

# 2019 OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS

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## Entry Forms & Tags:

Available at the: Grundy County Extension Office, 703 F Avenue; Suite 1, Grundy Center.

Office Hours are 8:00 am – 4:30 pm Monday thru Fridays

Cost: \$1.00

## Open Class Entry Time:

Exhibit Check In:	Monday, July 15 <sup>th</sup>	3:00 pm – 7:00 pm
	Tuesday, July 16 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 am – 9:30 am

Exhibit Release Time:	Sunday, July 21 <sup>st</sup>	7:00 am – 11:00 am
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*Exhibits must be picked up during this time! If you are unable to pick up your project please arrange for someone else to check out your exhibits on your behalf.*

## General Open Class Rules:

1. Classes are open to anyone who wishes to exhibit with one exception, 4-H & FFA members cannot enter the same exhibit in non-livestock projects in both 4-H & FFA classes and open classes.
2. **All entry forms must be signed, tags completed and firmly attached to the exhibit by the exhibitor before arriving at the building.**
3. Entry Forms MUST include name and phone number of the person who will be picking up exhibits at check out. When using more than one entry form please label them 1 of 2, 2 of 2 in the top right corner.
4. An online entry option is available by creating a profile on <http://grundy.fairentry.com> More detail instructions will be available on [www.grundycountyfair.com](http://www.grundycountyfair.com) website.
5. Exhibits entered must have been made with in the last two years.
6. The superintendents and assistants reserve the right to reclassify an item or split classes.
7. Ribbons will be given to all participating. Each item will be judged on its own merit, receiving a blue, red or white ribbon, regardless of how many are in the class. Purple ribbons will receive \$2, Blue- \$2, Red- \$1, and White- \$.50.

Open class superintendents are not responsible for broken or damaged goods.

# Horticulture

## Fruit and Vegetable Classes:

1. All exhibits must be brought on a sturdy paper plate or cardboard and covered with a plastic bag.
2. Entries must be home grown.
3. For information on how to prepare vegetables for exhibit and judging criteria, ask for the "Harvesting and Preparing Vegetables for Exhibit" at the Extension Office.
4. Please include description of entry on the tag (specify variety if known).

## Vegetables, Herbs, & Fruit

Limit of one exhibit of each variety.

For Example: You can bring 1 exhibit of green bean, 1 exhibit of yellow beans and 1 exhibit of purple beans.

**101 Asparagus** – 3 spears

**102 Beets** – 3 specimen

**103 Broccoli** – 3" head

**104 Cabbage** – 1 head

**105 Carrots** – 3 specimen

**106 Cauliflower** – 1 head

**107 Celery** – 1 bunch

**108 Cucumber**– 3 pickling (2-3")

**109 Cucumber** – 3 dill size (4-6")

**110 Cucumber**–3 slicing (6"or larger)

**111 Dried Onions** - 3

**112 Eggplant** – 1 specimen

**113 Garlic** – 3 specimen

**114 Green Onions** - 5

**115 Kale**-1 plant

**116 Kohlrabi** – 2 specimen

**117 Lettuce** – 1 plant

**118 Lima Beans** – 6 pods

**119 Okra** – 3

**120 Parsnips** - 3

**121 Peas** – 6 pods

**122 Peas (Edible)** – 6 pods

**123 Peppers (Bell or Sweet)**– 2 specimen

**124 Peppers (Hot)**– 2 specimen

**125 Potatoes** – 3

**126 Pumpkin** – 1

**127 Radish** – 5 specimen

**128 Snap Beans** – 6 pods

**129 Spinach** – 1 plant

**130 Squash** – 2 summer

**131 Squash** – 1 winter

**132 Sweet Corn** – 2 ears

**133 Turnips** – 3 specimen

**134 Zucchini** – 2

**135 Other Vegetable**  
not already listed (specify)

**136 Vegetable Basket Display**

Basket must include 5 or more vegetables,

attractively displayed.

Basket cannot be larger than one-half bushel size.

**137 FEATURE CLASS:**

Tallest Stalk of Corn

## Herbs

1 sprig (4-6 inches long) per bottle.

