

**Open Class – 641 842-5431**

**MARION COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION**

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**YOUTH AND ADULT OBJECTIVES  
for the Marion County Fair**

- ❑ To provide a showcase for the accomplishments of county youth and adults
- ❑ To provide an opportunity for people to share ideas and learn together, gain personal satisfaction, meet new people, and see old friends.

**DEPARTMENTS AND SUPERINTENDENTS**

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*Departments A — F: Exhibits displayed in Skate Pit Building*

- A) Art
- B) Culinary
- C) Fruit
- D) Grains, Seeds and Vegetables
- E) Plants, Flowers and Gardens
- F) Textiles .....

**4-H & FFA**

**General Superintendents:**

Dale Miller, County Extension Director; Kim Davis, County Youth Coordinator; Sheri Postma, Office Assistant, Karen Ackley, Ag Program Assistant, Jennifer Snook-Hall, Extension Youth Field Specialist, Alyssa Vande Voort, Fair Events Coordinator, & Kyleigh Huth, Summer Intern, Carrie Putz, Brent Hanna, Monty Collins, Mark Williams, FFA Advisors

***Departments 1-42:***

**Exhibit Building-Dyer-Hudson Hall**

***Departments 50-68:***

**Livestock Exhibits – Livestock Buildings & Pavilion**

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**Livestock Department Superintendents:**

Beef - Don Frey, Russ Johnson, Bill Miller, Tom Nichols, Ryan

Schumacher, Tracy Tibboel

Bucket/Bottle Calves – Nancy Harsin & Mike Goff

Cats – Stephanie Visser

Dog -Deb Van Waardhuizen

Goats - Debbie Holloway, Don Boot, Tracy Pettyjohn

Horses – Diane Ellis, Kathy Rieck

Pets – Donna Flattery

Poultry – James Petersen , Karen Ackley

Rabbits - Debbie Holloway, Kelly Shives

Sheep – Alan DeBruin, Roy Jahner, Jason Reed

Swine - Don Cummings, Larry Cummings, Kurt Dittmer, Josh

Schneider, Duane Ver Ploeg

**Superintendent Responsibilities:**

- 1) Manage the exhibit check-in process, exhibition, and check-out process for their departments.
- 2) Arrange entries/exhibits to the best advantage of the exhibitors, spectators, and judges.
- 3) Review and interpret the rules and exhibition procedures with the department exhibitors, volunteers, and judge(s) before and/or during the exhibition.

## **GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. All vehicles whose purpose it is to advertise in any way whatsoever shall pay the regular concession privilege rate.
2. Each person or firm selling or delivering merchandise on the grounds will be required to make arrangements with the Secretary.
3. 4-H and FFA families wishing to place campers on the fairgrounds during Fair week shall register their camper/vehicle at the County Extension office before June 1.
4. FAIR WEEK EXHIBIT SPACE RENTAL RATES ON GROUNDS: All booths \$100. Excludes food and t-shirt vendors. Vendors wanting to sell t-shirts or food must complete a separate agreement with additional costs.
5. Any exhibitor making false statements in regard to any animals or articles exhibited, or attempting to interfere with judges in the performance of their duties, by any means, shall be excluded from competing or exhibiting on the grounds of the Association.
6. All exhibitors are expected to be cooperative and courteous. Any action to the contrary may result in the disqualification of the exhibitor, exhibit, and/or participation in the event.
7. Judges shall not consider any article or animal not properly entered and approved by the superintendent(s).
8. Lack of competition shall not be cause for withholding a premium if animal or article is deemed worthy. The judge's decision is final.

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## **GROUNDS REGULATIONS**

1. The Fairgrounds police will be sworn in as conservators of the law, and it shall be their duty to arrest any persons creating a disturbance or violating any rules of the Association.
2. No concession may be set up until concession fee, light bill and wiring in charge have been paid in full to the Secretary.
3. Any privilege or concession obtained under false representation or does not conform with the applicable laws/ordinances will be revoked by management and any/all money paid for the same will be forfeited to the Association.
4. Soliciting for subscriptions for any newspaper or periodical will not be permitted unless from a space rented from the Association.
5. The management reserves the right to exclude from the grounds any person or persons who may seem undesirable or expel from the grounds such person or persons who shall violate any rules. No objectionable features will be tolerated.

