quilt Block Contest by creating a block using the fabric provided! Blocks will be displayed in the Exhibit Hall at the Southern Iowa Fair, July 14-19, 2025.

### **How to Enter:**

- Contestants can enter by paying a \$5.00 fee to receive a packet of materials for constructing one quilt block.
- The blocks become the property of the Southern Iowa Fair and will be made into a quilt to be auctioned off at next year's fair.

### **Materials:**

- Each packet contains four different fabrics, totaling approximately 3/8 yard.
- All four fabrics must be used in the block. No additional fabric may be used.

### **Block Requirements:**

- Finished block size: 12½ x 12½ inches (unfinished)
- Blocks must be pieced (no quilting, appliqué, or embellishments allowed).
- You may use an established pattern or create an original design.

### **Voting & Prizes:**

- Blocks will be displayed in the Exhibit Hall during the Fair, and the public will vote for their favorite block.

### **Prizes:**

- - 1st Place: \$40
  - 2nd Place: \$20
  - 3rd Place: \$10

### **Packet Availability:**

- Pick up your packet at Quilted Treasures and Retreats Quilt Shop or the Fair Office.
- Only 35 packets available!
- Oops! Made a mistake? Additional fabric is available at the quilt shop at your expense.

### **Block Submission:**

- Drop off your finished block at the Fair Office before the Fair or bring it to the Exhibit Hall during these times:
  - Sunday, July 13: 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM
  - Monday, July 14: 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM



**PIGTAIL CONTEST**  
**Tuesday July 15th**  
**1:30 PM**  
**Free Stage**  
**Sponsor: Expressions Hair Studio**

Think you have the best pigtails around? Join us for some braided fun!

**Registration:**

Opens 30 minutes before the contest at the Free Stage.

**Categories:**

(Ages 0-5 & 6-10)

- Longest or Shortest Pigtails
- Blondest, Darkest, or Reddest
- Most Creative/Unique
- Best Use of Theme
- Curliest Ends
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**Contest Rules:**

1. Pigtails must be braided and braided as far as possible. No French braids.
2. Pigtails can be one, two, or more!
3. For the Longest Pigtail category, the braid must be one continuous tail, secured with rubber bands at both the top and bottom. No loose strands will be measured.
4. Pigtails may be placed anywhere on the head.
5. Judging will consider neatness, beauty, and creativity based on the category.
6. Contestants may register on the day of the contest during registration time.
7. One entry per person — choose your best category!
8. Prizes awarded to the First Place Winner in each category.

Bring your best braids and show off your pigtail pride!



# Joke Telling Contest

Tuesday, July 15th

3:00 PM

Free Stage

Superintendent: MaKayla Stittsworth

Registration: Begins 30 minutes before the contest start time.

## Age Groups:

- 4-7 years

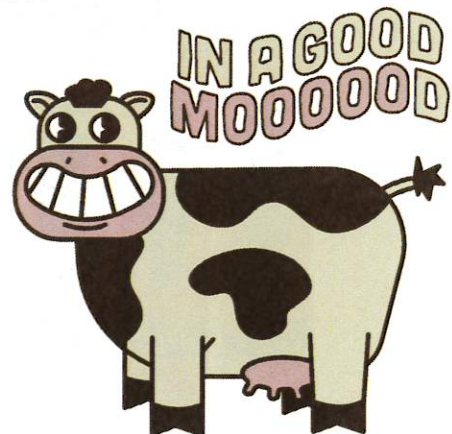
- 8-12 years
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## Contest Details:

- Contestants will perform one at a time in front of the judges.
- Each participant will tell one joke.
- Judges will score the jokes based on delivery, creativity, and audience reaction.
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be announced for each age group.
- Participation ribbons will be awarded to all contestants.
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## Important:

- Jokes must be appropriate for all ages. Inappropriate jokes will result in disqualification and no score.
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- Come prepared to share your funniest, family-friendly joke! We can't wait to hear your laughter!



