

Meade County Fair & 4-H Achievement Days



July 25-27
Meade County Fair Building

2024 Fair Schedule

Location: Meade County Fair Grounds

PLEASE READ THE GENERAL RULES - THERE HAVE BEEN SOME CHANGES

All times listed below are approximate and subject to change

Thursday, July 25, 2024

4:00-8:00pm 4-H static exhibits
4:00-7:00pm Open static class exhibits
4:00-9:00pm 4-H Jr Leaders Silent Auction
5:00pm 4-H Wool/Fleece Judging, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins

Friday, July 26, 2024

9:00am - 5:00pm Jr. Leaders 4-H Food Stand serving Breakfast, Snacks and Beverages - Livestock Barn
9:00am - 3:00pm Jr. Leaders Bake Sale, Livestock Barn
8:00am - 10:00am Livestock Check-in for 4-H and Open Class **(with the exception of unweaned animals)**
9:00am 4-H Exhibits & Open Class Exhibits open to the public
10am, 11am, Noon Lego® Challenge - SBHS Gym
10:30am 4-H Poultry Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Following Poultry 4-H Rabbit Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Following Rabbits 4-H Companion Animal Show & Small Pet Showmanship
11:00am Rocket Launch, located near the fair barn
11:00am - 8:00pm Mimi's Prairie Lunchbox serving burgers, wraps, steet tacos and more!
Noon - 4:00pm Game, Fish & Parks "Critter Crate" located in the Fair Barn
12:30pm 4H T-shirt group picture, sponsored by Ryan & Kristi Cammack
1:30-2pm, 4:30-5pm Dunk Tank
1:00pm - 3:00pm NRCS Soils Booth
3:00pm 4-H Watermelon Eating Contest at Livestock Barn, *sponsored by Northern Hills Federal Credit Union*
3:30pm Frog Jumping & Turtle Racing Contest at Livestock Barn, *sponsored by First Interstate Bank*
4:00pm Jr. Leaders Chicken Poop Bingo, cost is \$5/square
4:30pm - 6:00pm Free Ag Appreciation Dinner sponsored by Sturgis Chamber of Commerce. Entertainment from Sturgis Center for the Arts
6:00pm Exhibits close at SBHS
6:00pm Northern Hills Ag Fest activities held at the arena: Mutton Bustin, Calf Scramble and Ag Olympics

Saturday, July 27, 2024

7am Registration for Brandon Delzer Legacy 5K Run/Walk
8:00am - 5:00pm 4-H Open Class Exhibits open
8:00am - 2pm 4-H Food Stand with breakfast available, Livestock Barn
8:00am - 9:00am Weigh-in for Livestock and check-in for un-weaned animals
**** Animal exhibitors cannot show the same animal in 4-H & Open Class ****
8:30am 4-H Swine Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Rolling Schedule 4-H Dairy Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Rolling Schedule 4-H Goat Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Rolling Schedule 4-H Sheep Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
Rolling Schedule 4-H Beef Showmanship, 4-H/FFA Judging and Open Class begins
10:00am & 3:00pm Jr. Leaders Chicken Poop Bingo, cost is \$5/square
10:00am - 5:00pm Mimi's Prairie Lunchbox serving burgers, wraps, steet tacos and more!
Noon Jr. Leaders Silent Auction ends at noon
2:30pm Bubble Gum Blowing Contest - presented by Loftus Dental
3:00pm Ice Cream Social, *sponsored by Optimist Club*
3:00pm - 4:00pm Dunk Tank
3:30pm Meade County Premium Livestock Sale
Dogs, cats, small pets and horses will NOT be allowed in the 4-H Livestock Sale.
4:00pm Pie Auction, *sponsored by Meade County Leaders Association*
5:00pm Release all Open Class & 4-H Fair Exhibits AFTER Pie Auction. **4H Members are required to help with clean-up.**

All times listed above area approximate and subject to change according to the number of exhibits in each area.
Member/Adult Conduct: The use of or having possession of alcoholic beverages or controlled drugs at any South Dakota 4-H event will result in automatic expulsion from the event.

Meade County Fair General Rules

1. Upon arriving on Friday, July 26th, each exhibitor will need to obtain a number and provide a mailing address along with a phone number. After obtaining an exhibitor number proceed to the various departments. All entries in departments H, I and J must be entered Friday, July 26th between 8 a.m. and noon. **Only 1 entry per lot number.**

2. All livestock will need to be checked in at the Meade County Fair Livestock Barn between 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Friday, July 28th and will need to be vet inspected. A veterinarian will be on site for inspection from 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. There will be a \$5 vet fee per family (doesn't matter if you have 1 animal or 25). Each exhibitor will need to obtain a number and provide a mailing address and a phone number at the Livestock check-in table. Penalty for not complying with the above time is that you will forfeit your premium money and/or will not be able to participate in the 4-H Premium Livestock Sale.

3. All animals will be staying overnight on Friday night at the Livestock Barn and security will be provided. The only animals that can be checked in on Saturday are calves still nursing or unweaned on the cow, and companion animals. These animals will need to provide a vet inspection prior to unloading.

4. If you are showing any livestock you will need to provide your own feed and bring your own equipment to clean up after your animal.

5. All 4-H exhibits shall follow exhibit list and rules in the 2024 State Fair Book – 4-H Division. 4-H exhibits entered in a 4-H class are not eligible to show in open class competition. Animal Exhibitors will not be able to show the same animal in 4-H/FFA and in Open Class. You will have to have a different animal for each class.