## **USE OF FACILITIES AND TRACK**

1. No persons, without authority of the Executive Committee, will be allowed to roll, scrape, drag or otherwise manipulate the track or use it when in a condition by which it may be injured.
2. Persons are strictly prohibited from running horses or vehicles of any kind on the track or any other parts of the

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grounds during the Fair, except by permission of the Association.

3. No intoxicated person or persons shall be allowed on the grounds; any person or persons guilty of disorderly conduct shall be immediately expelled.
4. Bill posting privileges are reserved strictly for the Marion County Fair Association, its officers, agents or employees.
5. The Marion County Fair Association is not responsible for injury to any person or person's property having license privilege to exhibit on its fairgrounds or occupy space thereon. The aforesaid association and its officers shall in no manner be responsible therefore.

#### **OPEN CLASS DEPARTMENT RULES**

1. Exhibitors shall carefully consult the Fairbook and determine what department and which class you wish to enter. Only the official Open Class Entry Form will be accepted. The Association will not be responsible for incomplete entries. Send your entry form early. All exhibits must be properly tagged before the judge can consider them for premium.
2. All entry forms must be entered on the books of the Secretary at the Fairgrounds office on or before Saturday, July 11 at 4:00 p.m.
3. Articles must be in place on the grounds at the time designated in the department rules.
4. No article can be entered for premium in two or more different classes.
5. All articles entered must be exhibited in the proper class.

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6. The Association will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage to exhibit articles.
7. Exhibitors, upon bringing their articles to the grounds, shall take them to the superintendent of the proper department(s) to be placed on exhibit.
8. No open class article will be taken from the grounds during Fair week until Wednesday between 6:00 and 8:00 PM and Thursday 7:30 AM to 10 AM
9. In case of protest of article or exhibitor, written notice must be given to the superintendent of the department during the day of judging for the article protested and written names of witness must be filed with the Secretary on the same day.
10. No judge will be allowed to judge a class in which he/she has articles on exhibition.

## **DEPARTMENT A - ARTS AND CRAFTS**

### **RULES GOVERNING EXHIBIT**

1. Entry forms shall close Saturday, July 11, 4:00 p.m.
2. Competition in this department shall be open to Marion County residents only.
3. All articles must be entered in the name of maker and made since August 1, of the previous year.
4. Entries must be ready for displaying with attached entry tags by 10:00 a.m. July 18 (Saturday) and remain in place through the duration. No glass or frames please.
5. Absolutely no entry will be accepted without suitable matting ready for hanging or placement. This includes photos and drawings.

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6. The management shall not be responsible for loss or damage of exhibits.
7. All exhibitors are responsible for delivery and pickup of entries. Pickup time is 6:00 to 8:00 P.M. Wednesday night or Thursday 7:30 to 10 AM. Variation from this rule may result in loss or damage of exhibit.
8. Exhibits will be judged on excellence and originality. The judge's decision will be final. Judging will take place Sunday at 1:00 p.m.
9. An exhibitor may have only one entry in a class.
10. Amateur exhibitors may not show in the professional class.
11. Exhibits having no competition will not be awarded a premium unless judged worthy of one.

**Best of Show - \$10.00**

**Includes Divisions 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11**

**DIVISION 1 - POTTERY/CERAMICS**

**First - \$5.00    Second - \$3.00    Third - \$1.00**

**Class**

1. Mold piece – sculptural and functional
2. Hand built – sculptural and functional

**DIVISION 2 - PAINTING AND DRAWING**

**First - \$5.00    Second - \$3.00    Third - \$1.00**

1. Original Oil, Acrylic, Casine, Tempera
2. Original Pastel, Chalk, Charcoal, Conte
3. Original Drawing, Pencil, Ink, Scratch Board
4. Mixed Media – Collage, etc.
5. Water Color

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**DIVISION 3 - HIGH SCHOOL 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

**First - \$5.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Original Oil – Any Medium
2. Original Pottery – Any Medium
3. Original Sculpture – Any Medium
4. Original Painting – Any Medium
5. Other than named.

