Jackson County Fair
July 15-18, 2024

Open Class Edition
2024 MAJOR FAIR CHANGES

- Self-Determined – Class 707 – Exhibit size is 2x4

CORRECT LABELING

Exhibitor Card

Open class exhibitors can go out to http://www.fairentry.com to register for the fair. If this is done, the preprinted exhibitor cards will be provided by the Extension office at the fair.

Exhibitor cards (to be filled out by hand) can be picked up at the Extension office or at the fair information table out at the fair.

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The Meadowlark District exhibits are judged using the Danish Ribbon system where the exhibit is judged against a “standard.” Exhibits are placed in ribbon categories based upon how they compare to the standard. Superior exhibits will receive purple ribbons when appropriate. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons will be awarded in divisions if deemed worthy by the judge and if the exhibit is at a blue ribbon level or above.

**Purple**

These are outstanding exhibits, in a category, that were considered for the champion rosettes. Exhibits exceed the standards of the project. This is as high of quality work as can be done, with nearly no improvements noted.

**Blue**

The exhibit meets standards and expectations of the project. Exhibit shows high-quality work and needs little or no improvement. Excellent exhibit.

**Red**

The “base” placing. The exhibit meets most standards and expectations of the project. The exhibit shows high-quality work; however, some improvements can be made in workmanship, design or expression. Good exhibit.

**White**

The exhibit meets few standards and expectations of the project. The exhibit can be improved in workmanship, design or knowledge shared about the project. White is often the exhibit where much learning takes place.

**Champion Rosette**

(Purple)

The top exhibit as determined by the judge in a category. A category may be a class, age group within a class or a sub-group within division.

**Reserve Champion Rosette**

(Lavender)

The second place exhibit as determined by the judge in a category. A category may be a class, age group within a class or a sub-group within division.
2024 Jackson County Fair
Schedule of Events

MONDAY, JUNE 24
5:00 PM  - 4-H & FFA Pre-Entries due online
          - Horse Show, NE KS Heritage Complex

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3
5:00 PM  - Dog Show, NE KS Heritage Building

TUESDAY, JULY 9
9:00 AM  - Consultation Judging for Visual Arts,
            Photography, Heritage Arts & Crafts, Clothing
            & Style Revue and Table Settings at Holton
            Elementary School
9:00 AM  - Bucket Calf Consultation

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10
3:00 - 5:00 PM - Pre-register Open Class Quilts at the NE KS
                 Heritage Complex

FRIDAY, JULY 12
10:00 AM - Open Class Quilt Judging at NE KS Heritage
           Complex
7:30 PM  - Jackson County Rodeo @ NE KS Heritage
           Arena

SATURDAY, JULY 13
9:00 AM  - Fair Set Up
Noon - 4:00 PM - Shopping in Style Display Setup
7:30 PM  - Jackson County Rodeo @ NE KS Heritage
           Arena

SUNDAY, JULY 14
Anytime  - Decorate Hay Bales
Noon - 5:00 PM - Shopping in Style Display Setup
4:00 – 6:00 PM - Woodworking & Pre-Fair Judged Building
                 Exhibits Check-In - 4-H & FFA
4:00 - 6:00 PM - Livestock Unloading
5:30 – 6:30 PM - Market Goat & Sheep Weigh-In/Check-In
6:00 PM  - Hay Bale Display Judging
6:30 PM  - Goat & Sheep Meeting in Barn
6:00 - 7:00 PM - Open Class Exhibit Check-In
6:00 - 7:00 PM - All Poultry and Rabbits Check-In
SUNDAY, JULY 14 (cont.)
7:00 PM  - Beef Meeting in Barn
7:00 - 8:00 PM  - Beef Weigh-In/Scanning/Check-In

MONDAY, JULY 15
All Day  - Chainsaw Carving Demonstrations
7:50 AM  - Swine Meeting in Barn
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM  - Swine Weigh-In
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM  - 4-H Building Exhibits Check-In
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM  - Open Class Exhibits Check-In
8:30 AM  - 4-H Foods Judging Begins
9:00 AM  - Rabbit Show
9:30 AM  - 4-H Food Sale Begins
Noon  - Open Class Exhibits Judging Begins
1:00 PM  - 4-H Building Exhibits Judging Begins
2:00 PM  - Poultry Show
3:00 PM  - 4-H Ambassadors Spin the Wheel (building)
3:30 PM  - Holton Recorder - photos of Food Champions
5:00 PM  - Meat Goat & Sheep Shows

*Sheep Show will start 15 min. after Meat Goat Show*
5:30 - 6:45 PM  - Kiddie Tractor Pull Registration
6:00 PM  - 4-H Food Auction
7:00 PM  - Farm Bureau Kiddie Tractor Pull

TUESDAY, JULY 16
8:30 AM  - Swine Show
11:00 AM  - 4-H Ambassadors Spin the Wheel (barn)
3:00 PM  - Holton Recorder - Photos Champion Exhibits
3:00 PM  - 4-H Ambassadors Spin the Wheel (building)
5:00 PM  - Beef Show

