

Rules & Regulations for the Three County Fair

1. The management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules at any time and reserves the sole final right to interpret all rules and regulations, and to decide all questions arising therefrom or in connection with the fair.
2. The superintendent will direct the arrangement of articles or animals in exhibitions in his or her department. He shall give such instructions to awarding judges or committees as will result in judicious action and decide all questions governing the department.
3. Each superintendent is charged with caring for and returning the entry book of his department with the awards on each article duly and properly entered and the signature of the judges in each entry book of the department which he or she places awards, as premiums cannot be paid unless this is done.
4. Any class having only one entry will receive prize money and ribbon according to the merit of the entry. When there are only two entries in any one class, both owned by the same exhibitor, ribbons and prize money will be given according to the merits of the exhibits.
5. Exhibitors may show in all classes but are limited to no more than one entry in any one - lot.
6. All entries to the Three County Livestock Show and Fair are free. See Livestock rules and regulations for details.
7. All property of every character entered for competition or display or any other purpose for being on the fairgrounds shall be subject to the control of the superintendent in charge, but in no case shall the Three County Livestock and Fair association or the secretary or any of its officers or members be held responsible for damage or injury of any character to such property while the same is on the fairgrounds, or at any other time.
8. No claim for injury of any person or property shall ever be asserted nor suit instituted or maintained against the Three County Livestock Show and Fair association, its officers, or their agents, on behalf of any person, firm or corporation, representatives, servants, or employees having license or privilege to exhibit on the fairgrounds or occupying any space thereon.
9. Any exhibit removed early (before stated date and time) will forfeit any cash premium won.
10. Exhibitors will be required to keep their space and stalls in a clean condition by removing all filth and litter and placing it in the designated places for such waste.
11. Premium checks will be issued by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Fair association.
12. The Three county Livestock Show, and Fair association will rent booths or space for political purposes during the fair, but politicking is restricted to the booth space. Commercial and service booths are approximately 8' x 8'.

Important Entry Dates and Times

- All family and consumer science exhibits must be entered between the times of 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Tuesday, September 17, 2024, and remain until Sunday, September 22 at 1:30 pm.
- Livestock and poultry will check in from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm on Wednesday, September 18, 2024, and may be removed after 8:00 pm on Saturday, September 21, 2023.
- Rabbits will be entered prior to the rabbit show on Tuesday, September 17 and will be removed immediately following the show.

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE RULES

1. Exhibitors must live, attend school or be a member of a 4-H club or FFA chapter in Cross, Jackson or Woodruff County.
2. Articles must have been produced or made by persons under whose name they are listed since the last fair. No items may be accepted from previous year's fair. Name and address must be placed on the article prior to check-in. Official labels must be used.
3. Articles may be entered for display between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. September 17. Cut flower entries must also be in place by this time. Exhibits arriving after this time will not be eligible for prizes.
4. Award winning exhibits from previous Three County Fair cannot be exhibited. Articles bought or borrowed will be disqualified.
5. Three County Fair reserves the right to refuse or accept conditionally any exhibit either before or after it is entered.
6. No two entries in the same lot will be made by the same individual.
7. The Danish method of judging will be used. Cash awards will be based on a point basis.
A - rating = Blue Ribbon, B-rating = Red Ribbon, C-Rating = White Ribbon.
8. All exhibits must stay in place until 1:30 pm Sunday, September 22. Exhibits removed early will forfeit cash premium won.
9. The Three County Fair Association will exercise precautions to prevent loss or damage but will not be responsible should any occur.
10. Superintendents will be on duty to check your entries. Please cooperate and abide by the rules. Superintendents will not be responsible for articles not called for by 3 p.m. September 22.
11. The decision of the judges is final.
12. Articles cannot be exhibited for prizes which are not listed in the fair catalog unless prior permission was given to the entrant by fair board.
12. Potted plants must be potted at least one week before they are exhibited.
13. Check in by superintendents will begin at 3 p.m. and will close at 7 p.m. on September 17, 2024.
13. All clothing exhibits must be clean and pressed; seams should be finished and pressed. Ravels must be trimmed.
14. Sweepstakes' ribbon and cash premiums will be awarded under each division with exhibits deserving of the merit as determined by the judges. Judges' decision will be final.

RULES FOR ENTRY IN THREE COUNTY FAIR ARE NOT NECESSARILY THE RULES FOR DISTRICT AND/OR STATE FAIR. IF YOU PLAN TO COMPETE ON THESE LEVELS, PLEASE CONTACT A FAIR OFFICIAL AND YOU WILL BE DIRECTED TO DISTRICT AND/OR STATE FAIR RULE.

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSEHOLD ARTS

DEPT 11

ADULT AND YOUTH

Major portion of item was made by needle (hand or machine).