**Best of Show - \$5.00 — Includes Divisions 4, 5, 6**

**DIVISION 4 – JUNIOR HIGH 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>**

**First - \$5.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Original Drawing – any medium
2. Original Pottery – any medium
3. Original Sculpture – any medium
4. Original Painting – any medium
5. Craft Kit
6. Other than named

**DIVISION 5 – ELEMENTARY Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**First - \$5.00 Second – \$3.00 Third – \$1.00**

1. Original Drawing – any medium
2. Original Pottery – any medium
3. Original Sculpture – any medium
4. Original Painting – any medium
5. Craft Kit
6. Other than named

**DIVISION 6 – ELEMENTARY STUDENTS (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>)**

**First - \$5.00 Second - \$3.00 Third – \$1.00**

1. Original Drawing – any medium
2. Original Pottery – any medium
3. Original Sculpture – any medium
4. Original Painting – any medium
5. Craft Kit
6. Other than named

**DIVISION 7 – CRAFTS, ORIGINAL**

**First - \$5.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Wall hanging, stitchery, etc.
  2. Novelty decoration, non-functional
  3. Useful functional item
- Scrapbooking (Display 1 sheet or 2 page layout w/protection).
4. Holiday
  5. Seasonal
  6. Wedding
  7. Child (Baby up to age ten)
  8. Other than named

**STAMPING (Display 1)**

9. Greeting Card
10. Gift Tag
11. Other than named Stamping

**DIVISION 8 – CRAFTS FROM KITS**

**First - \$5.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Novelty decoration, non-functional
2. Useful, functional items
3. Wall hanging, stitchery, etc.

**DIVISION 9 – RECYCLED ITEMS**

**First - \$3.00 Second - \$2.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Ornamental
2. Useful, functional items

**DIVISION 10 - PROFESSIONAL**

(Any Marion County resident who receives payment for  
instructing or tutoring)

**First - \$10.00 Second - \$8.00 Third - \$4.00**

1. Painting, any medium
2. Mixed Media
3. Other than named

**DIVISION 11 - WOOD DECORATIONS**

**First - \$3.00 Second - \$2.00 Third - \$1.00**

1. Special Holidays
2. Furniture
3. Other

## **ALL PHOTOGRAPHY ENTRIES**

**First - \$5.00    Second - \$3.00    Third - \$1.00    Best of**

**Show - \$5.00 12 AND 13**

**Best of Show \$10.00 14 AND 15**

The minimum size for all photography entries is 5"x7". A completed Marion County Fair Entry Tag should be securely fastened to the main item in each exhibit on or near the upper right corner or in an easily seen location. Photographs may be either monotone or color. Photographs may be processed from negatives, slides, or digital cameras and computer manipulation programs. Photos must have been taken after August 1 of last year. Photos must be matted. Exhibitors may cut their own mounting boards, use inexpensive ready-cut window mats, or have matting done professionally. Photos should NOT be framed. Framed photos will not be judged. A series is a group of pictures or slides that are related or tell a step by step story. Slides should be numbered and/or displayed in sequence.

### **DIVISION 12 – PHOTOGRAPHY BY CHILDREN**

**(Kindergarten through 5th)**

1. Monotone - People
2. Monotone - Animals
3. Monotone – Still-Life/Landscape
4. Monotone - Any subject
5. Color - People
6. Color - Animals
7. Color - Still Life Landscape
8. Color - Any Subject

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## **DIVISION 13 - PHOTOGRAPHY BY JUNIOR HIGH**

### **STUDENT (6<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> grade)**

1. Monotone – People
2. Monotone – Animals
3. Monotone - Still Life/Landscape
4. Monotone – Any Subject
5. Color – People
6. Color – Animals
7. Color – Still Life/Landscape
8. Color – Photo Story/Series (3-5 pictures matted on one mat)
9. Color – Any Subject

## **DIVISION 14 - HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

### **(9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade)**

1. Monotone - People
2. Monotone - Animals
3. Monotone – Still Life/Landscape
4. Monotone - Photo story/series (3-5 prints, matted on one mat)
5. Monotone – Any Subject
6. Color - People
7. Color - Animals
8. Color - Still Life/ Landscape
9. Color - Photo Story/Series (3-5prints, matted on one mat)
10. Color - Any Subject

### **DIVISION 15 - PHOTOGRAPHY - ADULTS**

1. Monotone - People
2. Monotone - Animals
3. Monotone – Still Life/Landscape
4. Monotone -Photo story/series (3-5 prints, matted on one mat)
5. Monotone - Any subject
6. Monotone - Creative
7. Color - People
8. Color - Animals
9. Color - Still Life/ Landscape
10. Color - Photo Story/Series (3-5prints, matted on one mat)
11. Color - Any Subject
12. Color – Creative

### **DEPARTMENT B - CULINARY**

Best of Show \$10.00 Divisions 16-27

#### **RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS**

1. Competition in this department is open to Marion County residents only.
2. All entries must be the products of the exhibitor and made in the home kitchen and not as a means of livelihood.
3. Entries shall close Saturday (July 11) of week prior to fair, 4:00 p.m.
4. An exhibitor may have only one entry in each class.
5. All articles exhibited in jars must have been canned since August 1, of the previous year..