*Livestock Intent to Sale Deadline - 30 minutes after the Beef Show*

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17
8:00 AM  - Dairy Goats & Dairy Cattle Show
9:30 AM  - Bucket Calf Show (or following Dairy Show)
10:30 AM  - Animals on Parade (or following Bucket Calf)
11:00 AM  - 4-H Ambassadors Spin the Wheel (barn)
11:15 AM  - Pet Show - 4-H & Open Class
2:00 PM  - Barnyard Olympics with Ambassadors
5:00 PM  - Midway by Great Plains Amusement
6:00 PM  - Parade
8:00 PM  - 4-H Style Revue @ Amphitheater (or following parade)
8:30 PM  - Concert
THURSDAY, JULY 18
8:30 AM - 4-H Ambassadors Spin the Wheel (barn)
9:00 AM - Livestock Judging Contest
12:30 PM - Round Robin Showmanship Contest
2:00 PM - Set Up for Livestock Sale
2:30 PM - Check Out Livestock
6:00 PM - Building Awards Presentation (Farm Bureau Pad)
6:00 - 7:00 PM - Open Class & 4-H Exhibit Check-Out
7:00 PM - Livestock Sale (Rabbit, Poultry, Beef, Swine, Sheep & Goat)

FRIDAY, JULY 19
9:00 AM - Fair Clean-up – (All Clubs must be present)
            Pick Up Exhibits Not Picked Up Thursday Night

TUESDAY, July 16 - SATURDAY, JULY 20
5:00 PM - Midway by Great Plains Amusement

FARM BUREAU KIDDIE TRACTOR PULL
MONDAY, JULY 15
5:30 – 6:45 PM  Registration
7:00 PM        Pull Begins

PARADE

The parade will be held at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, July 17, in downtown Holton.

The Holton Rotary Club will be in charge of the 2024 Jackson County Fair Parade. If you would like to enter the parade, please contact Roger Hower at 785-364-8272.

All information on parade will be posted in The Holton Recorder closer to the date.
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Extension District Statement on Workplace Violence

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The Meadowlark Extension District is committed to maintaining a safe, supportive, civil and productive work environment that treats everyone involved with respect and dignity. It is a violation of this policy for employees or other individuals to engage in acts or threats of violence against persons or property, including acts of intimidation, harassment or other inappropriate behavior that causes fear for personal safety and/or disruption in the workplace or at any District sponsored or supported event.

Violent or disruptive behavior will not be tolerated and all reports of incidents will be taken very seriously and dealt with appropriately. Individuals who create a hostile work environment may be removed from settings and prohibited from returning.

USE OF COPYRIGHTED MATERIALS

4-H exhibitors (individual or group) should avoid using copyrighted materials whenever possible by originating his/her work. A 4-H member or group should use with caution, a copyrighted and/or trademarked product or service (a brand name, label or product). The intent of using the copyright or trademark materials for educational purposes such as an exhibit, educational poster/display or public presentation is acceptable under the “Fair Use” (legal use) provision.

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Regardless of the “Fair Use” provision, the inference that a specific name brand product is good or bad inherently or through comparison must be done cautiously, using acceptable research/comparison methods and have a statement that the results are those of the 4-H participant and not those of K-State Research and Extension.
OPEN CLASS
GENERAL RULES

CHECK-IN: Sunday, July 14, 6:00-7:00 PM & Monday, July 15, 8:00-11:00 AM
JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. Exhibitors must be bona fide residents of Jackson County, KS. Exhibits entered must be the work of the exhibitor.
2. All articles must have a green entry card giving the class number. Exhibitors should remain with their items until exhibits are properly classified and tagged.
3. All entries must be in place by 11:00 AM Monday of fair week and remain until checkout Thursday. The person picking up entries needs to sign the superintendent’s registration list.
4. Open Class food exhibits will be sold either in the 4-H food sale or food auction with proceeds going to 4-H Council scholarship fund. Decorated cakes and Champion & Reserve Champion food exhibits can be displayed.
5. Only 1 entry per class, unless noted. Articles previously exhibited at the Open Class fair are not eligible for entry.
6. Open Class exhibits will be judged using the Danish System. Exhibits are placed into four color groups (purple, blue, red & white).
7. Premium money will not be paid for amounts under $1.00. Premium checks may be picked up in at the Extension Office beginning September 2-October 31. The Fair Board reserves the right to prorate prize money.
8. Every exhibit on the fairgrounds will be under control of the fair management.
9. While every precaution will be taken for exhibit safekeeping, neither the Fair Board, its officers, Extension Office personnel, nor the Superintendents, nor Volunteers will be responsible for any loss, damage or accidents that may occur.
10. After the exhibit release time, all exhibits are to be claimed by the exhibitors. Those in charge assume no responsibility for exhibits left on the fairgrounds after the exhibit check-out-time.
11. Exhibitors should avoid using copyrighted and/or trademarked materials whenever possible by originating their own work.
1. Exhibitors may have **2 entries** per class. Items should be clean, good condition and completed since last fair.
2. “Other” means that it does not fall into the categories already listed.
3. Champion $20.00 cash award sponsored by Dee Barrow, in memory of Sharon Barrow.