CLASS 1: HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Bedsread	3	2	1
Pillowcase (with trim)	3	2	1
Pillowcase	3	2	1
Napkins (set of 4)	3	2	1
Tablecloth	3	2	1
Doily	3	2	1
Dish Towels (set of two)	3	2	1
Guest Towels (set of two)	3	2	1
Place Mats (set of four)	3	2	1
Pot Holder (1)	3	2	1
Hot Pad	3	2	1
Table Runner	3	2	1
Casserole Carrier	3	2	1
Pillows			
A. Appliquéd	3	2	1
B. Woven	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 2: KNITTED AND CROCHETED ARTICLES

LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Afghan	6	4	1
Tablecloth	6	4	2
Bedsread (Full, Single or Twin)	3	2	1
Napkins (set of 2)	3	2	1
Doily	3	2	1
Household Accessories (potholders, pin cushions, dishcloth, etc)	3	2	1
Hat or Bag	3	2	1
Sweater	6	4	2
Poncho or Cape	3	2	1
Shawl or Stole	3	2	1
Edging or Insertion (1 yard)	3	2	1
Framed Crocheted or Knitted Article	3	2	1
Baby Set	3	2	1
Booties (pair)	3	2	1
Houseshoes (pair)	3	2	1
Collar	3	2	1
Placemats (2 pc)	3	2	1
Mittens (pair)	3	2	1
Animal	3	2	1
Doll	3	2	1
Table Runner	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 3: COMFORTERS OR QUILTS HAND QUILTED
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Applique	10	6	4
Pieced	10	6	4
Embroidered	10	6	4
Whole Cloth	5	3	2
Baby Quilt	5	3	2
Lap Quilt	5	3	2
Wall Hanging	5	3	2
Placemat (set of 2)	5	3	2
Table Runner	5	3	2
Other	5	3	2
Antique Quilts for display only			no points

CLASS 4: MACHINE QUILTED
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Applique	5	3	2
Patchwork or Pieced	5	3	2
Embroidered	3	2	1
Baby Quilt	3	2	1
Lap Quilt	3	2	1
Wall Hanging	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 5: NEEDLE CRAFT
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
1. Counted Cross Stitch			
Pillowcase (set of 2)	3	2	1
Placemats (Set of 2)	3	2	1
Tablecloth	3	2	1
Dish Towel	3	2	1
Guest Towel	3	2	1
Bib	3	2	1
Pillow	3	2	1
Large Wall Plaque (over 5x7)	6	4	2
Small Wall Plaque (5x7 or smaller)	3	2	1
Afghan	6	4	2
Other	3	2	1
2. Embroidery			
Tablecloth	6	4	2
Placemats (Set of 4)	3	2	1
Dish Towel	3	2	1
Guest Towel	3	2	1
Pillowcase	3	2	1
Bib	3	2	1
Pillows	3	2	1
Large Wall Plaque (over 5x7)	6	4	2
Small Wall Plaque (5x7 or smaller)	3	2	1
Afghan	6	4	2
Candlewicking (any item)	3	2	1

Crewel Embroidery (any item)	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1
3. Silk Ribbon Embroidery			
Clothing Item (embellished)	3	2	1
Pillow	3	2	1
Collar	3	2	1
Jewelry	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1
4. Needlepoint			
Pillow	4	3	2
Large Wall Plaque (over 5x7)	4	3	2
Small Wall Plaque (5x7 or smaller)	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1
5. Smocking			
Clothing	6	4	2
Collar	6	4	2
Other	4	3	1
6. French Hand Sewing			
Clothing	4	3	2
Other	3	2	1
7. Tatting (1 yard or attached to item)			
	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 12 - CLOTHING
ADULT AND YOUTH

All clothing must be clean and pressed. Seams should be finished and pressed. Ravels must be trimmed.

CLASS 1: GARMENT FOR ADULTS

LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Aprons	3	2	1
Blouse	4	3	2
Coat	3	2	1
Robe	3	2	1
Blazer (tailored)	4	3	2
Dress - Best	6	4	2
Dress - Casual	6	4	2
Dress - Pants	6	4	2
Dress - Sun	6	4	2
Jacket (unlined causal)	3	2	1
Jumper	3	2	1
Maternity Clothes (any one item)	3	2	1
Night Gown	3	2	1
Pajamas (Men or Women set)	3	2	1
Pants	3	2	1
Panties	3	2	1
Shirt (Mens)	4	3	2
Western Shirt	6	4	2
Skirt	3	2	1