# Coloring Contest

Wednesday, July 16th

3:00 PM

Free Stage

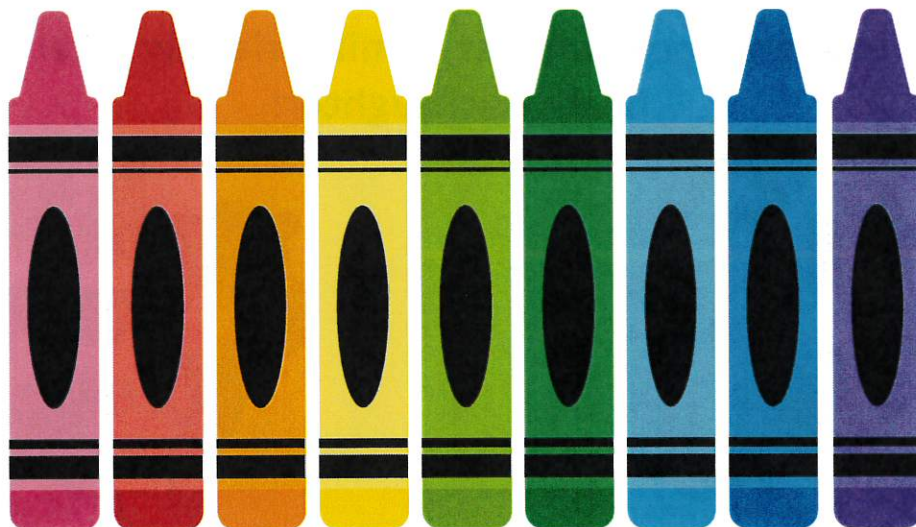
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## Age Categories:

- 3 & 4 years old
- 5 & 6 years old
- 7 & 8 years old
- 9 & 10 years old
- 11 & 12 years old
- 13-17 years old
- Adults

## Contest Rules:

1. Each age group will be provided with a designated picture to color.
2. Participants will have a set amount of time to complete their coloring.
3. All coloring must be done during the contest time.
4. Contestants must complete their coloring independently without assistance.
5. Judging will take place immediately after the contest ends.
6. A trophy will be awarded to the winner in each age group.





# Cookie Decorating Contest

Thursday, July 17th

10:00 AM

Free Stage

Superintendent: Linda Van Donselaar

- **Registration Time: Begins at 9:30 a.m.**

- **Age Groups:**
- **2-3 years**
- **4-6 years**
- **7-9 years**
- **10-12 years**
- **13-16 years**

**Decorating Time:**

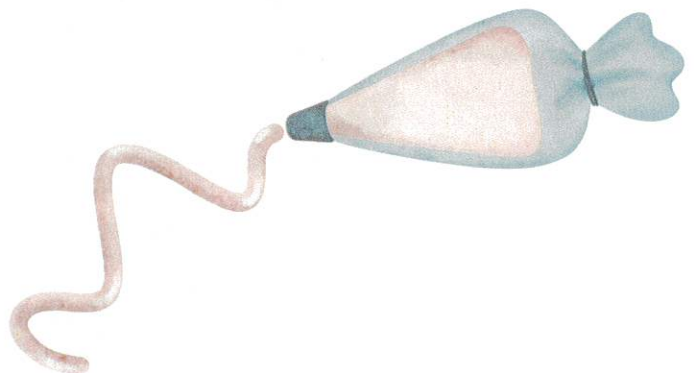
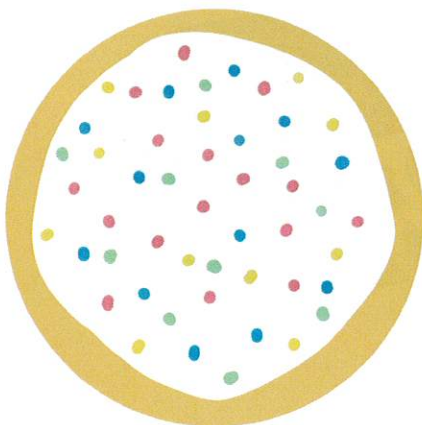
- **Each child will have a set amount of time to decorate their cookie.**

**Judging Criteria:**

- **Cookies will be judged by age category based on neatness and originality.**

**Awards:**

- **Ribbons will be awarded to all participants.**
- **A trophy will be awarded to the overall winner in each age group.**



# **Cookie Stacking Contest**

## **Friday, July 18th**

### **9:00 AM**

### **Free Stage**

**Superintendent: Kathleen Rempe**

**0-3 Years Old**  
**4-6 Years Old**  
**7 to 9 Years Old**  
**10 to 12 Years Old**  
**13 Years Old & Up**

- **Time Limit:** Contestants have 30 seconds to build the highest single stack of cookies.
- **Cookie Organization:** Cookies must not be pre-arranged before stacking begins.
- **No Supports or Adhesives:** No adhesives, supports, or pyramid structures are allowed in the stack.
- **Cookie Integrity:** Cookies cannot be broken or twisted apart during the competition.
- **Final Stand Test:** At the end of the 30 seconds, contestants must remove their hands, and the stack must remain standing on its own for three seconds.
- **Knockdown Rule:** If a child's stack is knocked over by another stack during the 30-second wait time, it will still count. If it is knocked down during the actual stacking, the competition will restart.
- **Awards:** Trophies will be given out in each category.