6. Every entry must be in the name of the bona fide owner of animal or article entered.

7. All livestock entries must be halter broke to show. Exhibitors must inform themselves when their stock will be judged. Stock must be in the show ring promptly after being called. Exhibitors must wear their exhibitor number where it is visible to the judge.

8. Every effort shall be made by the fair department superintendents to secure competent judges. Decisions on awards are entirely those of the judges and shall be considered final.

9. Every precaution will be taken for the safekeeping of animals and articles after they are in their proper places, but the Meade County Fair will not be responsible for any loss or damage or injury to any exhibit that may be lost or destroyed or in any way damaged. Likewise, the Meade County Fair will not be responsible for accidents or loss of property by fire, theft, wind, etc.

10. Release of exhibits: All Static Exhibits and Livestock will be released on Saturday, July 27th after the Pie Auction. **If exhibits re-**

moved before said time ribbons, premium and prize money will be forfeited. All department heads will report any exhibits leaving early.

11. Premium money will be available and distributed at the same time exhibits are released for departments A-I (in exhibit area).

12. Age divisions for all Static Exhibits:

Beginner – Age 6 & Under

Youth – Age 7 to 12

Teen – Age 13 to 18

Adult – Age 19 & Older

13. **Entries:** Can have unlimited entries, but only allow **1 entry per Lot Number.**

14. **Camping:** Camping during the fair is available for 4H/fair board and FFA members and their families on fair grounds. No fires allowed, no utilities available. Generators are allowed. You must check in with fair board to be instructed on camping location.

OPEN CLASS FEES

STATIC ENTRIES

Entry Fees: 18 & under - Free, 19 & older - \$5

Entries: Can have unlimited entries, but only allow **1 entry per lot number.**

Payout: Any one person/number can only receive a max of \$50 in premium payout money with Livestock Premium included in this
Premiums: First Place \$3, Second Place \$2, Third Place \$1

LIVESTOCK ENTRIES

Vet Fee: \$5 per Family (doesn't matter if you have 1 animal or 25)

Entry Fee: \$2 for Large Animal and \$1 for Small Animal

Premiums:

Large Animal - First Place \$5, Second Place \$4, Third Place \$3

Small Animal - First Place \$3, Second Place \$2, Third Place \$1

PREMIUM AWARDS

1. Ribbons will be awarded according to the quality of the exhibit when there is no competition.

2. Three ribbons may be given in each lot in open class exhibits. A blue ribbon shall denote a first place, red ribbon a second place and a white ribbon a third place.

3. All premiums shall be paid at the fair on the last day.

4. All the indoor exhibits that are awarded a ribbon will receive a premium and that premium can be picked up with exhibit. Premiums: First-\$3, Second-\$2 and Third-\$1.

5. Large Animal Livestock Premiums: First-\$5, Second-\$4, Third-\$3. Small Animal Livestock Premiums: First-\$3, Second-\$2, Third-\$1.

All livestock premiums will be at the Fair Office.

6. No checks will be paid by the Meade County Fair Association if over 60 days have gone by since the date of the check was issued.

7. Payout: Any one person/number can only receive a max of \$50 in premium payout money with Livestock Premium included in this.



4-H Livestock Sale Rules

Animals eligible to sell will be: Beef, Dairy, Sheep, Swine, Rabbits, Goats and Poultry.
You may sell 2 animals - one per species - open to 4H members only.

Department A - Beef Cattle

Director: Misty Reedy

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

All cattle occupying pens or stalls must be entered for competition and shown in their respective classes. Entries must specify owner's name and address and the animal's age, sex and breed or description with a full pedigree and registration number. Bulls, cows and herds entered as such must be owned by individual or firm exhibiting them.

An animal can only be registered in one lot. No exhibitor may exhibit more than two animals in one lot.

No animal with hereditary unsoundness will be allowed to compete for premiums.

English Breed Crossbred animals must be from a 100% English Breed Sire and a 100% English Breed Dam. This includes either straight-bred or crossbred sire or dam. English Breeds are: Hereford, Angus, Devon, Longhorn and Galloway.

BUCKET CALF – ANY BREED

LOT NO.

1. Jr. Heifer Calf: Born after Jan. 1, 2024
2. Jr. Steer Calf: Born after Jan. 1, 2024

OVERALL CHAMPION BUCKET CALF

BREED BEEF

- Class A: Angus
- Class B: Hereford
- Class C: English Cross Breeds
- Class D: Exotic Breeds
- Class E: Exotic Cross Breeds

LOT NO.

3. Jr. Heifer Calf: Born after 1-1-24
4. Sr. Heifer Calf: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
5. Jr. Yearling Heifer: Born 5-1 to 8-31-23
6. Sr. Yearling Heifer: Born 1-1 to 4-30-23
7. Jr. Bull Calf: Born after 1-1-24
8. Sr. Bull Calf: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
9. Jr. Yearling Bull: Born 5-1 to 8-31-23

10. Sr. Yearling Bull: Born 1-1 to 4-30-23
11. Two-year-old Cow
12. Cow/Calf Pair

MARKET BEEF

- Class A: English & English Cross
- Class B: All Other Breeds

FEEDER STEER AND HEIFER CALVES:

Must have been calved after January 1st of the current year. Feeder Steers and Heifers will be weighed the day of show, class determination will be made after all animals are entered.

