

DEPARTMENT 4

VEGETABLES & FIELD CROPS

4



Superintendents
Lisa Houston
 208-457-1201
Victoria Winkler
 208-755-9788

Schedule of Events

August 5 - Monday

5 pm Last day to pre-enter online or drop off entry form in Office

August 12 & 13 – Monday & Tuesday

2 – 7 pm Tags for pre-entered exhibits are available for pick up in the Fair Office

August 19 – Monday

4 – 7 pm Bring new or pre-entries to the fairgrounds (under the grandstands)

August 20 – Tuesday

7am – 12pm Bring new or pre-entries to the fairgrounds (under the grandstands)

2 pm Judging begins (building closed)

August 26 – Monday

3 – 7 pm Entries can be removed

General Rules for Vegetables & Field Crops

- Limit **one** entry per class per exhibitor.
- **Must be 18 or older to enter.**
Youth register in Department 18, but enter exhibits Under the Grandstands.
- Please only pre-enter classes you know you have an entry for, if you are unsure wait and enter when you bring in all your entries.
- Superintendents are authorized to dispose of any entry in this department when it becomes unsightly or spoiled.
- Tomatoes – Enter in Department 2 – Fruits, Edible Herbs & Nuts

NEW We invite all community members to get involved so we want to offer that opportunity without the nerves and intimidation that potential exhibitors may have.

When updating your personal information please make note if you could be considered an exhibitor in the special needs/other circumstances category, or are a first time exhibitor. We won't request any information, but trust that exhibitors are mindful and honest when entering. Exhibits will still be entered in classes listed with the limit of one entry per class; however, they will also be judged for top special entry and top first time entry.

What the Judges look for with Vegetables & Field Crops

- **Quality:** In best & prime eating condition, not necessarily the biggest
- **Condition:** Clean, free from blemishes & disease
- **Uniformity:** All specimens uniform in size, ripeness, shape & color
- **Typical of Variety:** Varieties should be identified

VEGETABLES

Division 04A

BEANS

- Long, good color, stems on, unwashed, wiped clean.
- Five pods constitute an entry.

CLASS

- 01** Bush beans, any
- 02** Pole beans, any
- 03** Purple beans
- 04** Wax beans
- 05** Green shell beans
- 06** Bean variety not listed, identify

BEETS

- Leave 1" top and tails on, unwashed, wiped clean
- Five beets constitute an entry

CLASS

- 07** Table beets
- 08** Cylindra beets
- 09** Beet variety not listed, identify

CABBAGE

- Semi-peeled, solid, disease and damage-free, stem cut off
- One head constitute an entry

CLASS

- 10** Early cabbage
- 11** Late cabbage
- 12** Red cabbage
- 13** Oriental cabbage
- 14** Cabbage variety not listed, identify

CARROTS

- Uniform, good color, 1" top, unwashed, wiped clean
- Three carrots constitute an entry

CLASS

- 15** Long slender carrots, table variety, over 6"
- 16** Nantus carrots, table variety
- 17** Carrot variety not listed, identify

CORN

- Remove husks, 1/2" stem, do not trim top
- Three ears constitute an entry

CLASS

- 18** Yellow corn
- 19** White corn
- 20** Bicolor corn
- 21** Corn variety not listed, identify

CORN STALK

- 1 stalk constitutes an entry
- Must be in bucket with the root intact
- You may leave ears intact

CLASS

- 22** Tallest corn stalk

CUCUMBERS

- Uniform, 1/2" stem
- Three cucumbers constitute an entry, unless otherwise specified

CLASS

- 23 Pickling cucumber, greater than 3"
- 24 Pickling cucumber, between 2-3", five
- 25 Slicing cucumber, greater than 5"
- 26 Lemon cucumbers
- 27 Cucumber variety not listed, identify, one

EGGPLANT

- Wiped clean, 1" stem, stem leaves remain on produce
- One eggplant constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 28 Standard eggplant (Black Beauty)
- 29 Asian eggplant
- 30 Long purple eggplant
- 31 Eggplant variety not listed, identify

GARLIC BULBS & OTHER ALLIUM

CLASS

- 32 Soft neck garlic, three heads, dry, roots on, 1" top, peel only to clean
- 33 Hard neck garlic, three heads, dry, roots on, 1" top, peel only to clean
- 34 Elephant garlic, three heads, dry, roots on, 1"-2" top, peel only to clean
- 35 Shallots, five, dry, roots on, 1" top, peel only to clean
- 36 Allium variety not listed, identify, three

HORSERADISH

- 3 roots constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 37 Horseradish

KOHLRABI

- Spikes not less than 1" or greater than 2"
- Three kohlrabi constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 38 White kohlrabi
- 39 Purple kohlrabi
- 40 Largest kohlrabi

ONIONS

- Uniform, dried, roots on, peel to clean, 2" top
- Three onions constitute an entry, unless otherwise specified

CLASS

- 41 Red onions
- 42 White onions
- 43 Yellow onions
- 44 Walla Walla onions
- 45 Scallions & green (bunching) onions, five with 6" tops
- 46 Onion variety not listed, identify