Suit (2 pc)	6	4	2
Slip	3	2	1
Jogging Outfit	3	2	1
Tailored Garment	8	5	3
Father and Son Ensemble	3	2	1
Mother and Daughter Ensemble	3	2	1
Windbreaker	3	2	1
Vest	3	2	1
Gown (evening, wedding, pageant)	3	2	1
Embellished Garment	3	2	1
Upcycled Garment	3	2	1
Fleece Clothing (any one item or set)	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 2: GARMENTS FOR CHILDREN
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Baby Clothes (Up to 1 year)	3	2	1
Bath Robe	3	2	1
Blouse	3	2	1
Bonnet	3	2	1
Coat	6	4	2
Dress - Best	6	4	2
Dress - Everyday	3	2	1
Dress - Pageant	6	4	2
Dress - Sun	3	2	1
Jumpsuit	3	2	1
Nightgown	3	2	1
Pants	3	2	1
Pajamas	3	2	1
Play Clothes	3	2	1
Shirt	3	2	1
Skirt	3	2	1
Suit	3	2	1
Sun Suit	3	2	1
Hat	3	2	1
Embellished Garment	3	2	1
Upcycled Garment	3	2	1
Fleece Clothing (any one item or set)	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 13
FOOD PRESERVATION
ADULT AND YOUTH

All entries must have been preserved within the previous 12 months and can only be entered once.

For judging and after reasons, jars must be clear glass with mason or other standard/recognized name labeled on the jar or box with a clean metal lids and ring, vacuum sealed and acceptable size per recipe instructions - typically quart, pint or 1/2 pint. Two piece lids are required so headspace can be judged properly. No decoration on the jar, such as fabric, allowed. Due to safety reasons, no canned squash including summer, zucchini or spaghetti, pureed or

mashed pumpkin, sweet potatoes or potatoes will be judged. Pickled summer squash and zucchini are allowed. (No mayonnaise jars will be accepted.)

Vegetable soups is a low-acid food and MUST BE PRESSURE CANNED ACCORDING TO USDA GUIDELINES. USDA cautions against thickening soup or adding milk, cream, flour, noodles or tother pasta to soups prior to canning because it affects heat penetrations.

Canned squash is not allowed. However, squash pickles and relish can be exhibited.

Canned breads and cakes are not allowed.

No food coloring is allowed unless the recipe calls for ingredients, such as red hots, that alter the color. IF USED, ATTACH THE RECIPE TO THE JAR.

Dried foods should be prepared according to current USDA information. Dried foods should not be sealed and may be handled by the judges to determine stage of doneness. Dried foods should be displayed in appropriate storage containers (glass jars with rust-free lids, heavy-weight plastic food quality bags, vacuum sealed plastic food bags, etc).

If recipe used is not from either (1) So Easy to Preserve 4th-6th edition, University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service or (2) USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning, 2009 Revision, United States Depart of Agriculture and National Institute of Food and Agriculture, then entry should also be accompanied by recipe from the Extension publications undated or published after 1995.

Do not use paraffin wax on any canned product.

Do not fancy pack vegetables.

Single pack fruit is acceptable.

All exhibits must have an attached label stating -

Name of Product

Method of Canning (Pressure or Waterbath)

Date of Canning

Failure to provide this information will result in loss of points.

CLASS 1: FRUITS AND FRUIT JUICE

(All fruits and fruit juices should be processed in boiling water bath.)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apple Juice	3	2	1
Apple Pie Filling	3	2	1
Apples, sliced	3	2	1
Applesauce	3	2	1
Apricots	3	2	1
Blueberries	3	2	1
Blackberries	3	2	1
Blackberry Juice	3	2	1
Cherry Juice	3	2	1
Cherries	3	2	1
Cherry Pie Filling	3	2	1
Cranberry Sauce	3	2	1
Elderberries	3	2	1
Gooseberries	3	2	1
Grape Juice	3	2	1
Grapes	3	2	1
Huckleberries	3	2	1
Mincemeat	3	2	1
Nectarines	3	2	1
Peaches	3	2	1

Peach Juice	3	2	1
Peach Pie Filling	3	2	1
Pears	3	2	1
Pear Juice	3	2	1
Plums	3	2	1
Plum Juice	3	2	1
Raspberries, Black	3	2	1
Raspberries, Red	3	2	1
Strawberries	3	2	1
Any fruit not duplicated in another class and product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 2: VEGETABLES