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6. Canned products are to be displayed in standard clear glass pint or quart jars with lids. Jellies, jams, and preserves must be in standard jelly glasses. Tag should be attached to outer lid.
7. Baked articles are to be exhibited on sturdy paper plates and covered with a zip lock or clear plastic bag, with twist closures, except decorated cakes and cookies. Entry tags must be attached to the paper plate to be considered for a premium.
8. Exhibits with entry tags attached must be in place by 10:00 a.m. first day of fair (July 18), and will be judged at 1:00 p.m. that day.
9. Jar exhibits may be opened during judging when deemed necessary.
10. Exhibits must remain in place until 6 PM Wednesday except as listed in Rule 12.
11. Articles having no competition will not be awarded a premium unless judged worthy of one.
12. Exhibitors may claim three-fourths of baked items at close of judging, Saturday (July 18), except decorated cakes.

#### **DIVISION 16 – BREAD AND ROLLS**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

(No bread machine bread)

1. Loaf white bread
2. Loaf whole wheat bread
3. French bread (not over 16 in. long)
4. Hamburger buns (4 only)
5. Swedish tea ring

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6. Fruit and/or nut bread (unfrosted, non-yeast)
7. Harvest bread (carrot, zucchini, pumpkin)
8. Muffins, any variety (4 only)
9. Cinnamon rolls (4 unfrosted)
10. Dinner rolls (4)
11. Doughnuts (4 Any Type)
12. Baking Powder Biscuits (4)
13. Other than named.

#### **DIVISION 17 – LAYER CAKES – FROSTED**

Cake mixes not to be used

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. White layer
2. Chocolate layer
3. Other than named

#### **DIVISION 18 – LOAF CAKE – UNFROSTED**

Cake mixes not to be used

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Fruit cake;
2. Angel food ;
3. Bundt cake;
4. Other than named.

#### **DIVISION 19 – DECORATED CAKES AND COOKIES**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Plate of 4 small fancy cakes;
2. Plate of 4 fancy cookies;
3. Large cake (may use polyfoam dummy or real cake)

#### **DIVISION 20 – COOKIES, ETC. –**

4 to a plate, unfrosted unless indicated

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Chocolate chip;
2. Chocolate drop (frosted);
3. Sugar;
4. Oatmeal drop;
5. Brownies;
6. Formed cookies;
7. Fruit bars;
- 8.

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Peanut butter cookies; 9. Bars, other than named; 10. Drop cookies, other than named.

**DIVISION 21 – HOMEMADE CANDY (4 pieces)**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Fudge; 2. Divinity; 3.. Mints; 4. Other than named.

**DIVISION 22 – PIES (no meringue pies)**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Rhubarb; 2. Cherry; 3. Apple; 4. Pecan; 5. Other than named.

**DIVISION 23 – CANNED FRUITS**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Apples; 2. Applesauce; 3. Apricots; 4. Blackberries; 5. Red Sour Cherries; 6. Bing Cherries; 7. Gooseberries; 8. Peaches; 9. Pears; 10. Plums; 11. Raspberries; 12. Other than named. (named)

**DIVISION 24 – CANNED VEGETABLES**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Beets; 2. Carrots; 3. Corn; 4. Mixed vegetables; 5. Peas; 6. String beans; 7. Tomatoes, whole or pieces; 8. Tomato juice; 9. Other than named.