PEPPERS

- Uniform, proper color, 1" stem
- Three peppers constitute an entry, unless otherwise specified

CLASS

- 47 Sweet bell peppers
- 48 Sweet pepper variety not listed, identify

- 49 Hot peppers, over 4", identify
- 50 Hot peppers, under 4", identify, five
- 51 Banana peppers
- 52 Anaheim peppers
- 53 Hungarian wax peppers
- 54 Pepper variety not listed, identify

POTATOES

- Ten potatoes constitute an entry; display boxes will be furnished by the Fair.
- Potatoes should be uniform in size, with size reflecting variety. Overgrown tubers should not be entered.
- Potatoes shall show variety characteristics, be free from blemishes, sunburn, scab, pits, bruises and, disease.
- Skin must be unbroken, washed clean, and not polished.

CLASS

- 55 Blue potato, any variety
- 56 Kennebec/Shepody potato
- 57 Russet potato, e.g., Idaho Russet Netted Gem
- 58 Norgold/Norkotah potato
- 59 Pontiac potato
- 60 Yukon Gold potato
- 61 Red potato variety not listed, identify
- 62 White potato variety not listed, identify
- 63 Fingerling potato, any variety
- 64 Potato variety not listed, identify

POTATO GIFT PACK

- An individual entry shall consist of three different varieties of four potatoes each, displayed in a basket as a gift.
- Entry shall be judged 40% on container and 60% on quality.

CLASS

- 65 Potato gift pack

PUMPKINS & GOURDS

- Mature, good color, 1" to 2" stem
- One pumpkin or gourd constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 66 Pumpkin
- 67 Petite pumpkin
- 68 Gourd
- 69 Petite gourd

RHUBARB

- Pulled, 1" leaf

CLASS

- 70 Rhubarb, five stalks

SUMMER SQUASH

- Skin penetrable by fingernail, 1" stem
- One summer squash constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 71 Crooked neck squash
- 72 Scallop squash
- 73 Yellow squash
- 74 Zucchini, under 10" length
- 75 Zucchini, over 10" length
- 76 Zucchini, by weight
- 77 Other zucchini, identify
- 78 Summer squash variety not listed, identify

WINTER SQUASH

- Hardened shell, 1 to 2" stem
- One winter squash constitutes an entry

CLASS

- 79 Acorn squash
- 80 Buttercup squash
- 81 Butternut squash
- 82 Hubbard squash
- 83 Spaghetti squash
- 84 Winter squash variety not listed, identify

MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLES

CLASS

- 85 Broccoli, one head
- 86 Cauliflower, one head
- 87 Kale, 3 stalks, in water
- 88 Okra, five pods
- 89 Parsnips, 1" top, unwashed, wiped clean, five
- 90 Peas, edible pod (e.g., snow, sugar snap), ten pods
- 91 Peas, non-edible pod, ten pods
- 92 Radishes, red, 1" top, unwashed, wiped clean, five
- 93 Radishes, white, 1" top, unwashed, wiped clean, five
- 94 Swiss chard, five stalks
- 95 Turnips, 1" top, unwashed, wiped clean, five
- 96 Miscellaneous vegetable variety not listed, identify, one

VEGETABLE COMBINATIONS

- Entry consists of your choice of five varieties of vegetables. Tomatoes may be used.
- **LIST VARIETIES ON ENTRY TAG AND DISPLAY IN YOUR OWN CONTAINER. EXHIBITORS ARE ENCOURAGED TO USE NON-BREAKABLE CONTAINER.**
- Presentation: 70%

CLASS

- 97 Salad bowl
- 98 Vegetable soup
- 99 Stir fry favorites

VEGETABLE ODDITIES

CLASS

- 100 Vegetable oddity, one sample

LARGEST VEGETABLE

CLASS

- 101 Largest vegetable, by girth

FIELD CROPS

Division 04B

HAY

- A tied flake of hay

CLASS

- 102 Alfalfa hay
- 103 Alfalfa and grass hay
- 104 Grass hay
- 105 Oat hay
- 106 Hay other than listed, identify

GRAINS & HOPS

- One sheaf of mature, unharvested grain constitutes an entry
- Neatly bound in 3 places with white string only
- Compact, minimum of 3" in diameter below the heads

CLASS

- 107 Wheat, any, identify variety, not less than 28" in length
- 108 Barley, any, identify variety, not less than 24" in length
- 109 Oats, any, identify variety, not less than 28" in length
- 110 Hops, any, identify variety, min length of vine 5" with leaves and cones
- 111 Grain other than listed, identify variety, not less than 28" in length

2019 SPECIAL CONTESTS

Division 04C

ADULT VEGGIE CREATURE CONTEST

Entries will be displayed Under the Grandstands

Rules: All materials used must be a form of a fruit, vegetables, or field crop. Use of toothpicks to hold creature together is allowed, no glues or other adhesive is allowed. For youth Veggie Creature Contest, see Department 18-Class 47.

CLASS

- 112 Adult Veggie Creature Contest