**CRAFTS**
- Class 90000 - Ceramics
- Class 90001 - Made from Natural Materials
- Class 90002 - Made from Dried Flowers
- Class 90003 - Metal Work
- Class 90004 - Craft by youth, 7 years and under, write age on entry card.
- Class 90005 - Craft by youth, 8-12 year olds, write age on entry card.
- Class 90006 - Craft by youth, 13-18 year olds, write age on entry card.
- Class 90007 - Wood carving
- Class 90008 - Wood Craft
- Class 90009 - Doll costume, may be shown on a made or purchased doll
- Class 90010 - Calligraphy
- Class 90011 - Stained Glass
- Class 90012 - Leathercraft
- Class 90013 - Rubber Stamping, Item
- Class 90014 - Painted Object
- Class 90015 - Craft made by recycled item(s)
- Class 90016 - Misc. Craft
- Class 90017 - Wool Felt
- Class 90018 - Felting
- Class 90019 - Chalk Painting

**SCRAPBOOKS**
- Class 90020 - Rubber Stamping
- Class 90021 - Pet Theme Page
- Class 90022 - Baby Theme Page
- Class 90023 - Family Page
- Class 90024 - Vacation Page
- Class 90025 - Recipe Scrapbook
- Class 90026 - Holiday Page
- Class 90027 - Sports Page
- Class 90028 - Special Event Page
- Class 90029 – Album, any size
- Class 90030 – Altered Scrapbook
- Class 90031 – Other Item
- Class 90032 – Other Page
OPEN CLASS
FIELD CROPS

SUPERINTENDENTS: Barb Mattox & Blade Montgomery

JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. Crops exhibited must have been grown in CURRENT YEAR with the exception of soybean seed and edible field bean seed.
2. Exhibits should be as mature as possible.
3. Hybrid or variety name must identify every entry.

Note: all classes calling for a gallon sample may have a 2 1/2-3” diameter cylinder placed in the glass gallon container to reduce the amount of grain to about 3 quarts.

CLASS 9240 - Largest ear of Corn - 1 ear
CLASS 92400 - Corn - White - 10 ears (variety or hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92401 - Corn - Yellow - 10 ears (variety or hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92402 - Hybrid Grain Sorghum - 10 heads (hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92403 - Hybrid Forage Sorghum - 10 heads (hybrid must be named) Exhibit to consist of the entire plant, no roots.
CLASS 92404 - Other Forage Sorghum - 10 heads (variety must be named). Exhibit to consist of the entire plant, no roots.
CLASS 92405 - Wheat, Soft Red Winter Wheat - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety or hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92406 - Wheat, Hard Red Winter Wheat - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety or hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92407 - Wheat, Hard White Wheat - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety or hybrid must be named).
CLASS 92408 - Sunflowers - Confectionary Heads - 3 heads must be submitted.
CLASS 92409 - Sunflowers - Confectionary Seeds - 1-gallon clear jar must be submitted.
CLASS 92410 - Sunflowers - Oil Seed Heads - 3 heads must be submitted.
CLASS 92411 - Sunflowers - Oil Seeds - 1-gallon clear jar must be submitted.
CLASS 92412 - Oats - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety must be named).
CLASS 92413 - Barley - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety must be named).
CLASS 92414 - Alfalfa - Seed - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety must be named).
CLASS 92415 - Alfalfa Hay - one flake or slice from a rectangular bale or a 10-inch section cut from a round bale or large square bale. The flake or slice should be approximately 6 inches in thickness and tied in two directions (variety must be named)
CLASS 92416 - Native Grass Hay - 10-inch flake or slice, six inches thick and tied in two directions (variety must be named).
CLASS 92417 - Brome Grass Seed - 1-gallon sample of seed in clear jar.
CLASS 92418 - Other Tame Grass - 1-gallon sample of seed in clear jar.
CLASS 92419 - Soybeans - 1-gallon sample of seed in clear jar, from most recent harvest (variety must be named).
CLASS 92420 - Soybeans - Bundle of 5 plants from most recent harvest (variety must be named).
CLASS 92421 - Edible Field Beans - 1-gallon sample of seed from most recent harvest. (variety must be named)
CLASS 92422 - Edible Field Beans - Bundle of 5 plants from most recent harvest (variety must be named).
CLASS 92423 - Miscellaneous Crops - Exhibit to consist of one gallon sample of seed or 10 heads produced from current project (variety must be named).
CLASS 92424 - Cotton - provide 10 open bolls, not plants. Place bolls in a bag that can breathe (not a sealed plastic bag) so mold doesn’t develop.
CLASS 92425 - Corn – Exhibit to consist of one-gallon sample. Variety must be named.
CLASS 92426 - Cool Season Grass Hay (e.g. fescue, etc.): Ten-inch flake or slice, 6 inches thick and tied in two directions. Variety must be named.
CLASS 92430 - Wheat Variety Plot Displays – contact extension office for complete details.
CLASS 92440 - Weed Control Exhibit, Exhibit must consist of the four items listed in state fair book. Contact extension office for complete details.
CLASS 9110 - Red Clover Seed - 1-gallon sample in clear jar (variety must be named)
CLASS 9111 - Red Clover - one flake or slice from a rectangular bale or a 10-inch section cut from a round bale or large square bale. The flake or slice should be approximately 6 inches in thickness and tied in two directions (variety must be named)