**151 Basil**

**152 Cilantro**

**153 Chives**– 6 sprigs in water

**154 Dill** – 2 head

**155 Oregano**

**156 Parsley**

**157 Mint**

**158 Thyme**

**159 Other Herbs** – not already listed (specify)

## Fruits

**201 Muskmelon** – 1

**202 Raspberry** – 10 specimen

**203 Rhubarb** – 3 stalks

**204 Tomatoes** – 3 specimen

**205 Tomatoes** (Cherry, Pear and/or Grape) – 10 specimen

**206 Watermelon** - 1

**207 Other Fruit** not already listed. Please specify.

## Flowers and Flower Arrangement Classes

1. For information about exhibiting and judging flowers and house plants ask for “Preparing Cut Flowers and House Plants for Exhibit” at the Extension Office.
2. Plants will not be watered unless you include instructions on back of your entry tag.
3. NO plastic vases for spike, sprays or standards.
4. All plant materials must be fresh or dried. See Fine Arts class #618 for artificial arrangements.

### What do you mean Spike, Spray or Standard?

**Spike:** A lengthened flower cluster in which the florets are stem-less.

**Spray:** A main stem with side branches and blooms on all sides.

**Standard (round form):** Round-form flowers that are exhibited as a single flower at the tip of a stem.

### Flower & Flower Arrangements

No more than 3 items per class

- 301 **Garden Flower Spike**
- 302 **Garden Flower Spray**
- 303 **Garden Flower Standard**
  
- 304 **Gone Wild** – Arrangement of wild flowers
- 305 **Shoebooty** – A plant or flower arrangements in a shoe or boot
- 306 **Green Thumb Arrangement** – An arrangement of foliage (no flowers)
- 307 **Mini Me** – Miniature arrangement under 6 inches high
- 308 **Fall Harvest** – Arrangement of yellow and/or orange flowers
- 309 **Weathered Beauty** – Fresh flowers with weathered wood
- 310 **NEW! “Iowa the Corn State”** – An arrangement of fresh flowers or dried plant material with any part of the corn plant and or ear.
- 311 **Kitchen Sunshine** – Any kind of fresh flowers in kitchen container
- 312 **Rustic Arrangements** – Arrangement of flowers in a rustic container
- 313 **Holiday Fair** – Container must be a holiday container, ex. Christmas, Easter, etc.
- 314 **White on White** – White Flowers, White Container
- 315 **Tea Time** – Fresh flowers arranged in a tea pot
- 316 **Coffee Time** – Fresh flowers arranged in a coffee mug or cup
- 317 **Home Grown Dried Arrangement**
- 318 **House Plants**
- 319 **Patio Plant**
- 320 **Container Flower Garden** – This includes more than 1 plant in a container
- 321 **Fairy Garden**
- 322 **Cut Flower Arrangement**
- 323 **NEW! Succulants**
  
- 324 **Feature Class:**
  - All American** – Arrangement of flowers. Everything needs to be red, white or blue

# Home & Family Exhibits

## Foods

1. All exhibits must be brought on a sturdy paper plate or covered cardboard in clear plastic bag.
2. Maximum of 4 different recipes per class.
3. **EACH CLASS MUST INCLUDE RECIPE!**  
Recipe must be on an index card and attached to the entry tag.
4. Preserved Foods **MUST** have a "Food Preservation Label". Label's can be picked up at the Extension Office.

The following information must be included on the label:

- a. Method of preservation
  - b. Processed Time
  - c. Date Processed
  - d. Current UDSA and/or Iowa State University guidelines for home food preservation methods must be used. (Check at County Extension Office for recommended practices or call ISU Hotline 1-800-262-3804 for current researched information.) Preserved foods must include the Food Preservation Exhibit Label, VI-991201-WB/SSA.
  - e. All jars must be displayed without rings.
5. No cream cheese or item that needs refrigeration.
  6. A sample of baked goods will be displayed after judging.

## Foods

401	<b>Yeast Bread</b> -1 loaf	415	<b>Pie</b> - No cream pies
402	<b>Bread Machine Loaf</b> -1 loaf	416	<b>Jams</b> - 1 clear sealed jar, not paraffin
403	<b>Yeast Rolls</b> -7 rolls	417	<b>Jellies</b> -1 clear sealed jar, not paraffin
404	<b>Quick Breads</b> -1 Loaf	418	<b>Preserves and Butters</b> - 1 clear sealed jar, not paraffin
405	<b>Quick Breads</b> -1 Mini Loaf	419	<b>Canned Fruits</b> - clear sealed jar
406	<b>Fruit and Nut Breads</b> -1 loaf or 7 muffins	420	<b>Canned Vegetables</b> - 1 clear sealed jar
407	<b>Layer Cakes</b> -1 cake with frosting	421	<b>Canned Pickles</b> - 1 clear sealed jar
408	<b>Cakes and Cupcakes</b> -1 cake or 4 cupcakes	422	<b>Canned Relishes</b> - 1 clear sealed jar
409	<b>Decorated Cakes</b> - judged on decorating only	423	<b>Canned Salsa</b> – 1 clear sealed jar
410	<b>Bar Cookies</b> (7)	424	<b>Dehydrated</b> (Fruit, Vegetable, Herb, Pasta, Meat)
411	<b>Chocolate Chip Cookies</b> (7)	425	<b>Gluten Free</b>
412	<b>Drop Cookies</b> (7)	426	<b>Other Food Entry</b> – Specify
413	<b>Refrigerator &amp; Roll Out Cookies</b> (7)	427	<b>Fruit or Vegetable Sculptured Arrangements</b>
414	<b>Candy</b> (7 pieces)	428	<b>Feature Class: – Family Favorite</b> Include a story about why it is your family favorite

