

Farm & Garden Department Superintendent: Ava Benge

General Rules

1. Entering into the Fair: Sunday, August 4, from 1:00pm to 7:00pm Monday, August 5, from 7:00am to 1:00pm Entry application must accompany each exhibit No late entries will be accepted

2. Exhibitors having 10 or more entries are encouraged to pre-register. Entry Forms will be accepted at the Extension Office until Friday, August 2nd, 2019.

3. All products must have been grown during the 2019 season with the exception of nuts which can be from the previous year.

4. Entry Fee: \$1.00 per entry for the first three entries. Please keep receipt from other entries to avoid additional entry fee charges.

- 5. Junior: 19 and under- Must designate on Entry form the appropriate classes.
- 6. All products must have been grown by the individual making the entry.
- 7. No Exhibitor will be allowed in the department during judging.
- 8. Additional classes may be added at the discretion of the superintende
- 9. Adult and Junior entries will be judged separately.
- 10. Premiums on all classes: 1st- \$2.00; 2nd- \$1.00
- 11. Best of Show Adults and Juniors Premium: \$5.00
- 12. There is a premium cap set at \$25.00.

13. Premiums will be given on Sunday, August 11th, 2019 in the Yucca Building from 8am to 1pm. Any premiums not collected during this time will be forfeited.

Division 1—Field Crops

Class

- 01. One stalk of cotton02. Corn, white, dent (5 ears)03. Corn, yellow, dent (5 ears)
- 04. Popcorn (5 ears)
- 05. Corn, any other variety (5 ears)
- 06. Grain Sorghum, red (5 heads)
- 07. Grain Sorghum, white (5 heads)
- 08. Grain Sorghum, yellow (5 heads)
- 09. Hegari (5 heads)

Division 2 - Vegetables

- Class
- 01. Beans, Snap, Green (12 pods) 02. Beans, Snap, Yellow (12 pods) 03. Beans, Green, Lima (12 pods)
- 04. Beets, Table (5 roots without tops)



- 10. Alfalfa, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center band)
- 11. Sudan (bundle 3" to 5" at center band)
- 12. Sweet Sorghum, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 13. Grain Sorghum, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 14. Sheaf forage, any variety (bundle 3" to 5" at center)
- 15. Sunflowers (1 head)
- 05. Cabbage, salad (1 head)06. Cabbage, Kraut (1 head)07. Carrots, (6 roots without tops)08. Cauliflower (1 head)

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- 09. Corn (5 ears in husk, do not cut tips)
- 10. Cucumbers, Slicing (3 fruits 4" min) 47
- 11. Cucumbers, Pickling (6 fruits 4" max)
- 12. Eggplant (1 fruit)
- 13. Lettuce, head (1 head w/wrapper leaves)
- 14. Muskmelons, Cantaloupe (1 fruit)
- 15. Muskmelons, Casaba (1 fruit)
- 16. Muskmelons, Honey Dew (1 fruit)
- 17. Muskmelons, any other variety (1 fruit)
- 18. Okra (6 pods)
- 19. Onions, White Globe (3 mature bulbs)
- 20. Onions, White Flat (3 mature bulbs)
- 21. Onions, Yellow Globe (3 mature bulbs)
- 22. Onions, Yellow Flat (3 mature bulbs)
- 23. Onions, Red, any type (3 mature bulbs)
- 24. Onions, Green (12 plants, roots and tops not trimmed)
- 25. Peas, Green, Black eyed (12 pods)
- 26. Peas, Green, Crowder (12 pods)
- 27. Peas, Green, any other variety (12 pods)
- 28. Pepper, Green, Bell (3 fruits)
- 29. Pepper, Red, not dry, Bell (3 fruits)
- 30. Pepper, Green, Chile (5 fruits)
- 31. Pepper, Red, not dry, Chile (5 fruits)
- 32. Pepper, Yellow, Long, Chile (5 fruits)
- 33. Pepper, Small, Green, Serrano type (5 fruits)
- 34. Pepper, Small, Red, Serrano type (5 fruits)
- 35. Pepper, Yellow, Small, pungent type (5 fruits)
- 36. Pepper, Green, Cherry type (5 fruits)
- 37. Pepper, Red, Cherry type (5 fruits)
- Division 3 Herbs

All herbs shall consist of a bundle of 5 stems. May be fresh or dried (current season) specimens. Fresh specimens should be brought in a small water filled container.

- Class
- 01. Dill
- 02. Sage
- 03. Sweet Basil
- 04. Rosemary
- 05. Borage 06. Thyme

Division 4—Fruit & Nuts

Three specimens unless otherwise noted. 2018 Changes to nuts, exhibit to be split into 3 equal parts: 1/3 whole nut, 1/3 cracked and 1/3 shelled, use your artistic imagination to display.