**DIVISION 25 – JAMS, PRESERVES, AND BUTTERS**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Apple butter; 2. Blackberry; 3. Cherry; 4. Grape butter; 5. Peach; 6. Plum; 7. Red Raspberry; 8. Rhubarb-Strawberries; 9. Strawberry; 10. Black Raspberry; 11. Other than named. (named)

**DIVISION 26 – JELLY**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Apple;
2. Blackberry;
3. Grape;
4. Plumb;
5. Red Raspberry;
6. Black Raspberry;
7. Other than named. (named)

**DIVISION 27 – SPICED CANNED GOODS, PICKLES,  
CONDIMENTS**

Display in standard pint or quart jar

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Beets;
2. Bread and butter pickles;
3. Dill;
4. Green tomato pickles ;
- 5.. Sweet pickles, plain;
6. Pickle Relish;
7. Spaghetti Sauce;
8. Salsa;
9. Other than named. (named)

Best of Show \$5.00 Division 28 & 29

**DIVISION 28 – PREPARED BY CHILDREN**

(Ages 12 and under)

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Quick bread (any type);
2. Muffins (4);
3. Baking powder biscuits
4. Chocolate chip cookies (4);
5. Drop cookies, unfrosted; (4)
6. Bar cookies (4);
7. Fudge (4 pieces);
8. Decorated Cake
9. Decorated Cookies (4)
10. Other than named.

**DIVISION 29 – PREPARED BY TEENS**

(Ages 13 thru 18)

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Loaf yeast bread;
2. Loaf quick bread;
3. Muffins (4);
4. Baking powder biscuits,
5. Layer cake, unfrosted
6. Decorated cookies (4);
7. Drop cookies (unfrosted 4);
8. Bar cookies,

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unfrosted (4); 9. Formed / Pressed cookies (4); 10. Fudge (4 pieces); 11. Decorated Cake 12. Other than named.

### **DEPARTMENT C – FRUIT**

#### **Best of Show \$5.00**

#### **RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS**

1. Competition in this department is open to Marion County residents and all samples must have been grown by exhibitor.
2. No exhibitor can make more than one entry under the same class number.
3. Entries will be closed in this department Saturday (July 11) one week before beginning of fair, 4:00 p.m.
4. Exhibits shall be in place at 10:00 a.m., on Saturday (July 18), first day of fair.
5. A plate will consist of five apples, five peaches, five pears, eight plums or three bunches of grapes.
6. Single plate exhibits may not be used for collection.
7. No premiums will be awarded to specimens deemed unworthy.
8. Exhibits must remain in place until 6 PM Wednesday of the fair.
9. All exhibits not removed by 10:00 AM Thursday will be disposed of by the superintendents.

#### **DIVISION 31 – APPLES**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Red Delicious; 2. Golden Delicious; ; 3. Jonathan 4. Wealthy ;
5. Winesap; .6. Yellow June 7. Macintosh 8. Any other variety.

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**DIVISION 32 – PEARS**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Bartlett; 2.. Seckel. 3. Any other (named)

**DIVISION 33 – PEACHES**

**First - \$4..00 Second – \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Champion; 2. Hale haven; 3. Red Haven 4. Any other variety.  
(named)

**DIVISION 34 – PLUMS**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Damson; 2.Lombard; 3. Superior; 4. Other than named.  
(named)

**DIVISION 35 – GRAPES**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Concord; 2. Moore’s Early; 3. Niagera; 4. Warden; 5.  
Fredonia; 6. Other than named. (named)

**DIVISION 36 – BEST DISPLAY**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

1. Best Ornamental display of Marion County Fruit.

## **DEPARTMENT D – GRAINS, SEEDS AND VEGETABLES**

– Best of Show \$5.00

### **RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS**

1. Entries in this department close Saturday (July 11) prior to fair, at 4:00 p.m.
2. No Exhibitor can make more than one entry under same class number.
3. All exhibits shown in this department must have been grown by exhibitor.
4. Unless otherwise stated, the exhibits will remain the property of the exhibitor.
5. The exhibit must be installed by 10:00 a.m., Saturday (July 18), and must remain in place until 6 PM Wednesday.
6. All exhibits shall be judged according to the Iowa Score Card,
7. Competition limited to the residents of Marion County.
8. In corn exhibits, ten ears shall constitute a sample unless otherwise specified.
9. All Corn, Clover, and Timothy entered for premiums must have been grown in 2007 and 2008. All other grains must have been grown in 2008.
10. All exhibits not removed from the building by 10:00 a.m. Thursday, will become the property of the Association and will be sold or otherwise disposed of by the Superintendent.

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11. No samples of grain shown at any Fair in 2008 are eligible, and the judge shall be instructed to disqualify any that have previously been shown.
12. No premiums will be awarded to specimens deemed unworthy.