## Textiles and Clothing

1. All classes must indicate whether the article is **original, kit or pattern** on the entry tag.
2. Please include a description on your entry. If machine quilted specify if the quilting was done by self or hired out.
3. No more than 4 items per class.

### **Quilted Items**

(Include size & description on Entry Tag)

- 501 Machine Quilted
- 502 Hand Quilted
- 503 Machine Embroidery Quilt
- 504 Embroidery Quilt
- 505 Patchwork Quilt
- 506 Machine Applique Quilt
- 507 Hand Applique Quilt
- 508 Mixed Techniques
- 509 Tied Comforter
- 510 Other Quilts

### **Afghan**

- 511 Knitted Afghan
- 512 Crocheted Afghan
- 513 Other Afghan (Specify)

### **Wall Hangings**

- 514 Framed
- 515 Unframed
- 516 Hoops
- 517 Latchhook
- 518 Other Wall Hanging

### **Counted Cross Stitch Embroidery**

- 519 Wall hanging
- 520 Picture 4x4 and Under
- 521 Picture 10x10 and Under
- 522 Picture 16x16 and Under
- 523 Picture Over 16x16
- 524 Pillow
- 525 Other Cross Stitch

### **Embroidery & Needlework**

- 526 Needlework
- 527 Embroidery
- 528 Crewel Embroidery
- 529 Needlepoint

### **Knitting & Crochet**

- 530 Knitting
- 531 Machine Knitting
- 532 Crochet with Yarn
- 533 Crochet with Thread

### **Pillows**

- 534 Quilted Pillow
- 535 Pieced Pillow
- 536 Crochet Pillow
- 537 Other Pillow

### **Fabric Crafts**

- 538 Stuffed Toys
- 539 Rag Crafts
- 540 Padded
- 541 Jewelry
- 542 Doll Clothes
- 543 Recycled Items
- 544 Other Fabric Crafts

### **Home Decorating**

- 545 Curtains
- 546 Tablecloths
- 547 Appliance Covers
- 548 Other Home Decorating (Specify)

### **Accessories**

- 549 Purses
- 550 Hat
- 551 Tote
- 552 Other Accessories (Specify)

### **Other Textiles**

- 553 Tatting
- 554 Weaving (any item)
- 555 Felted Item
- 556 Fleece Blanket
- 557 Holiday Sewing
- 558 Serger Sewing
- 559 Novelties
- 560 Healthcare & Wellness Items  
(ex. walker accessory, lap robe, receiving blanket, prayer shawl, etc...)
- 561 Other Textiles (Specify)

Continue to the next page for more Textiles & Clothing classes

## Textiles & Clothing Continued...

### Women's Clothing

562	Women's Blouse, top or shirt
563	Women's Pants – any length
564	Women's Casual Dress
565	Women's Formal Wear
566	Women's Jacket or Suit
567	Women's Sweatshirts (Decorated)
568	Women's T-shirts
569	Women's Vests
570	Other Women's Clothing (Specify)

### Other Clothing

571	Quilted Clothing
572	Toddler Clothing
573	Children's Clothing
574	Men's Clothing
575	Other Clothing
576	Other Recycled Clothing Items
580	Feature Class: All American Textiles & Clothing

## Fine Arts

1. Indicate whether the article is an **original design or from a pattern or kit** on entry tag.
2. **Copyrighted materials** and designs may not be used in an exhibit that is presented as original work by the exhibitor. Exhibitors must include permission from the copyright holder/owner when using copyrighted materials. Exhibitors must give proper credit to the original source of all materials/designs used in exhibits. Use of copyrighted or trademarked designs, images, logos, or materials in 4-H visual arts exhibit is prohibited unless written permission has been obtained from the copyright or trademark holder/owner.
3. All art items need to be ready for display before checking in at entry table.
4. No more than 4 Entries per class.