# **Lego Masterpiece Contest**

## **Friday, July 18th**

### **1:00 PM**

### **Free Stage**

**Superintendent: MaKayla Stittsworth**

**Registration: Begins 30 minutes before the contest start time.**

#### **Age Groups:**

**4 to 6 Years Old**

**7 to 9 Years Old**

**10 to 12 Years Old**

#### **Rules:**

**Each participant will receive Legos.**

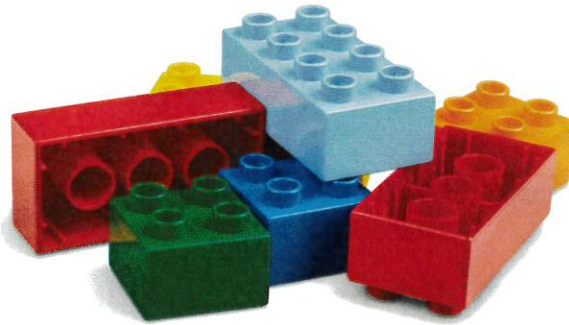
**You will have 20 minutes to create your Lego "masterpiece."**

**Be creative — build anything you like, such as a house, barn, food item, or something imaginative!**

**Judging will be based on appearance and creativity.**

**Ribbons will be awarded to all participants**

**A trophy will be awarded to the overall winner in each age group.**



## **Civics Quiz**

**Kids & Adults**

**Free Stage**

**Friday, July 18th**

**3:00 PM**

**Family Look-Alike Contest**  
**All Ages Welcome**  
**Friday, July 18th**  
**Registration: 5:00 PM**  
**Contest Start: 5:30PM**  
**Free Stage**

**Contest Categories:**

Participants can enter in one or more of the following categories:

- Father/Son
  - Father/Daughter
  - Mother/Son
  - Mother/Daughter
  - Cousins
  - Brother/Brother
  - Sister/Sister
  - Sister/Brother
- Judging Criteria:**

Judges will evaluate contestants based on how much they look alike.

**Additional Information:**

- Contestants are encouraged to dress alike to enhance their chances of winning.
- A trophy will be awarded to the winner of each category.





# **DIAPER DERBY**

**Saturday, July 19- 9:00 AM**

**Location- Free Stage**

Sponsored By: Mahaska Drug, Fareway & Modern Floor

## **Age Groups:**

Crawlers

Walkers

## **RULES:**

All contestants must be less than two years of age as of July 19, 2025.

Contestants can register the day of the contest beginning at 8:30 am.

Contestant can enter only one of the two categories—crawler or walker.  
(If a contestant in the crawler category walks, they will be disqualified.)

Contestant cannot be touched once the race begins.

First contestant to completely cross the finish line will be declared the winner.

Prizes will be awarded to every contestant.

First Place trophy awarded to the winner of each category. Second and Third Place ribbons will be awarded in each category.

Decision of judges will be final



**DECORATED DIAPER CONTEST**  
**Saturday, July 19 - 9:00 AM**  
**(Following the Diaper Derby Contest)**  
Sponsored By: Mahaska Drug, Fareway  
& Modern Floor

**CATEGORIES:**

**Most Creative**

**Decorated Diaper**

**Best Use of Theme Diaper– Barn To Be Wild**

**RULES:**

All contestants must be less than two years of age as of July 19, 2025.  
All contestants must be in decorated diaper attire, disposable or cloth.  
(You may design a costume to coordinate with the diaper, but the diaper must be visible for judging.)

Contestants register the day of the contest beginning at 8:30 am.  
Judging for the Most Creative Diaper & Best use of Theme Diaper will be based on originality of design, creativity, public appeal and overall effect.  
Contestants will be assigned a number at registration which must be clearly in view of the judges at all items during the competition.

Prizes will be awarded to each contestant.

First Place trophy awarded to the winner in each category. Second and Third Place ribbons will be awarded in each category.

Decision of the judges will be final.



# **Hula Hoop Contest**

## **Saturday, July 19th**

### **Noon**

### **Free Stage**

**Superintendent: MaKayla Stittsworth**

**This will be a timed contest to determine who can hula hoop the longest.**

**Contestants are only allowed to hula hoop around their waist.**

**The contest will have a set cut-off time, which will be announced.**

**In case of a tie, the contestants will perform an additional hula hoop trick for as long as they can to break the tie.**

#### **Age Groups:**

- **4-6 Years Old**
- **7-9 Years Old**
- **10-14 Years Old**
- **15 & Up**

#### **Prizes:**

**Trophies will be awarded to the winner of each age group!**

#### **Additional Info:**

**Hula hoops will be provided for all contestants.**





# **Ohana Kids Pedal Tractor Pull**

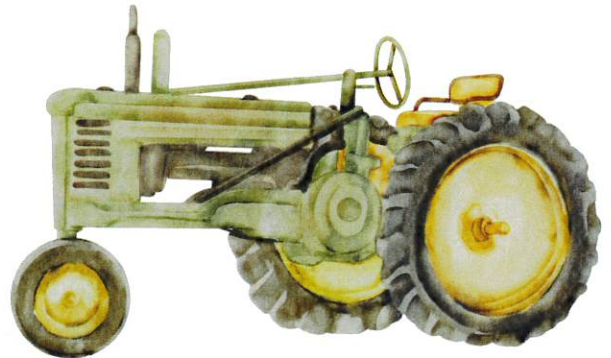
**Saturday, July 19th**

**Registration: 4:30 PM**

**Start Time: 5:00 PM**

**The Kids Pedal Power Pull is open to all children ages 4 to 11.**

**This is a state-sanctioned event, and the top two finishers in each age group will qualify for the Iowa State Pedal Pull Championship.**