OPEN CLASS
FINE ARTS

SUPERINTENDENTS: Sandy Studebaker & Kelli Brock

JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. Only 1 entry per class or 2 entries – 16”x20” or 14”x18” or 3 entries – 11”x14” or smaller.
2. Items should be clean, good condition & completed since last fair.
3. Artwork must have a wire hanger attached in order to be displayed and will not be accepted for show if wire hanger not provided.
4. Professional: Those who teach or make a practice of selling art.

OIL PAINTING: Animals & Birds
Class 90042 - 18 years & under
Class 90043 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90044 - 65 years and up
Class 90045 - Professional

OIL PAINTING: Landscapes
Class 90046 - 18 years & under
Class 90047 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90048 - 65 years and up
Class 90049 – Professional

OIL PAINTING: Other
Class 90050 - 18 years & under
Class 90051 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90052 - 65 years and up
Class 90053 – Professional

OIL PAINTING: Florals
Class 90054 - 18 years & under
Class 90055 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90056 - 65 years and up
Class 90057 – Professional

OIL PAINTING: Still Life
Class 90082 - 18 years & under
Class 90083 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90084 - 65 years and up
Class 90085 – Professional

OIL PAINTING: Seascapes
Class 90086 - 18 years & under
Class 90087 - 19 to 64 year olds
Class 90088 - 65 years and up
Class 90089 – Professional
**PASTEL: Oil or Chalk**  
Class 90058 - 18 years & under  
Class 90059 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90060 - 65 years and up  
Class 90061 – Professional  

**WATERCOLOR**  
Class 90062 - 18 years & under  
Class 90063 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90064 - 65 years and up  
Class 90065 – Professional  

**CHARCOAL, PEN INK, PENCIL**  
Class 90066 - 18 years & under  
Class 90067 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90068 - 65 years and up  
Class 90069 – Professional  

**ACRYLIC**  
Class 90070 - 18 year & under  
Class 90071 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90072 - 65 years and up  
Class 90073 – Professional  

**MIXED MEDIUM**  
Class 90074 - 18 years & under  
Class 90075 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90076 - 65 years and up  
Class 90077 – Professional  

**THREE DIMENSIONAL**  
Class 90078 – 18 years & under  
Class 90079 - 19 to 64 year olds  
Class 90080 - 65 years and up  
Class 90081 - Professional  

**OPEN CLASS FLOWER SHOW**  

**SUPERINTENDENTS:** Rose Jennings, Sharon Arnold & Donna McNicholas  

**JUDGING:** Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

**Special Rules:** (Decisions of the judge will be final.)

1. 4-H flowers will be judged separately.
2. Entries are open to all amateur gardeners.
3. All cut flowers should be in clear glass containers & ready for exhibition when brought to the hall.
4. All exhibitors should have the entry cards completed & attached to the exhibit.
5. For house plant Classes 90137-90152 the name of plant is to be included on card. Example: wizard mix Coleus.
6. One entry per class.
7. No prizes will be awarded unless the judge considers it worthy.
**Collections and Specimens**

In these exhibits, the judge shall not consider arrangement or appropriateness of containers. They shall be judged solely by excellence & freshness of blossoms, stems & foliage. Remove leaves off lower stem so that no leaves are underwater. Rose buds must be 2/3 open. Incorrect entries will not be displayed.

**Rules for Class 90122**

The cactus/succulent dish garden is a miniature landscape in an open flat container. A flower pot saucer, 2 or 3 inches deep makes a good container. Accessories in scale may be used. Include at least 5 plants and should be in the exhibitor's possession, at least 6 weeks.

**Awards**

Prizes provided by 4-Seasons Garden Club: Annuals & Perennials Champion - $20.00, Reserve Champion - $15.00, Best of Show Design Division - $20.00, Best of Show House plant - $20.00

**Collection and Specimen rule**

Collection classes consist of 5 stems of flowers with self-foliage. Specimen classes consist of 1 flower stem and self-foliage.