LOT NO.

13. Feeder Heifers: Calved after 1-1-24
14. Feeder Steers: Calved after 1-1-24

OPEN MARKET BEEF

Heifers and Steers will compete in the same class. All Open Market beef must have been calved after January 1, 2023

LOT NO.

15. Market Beef

Department B - Dairy Cattle

Director: Misty Reedy

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

All Dairy breeds will be shown together. An animal may be registered in only one lot. No exhibitor may exhibit more than two animals in one lot.

ANY BREED, PUREBRED OR GRADE LOT NO.

1. Jr. Heifer Calf: Born 3-1 to 5-1-24
2. Intermediate Heifer Calf: Born 12-1-22 to 2-28-24
3. Sr. Heifer Calf: Born 9-1 to 11-1-23
4. Jr. Yearling Heifer: Born 3-1 to 8-31-23

5. Sr. Yearling Heifer: Born 9-1-17 to 2-28-23
6. Two-year-old Cow: Born 9-1-17 to 8-31-22
7. Cow: Born before Sept. 1, 2021 (a Jr. or Sr. Yearling that has freshened must be shown in the Two-Year-Old Cow Class)
8. Bucket Calf
9. Cow/Calf Pair

Department C - Sheep

Director: *Misty Reedy*

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

All Sheep and Goats exhibited at any county fair or the SD State Fair must have official USDA premise of origin tags in the sheep's ear and listed on the Health Certificate. Sheep and goats that do not comply will be denied entrance to the show.

Docking tails on Sheep – Should have at least (1) vertebrae of tail left. Wool Breeds should be shorn in calendar year but not slick shorn. This is to show the quality of their wool.

An animal may only be registered in one lot. No exhibitor may exhibit more than two animals in one lot. All sheep occupying pens or stalls must be entered for competition and shown in their respective classes. Entries must specify owner's name and address, the age, sex and breed of description with a full pedigree and registration number of the animal being shown. No animal with hereditary unsoundness will be allowed to compete for premiums. All market lambs must be shorn.

Class A: Meat Type

Sire Breeds: Hampshire, Oxford, Shropshire, Suffolk, Southdown, Texel

General Purpose Breeds: Cheviot, Dorset, Montadale, Polypay, Tunis

Prolific Breeds: Romanov, Finnsheep

Hair Breeds: Dorper, Katahdin, and St. Croix

Includes: Crossbred ewes resulting from mating between breeds listed above including (meat x meat; meat x wool; and any crossing among sire, general purpose, prolific and hair breeds) including speckled faced ewes.

Class B: Wool Type

Columbia, Corriedale, Merino, Rambouillet, Targhee, Romney, Border Leicester, Cotswold, Lincoln. **Includes:** Any white faced ewe resulting from mating between different wool breeds (wool x wool).

LOT NO.

1. Purebred Ewe Lamb: Born after 1-1-24
2. Purebred Fall Ewe Lamb: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
3. Purebred Yearling Ewe Lamb: Born 1-1 to 8-31-23
4. Purebred Ram Lamb: Born after 1-1-24
5. Purebred Fall Ram Lamb: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
6. Purebred Yearling Ram Lamb: Born 1-1 to 8-31-23
7. Crossbred Ewe Lamb: Born after 1-1-24
8. Crossbred Fall Ewe Lamb: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
9. Crossbred Yearling Ewe Lamb: Born 1-1- to 8-31-23
10. Feeder Lamb (90 lbs. and under)
11. Market Lamb (91 lbs. and over)
12. Young Flock (3): 1 Ram Lamb & 2 Ewe Lambs
13. Exhibitor Flock (5): 1 Ram any age, 2 Ewe Lambs & 2 Yearling Ewes
14. Get of Sire (4): Both sex represented by same sire
15. Showmanship Classes

Department D - Swine

Director: *Misty Reedy*

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

PEVD (Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus) is a highly contagious disease that is currently a concern in South Dakota. All swine exhibitors are encouraged to research this virus before exhibiting. The Meade County Fair Association will not be held responsible for any illness or death resulting from exhibition at the Meade County Fair.

Swine exhibited at the County Fair shall be free from contagious and communicable disease. All swine occupying pens or stalls must be entered for competition and shown in their respective classes. No swine with hereditary unsoundness will be allowed to compete for premiums. No swine shall be entered in the name of any other than the BONAFIDE owner (s).

Class A: Berkshire, Duroc, Hampshire, Spot, Yorkshire

Class B: Crossbred

Class C: Any other Breed

LOT NO.

(Market Hog weighs 200 lbs. and over)

1. Market Gilt
2. Market Barrow
3. Pen of 3 Barrows
4. Pen of 3 Gilts
5. Feeder Pig: Born after May 1st
6. Breeding Gilts

Department E - Goats

Director: *Misty Reedy*

Entry Fee: \$2.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

All Sheep and Goats exhibited at any county fair or the SD State Fair must have official USDA premise of origin tags in the sheep's ear and listed on the Health Certificate. Sheep and goats that do not comply will be denied entrance to the show.

ALL DAIRY GOATS MUST BE DEHORNED.

Breeds:

Class A: Alpine

Class B: Lamancha

Class C: Oberhasli

Class D: Toggenburg

Class E: Nigerian Dwarf

Class F: Nubian

Class G: Saanen

Class H: Any other Breed

ANY BREED, PUREBRED OR GRADE LOT NO.