(All vegetables must be pressured by the USDA recommended time.)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Asparagus	3	2	1
Beans, Cut Green	3	2	1
Beans, Lima	3	2	1
Beans, Shelled	3	2	1
Beets	3	2	1
Carrots	3	2	1
Cabbage	3	2	1
Corn, Cream Style (Must be in pint jar)	3	2	1
Corn, Whole Kernel	3	2	1
Greens, Any Kind	3	2	1
Hominy	3	2	1
Irish Potatoes - Cubed Only (Pureed or mashed potatoes cannot be exhibited.)	3	2	1
Okra	3	2	1
Peas, Field	3	2	1
Peas, Green	3	2	1
Pimentos (Must be in pint jar.)	3	2	1
Pumpkin - Cubed Only (Pureed or mashed pumpkin cannot be exhibited.)	3	2	1
Sauerkraut	3	2	1
Spinach	3	2	1
Sweet Potatoes - Cubed Only (Pureed or mashed sweet potatoes cannot be exhibited.)	3	2	1
Tomatoes	3	2	1
Tomato Juice	3	2	1
Vegetable Soup Mix (see note in rules on processing)	3	2	1
Vegetable not duplicated above - Product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 3: JAMS

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apricot Jam	3	2	1
Blueberry Jam	3	2	1
Blackberry Jam	3	2	1
Elderberry Jam	3	2	1
Gooseberry Jam	3	2	1
Grape Jam	3	2	1
Peach Jam	3	2	1

Plum Jam	3	2	1
Raspberry Jam	3	2	1
Strawberry Jam	3	2	1
Mixed Fruit Jam (2 or more fruits)	3	2	1
Jam not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 4: JELLIES
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apple Jelly	3	2	1
Apricot Jelly	3	2	1
Blackberry Jelly	3	2	1
Blueberry Jelly	3	2	1
Cherry Jelly	3	2	1
Dewberry Jelly	3	2	1
Elderberry Jelly	3	2	1
Gooseberry Jelly	3	2	1
Grape Jelly	3	2	1
Huckleberry Jelly	3	2	1
Mint Jelly	3	2	1
Muscadine Jelly	3	2	1
Peach Jelly	3	2	1
Pear Jelly	3	2	1
Pepper Jelly	3	2	1
Pineapple Jelly	3	2	1
Plum Jelly	3	2	1
Rhubarb Jelly	3	2	1
Strawberry Jelly	3	2	1
Mixed Fruit Jelly, 2 or more fruits	3	2	1
Jelly not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 5: BUTTERS, PRESERVES, CONSERVES AND MARMALADES
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apple Butter	3	2	1
Peach Butter	3	2	1
Pear Butter	3	2	1
Peach Preserves	3	2	1
Pear Preserves	3	2	1
Strawberry Preserves	3	2	1
Tomato Preserves	3	2	1
Watermelon Rind Preserves	3	2	1
Other Butter not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Other Preserves not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Other Marmalade not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Other Conserve not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 6: FRUIT SYRUPS

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apple	3	2	1
Peach	3	2	1
Pear	3	2	1
Blackberry	3	2	1
Blueberry	3	2	1
Strawberry	3	2	1
Cherry	3	2	1
Raspberry	3	2	1
Mixed Berry	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 7: NATURAL SYRUPS

LOT		POINTS		
		A	B	C
Maple Syrup	Jar or Bottle	3	2	1
Molasses	Jar or Bottle	3	2	1
Sorghum	Jar or Bottle	3	2	1
Other	Jar or Bottle	3	2	1

CLASS 8: PICKLES, RELISHES AND SAUCES

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apple Rings, Pickled (attach recipe if food coloring is used)	3	2	1
Beet Pickles	3	2	1
Bread and Butter Pickles	3	2	1
Cucumber Pickles, Dill or Sour	3	2	1
Cucumber Pickles, Sweet	3	2	1
Cucumber Pickles, Plain	3	2	1
Green Tomato Pickles	3	2	1
Mock Apple Rings (Cinnamon Cucumber), Pickled	3	2	1
Okra Pickles	3	2	1
Onions, Pickled	3	2	1
Peaches, Spiced	3	2	1
Pears, Spiced	3	2	1
Peppers, Pickled	3	2	1
Radish Pickles	3	2	1
Squash Pickles	3	2	1
Watermelon Rind Pickles	3	2	1
Other Pickles, not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Chow Chow Relish	3	2	1
Corn Relish	3	2	1
Cucumber Relish	3	2	1
Mixed Pickle Relish	3	2	1
Pepper Relish	3	2	1
Squash Relish	3	2	1
Tomato Relish	3	2	1

Other Relish, not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Chili Sauce	3	2	1
Salsa	3	2	1
Spaghetti Sauce	3	2	1
Taco Sauce	3	2	1
Tomato Ketchup	3	2	1
Tomato Sauce	3	2	1
Other Sauce, not duplicated in another class - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 8: MEATS AND FISH

(All meats and fish must be pressured by the USDA recommended time.)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Beef	3	2	1
Fish (Pint jars only)	3	2	1
Pork	3	2	1
Poultry	3	2	1
Sausage	3	2	1
Wild Game	3	2	1