**DIVISION 37 – GRAIN AND SEED**

(Variety of each sample must be stated on entry card)

**First – \$4.00 Second \$3.00 Third \$2.00**

Class

1. 10 ears corn, yellow dent
2. Best single ear, yellow dent
3. 10 ears popcorn
4. Peck shell corn, yellow dent
5. Peck oats
6. Peck soybeans

All bundles to be three inches at band and cured

7. Bundle red clover hay
8. Bundle alfalfa hay
9. Bundle brome hay
10. Bundle reed canary grass
11. Bundle timothy grass
12. Bundle orchard grass
13. Bundle sweet clover

### **DIVISION 38 – VEGETABLES, ROOT CROPS**

**First –\$4.00 Second –\$3.00 Third –\$2.00**

Class

1. 5 specimens Kennebec
2. 5 specimens Early Norland
3. 5 specimens Early Cobblers
4. 5 specimens Pontiac
5. 5 specimens any other potato
6. Three red onions
7. Three white onions
8. Three yellow onions
9. Three beets
10. Three turnips
11. Three carrots
12. Five radishes tied

Onions should not be washed and roots should be clipped.

### **DIVISION 39 – TABLE VEGETABLES**

**First - \$4.00 Second - \$3.00 Third - \$2.00**

Class

1. Two heads red or white cabbage
2. Largest head of cabbage
3. Leaf lettuce (1 plant in water)
4. Six red variety tomatoes
5. Six yellow variety tomatoes
6. Six tomatoes (any other variety)
7. Three stalks rhubarb
8. Three slicing cucumbers
- 9.. Two squash, any variety

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10. Two green peppers
11. Six ears sweet corn (with husks)
12. Plate of snap string beans, edible stage, 12 specimens to plate
13. Two Hot peppers (any variety)
14. Other than named (named)
15. Best ornamental display of Marion County Vegetables

**DIVISION 40 – BEES AND HONEY**

**First \$4.00 Second \$3.00 Third \$2.00**

Class

1. Cake comb honey
2. Jar extracted honey

**DEPARTMENT E – PLANTS, FLOWERS, AND GARDENS**

**RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS**

1. Entries shall close on Saturday prior to fair week (July 11), at 4:00 p.m.
2. Floral arrangements must be in place at 10:00 on the morning of the day they are to be judged and shall remain in place until 6:00 PM Wednesday. Specimens must be in place by 2:00 p.m. on the day they are judged.
3. All specimens and entries must be labeled with variety name.
4. Not responsible for container or other property.
5. Exhibitors are responsible for prompt placement and removal of all exhibits. Failure to comply will result in disqualification.
6. All horticulture specimens must be grown by exhibitor and must be placed in a container of water. The exhibitor must

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- use clear containers only to showcase the individual specimens. Any bottle type may be used by exhibitor.
7. Some foliage should be left on stems, specimens fit to containers. No leaves under water and prune damaged leaves.

## **DIVISION 41 – HORTICULTURE SPECIMEN CLASSES**

**To be judged Sunday, 3:00 p.m.**

**Best of Show \$5.00**

**First - \$3.00    Second - \$2.00    Third - \$1.00**

Class: Annuals

1. Zinnia
  - a. Large
  - b. small-flowered (3 blooms)
2. Marigold
  - a. Large-Flowered (2 blooms, 3” or larger)
  - b. Medium-flowered (2 blooms, under 3”)
  - c. Small-Flowered (3 blooms, 1” or smaller)
3. Petunia
  - a. Single (1 spray)
  - b. Double (1 spray)
4. Celosia
  - a. Plumed (1 stem)
  - b. Crested (1 stem)
5. Gladioli, Any color (1 spike)
6. Snapdragon, Any color (1 spike)
7. Dahlia
  - a. Large-Flowered (1 bloom, over 6” across)
  - b. Small-Flowered (2 blooms, under 6”)
8. Cosmos, Any color (1 spray)

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9. Salvia, Any color (1 stem)
10. Coleus, Any color (1 stem)
11. Sunflower, Any color (1 stem)
12. Cleome, Any color (1 stem)
13. Impatiens, Any color (1 stem)
14. Any other annual, named