**ANNUALS & PERENNIALS:**

**CUT FLOWERS**

**Class 90089** - Black-eyed Susan (5)
**Class 90090** - Buddlia (Butterfly Bush) (5)
**Class 90091** - Coreopsis (5)
**Class 90092** - Cockscomb (any color) (5)
**Class 90093** - Dahlia, small (5)
**Class 90094** - Dahlia, giant (5)
**Class 90095** - Gaillardia (5)
**Class 90096** - Gladiolus a (1), b (3), 1/3 open, 1/3 partial, 1/3 tight bud
**Class 90097** - Hibiscus (1)
**Class 90098** - Hibiscus (5)
**Class 90099** - Lily-Oriental, Tiger and Asiatic, Day Lily (1)
**Class 90100** - Lily, Hemerocallis (5)
**Class 90101** - Marigold (dwarf, large) (1)
**Class 90102** - Marigold (5)
**Class 90103** - Petunias, ruffled (5)
**Class 90104** - Petunias, non-ruffled (5)
**Class 90105** - Petunias, double (5)
**Class 90106** - Phlox, hardy (5)
**Class 90107** - Purple Coneflower, a. (1), b. (5)
Class 90108 - Roses, (Red, Peach, Pink, White, Yellow, Bi-Color) (1), rose buds must be 2/3 open
Class 90109 - Roses, miniature, a. (1), b. (5), rose buds must be 2/3 open
Class 90110 - Salvia, a. Red, b. other color (5)
Class 90111 – Zinnias a. (1), b. one color (5), c. mixed (5)
Class 90112 - Zinnias a. Fantasy, b. Pompons, c. Peppermint (5)
Class 90113 - Biennial not listed (5)
Class 90114 - Annual not listed (5)
Class 90115 - Perennial not listed (5)
Class 90116 - Mixed annuals (5)
Class 90117 - Scabiossa (5)
Class 90118 - Snapdragons, one color (5)
Class 90119 - Snapdragons, mixed (5)
Class 90120 - Sunflowers, a. (1), b. (5)
Class 90121 - Verbena (5)

CHILDERN’S DIVISION
Under 14 years of age as of Jan. 1, 2023. To be grown by child except Class 90126-Wildflowers

Class 90122 - Cactus/Succulent Dish Garden
Class 90123 - Miniature Collection - 5 individually potted plants, not all in 1 container
Class 90124 - Garden Flowers grown in a pot
Class 90125 - Terrarium Garden
Class 90126 - Wildflowers assembled by child
Class 90127 - House plant cared for by child
Class 90128 – See Table Decorations

HOUSE PLANTS
Class 90137 - Airplane or spider
Class 90138 - African Violets, a. Single (any color) b. Double, c. Fringed
Class 90139 - African Violets, collection (5) (not less than 3 colors)
Class 90140 - House Plant, non-flowering, not listed
Class 90141 - Flower Box
Class 90142 - Planter
Class 90143 - Cactus
Class 90144 - Coleus, plant
Class 90145 - Coleus, collection (5) (3 or more varieties)
Class 90146 - Fern, a. Sword, b. Boston, c. Curly, d. Sprengeril
Class 90147 - Hanging Baskets, grown for foliage
Class 90148 - Hanging Baskets, flowering
Class 90149 - Ivy, a. English, b. Swedish, c. other
Class 90150 - Philodendron
Class 90151 - Succulent
Class 90152 - Herbs, 3 in a pot

JUDGES SCORE CARD FOR DESIGN DIVISION

Originality (catching judge’s eye) .......................................................... 25 points
Suitability of container ........................................................................... 25 points
Quality & Condition of flowers & foliage ............................................. 25 points
Harmony .................................................................................................. 10 points
Balance & Arrangement ........................................................................ 15 points
Total points ............................................................................................. 100 points

TABLE DECORATIONS

Class 90128 - Artificial arrangement, child under 14
Class 90153 - Centerpiece for table, a) breakfast, b) lunch, c) dinner, d) coffee
Class 90154 - Driftwood with fresh flowers
Class 90156 - Artificial arrangement, adult
Class 90158 - Arrangement in a cup and saucer
Class 90159 - Design using mirror as base
Class 90160 - Decoration of special season (Easter, Valentine's) using cut flowers
Class 90161 - Miniature arrangement using miniature flowers, not shorter than 2 inches high and not taller than 6 inches

FLOWERS IN A BASKET

Class 90162 - Arrangement, one color
Class 90163 - Arrangement, mixed colors

OPEN CLASS FOODS

SUPERINTENDENTS: Evelyn Allen & Mary Longren
JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. One entry per class. Please provide a copy of the recipe with entry. Only non-perishable products accepted.
2. For food safety purposes any food with custard & dairy based fillings and frostings (ex: cream cheese, raw eggs), flavored oils, "canned" bread or cakes in a jar, cut fresh fruit, whole fruits like blueberries,
or any food requiring refrigeration (ex: bacon) will be disqualified and not judged. Refer to K-State Research and Extension publication, 4-H 488, Judge’s Guide for Food & Nutrition Exhibits.

3. Alcohol (ex. wine, beer and hard liquor) is not allowed as an ingredient in food entries. Entries with alcohol will be disqualified and not be judged.

4. All baked goods must be left whole and uncut. Small items, such as cookies and rolls, should be the same shape and from the same recipe. Exhibit 3 cookies, 3 muffins, 3 bread sticks, 1 loaf bread, etc.

5. Under baked entries will be lowered one or more ribbon placings.

6. All unfrosted cakes should be exhibited in an upright position with crust showing except for cakes made with special designs such as Bundt cakes. They should have top crust side down.