CLASS 9: DRIED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apples	3	2	1
Apricots	3	2	1
Bananas	3	2	1
Grapes	3	2	1
Peaches	3	2	1
Fruit Leather	3	2	1
Other Dried Fruit, not duplicated above - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1
Beans, Cut Green	3	2	1
Beans, Shelled	3	2	1
Carrots	3	2	1
Corn, Whole Kernel	3	2	1
Okra	3	2	1
Peas, Shelled	3	2	1
Peppers	3	2	1
Potato Chips	3	2	1
Pumpkin	3	2	1
Tomatoes	3	2	1
Other Dried Vegetables, not duplicated above - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 10: DRIED MEAT

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Beef Jerky	3	2	1
Turkey Jerky	3	2	1
Venison Jerky	3	2	1
Other Dried Meat, not duplicated above - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

CLASS 11: DRIED HERBS

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Basil	3	2	1
Chives	3	2	1
Dill	3	2	1
Mint	3	2	1
Lavender	3	2	1
Oregano	3	2	1
Parsley	3	2	1
Rosemary	3	2	1
Sage	3	2	1
Thyme	3	2	1
Other Dried Herb, not duplicated above - product must be identified on entry.	3	2	1

Food Preparation / Home Cooking

1. Items may be entered Tuesday, September 17th from 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
2. Items will be judged and awarded ribbons on the day they are entered for exhibit.
3. All items should be placed on a sturdy paper or Styrofoam plate and covered with plastic wrap or placed in a Ziploc bag of the needed size.
4. Please enter the number of items listed in the notes by the classification header below.
5. Bread and cake slices/samples only need to be ½" thick.

CLASS 1: QUICK BREADS (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Plain Biscuits	3	2	1
Corn Meal Sticks	3	2	1
Corn Meal Muffins	3	2	1
Fruit Muffins	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 2: NON-YEAST BREADS (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Apricot	3	2	1
Cranberry	3	2	1
Orange	3	2	1
Zucchini	3	2	1
Banana Nut	3	2	1
Lemon	3	2	1
Pumpkin	3	2	1
Gingerbread	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 3: YEAST BREADS (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
Yeast Doughnuts	3	2	1
Fancy Yeast Rolls	3	2	1
Coffee Cake	3	2	1
Plain Rolls	3	2	1
Loaf Bread	3	2	1
Cinnamon Rolls	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 4: BREAD MACHINE (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
Yeast	3	2	1
Quick	3	2	1
Rolls	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 4: SOURDOUGH BREADS (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
Bagels	3	2	1
Cinnamon Rolls	3	2	1
Focaccia	3	2	1
Inclusions - Savory	3	2	1
Inclusions - Sweet	3	2	1
Sandwich Loaf	3	2	1
Traditional Boules	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 5: CANDIES (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Chocolate Fudge	3	2	1
Peanut Butter Fudge	3	2	1
Peanut Butter	3	2	1
Fancy Candies	3	2	1
Divinity	3	2	1
Peanut Brittle	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 6 : CAKES (1/4 of the cake)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Angel Food	3	2	1
White	3	2	1

Spice	3	2	1
Devil's Food	3	2	1
Yellow	3	2	1
Pound Cake	3	2	1
Chiffon Cake	3	2	1
Fruit Cake	3	2	1
German Chocolate Cake	3	2	1
Fresh Apple Cake	3	2	1
Carrot Cake	3	2	1
Coconut Cake	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 7: DECORATED CAKES (entire cake)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Wedding	3	2	1
Anniversary	3	2	1
Birthday	3	2	1
Holiday	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 8: Cookies (3 slices/pieces)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Plain Sugar	3	2	1
Chocolate Chip	3	2	1
Peanut Butter	3	2	1
Oatmeal	3	2	1
Fancy or Assorted Cookies	3	2	1
Icebox Cookies	3	2	1
Drop Cookies	3	2	1
Brownies	3	2	1
Bar Cookies	3	2	1
Decorated Cookie	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 15 - HANDICRAFT

ADULT AND YOUTH

No more than one item may be entered in each category unless otherwise specified. No flowers on exhibit.