1. Spring Doe: Born after 1-1-24
2. Junior Doe Kid: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
3. Senior Doe Kid: Born 1-1 to 8-31-23
4. Aged Doe: Born before Jan. 1, 2023
5. Spring Buck: Born after Jan. 1, 2024
6. Junior Buck: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23

DAIRY GOAT

LOT NO.

1. Spring Doe Kid: Born after 1-1-24
2. Junior Doe Kid: Born 9-1 to 12-31-23
3. Junior Yearling Doe, never freshened: Born 7-1 to 12-31-23
4. Senior Yearling Doe, never freshened: Born 7-1-16 to 6-30-23
5. Milking Yearling, under 24 months (in milk, must have freshened):
Born 7-1-20 to 6-30-23
6. Two-year-old Doe, 2-3 years (in milk, must have freshened):
7-1-19 to 6-30-22
7. 3 to 5 Yr. Old Doe, 3-5 years (in milk, must have freshened):
Born 7-1-17 to 6-30-21
8. Aged Doe, 5 years and older (must have freshened):
Born prior to 7-1-19
9. Meat Goat: Market Wether/Doe
10. Young Herd (3): 2 Does & 1 Buck – Either Spring or Fall
11. Exhibitor Herd (5): 2 Doelings - 2 Aged Does or 2 yr Does –
or 1 of each & 1 Buck
12. Get of Sire (4): Both sexes either age by same sire

Department F - Rabbits & Companion Animals

Director: *Barb Uhrig*

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

All rabbits and companion animals occupying cages must be entered in their respective classes. Animals must be transported and housed in cages or carriers at all times when not being judged. Entries must specify owner's name and address and the animal's age, sex and breed or description. Animals entered as such must be owned by individual exhibiting them. An animal can only be registered in one Lot No. Exhibitor may exhibit no more than two animals in one lot.

No animal with heredity unsoundness will be allowed to compete for premiums. All companion animals on grounds must be at least 4 weeks of age or older. Rabbits should be at least 8 weeks of age to be shown.

RABBITS

Breeds: American Fuzzy Loop, Californian, Dutch, English & French Angoras, Flemish Giant, Havana, Himalayan, Holland Lop, Mini Lop, Mini Rex, Netherland Dwarf, New Zealand, Polish, Satin, Any other purebred.

LOT NO.

1. Senior Buck over 6 months of age (for breeds not having an intermediate Buck Class)
2. Intermediate Buck (certain breeds) 6 to 8 months old
3. Junior Buck under 6 months old
4. Senior Doe over 6 months of age (for breeds not having an intermediate Buck Class)
5. Intermediate Doe (certain breeds) 6 to 8 months old
6. Junior Doe under 6 months of age

7. Trio of Fryers – Three young meat type rabbits of the same breed, age, size and color weighing less than 5 pounds each.

COMPANION ANIMALS

8. Kitten - over 4 months and under 12 months of age
9. Cat - over 12 months of age
10. Ferrets – over 4 months
11. Chinchillas – over 7 weeks
12. Gerbils – over 4 weeks
13. Hamsters – over 4 weeks
14. Mice & Rats – over 4 weeks
15. Hedgehogs – over 5 weeks
16. Pet Rabbit (over 9 weeks)/Guinea Pigs/Cavies –
(These are animals that cannot be entered into State 4-H Rabbit/
Cavi Show due to breed disqualification)

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per head. Vet Fee: \$5.00 per family.

Entries close at 10am on Friday, July 26th. All entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building.

Open Class and 4H Judging will be Friday at 10:30.

Entries will be limited to 15 per person

POULTRY/WATERFOUL/RARE BIRDS SPECIFIC RULES:

1. Poultry entries must be registered at the Fair Barn Building from 8 to 10am, vet will be present during that time for vet inspection.
2. Entries will be accepted in any pure breed. Non-recognized breeds will need to provide the standard to be judged by.
3. Decisions are entirely of the judge and are FINAL.
4. All entries are expected to follow SD Animal Industrial board standards for Pullorum testing.
5. Vet Inspection required for entries before entering the barn. Unless a CVI has been issued within 30 days.
6. Bird showing symptoms of illness when received or during the show will be sent home this is at the discretion of the Vet or Poultry Director.
7. All poultry is required to have an identifying leg band (name, numbers, or combination of these)

Poultry are labeled by both Lot and Class.
(Lot # reflects gender and age, Class # reflects breed)

Standard & Bantam Lot Numbers:

- Lot 1: Cock
- Lot 2: Hen
- Lot 3: Cockerel (Male born after Jan. 1 of the current year)
- Lot 4: Pullet (Female born after Jan. 1 of the current year)
- Lot 5: Old Pen (1 cock & 2 hens of same breed/variety)
- Lot 6: Young Pen (1 cockerel & 2 pullets of same breed/variety)

Standard Poultry Classes:

- Class 10: **American**-Java, Jersey Giant, Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island, Wyandotte
- Class 11: **Asiatic**-Brahma, Cochin, Langshan
- Class 12: **English**-Australorp, Cornish, Orpington, Red Cap, Sussex
- Class 13: **Mediterranean**-Ancona, Andalusian, Leghorn, Minorca
- Class 14: **Continental**-Faverolles, Hamburg, Houdan, Polish, Marans
- Class 15: **All Other Standard**-Ameraucanas, Naked Neck, Sultan, Araucanas
- Class 16: **Pure Breeds, Non-Recognized**-Orloff, Cream Legbar
- Class 17: **Commercial Hybrids**-Sex Links, Easter Eggers, Broilers, Olive Eggers