Class: Perennials

15. Rose
  - a. Hybrid Tea, any color (1 spray or bloom)
  - b. Grandiflora, any color (1 spray or bloom)
  - c. Floribunda, any color (1 spray or bloom)
  - d. Miniature, any color (1 spray)
16. Hemerocallis (daylily)
  - e. Large bloom (6" or larger, 1 scape)
  - f. Pony bloom (between 3" and 6", 1 scape)
  - g. Miniature bloom (under 3", 1 scape)
17. Lillium (lilies)
  - h. Oriental, any color (1 stalk)
  - i. Asiatic, any color (1 stalk)
  - j. Tiger (1 stalk)
18. Hosta Leaves
  - k. 3 large leaves, same variety
  - l. 3 medium leaves, same variety
  - m. 3 small leaves, same variety
19. Phlox, Any color (1 stem)
20. Coneflower (1 stem)
21. Rudbeckia (1 stem)
22. Any other perennial, named

Class: Something Different – Potted Plants, Blooming and Non-Blooming Named

23 a. African Violet(s) – One or more violets or other plants in that family, blooming in a container of your choice.

23 b. Geranium(s)

23 c. Other Flowering Plants

23 d. Cacti or Succulent Plants

23 e. Geranium(s) – grown for foliage

23 f. Beauty of the Leaves – One or more potted plants grown for the beauty of the leaves.

23 g. Orchids – any type

23 f. Dish Garden – five or more plants, must be compatible.

Container-Grown Plants (Indoor or Outdoor)

23 a. Vines (any variety)

23 b. Ferns (any variety)

23 c. Cactus (any variety)

23 d. Any other blooming plant, named

23 e. Any other non-bloom plant (foliage), named

**DIVISION 42 – ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS, PLANTS  
AND FLOWERS**

**To be judged Monday, 10:30 a.m.**

**All products must be fresh flowers and foliage unless  
otherwise stated**

**First - \$5.00    Second - \$4.00    Third - \$3.00**

**Best of Show - \$10.00**

### **50's Music Theme**

Class

1. Chattanooga Shoe Shine Boy (using shoes)
2. Goodnight Irene (use night time theme)
3. Mocking Bird Hill (use a bird)
4. Doggie in the Window (use dog)
5. Little things mean a lot (Miniature arrangement)
6. Mr. Sandman (use sandy colors)
7. Rock Around the Clock (Show Time Theme)
8. Green Door (All Green)
9. Singing the Blues (Use sheet Music)
10. He's Got the Whole World in His Hands  
(use as a religious theme)

DIVISION 43

**To be judged Tuesday at 10:30 a.m.**

**First \$5.00 Second \$4.00 Third \$3.00 Best of Show \$10**

### **Old Movie Theme**

Class

11. "Gone With The Wind" (show movement)
12. "Star Wars" (space age)
13. "The Color Purple"
14. "It's a Wonderful Life" (Christmas)
15. "Lonesome Dove" (Western theme)
16. "Breakfast at Tiffanys" (use breakfast theme)
17. "Madam Butterfly" (oriental theme)
18. "Old Yeller" (using yellow)
19. "Saving Private Ryan" (using flag)
20. "Pretty in Pink"

*28 Open Class*

**DIVISION 44 – FLORAL SALUTE BY CHILDREN**

**To be staged Tuesday – For children ages 5-17**

**First - \$5.00   Second - \$4.00   Third - \$3.00   Best of**

**Show - \$5.00**

**Floral Nursery Rhymes**

Class

1. “There was an Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe”  
(arrangement in a shoe)
2. “Hickory Dickory Dock” (using a timepiece)
3. “Roses are Red Violets are Blue”
4. “Mary, Mary Quite Contrary “ (using watering can)
5. “Peter, Peter Pumpkin Eater”

**DEPARTMENT F – TEXTILES**

**RULES GOVERNING EXHIBITS**

1. Competition in this department open to Marion County residents only.
2. Entries shall close Saturday, July 11, 4:00 p.m.
3. All articles must have been made by exhibitor.
4. An exhibitor may have only one entry in a class.
5. Articles must have been completed since August 1, last calendar year.
6. All textiles will be judged by the following score: (a) General Appearance 30%; (b) Workmanship 50%; (c) Application of decoration of material 20%.
7. Articles with entry tags attached with small safety pins and all clothing in Division 54 on plain wire hangers must be in place by 10:00 a.m., Saturday (July 18), first day of fair.

*29 Open Class*

8. Articles having no competition will not be awarded a premium unless judged worthy of one.
9. Exhibits must remain in place until 6:00 PM Wednesday of Fair week.
10. The management will make every effort to assure the safety of all articles after arrival and placement, but in no event shall the Marion County Fair Association be responsible for any loss or damage of exhibits.
11. The superintendent has the right to disqualify any article if it is in question as to when article was completed and that it has been shown before.
12. Judging will begin at 1:00 p.m. Monday of fair week.