CLASS: HANDICRAFT

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Baskets	3	2	1
Brown Sack Art	3	2	1
Birdhouse or Birdfeeder (any material)	3	2	1
Center Pieces (not fresh flowers)	3	2	1
Clay - Handmade Item	3	2	1

Decorated Rocks	3	2	1
Decoupage	3	2	1
Doll Clothes	3	2	1
Hair Bow	3	2	1
Jewelry (Necklace)	3	2	1
Jewelry (Earrings)	3	2	1
Jewelry (Bracelet)	3	2	1
Jewelry (Set)	3	2	1
Leather Craft	3	2	1
Liquid Embroidery	3	2	1
Metal Item	3	2	1
Net Article	3	2	1
Padded Photo Album	3	2	1
Pin Cushion	3	2	1
Rubber Stamp Art	3	2	1
Rug (Hooked)	3	2	1
Rug (Braided)	3	2	1
Rug (Handwoven)	3	2	1
Rug (Handmade)	3	2	1
Sand Art	3	2	1
Stained Glass	3	2	1
Tole Painting	3	2	1
Tote Bags (Straw)	3	2	1
Tote Bags (Reed)	3	2	1
Tote Bags (Other)	3	2	1
Wall Hangings	3	2	1
Wood Burning	3	2	1
Wood Working	3	2	1
Wreath (not Holiday)	3	2	1
Other (and ONE item not listed in a class above)	3	2	1

CLASS 2: CERAMICS

LOT

POINTS

	A	B	C
One glazed item or set	3	2	1
One stained item or set	3	2	1
One dry brushed item or set	3	2	1
One item using any other technique	3	2	1

CLASS 3: CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY CRAFTS

LOT

POINTS

	A	B	C
Christmas Table Cover	3	2	1
Christmas Tree Skirt	3	2	1
Christmas Door Decoration	3	2	1
Christmas Tree (under 21 inches)	3	2	1
Christmas Cross-stitching Picture	3	2	1
Christmas Cross-stitching Non-picture	3	2	1
Christmas Favor	3	2	1
Christmas Centerpiece	3	2	1
Christmas Stocking	3	2	1
Christmas Tree Ornaments	3	2	1
Christmas Wearing Apparel	3	2	1
Attractive Christmas Package	3	2	1

Christmas Wreath	3	2	1
Christmas Wall Hanging	3	2	1
Christmas Ceramic	3	2	1
Christmas Bell Pull	3	2	1
Other Christmas Holiday Crafts	3	2	1

CLASS 4: OTHER HOLIDAY CRAFTS
(Halloween, Thanksgiving, Easter, etc)
LOT

	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Centerpiece	3	2	1
Wall Hanging	3	2	1
Basket	3	2	1
Ceramic	3	2	1
Cross-stitch Picture	3	2	1
Cross-stitch (not a picture)	3	2	1
Wreath	3	2	1
Door Decoration	3	2	1
Wearing Apparel (decorated or painted)	3	2	1
Table Cover	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

CLASS 5: 4-H AND OTHER YOUTH HANDICRAFT - YOUTH ONLY

Youth should place items in other departments when available. Youth entries in those categories will be judged separate from adult entries. Those wishing to enter this class must be ages 5 to 19. Please put name and age on item.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Art (not eligible in Art Department - one item only)	3	2	1
Beaded Articles	3	2	1
Book Mark	3	2	1
Book Ends	3	2	1
Craft Pictures (not eligible for Art Dept)	3	2	1
Decorated Hat	3	2	1
Decorated Pillow	3	2	1
Decorated Soap	3	2	1
Dolls	3	2	1
Door Stops	3	2	1
Ecology Box	3	2	1
Felt Item	3	2	1
Fleece Non-clothing (any one item or set)	3	2	1
Foam Art	3	2	1
Glass Items	3	2	1
Greeting Card, handmade	3	2	1
Hair Accessory	3	2	1
Keychain	3	2	1
Lego Design	3	2	1
Magnet	3	2	1
Model (must be mounted)	3	2	1
Mosaic	3	2	1
Patchwork Articles	3	2	1
Painted Item/Object	3	2	1
Pencil Holder (wood)	3	2	1
Picture Frame (decorated)	3	2	1

Plastic Canvas	3	2	1
Playdough Sculpture	3	2	1
Recycled Item	3	2	1
Rock Craft	3	2	1
Seed Pictures	3	2	1
Shell Craft	3	2	1
Shell Decorated	3	2	1
String Art	3	2	1
Sun Catcher	3	2	1
Toy (homemade)	3	2	1
Wall Plaques	3	2	1
Waste Basket (made or decorated)	3	2	1
Wax Articles	3	2	1
Weaving, including basketry	3	2	1
Windsock, wind chimes	3	2	1
Yarn Article	3	2	1
Other (any ONE item not in a class above)	3	2	1

CLASS 6: MORE THAN ART

This is a special category open to persons with developmental disabilities - youth and adults. Exhibitors are limited to only one entry per category. Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and completed in the last 3 years. Paintings, drawings, and 8x10 photography are to be matted or mounted (professional mats or mounts are not required. Homemade mats or mounts are acceptable.)