Bantam Poultry Classes:

- Class 18: **Game**-Old English

- Class 19: **Single Comb, Clean Legged (other than game)**-Ancona, Andalusian, Australorp, Frizzle, Japanese, Leghorn, Phoenix, Serama
- Class 20: **Rose Comb, Clean Legged**-Belgium Bearded D'Anvers, Dominique, Rosecomb, Sebright, Wyandotte
- Class 21: **All Other Combs, Clean Legged**-Ameraucana, Cornish, Polish
- Class 22: **Feather Leg**-Booted Belgium d'Uccle, Brahma, Cochin, Faverolles, Frizzles, Silkie
- Class 23: **Pure Breeds Non-Recognized**

Other Classes:

- Class 24: Duck
 - A: Heavy- Pekin, Rouen, Muscovy, Saxony, Silver Appleyard
 - B: Medium- Cayuga, Crested, Swedish, Buff
 - C: Light- Runner, Campbell, Magpie, Welsh, Harlequin
 - D: Bantam- Call, East Indie, Mallard
- Class 25: Goose
 - A: Heavy- Toulouse, Embden, African
 - B: Medium- Sebastopol, Pilgrim, American, Buff, Saddleback
 - C: Light- Chinese, Tufted Roman, Canadian
- Class 26: Unrecognized Waterfowl
- Class 27: Turkeys
- Class 28: Guineas
- Class 29: Peafowl
- Class 30: Pheasants
- Class 31: Pigeons
- Class 32: Any other fowl

**** You need to bring your own water, and feed dishes ****

Meade County Jr. Leaders

President: Henry Casteel

Co-Vice President: Grace Heeren & Cashley King

Treasurer: Peter Reedy & Josie Reedy

Secretary: Alexis Cermak

Members: Lydia Heeren, Connor Barnes, Graden Barnes, Joni Spring, Emma Spring, Jody Loomis, Aiden Snyder, Bradley Cassens, Koyer Kelly, Levi McPherson, Quintin Kelly, Trinity Thompson, Brooklynn Baird, Everett Urbaniak, Emilie Reedy, Jackson Cammack, Gage Whitehead, Ethan Lundeen

Exhibits in this department must not have been shown in this fair before. NO DISPLAYS will be allowed. Only one entry to a lot from each exhibitor.

FINE ART:

Pictures must be framed or matted, ready to hang. No paint by numbers. Size limitation is 47 inches wide. Any visible signature on exhibits must be concealed before judging. Professional division – anyone earning a living as an artist or art teacher or a graduate of a recognized art school, or a person who has earned in any one year \$300 or more through sales.

PROFESSIONAL ADULT ART

LOT NO.

- P1. Drawing Charcoal
- P2. Drawing, Pen or Pencil
- P3. Mixed Media
- P4. Oil or Acrylic – Animals
- P5. Oil or Acrylic – Landscape
- P6. Oil or Acrylic – Other
- P7. Oil or Acrylic – Still Life
- P8. Sculpture
- P9. Watercolor – Animals
- P10. Watercolor – Landscapes
- P11. Watercolor – Other
- P12. Watercolor – Still Life

AMATEUR ADULT ART

LOT NO.

- A1. Drawing Charcoal
- A2. Drawing Pen, or Pencil
- A3. Etching (Metal or Glass)
- A4. Mixed Media
- A5. Oil or Acrylic – Animals
- A6. Oil or Acrylic – Landscape
- A7. Oil or Acrylic – Other
- A8. Oil or Acrylic – Still Life
- A9. Sculpture
- A10. Watercolor – Animals
- A11. Watercolor – Landscapes
- A12. Watercolor – Other
- A13. Watercolor – Still Life

AMATEUR YOUTH ART

Beginner: 6 and under

Youth: 7 to 12 years old

Teen: 13 to 18 years old

LOT NO.

- 14. Crayon
- 15. Marker
- 16. Oil or Acrylic
- 17. Other
- 18. Pencil or Pen
- 19. Watercolor

KIDS CORNER

LOT NO.

20. Children Art (under age 5): any paper art 8 ½ x 11 inch. All will receive ribbons.

CREATIVE HOBBIES

In this division several items for one exhibit are permissible if they represent part of one arrangement.

Beginner: 6 and under

Youth: 7 to 12 years old

Teen: 13 to 18 years old

Adult: 19 and over

LOT NO.

- 21. Bead Work
- 22. Candles
- 23. Ceramics
- 24. Clay or Molding
- 25. Collections & Hobbies
- 26. Creative Corner
- 27. Door Decoration
- 28. Duct Tape
- 29. Electrical
- 30. Foam Art
- 31. Holiday Decorations
- 32. Jewelry
- 33. Kits (Lego, Knex, etc.)
- 34. Lawn Ornament
- 35. Leather Craft
- 36. Metal Work
- 37. Models (Legos are not a model)
- 38. Other
- 39. Painted Items
- 40. Painting
- 41. Photo Album Cover
- 42. Pillow
- 43. Plaster
- 44. Plastics
- 45. Porcelain
- 46. Recycled Items
- 47. Rope Article
- 48. Soft Sculpture – Stuffed Toy
- 49. Stenciling
- 50. Stone or Cement
- 51. Tie-Dye or Altered Accessory
- 52. Tie-Dye or Altered Garment
- 53. Wall Hangings
- 54. Weavings
- 55. Wire Crafts
- 56. Wood Burning
- 57. Wood Construction

PAPER CRAFTS**LOT NO.**

- 58. Centerpiece
- 59. Creative Writing
- 60. Handmade Card
- 61. Recycled Paper
- 62. Quilting
- 63. Scrapbook Page
- 64. Other

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photos need to be 8x10 and mounted on a 10x14 foam board.
Available for purchase in the 4-H Office.