7. Attach the entry card and recipe to the outside of the wrapped exhibit.

10. Foods NOT safe or recommended for fairs:
   - Icings & frostings made with raw eggs; cream cheese frosting; chocolate ganache; heavy cream frosting; lemon curd; fresh fruit or vegetable as garnish; dairy based fillings such as cream cheese, sour cream, or ricotta cheese; certain pies: custard, cream/meringue, fresh strawberry, chiffon pie; bread or cake baked in a canning jar; contains hard liquor, beer or wine; baked in clay flower pots, not food grade; friendship bread; bacon or meat; flavored oils left at room temperature.

Class 90170 - Loaf Quick Bread
Class 90171 - Loaf Yeast Bread
Class 90172 - Fancy Yeast Bread
Class 90173 - 3 Yeast Rolls
Class 90174 - 3 Yeast Sweet Rolls
Class 90175 - 3 No Bake Cookies
Class 90176 - 3 Drop Cookies
Class 90177 - 3 Fancy Cookies
Class 90178 - 3 Bar Cookies
Class 90179 - 3 Rolled Cookies
Class 90180 - 3 Muffins
Class 90181 - 3 Biscuits
Class 90182 - Angel Food Cake, unfrosted
Class 90183 - Sponge Cake, unfrosted
Class 90184 - Layer Cake, iced
Class 90185 - Decorated Cake-Must be a non-perishable food item (edible or non-edible). Can be a decorated box or Styrofoam. Decorated cakes will not be tasted. Only decoration will be judged. Will not be cut into.

Class 90186 - Bundt Cake
Class 90187 - Coffee Cake
Class 90188 - Fruit Pie-Pie may be baked in glass pie plate; however, it will NOT be returned as pies are sold in the 4-H food auction.

Class 90189 - Non-perishable Unique Food, 3 pieces or whole item. Ex: marshmallows, cream puff shells, rosettes, etc. Recipe required. Will be displayed during fair, not sold in food sale or auction.

Class 90190 - Candy, 3 pieces. Recipe required. Will be displayed during fair, not sold in food sale or auction.

OPEN CLASS
FOOD PRESERVATION

SUPERINTENDENT: Tina Bailey
JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. Exhibits must have been preserved since the member’s previous year’s county fair, and not been exhibited at the previous State Fair. Example: For fair date August 15, 2023 items, canned following that date can be exhibited at this year’s State Fair.

2. Recommended recipe resources include: Recipes must be from 1995-Present and must be adjusted for altitude, based on your processing location, or it will be disqualified. Disqualified methods include: open kettle-canning, oven canning, sun canning & using electric multi-cookers. Untested recipes will be disqualified for food safety reasons. Tested recipe resources include:
   - K-State Research and Extension Food Preservation publications
   - USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning
   - So Easy to Preserve, 6th edition, The University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service
   - Ball Blue Book Guide to Preserving Edition 37
   - Ball Complete Book of Home Preserving © 2015 & © 2020
   - Canning mixes (i.e. Mrs. Wage’s, Ball)
Pectin manufacturers (i.e. Sure Jell, Ball)
Other University Extension Food Preservations publications
KSRE Paid Response Center Preservation Recipes
National Center for Home Food Preservation
Ball and Kerr

Refer to following K-State Research and Extension publications for more information:

- **4H712.** Food Safety Recommendations for Food Preservation Exhibits (http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/4H712.pdf)
- **MF3170** “10 Tips for Safe Home-Canned Food” (http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3170.pdf)
- **MF3171** “Sassy Safe Salsa at Home” (http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3171.pdf)
- **MF3172** “What’s Your Elevation?” (http://www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3172.pdf)
- **MF3241** “How to Guide to Water Bath Canning and Steam Canning” (http://www.bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/pubs/MF3241.pdf)
- **MF3242** “How to Guide to Pressure Canning” (http://www.bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/pubs/MF3242.pdf)

3. Alcohol is not allowed as an ingredient in food preservation entries. Entries with alcohol will be disqualified and not be judged.

4. Each exhibit must have the complete recipe and instructions attached with the entry card or it will be disqualified. Recipe must include exhibitor name, recipe source, date of publication and altitude, where food was processed. If using Mrs. Wege’s or Ball mixes, indicate the date the mix was purchased.

5. Exhibits must be processed in clean, clear standard canning jars, with matching brand (ex: use Ball lids on Ball jars, or Kerr lids on Kerr jars, etc.) two piece lids. Do not use colored jars. Do not add fancy padded lids, fabric over wraps or cozies as they interfere with the judging process. No fancy packs unless recipe states to do so (ex: Pickled asparagus). Jars must be sealed when entered. For food safety reasons, the size of jars used must not be larger than the jar size stated in the recipe. (ex: Salsa is canned in pint jars only, no quarts). Note: There are 12 ounce, 24 ounce and 28 ounce canning jars available and may be used. Use pint jar process recommendations for 12 ounce jars. Use quart jar process recommendations for 24 ounce and 28 ounce jars.