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Painting (any method or material)	3	2	1
Drawing (any method or material)	3	2	1
Photograph (8x10 mounted or matted)	3	2	1
Ceramic (any method or material)	3	2	1
Crafts (any method or material)	3	2	1
Scrapbook or Scrapbook Page	3	2	1
Woodworking (any method or material)	3	2	1
Yarn or String Item	3	2	1
Craft Made From Recycled Material	3	2	1
Household Item	3	2	1
Wildcard (any item not listed)	3	2	1

CLASS 7: BATH AND BEAUTY PRODUCTS

Products must be in plain bags/containers with no claim for health benefits. Not containing honey or bee's wax.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Lye Soap Bar	3	2	1
Glycerin Soap Bar	3	2	1
Milk Soap Bar	3	2	1
Liquid Soap	3	2	1
Lotions	3	2	1
Bath Balms	3	2	1

Lip Balm	3	2	1
Lip Gloss	3	2	1
Milk Soap	3	2	1
Sugar Scrub	3	2	1
Salt Scrub	3	2	1
Body Butter	3	2	1
Body Sprays	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 16 - CUT FLOWER DIVISION

ADULT AND YOUTH

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BETWEEN 3 PM AND 7 PM on September 17. All entries in Floriculture categories must be grown solely by EXHIBITOR.

All the entries in Flower categories must be grown by the EXHIBITOR.

Cut specimens will be exhibited in a clear water bottle or glass bud vase.

Entries in Flower categories should be correctly named.

Potted plants should be potted at least one week before they are exhibited.

Please exhibit only one (1) bloom, flower head, spray, stem or stalk per specimen.

Please do not bring flowers that show sign of age. Freshness and cleanliness are important in winning blue ribbons.

Before placing in water, strip lower leaves for the stem, but do not remove all foliage as green leaves add to the attractiveness of the exhibits.

Potted plants and hanging baskets should be clean and "groomed". Removed spots, dirt, insects, dead stems and leaves. Do not use oil or "Plant Shine" on foliage.

You may enter in as many different types of specimens per category, they must be DIFFERENT.

Each exhibit is judged against a standard with First Place, Second Place, Third Place and Participant ribbons awarded in each exhibit.

Superintendent will be on duty to check your entries. Please cooperate and abide by the rules.

No trees or shrubs may be entered.

All prize check will be voided after 90 days.

CATEGORIES	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Ageratum	3	2	1
Althea	3	2	1
Azalea	3	2	1
Bachelor's Button	3	2	1
Begonia	3	2	1
Black-Eyed Susan	3	2	1
Canna	3	2	1
Cockscomb	3	2	1
Coleus	3	2	1
Cone Flower	3	2	1
Cosmos	3	2	1
Coreopsis	3	2	1
Dahlia	3	2	1
Daisy	3	2	1
Gaillardia	3	2	1
Geranium	3	2	1
Hosta (or other decorative leaf)	3	2	1
Hibiscus	3	2	1

Impatiens	3	2	1
Lantana	3	2	1
Lilly	3	2	1
Marigold	3	2	1
Monkey Grass (one leaf and bloom)	3	2	1
Periwinkle	3	2	1
Petunia	3	2	1
Rose	3	2	1
Miniature Rose	3	2	1
Rose of Sharon	3	2	1
Salvia	3	2	1
Sedum	3	2	1
Snapdragon	3	2	1
Sunflower	3	2	1
Verbena	3	2	1
Zinnia	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

HERBS

CATEGORIES	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Basil	3	2	1
Bay Leaf	3	2	1
Catnip	3	2	1
Chive	3	2	1
Cilantro	3	2	1
Dill	3	2	1
Fennel	3	2	1
Lemon Balm	3	2	1
Mint	3	2	1
Oregano	3	2	1
Parsley	3	2	1
Rosemary	3	2	1
Sage	3	2	1
Thyme	3	2	1
Yarrow	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

HANGING AND POTTED PLANTS

ADULT AND YOUTH

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BETWEEN 3 PM and 7 PM ON SEPTEMBER 17 AND PICKED UP SEPTEMBER 22.

Suitable display space will be provided for hanging baskets and potted plants.

Potted plants should be in the exhibitor's possession for at least three months.

Potted plants and hanging baskets should be clean and "groomed". Remove spots, dirt, insects or dead stems and leaves. Do not use oil or "Plant Shine" on foliage.

No flags, bows or any other decorative items are to be placed in pots or baskets.

Each exhibit is judged against a standard with First Place, Second Place, Third Place and Participant Ribbons awarded to each exhibit. Superintendents will be on duty to check your entries. Please cooperate and abide by the rules.

All prize checks will be voided after 90 days.