BLACK & WHITE**LOT NO.**

- 65. Action
- 66. Altered – must exhibit original photo and altered photo
- 67. Animals

- 68. Architecture
- 69. Close-up
- 70. Landscape/Nature
- 71. Non-living
- 72. People
- 73. Other

COLOR**LOT NO.**

- 74. Action
- 75. Altered – must exhibit original photo and altered photo
- 76. Animals
- 77. Architecture
- 78. Close-up
- 79. Landscape/Nature
- 80. Non-living
- 81. People
- 82. Other

Department I - Family Consumer Science**Director:** Pam Gies

Exhibits in this department may not be shown more than once. No duplicate entries allowed per lot number. All clothing and fancy work must be cleaned and/or blocked. Only one entries to a lot from each exhibitor.

CLOTHING**LOT NO.**

- 1. Blouse
- 2. Children or Infant
- 3. Coat
- 4. Dress
- 5. Jacket – Men or Woman
- 6. Night Wear
- 7. Other
- 8. Recycled
- 9. Shirt
- 10. Shorts or Split Skirt
- 11. Skirt
- 12. Slacks
- 13. Sweatshirt
- 14. Suit
- 15. Tailored Garment
- 16. Vest
- 17. Western Wear
- 18. Wool

Class A: Adult Age 19 and over

Class B: Teen Age 13 to 18

Class C: Youth Age 7 to 12

Class D: Beginner Age 6 and under

KNITTING**LOT NO.**

- 19. Afghan
- 20. Baby Afghan
- 21. Novelty or Decorative
- 22. Other
- 23. Serged
- 24. Sweater

CROCHETING**LOT NO.**

- 25. Afghan or Bedspread
- 26. Baby Afghan
- 27. Centerpiece (over 12 inches in diameter)
- 28. Child's Garment
- 29. Doily (under 12 inches diameter)
- 30. Dresser Scarf or Runner, Oblong
- 31. Layette Set
- 32. Novelties or Decorative Item
- 33. Other
- 34. Pillow
- 35. Pillowcase (pair)
- 36. Pot Holder
- 37. Rug
- 38. Tablecloth

EMBROIDERY

All items displayed in a picture frame for wall hanging should be exhibited in the appropriate lot. Items finished with an embroidery hoop, lace, fabric frame, etc., can be exhibited in lot 39 below.

LOT NO.

- 39. Counted Cross Stitch
- 40. Counted Cross Stitch Wall Hanging
- 41. Dish Towels (group of 3)
- 42. Hand
- 43. Machined
- 44. Needlepoint
- 45. Other
- 46. Pillowcases (pair)
- 47. Placemat
- 48. Ribbon
- 49. Stamped Cross Stitch
- 50. Tablecloth
- 51. Table Runner

OTHER HANDWORK**LOT NO.**

- 52. Beadwork
- 53. Crewel
- 54. Decorated Sweatshirt or T-Shirt
- 55. Liquid, Tube or Textile Painting
- 56. Needlepoint
- 57. Other
- 58. Placemats (2)
- 59. Pillows
- 60. Plastic Canvas
- 61. Quilted Handwork
- 62. Stuffed Toy
- 63. Table Cloth with 2 Napkins
- 64. Table Runner
- 65. Tatting

CHRISTMAS – HOLIDAY**LOT NO.**

- 66. Centerpiece
- 67. Door Decoration
- 68. Other
- 69. Santa
- 70. Stocking
- 71. Table Runner
- 72. Tree Skirt

QUILTS**LOT NO.**

- 73. Applique by machine, hand quilted
- 74. Applique by machine
- 75. Crib embroidered
- 76. Crib pieced
- 77. Crib quilt applique
- 78. Crib tied
- 79. Embroidered Hand quilted
- 80. Embroidered Machine quilted
- 81. Embroidered – not liquid
- 82. Embroidered tied
- 83. Folded fabric makes the design
- 84. Group quilt (made by more than one person)
- 85. Hand applique, hand quilted
- 86. Handmade, hand quilted
- 87. Lap quilt
- 88. Machine made, hand quilted
- 89. Machine made, machine quilted
- 90. Other
- 91. Paper piece pillow
- 92. Paper piece quilt
- 93. Paper piece table runner
- 94. Paper piece wall hanging
- 95. Placemat
- 96. Quilt Pieced and Quilted
- 97. Quilt Pieced and Professional Quilted
- 98. Quilted Pillow, machine or hand
- 99. Quilted table runner, machine or hand
- 100. Quilting forms the design
- 101. Table Runner
- 102. Tied Applique
- 103. Tied (machine – made quilt must be made by the exhibitor, not by a commercial co.)
- 104. Wall Hanging

RUGS**LOT NO.**

- 105. Braided
- 106. Hooked
- 107. Painted Floor Cloth
- 108. Other
- 109. Woven

WOOL DIVISION – 60% AMERICAN LOOMED WOOL**LOT NO.**

- 110. Bag
- 111. Felted Items
- 112. Jacket
- 113. Mittens
- 114. Other
- 115. Recycled
- 116. Scarf
- 117. Skirt
- 118. Sweater
- 119. Vest
- 120. Wall Hanging

BAKING

In this section, no products can be made from purchased mixes. All baking will be tasted.