**The Garfield Boosters 4-H Club will be serving homemade ice cream in the antique tractor area on Wednesday, July 16th & Thursday, July 17th. Start Time: 6 PM & serving until they run out of ice cream.**



# Lazer Alley Inflatables



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## SOUTHERN IOWA FAIRGROUND RULES



All motorized wheelchairs will be accepted and permitted upon the grounds.

Golf carts, ATVs, Rangers and similar vehicles of conveyances shall be limited to fair personnel, staff & antique tractor area workers. There shall be no public use of said vehicles on the fairgrounds while the fair is in session, except as may be permitted reference grandstand activities in which such vehicles are employed.

The restriction reference golf carts, ATVS, Rangers and similar vehicles is placed in our policy due to congestion which occurs in the traffic area of the fairgrounds and is intended for protection of the public and public safety and is not in any manner discriminatory nor intended to be discriminatory against any person suffering physical or mental disabilities.



# **37th Annual Southern Iowa Fair Tractor, Farm Equipment & Engine Display July 14-19th**

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## OPEN BUCKET/BOTTLE SHOW

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**Exhibitors must be Non 4-H Members 5-9 years old.**

**Exhibitors May Only Show 1 Species**

**Entry Deadline- May 15, 2025**

- ❖ Bucket Bottle Calves- Born after February 1, 2025
- ❖ Bucket Bottle Lambs- Born after January 1, 2025
- ❖ Bucket Bottle Goats- Born after January 1, 2025

**Show Date & Time- Saturday, July 19th- 2:00 PM**

- Bring your calf, lamb or goat for the whole week of the fair.  
or
- Show & Go- Bring your animal on show day and leave right after the show

**Check-in will be on show day starting at 12:30 PM**

Registration paperwork can be found by visiting [www.southerniowafair.com](http://www.southerniowafair.com)





**2025 SOUTHERN IOWA FAIR**

# **BILL RILEY TALENT SEARCH**



**SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025**

**Check-In**

**4:00 PM**

**Show**

**5:00 PM**

**615 N I Street, Oskaloosa**

**Located in the Free Stage Building**

**Talent Show Rules & Entry Form available at**

**[www.southerniowafair.com](http://www.southerniowafair.com)**

**Sprouts: Ages 2-12 & Seniors: Ages 13-21**

**A QUALIFYING ACT IN EACH DIVISION WILL ADVANCE TO THE  
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# FAIR WEEK EVENING EVENTS



## **THURSDAY, JULY 17**

SPRINT INVADERS WITH  
STOCK CARS & HOBBY STOCKS

## **MONDAY, JULY 14**

QUEEN CONTEST  
JACK POT BARREL RACE

## **FRIDAY, JULY 18**

JOSH ROSS WITH SPECIAL  
GUEST NICK RYAN

## **TUESDAY, JULY 15**

KEVIN HORNER-  
VENTRILOQUIST

## **SATURDAY, JULY 19**

REDNECK RALLY TRAILER  
RACES & MORE

## **WEDNESDAY, JULY 16**

CALEB HAMMOND  
MEMORIAL RACE

## **SUNDAY, JULY 20**

GOSPEL CONCERT-  
HILLSONG MINISTRIES  
& TRUE LOVE QUARTET



**SOUTHERN IOWA FAIR- OSKALOOSA**

**THURSDAY, JULY 17, 2025**

**7:00 PM**



**WHO:**

Persons with an intellectual and/or developmental disability age 10 years & older. Each participant will be paired with 1-2 youth mentors and a tame pig.

**WHAT:**

Bacon Buddies® participants will have the opportunity to experience showing a pig. The judge will assess how the mentors, participant & pig work together as a cohesive unit. All participants will receive an award, t-shirt & a parking pass.

**Timeline:**

6:30 PM- Mentors, Pig & Participant Meet & Greet

6:50 PM- Group Picture ( All participants & mentors)

7:00 PM- Bacon Buddies® Swine Show Begins

**Registration Deadline- June 20, 2025**

REGISTRATION FORM- [WWW.SOUTHERNIOFAIR.COM](http://WWW.SOUTHERNIOFAIR.COM)

Limited to 20 Participants – Register Early!



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