6. Each jar exhibited must be labeled. The label must not cover brand name of jar. The label must give: Class No., Product, Altitude where processed, Canning Method (water bath, weighted gauge or dial
gauge pressure method), Process Time, Pressure (psi), date processed including month and year, Name, and County/District. Templates to make adhesive labels can be found at: https://www.kansas4-h.org/events-activities/fairs/kansas-state-fair/docs/foods-and-nutrition/Foods_Label.pdf

7. Hole punch the entry card and use a rubber band to attach the entry card and recipe around the top of the jar.

8. If dried food product is not in a canning jar, it will be lowered one ribbon rating. Suggested amount: 1/3 – 1/2 cup, or three or four pieces per exhibit. All meat jerky must be heated to an internal temperature of 160°F before or after drying. This is not the drying temperature! Dried products must include the recipe and preparation steps and heating instructions. Jerky not heated to an internal temperature of 160°F will be disqualified and not be judged. Heating information can be found in “Dry Meat Safely at Home” www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3173.pdf

9. May enter more than one item in the same class, provided it is a different product. Four entries total are permitted. Example is tomato product may enter whole tomatoes, tomato juice and salsa.

10. There will only be an overall Food Preservation Champion and Reserve Champion awarded.

11. Champion $20.00 cash award sponsored by Dee Barrow, in memory of Sharon Barrow.

**Class 90194** - Sweet Spreads: (Fruit and/or Vegetables), Syrups: One Jar

**Class 90195** - Fruits, Juices, Fruit mixtures: (Salsa, Pie Filling, etc.) One Jar

**Class 90196** - Low Acid Vegetables: (green beans, corn, etc. or vegetable mixtures); One Jar

**Class 90197** - Pickles: (Fruit or Vegetable) Fermented Foods and Relishes and Chutney; One Jar

**Class 90198** - Tomato/Tomato Products: Tomato Juice, Tomato Salsas; One Jar

**Class 90199** - Meats: One Jar

**Class 90200** - Dried Foods: One small jar
2. All vegetables must be displayed on a sturdy plate, bowl or container that is white in color and will support the weight of the produce.
3. Only one variety of each vegetable may be exhibited.
4. Champion $20.00 cash award sponsored by David & Mary Schock.

Class 90206 - Potatoes, 5
Class 90207 - Tomatoes, 5
Class 90208 - Onions, 5
Class 90209 - Garden Display, 5 different types of fresh vegetables—see 4-H class, page 65, for number of each type.
Class 90210 - Sweet Corn, 8 ears
Class 90211 - Melon, 1
Class 90212 - Fruit, 5
Class 90213 - Cucumbers, 5
Class 90214 - Okra, 5
Class 90215 - Cabbage, 1
Class 90216 - Carrots, 5
Class 90217 - Green Peppers, 5
Class 90218 - Other Peppers, 5
Class 90219 - Squash, 1
Class 90220 - Cantaloupe, 1
Class 90221 - Pumpkin, 1
Class 90222 - Beans, 12 green or yellow
Class 90223 - Sunflower, biggest flower
Class 90224 - Sunflower, tallest
Class 90225 - Largest Tomato, 1
Class 90226 - Strawberry Popcorn, 8 ears
Class 90227 - Gourds, at least 3 but no more than 10
Class 90228 - Extracted Honey, 3 jars (2 pounds each)
Class 90229 – Other
SUPERINTENDENT: Jessica Schuette
JUDGING: Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. Exhibitors may have 2 entries per class. Items should be clean & in good condition & completed since the last fair.
2. Champion $20.00 cash award sponsored by Dee Barrow, in memory of Sharon Barrow

CROCHETING
Class 90236 - Tablecloths
Class 90237 – Clothing
Class 90238 - Doilies
Class 90239 – Afghan
Class 90240 - Other Crochet

SEWING
Class 90241 - Childs Garment
Class 90242 - Casual Wear
Class 90243 – Dress
Class 90244 - Coat, Outerwear
Class 90245 - Ensemble, 2 or more
Class 90246 - Wool Garment
Class 90247 – Apron
Class 90248 - Misc. Garment
Class 90249 - Other Sewn Item
Class 90250 – Pillowcase

KNITTING
Class 90251 – Clothing
Class 90252 – Afghan
Class 90253 - Other Knitted

RUGS
Class 90254 - All Kinds

MACHINE EMBROIDERY
Class 90255 – Towel
Class 90256 - Wearable Item
Class 90257 – Other
**YOUTH ENTRIES**
Youth can enter up to 3 exhibits (limited to 1 per type of class of any of the Needlework classes). Example: they could enter 1 machine embroidery towel, 1 cross stitch item, 1 crochet item but they can't enter 3 cross stitch items or 2 machine embroidery towels and 1 crochet item.