QUICK BREADS**LOT NO.**

- 121. Banana Bread
- 122. Coffee Cake (not yeast dough)
- 123. Muffins (3 in exhibit)
- 124. Other
- 125. Pumpkin Bread
- 126. Zucchini Bread

BREAD & ROLLS**LOT NO.**

- 127. Cinnamon Rolls, sweet yeast dough (4 in exhibit, no nuts)
- 128. Dakota Bread (one loaf)
- 129. Fancy Shaped Sweet Rolls (4 in exhibit, 1 shape only)
- 130. Fancy Shaped Yeast Rolls (4 in exhibit, 1 shape only)
- 131. Oatmeal (one loaf)
- 132. Other
- 133. Plain Yeast Rolls, white or whole wheat (4 in exhibit)
- 134. White Bread (one loaf)
- 135. Whole Wheat (one loaf)

COOKIES**LOT NO.**

Each exhibit must contain three cookies, no frosting.

- 136. Brownies
- 137. Chocolate Chip
- 138. Ginger
- 139. Oatmeal Drop with Raisins
- 140. Other
- 141. Peanut butter
- 142. Refrigerator (light, no brown sugar)
- 143. White Sugar

COOKIES – CHILDREN UNDER 9 ONLY

All will receive ribbon. Each exhibit must contain 3 cookies, no frosting or nuts.

LOT NO.

- 144. Bars
- 145. Cookies
- 146. Other

CAKES

Exhibitor may take home half of cake after judging. Cakes must be made from scratch.

LOT NO.

- 147. Angel food
- 148. Bars
- 149. Bundt Cake (no frosting)
- 150. Carrot or Spice Cake (proper frosting)
- 151. Chiffon
- 152. Chocolate Loaf Cake (left in pan with chocolate frosting)
- 153. Decorated Cake (will not cut)
- 154. Other
- 155. Sponge

PIES

Pies are to be made in a 9 inch pie pans with double crust or regular pie pastry. Raw apples must be used. Pies will be donated to the 4-H Jr. Leaders Food Stand.

LOT NO.

- 156. Fruit Pie
- 157. Other Pie

CANDY

Each exhibit shall consist of 4 pieces, without nuts, except Peanut Brittle.

LOT NO.

- 158. Divinity
- 159. Fudge, Old Fashioned Boiled
- 160. Other
- 161. Penuche
- 162. Peanut Brittle

CANNING

Judging criteria: All must be entered in clear, standard jars. Jars must be clean. STATE METHOD OF PROCESSING, TIME & LBS. OF PRESSURE. Appearance: Color, Cleanness, Arrangement. Selection: Quantity, Uniformity Size

VEGETABLES

Remove rings (1/2 inch headspace)

LOT NO.

- 163. Asparagus
- 164. Beans (string, green)
- 165. Beans (wax)
- 166. Beets
- 167. Carrots
- 168. Corn
- 169. Other
- 170. Peas
- 171. Salsa

- 172. Sauerkraut
- 173. Squash
- 174. Tomatoes
- 175. Tomato Sauce

FRUIT

- 176. Applesauce (chunk or sliced)
- 177. Applesauce (sieved)
- 178. Apricots (whole)
- 179. Berries
- 180. Cherries
- 181. Other
- 182. Peaches
- 183. Pears
- 184. Plums

MEATS

- 185. Chicken
- 186. Other
- 187. Red Meat

JELLY

Exhibit in standard jars, sealed with 2-piece lid, no paraffin. Rings should be left on and jars remain sealed until judged. 1/2 to 1/4 inch head space.

LOT NO.

- 188. Apple
- 189. Cherry
- 190. Chokecherry
- 191. Currant
- 192. Elderberry
- 193. Grape
- 194. Jalapeno
- 195. Other
- 196. Plum
- 197. Rhubarb
- 198. Raspberry
- 199. Tomato Preserves
- 200. Zucchini

JAMS

No paraffin used for sealing. Exhibit in standard jars or glasses. Rings should be left on 1/2 to 1/4 inch headspace.

LOT NO.

- 201. Apple
- 202. Buffalo Berry
- 203. Chokecherry
- 204. Other
- 205. Peach
- 206. Plum
- 207. Raspberry
- 208. Rhubarb
- 209. Strawberry
- 210. Zucchini

DRIED VEGETABLES & FRUITS**LOT NO.**

- 211. Dried Fruits
- 212. Dried Vegetables
- 213. Other

PICKLES

Exhibits should be properly aged. Rings should be left on. ½ inch head space

LOT NO.