**Best of Show for Divisions 45-53 - \$10.00**

**DIVISION 45 – APPLIQUE**

**First - \$3.00 Second - \$2.00 Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Pillow case (pair)
2. Tea Towels (2)
3. Other than named.

**DIVISION 46 – CROCHET**

**First - \$3.00 Second - \$2.00 Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Centerpiece
2. Fashion accessories (hat, purse, scarf, etc.)
3. Pair pillowcases (crochet edge)
4. Snowflakes (2)
5. Other than named
6. Tablecloth - First - \$4.00, Second - \$3.00, Third - \$2.00

*30 Open Class*

**DIVISION 47 – CROSS STITCH OR EMBROIDERY**

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Luncheon or tablecloth
2. Pillowcase (pair)
3. Garment decorated with embroidery
4. Framed picture (Print no glass)
5. Tea Towels
6. Other than named.

**DIVISION 48 - PLASTIC CANVAS**

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Frames
2. Baskets
3. Magnets
4. Other than named.

**DIVISION 49 – OTHER HANDWORK**

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Any Crewell article
2. Quilted pillows
3. Needlepoint
4. Candlewicking
5. Dolls & stuffed animals
6. Decorated T-shirt or sweatshirt
7. Jewelry/Hair Accessory

*31 Open Class*

- 8.. Other than named
- 9.. Counted Cross Stitch Picture (blank fabric)
10. Other than named Counted Cross Stitch

**DIVISION 50 – KNITTING**

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Any Baby Article
2. Mittens or gloves (pair)
3. Slippers
4. Other than named

**DIVISION 51 – QUILTS**

**First - \$5.00   Second - \$3.00   Third - \$2.00**

Class

1. Appliqué and hand-quilted
  2. Appliqué and machine quilted
  3. Hand-pieced and hand-quilted
  4. Machine-pieced, hand-quilted
  5. Child's quilt, machine-quilted.
  6. Any type, machine quilted
- First - \$10   Second - \$8.00   Third - \$6.00

**DIVISION 52 – RUGS**

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Braided
2. Latch-hooked
3. Other than named

*32 Open Class*

**DIVISION 53 – AFGHANS**

**First - \$5.00   Second - \$3.00   Third - \$2.00**

Class

1. Crocheted
2. Afghan stitch-crocheted
3. Knitted
4. Other than named

**Best of Show for sewing - \$10.00 Div. 54**

**DIVISION 54 – SEWING CHILDREN’S GARMENTS**

(Any Material)

**First - \$4.00   Second - \$3.00   Third - \$2.00**

Class

1. Any Girls Clothing Article
2. Any Boys Article
3. Other than named

**WOMEN’S GARMENT**

(Any Material)

**First - \$4.00   Second - \$3.00   Third - \$2.00**

Class

4. Short or long dress
5. Night wear or lingerie
6. Blouse
7. Cape, jacket, coat, or vest
8. Slacks or shorts or skirt
9. Other than named

**MEN'S GARMENT**

(Any Material)

**First - \$4.00   Second - \$3.00   Third - \$2.00**

Class

10. Shirt
11. Jacket, coat or vest
12. Slacks or shorts
13. Pajamas or robe
14. Other than named.

**Best of Show – Divisions 55-56 - \$5.00**

**DIVISION 55 – WORK OF TEENS – SEWING**

(Any Material, Ages 13-18)

**First - \$3.00   Second - \$2.00   Third - \$1.00**

Class

1. Robe or pajamas
2. Blouse or shirt
3. Slacks, jeans, shorts, skirt or dress
4. Doll clothes
5. Other than named sewn
6. Crocheted article
7. Knitted article
8. Crewel or embroidered , cross stitch or needlepoint
9. Stuffed toy, pillow or blanket (sewn)
10. Any non-sewn handwork

**DIVISION 56 – WORK OF CHILDREN 12 and Under**

**First - \$3.00    Second - \$2.00    Third - \$1.00**

**Class**

1. Blouse or shirt
2. Pajamas
3. Slacks, shorts, skirt or dress
4. Other article of clothing (sewn)
5. Knitted article
6. Crocheted item
7. Doll clothes
8. Crewel ,cross stitch, needle point or embroidered item
9. Stuffed toy, pillow or blanket (sewn)
10. Any non-sewn handwork