CATEGORIES	POINTS		
	A	B	C
African Violet	3	2	1
Bat Face	3	2	1
Begonia : Dragon Wing	3	2	1
Begonia : Angel Wing	3	2	1
Blooming, Hanging and Potted Plants			
Bougainvillea	3	2	1
Cactus	3	2	1
Cigar	3	2	1
Dieffenbachia (Dumb Cane)	3	2	1
Dish Garden	3	2	1
Dolphin Plant	3	2	1
Ferns	3	2	1
Geranium	3	2	1
Hyacinth Bean	3	2	1
Lilly	3	2	1
Peace Lily	3	2	1
Philodendron	3	2	1
Schefflera	3	2	1
Succulents	3	2	1
Terrarium	3	2	1
Vines : English Ivy	3	2	1
Vines : Pathos	3	2	1
Vines : Swedish Ivy	3	2	1
Vines: Wandering Jew	3	2	1
Any Other Worthy Specimen	3	2	1

FUNNY CREATURE SHOW : YOUTH DIVISION

A category for Funny Creatures made from Vegetables and/or Fruits. Entries will be exhibited in the Floriculture Department. Open to grades K - 6th. Ribbon will be awarded as merited. No cash prizes.

DEPARTMENT 18 - HOBBIES

ADULT AND YOUTH

CLASS 1: PHOTOGRAPHY

All work must have been completed since the last fair. Adult and Junior Divisions (age of junior participant stated on entry tag). Photos should be 4 x 6 or larger.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
1. Portraiture			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
2. Landscape			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
3. Seascape			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1

4. Floral			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
5. Still Life			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
6. Animals			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
7. Special Effects			
a. Black and White	3	2	1
b. Color	3	2	1
8. Agriculture			
a. Farm Related Machinery or Buildings	3	2	1
b. Farm Related Animals or Workers	3	2	1
c. Aquaculture	3	2	1
9. Other	3	2	1

CLASS 2: COLLECTIONS

All work must have been completed since the last fair. Senior and Junior Divisions (age of Junior participant stated on entry tag). Collection can not be loose items.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
1. Stamps	3	2	1
2. Coins	3	2	1
3. Sea Shells	3	2	1
4. Leaves	3	2	1
5. Insects	3	2	1
6. Small Die Cast Cars	3	2	1
7. Buttons	3	2	1
8. Other	3	2	1

CLASS 3: SCRAPBOOKING

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Ancestry/Heritage Page	3	2	1
Sports Page	3	2	1
Vacation/Travel Page	3	2	1
Holiday Page	3	2	1
Other	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 19 ADULT AND YOUTH CLASS 1: ART

This division is for original art work. All exhibits must be framed, on stiff backing or canvas AND wired to be hung. Entries must be no larger than 24" x 36". All work must have been completed since the last fair. All entries must have wire hangers. Senior and Junior Divisions (Age of Junior participant stated on entry tag). Each category may include work done in any of the following media : oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, charcoal, pen and ink, pencil, mixed media or computer generated.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Abstract	4	3	2
Landscape or Seascape	4	3	2
Portrait or Figure	4	3	2
Still Life or Floral	4	3	2
Wildlife or Animals	4	3	2
Computer Generated/Graphic Design	4	3	2

CLASS 2: CLOTHESLINE ART

Open to youth, preschool through the 4th grade who are residents of Cross, Jackson, Woodruff County or who attend school in Cross, Jackson, or Woodruff County. All art must be original and be the work of the exhibitor. Art must not have been exhibited previously at any Cross, Jackson, or Woodruff County fair, or at any district or state fair in Arkansas. Only one entry per child. Art should be on paper not larger than 11" x 14" and can be any medium. All exhibits entered by classroom teachers must be identified on the back with the following : Name, Age, Grade in School, Teacher's Name, School. All exhibits entered by Civic groups, community groups, or classrooms outside of a school setting must be identified on the back with the following :Name, Age, Grade in School, Leader's Name, Club Name, City/County. If the child does not attend school, the exhibit must be identified with the following: Name, Age, Parents' Name, Address, Home or Work Phone.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Pre-school and Kindergarten	3	2	1
First and Second Grade	3	2	1
Third and Fourth Grade	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 21 - HOME FURNISHINGS

ADULT AND YOUTH

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BETWEEN 3 PM AND 7 PM on September 17. All entries in Home Furnishings must be made solely by EXHIBITOR.

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
Furniture- Manufactured By Hand	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 23 - FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

ADULT AND YOUTH

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

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CLASS 1: FRESH FLOWER ARRANGEMENT

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
The Choice is Yours	3	2	1
Accent on Color	3	2	1
Thing of Beauty	3	2	1

CLASS 1: MINIATURE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT

LOT	POINTS		
	A	B	C
The Choice is Yours	3	2	1
Accent on Color	3	2	1
Thing of Beauty	3	2	1