- 214. Beet Pickles
- 215. Bread and Butter
- 216. Chunk Sweet Cucumber

- 217. Crab Apple
- 218. Cucumber Relish
- 219. Dill
- 220. Other
- 221. Watermelon Rind
- 222. Whole Sweet Cucumber
- 223. Zucchini Pickles
- 224. Zucchini relish

Department J - Horticulture**Director:** *Shelby Bestgen*

Exhibits must be worthy to be eligible for a prize. All vegetables must be grown by exhibitor. No one may enter more than one exhibit in a lot. All vegetables and fruits will be exhibited on a 9-inch plain white paper plate. Number of specimens required in all vegetable exhibits corresponds with 4-H requirements. Area will be closed during judging. Exhibitors are to furnish their own containers for flowers (glass bottles or jars). Arrangements must be assembled by the exhibitor.

LOT NO.

- 1. Apples (5 in exhibit)
- 2. Asparagus (5 In exhibit)
- 3. Beans, String (5 in exhibit)
- 4. Beans, Lima (5 in exhibit)
- 5. Beets (3 in exhibit)
- 6. Berries (5 In exhibit)
- 7. Broccoli (1 in exhibit)
- 8. Cabbage (1 in exhibit)
- 9. Carrots (3 in exhibit)
- 10. Cauliflower (1 in exhibit)
- 11. Corn, Sweet (3 in exhibit)
- 12. Cucumber, Pickling (3 in exhibit)
- 13. Cucumber, Slicing (3 in exhibit)
- 14. Eggplant
- 14. Herbs, Fresh (5 In exhibit)
- 15. Kohlrabi (3 in exhibit)
- 17. Muskmelon (1 in exhibit)
- 18. Onion, Green (3 in exhibit)
- 19. Onion, Dried (3 in exhibit)
- 20. Other
- 21. Parsnips (3 in exhibit)
- 22. Peas (5 in exhibit)
- 23. Peppers, Hot (3 in exhibit)
- 24. Peppers, Sweet (3 in exhibit)
- 25. Plums (3 in exhibit)
- 26. Pumpkin (1 in exhibit)
- 27. Potatoes (3 in exhibit)
- 28. Radishes (3 in exhibit)
- 29. Rhubarb (3 in exhibit)
- 30. Squash, summer (3 in exhibit)
- 31. Squash, winter (1 in exhibit)
- 32. Tomatoes, Standard (3 in exhibit)
- 33. Tomatoes, Small (5 in exhibit)
- 34. Turnips (3 in exhibit)
- 35. Watermelon (1 in exhibit)

- 41. Larkspur (5 stems)
- 42. Marigolds, Dwarf (3 stems)
- 43. Marigolds, Large (3 stems)
- 44. Moss Rose
- 45. Other
- 46. Pansies (5 blooms)
- 47. Petunia, Double (3 stems)
- 48. Petunia, Single (3 stems)
- 49. Pinks (5 blooms)
- 50. Snapdragons (3 stalks)
- 51. Sweet Pea (5 stems)
- 52. Zinnia, Giant (5 blooms)
- 53. Zinnia, Miniature (5 blooms)

PERENNIAL FLOWERS**LOT NO.**

- 54. Carnations (3 stems)
- 55. Chrysanthemums (3 stems)
- 56. Dahlias (3 blooms)
- 57. Daisies, Shasta (3 stems)
- 58. Delphinium (3 stalks)
- 59. Gladiolus (3 stalks)
- 60. Lillies (1 stalk)
- 61. Other
- 62. Phlox (3 Stalks)
- 63. Rose (1 bloom)

ARRANGEMENTS**LOT NO.**

- 64. Fun Arrangement, Centerpiece – 1 display must fit in 12x16 area and be no taller than 18” high
- 65. Fun Arrangement, Vase – 1 display must fit in 12x16 area and be no taller than 18” high
- 66. Hills and Prairie View (Dried plants with any other dried materials)
- 67. Miniature – under 4 inches – fresh flowers
- 68. Other
- 69. Outdoor – hanging or potted

ANNUAL FLOWERS**LOT NO.**

- 36. Aster (5 blooms)
- 37. Bachelor Buttons (5 stems)
- 38. Cockscomb (1 head)
- 39. Cosmos (3 stems)
- 40. Daisies (5 blooms)

HOUSE PLANTS

LOT NO.

- 70. African Violet
- 71. Begonia
- 72. Cactus or Succulent

- 73. Coleus
- 74. Geranium
- 75. Green Plants
- 76. Ivy
- 77. Other
- 78. Terrarium

Department K - Wool

Director: Barb Uhrig

Fleece will be exhibited in clear plastic bags and should not be tied. All bellies – tags and excess vegetable matter removed.

WHITE WOOL

LOT NO.

- 1. Fine – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 2. Medium – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 3. Coarse – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 4. Long Wool – Ewe – Ram – Lamb

NATURAL

LOT. NO.

- 5. Fine – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 6. Medium – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 7. Coarse – Ewe – Ram – Lamb
- 8. Long Wool – Ewe – Ram – Lamb



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While Steve never held an official title he held the very important unofficial title of “Husband to a Club Leader” which meant many hours carrying heavy things at the county fair, shuttling kids around, and being a fair project personal attendant. Steve is always available to help a the fair and is excited to assist anyone and to find a project to work on.

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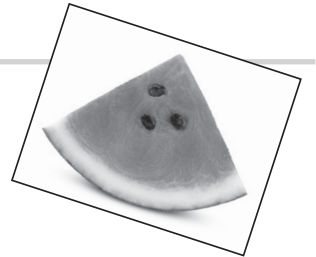
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