Class

- 01. Apples, any variety, red
- 02. Apples, any variety, yellow
- 03. Grapes, white (3 bunches)
- 04. Grapes, purple (3 bunches)
- 05. Nectarines, any variety
- 06. Peaches, yellow freestone 07. Peaches, yellow clingstone
- 08. Peaches, white freestone
- 09. Peaches, white clingstone
- 10. Plums, any variety (5 fruits)

- 38. Pepper, Small, Green, Jalapeno (5 fruits)
- 39. Potatoes, Irish, White (5 tubers)
- 40. Potatoes, Irish, Red (5 tubers)
- 41. Potatoes, Sweet, any variety (5 tubers)
- 42. Pumpkins, Field (one)
- 43. Pumpkins, Sugar or Pie (one)
- 44. Pumpkins, Cushaw (one)
- 45. Radishes, red Globe type (10 roots without tops)
- 46. Radishes, Long White icicle type (10 roots without tops)
- 47. Rhubarb (3 stalks)
- 48. Squash, White Summer (3 fruits)
- 49. Squash, Yellow Summer (3 fruits)
- 50. Squash, Italian green type (3 fruits)
- 51. Squash, Italian yellow type (3 fruits)
- 52. Squash, Spaghetti type (1 fruit)
- 53. Squash, Winter, Acorn (3 fruits)
- 54. Squash, Winter, Banana (1 fruit)
- 55. Squash, Winter, Hubbard (1 fruit)
- 56. Squash, Winter, Turban (1 fruit)
- 57. Squash, Winter, any other variety (1 fruit)
- 58. Tomatoes, red commercial (3 fruits)
- 59. Tomatoes, Cherry (5 fruits)
- 60. Tomatoes, pasta (Italian) (3 fruits)
- 61. Tomatoes, Green (3 fruits)
- 62. Turnips, any variety (3 roots without leaves)
- 63. Watermelon, long type, any variety (1 fruit)
- 64. Watermelon, round type, any variety (1 fruit)
- 65. Ornamental Gourds (3 fruits)

07. Spearmin 08. Lovage

09. Oregano

11. Any Other

10. Garlic



- 11. Pears, any variety
 - 12. Pecans, in hull (1 quart)
 - 13. Walnuts, in hull (1 quart)

Division 5 – Adult Garden Exhibit

Section A

- 1. A collection of five (5) or more different products grown in Exhibitor's own 2018 garden.
- 2. Quantity of each variety should consist of at least half the amount required as single item exhibits in this department or 1 whole item.
- 3. Exhibitor must arrange exhibit using a basket, crate, tray or plate, container is not to exceed 2'X2'X6" in size.

| 4. Judging Criteria: | |
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| Quality of products | 50 points |
| Number of varieties | 25 points |
| Arrangement | 25 points |
| TOTAL | 100 points |
| 5. Premiums: 1st- \$5.00; 2nd- \$ | 64.00; 3rd- \$2.00 |

<u>Section B</u>- ShoeBox Exhibit

Exhibit in decorated shoebox

- 1. A single vegetable but any variety of that vegetable
- 2. Veggies should mostly fit in box.
- 3. Judged on overall attractiveness.



Division 6 - Herb Basket

- 1. A collection of five (5) or more different herbs.
- 2. Quantity submitted for each should be five (5) stems, dried, and tied in a bundle.
- 3. Must be arranged in a basket, tray or plate not to exceed 12" X 18" approximately in size.
- 4. Judging Criteria for Division V will be used.
- 5. Premiums: 1st- \$5.00 2nd- \$4.00 3rd- \$2.00

Division 7 – Junior Garden Exhibit

Section A

- 1. This division is open to Lea County youth from the ages of 9-19.
- 2. The exhibit shall be made up of a collection of 4 or more different products grown in Exhibitors own 2016 garden.
- 3. Quantity of each variety should consist of enough to make an attractive display.
- 4. The vegetables must be in a basket or tray not to exceed 2'X2'X6".
- 5. Premiums: 1st- \$5.00; 2nd- \$4.00; 3rd- \$2.00; 4th- \$2.00; 5th- \$1.00
- Section B, Shoebox exhibit. See Adult comments

Scoreboard for Judging: Same criteria as adult except for number of varieties

AdultFarm & Garden Award

Criteria:

- 1. Must enter at least three divisions in Farm and Garden Department.
- 2. Maximum eligible points in each division are nine, points determined as followed:
- 1st place—3 points; 2nd place—2 points; 3rd place—1 point

3. If no entrant meets the minimum required three divisions the Superintendent will make the appropriate adjustment in requirements.

Junior Farm & Garden Award

Criteria:

- 1. Same as adult except will only require a minimum of two divisions.
- 2. In case of any ties the Judge and Superintendent will break the tie.



Farm and Garden Department Entry Form

THIS FORM IS FOR THE FARM & GARDEN DEPARTMENT ONLY! PHOTOCOPIES MAY BE MADE IF MORE ENTRY SPACE IS NEEDED.

Name of Exhibitor: _____ Contact No: _____
 Address:
 ______ City:
 _____ Zip:

 Adult Entry
 Junior Entry

| DIVISION (Field Crops, Vegetables, Herbs, Fruits & Nuts Herb Basket, Adult or Junior Garden Exhibit) | CLASS NUMBER | DESCRIPTION | OFFICE USE |
|--|-----------------|-------------|---------------|
| Vegetables | 07 | Carrots | |
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MAIL OR FAX PreENTRIES TO: Lea County Extension Service, 101 B South Commercial, Lovington, NM 88260. Phone #: (575) 396-2819 Fax #: (575) 396-2971

ALL PRE-ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY July 26, 2019