Class 90258 - Item by youth, 7 years old and under, write age on entry card
Class 90259 - Item by youth, 8-12 year olds, write age on entry card
Class 90260 - Item by youth, 13-18 year olds, write age on entry card

**MISCELLANEOUS**
Class 90261 - Macramé
Class 90262 - Needlepoint
Class 90263 – Tatting
Class 90264 - Cross Stitch
Class 90265 - Appliqué Item (not quilt)
Class 90266 – Woven Item
Class 90267 – Misc. Stitchery

**STITCHERY**
Class 90268 – Embroidered Pillowcases
Class 90269 – Embroidered Kitchen Items
Class 90270 – Misc. Embroidery

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**OPEN CLASS PHOTOGRAPHY**

**SUPERINTENDENT:**

**JUDGING:** Monday, July 15, 12:00 PM

1. An exhibitor may have two entries per class. Extension Office sells mounting boards.
2. Photos are to be mounted across the narrow dimension on an 11”x12 1/2” sheet of white or cream studio matte board. All photos must be no larger than 8”x10” & no smaller than 7”x9” after trimming. Photos must be mounted with the top edge of the print 1” below the top of the mount. The sides of the print must be equal distance from the 2 sides of the mount. A permanent mount must be made using photographic adhesive. Remove white border before mounting. No lettering is permitted or underlays or borders & no contact prints on
3. Photographs taken with a digital camera and having no more adjustments than exposure, color intensity or correction, one click filter effects, red eye removal, cropping, dodging and burning should be entered in the standard color or black and white classes. HDR photos are to be entered in standard photo class.

4. Digital images that have had objects added or removed, multiple filter effects applied or black & white and color combined are entered in Computer Manipulated Photos (Class 90278). Include 4X6 original submitted with the manipulated photo so judge can see what was done.

5. Black & white class is for black & white prints only. Monochromatic prints, including sepia prints are considered color photos & must be entered in the appropriate color photo class.

Class 90276 - Black & White
Class 90277 - Color
Class 90278 - Computer Manipulated Photos

A special ribbon will be awarded for best photo: Action, Animal, Black & White, Flower, Geometric Design, Nature, Portrait and Still Shot. May or may not be purple ribbon entries. Champion $20.00 cash award sponsored by Dee Barrow, in memory of Sharon Barrow.

OPEN CLASS QUILTS

SUPERINTENDENT: Marilyn Spiker
PRE-REGISTER QUILTS: Wednesday, July 10 at NE KS Heritage Complex, 3:00-5:00 PM
JUDGING: Friday, July 12 at 10:00 AM at NE KS Heritage Complex

1. Must reside in Jackson County Kansas to exhibit. One entry per class per person, except Class 90318 - Holiday Table Runners/Toppers (More than 1 entry accepted, each a different holiday). Quilts may be entered only once at the county fair. A Champion & Reserve Champion will be named in Small Quilts, Large Quilts, and Miscellaneous Quilts.

2. Pre-registration will take place on Wednesday at NE KS Heritage Complex. If participants need assistance in filling out their forms, bring quilts in from 3:00 to 5:00 PM.
3. Pre-judging will take place on Friday beginning at 10:00 AM at the NE KS Heritage Complex. Quilts will be left at the NE KS Heritage Complex to be displayed for the fair.

4. Quilts MUST have picture of it fully opened for public display.

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MISCELLANEOUS QUILTS
Class 90313 – quilt completely constructed & quilted by exhibitor 70 years old & older
Class 90314 – quilt completely constructed & quilted by exhibitor 18 years old & younger
Class 90315 – Placemat(s)/Napkin(s)
Class 90316 – Totes/Purses
Class 90317 – Table Runners/Toppers
Class 90318 – Holiday Table Runners/Toppers (more than 1 entry per class accepted, each a different holiday)
Class 90319 – Wall Hangings (36x36) and smaller
Class 90320 – Miniature Quilts
Class 90321 – Pillows
Class 90322 – Others, not listed

Definitions: Made by 1 person – the quilt was completely constructed & quilted either machine or hand, by the exhibitor. Made by 2 or more people – the quilt was constructed by more than one person. Such as pieced by the exhibitor but machine quilted by someone else. Or, a quilt made by a group of people. If one side is larger than 70 inches, the category is a large quilt.

Appliqué, Embroidered, Pieced & other work may be done by machine or hand. It will be judged on the basis (class) it was entered. A quilt entered as Pieced will be judged on the piecing regardless of whether it is quilted by hand or machine, but if entered in the hand quilted class, the hand quilting will be the first consideration in the judging. A Crazy Quilt may be entered as other or embroidered, depending on what the exhibitor wants to be judged.

Ex. Of Other Class: Whole Cloth, Rag Time, Knotted/Tied, Painted, Photo Album, etc.

JACKSON COUNTY FAIR RODEO
Friday, July 12 & Saturday, July 13
Gates open at 6 PM
Rodeo Starts at 7:30 PM
Kids Boot Scramble, Mutton Bustin & Mini Bull Riding
Saddle Bronc Riding, Team Roping, Barrel Racing, Calf Roping, Breakaway, Steer Wrestling, Bareback Riding & Bull Riding
1. All Livestock must be pre-entered by July 1 of current year.
2. Must follow 4-H rules.
3. Same animal can't show in Open Class & 4-H.
5. Open Class animals will not be housed at the Jackson County Fair unless space is allowed and approved by Jackson County Fair board.
6. Please contact Extension office for more information.