### Painting

601	Oil Painting
602	Acrylic Painting
603	Watercolor Painting
604	Other Painting (Specify)

### Zendoodles

605	Zendoodle Coloring Page
606	Other Zendoodles (Specify)

### Drawing

Drawings must be matted or mounted

607	Drawings - Charcoal
608	Drawings - Pencil
609	Drawings – Specify Other

### Scrapbooking

No more than 2 exhibits in each class

Layouts must have a page protector

610	1 page Scrapbook Layout
611	2 page Scrapbook Layout
612	Theme Album (examples: baby album, Christmas album, friend's album, dance album, etc. No more than 2 exhibits.)

### Other

640	Feature Class: All American
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### Fine Arts

613	Ceramics
614	Dolls
615	Christmas Tree Ornaments
616	Holiday Decoration
617	Stenciling
618	Silk or Dried Flower Arrangements
619	Repurposed Creation
620	Lego or other building material creations
621	Creative Writing
622	Shadow Box Arrangement
623	Skin Care Item
624	Creative Cards (must be a set of 3 cards)
625	Cricut Creations Cricut machine used to create this exhibit
626	Creative Jewelry (any necklace, earrings, bracelets or a jewelry made by exhibitor, must have a tag attached to the jewelry with exhibitors name and phone number, all jewelry exhibits must be inside a small clear plastic bag.)
627	String Art
628	Models (ex. Cars, Rockets, etc...)
629	Stain Glass
630	Leather
631	Other Arts and Crafts (specify)

# Photography

1. All photography entries must be 5"x7" in size or larger
2. The photo must be matted, framed, or mounted. (Photos printed on canvas are not eligible)
3. No more than 3 per class
4. Photos can be taken with any camera, cell phone or tablet.
5. Basic Editing Techniques are acceptable for any of the above normal classes. Some examples of basic editing include: cropping, sharpening, dodging, burning, increasing saturation, increasing contrast and removing dust spots. Be careful NOT to over-sharpen or over-saturate your photos. Photos must be from a single image. Objects from another photo cannot be added to your original image. (Exception to this rule are Sepia & Dramatic Computer Enhanced Classes)
6. Please select class based on your age:  
Y – Youth up to age 12, I – Intermediates age 13-18, A – Adult 19 and up.

## **Black & White**

701 A / 702 I / 703 Y

704 A / 705 I / 706 Y

707 A / 708 I / 709 Y

710 A / 711 I / 712 Y

713 A / 714 I / 715 Y

**Black & White People**

**Black & White Landscape**

**Black & White Things &  
Still Life**

**Black & White Plants,  
Flowers & Trees**

**Black & White Animals,  
Insects & Wildlife**

## **Color**

716 A / 717 I / 718 Y

719 A / 720 I / 721 Y

722 A / 723 I / 724 Y

725 A / 726 I / 727 Y

728 A / 729 I / 730 Y

731 A / 732 I / 733 Y

**Color People photo**

**Color Landscape**

**Color Things & Still Life**

**Color Plants, Flowers &  
Trees**

**Color Animals, Insects &  
Wildlife**

**Sepia Photos**

## **Digitally Computer Enhanced**

Any photo that has been edited beyond the basic editing techniques described in Rule #5.

734 A **Digitally Enhanced**

735 I **Digitally Enhanced**

736 Y **Digitally Enhanced**

## **FEATURE PHOTO / Theme: All American**

Any photo representing the feature photo theme.

740 A **Feature Photo**

741 I **Feature Photo**

742 Y **Feature Photo**

## **Series**

A series is a group of three to five related photos that tell a story. Include a description of the photos on an index card or separate sheet. It should be mounted as one piece.

737 A **Photo Series**

738 I **Photo Series**

739 Y **Photo Series**

# Woodworking

## Woodworking

- 801 Refinishing Wooden Articles
- 802 Indoor Woodworking
- 803 Outdoor Woodworking
- 804 Wooden Toys
- 805 Wood Carving
- 806 Wood Burning
- 807 Wood Lawn Ornaments
- 808 Repurposed Wood Article
- 809 Other Woodworking

## Other Home & Family Exhibits

- 810 Feature Class: All American

# 2019 Open Class Entry Instructions

## *Home, Family, and Horticulture Exhibits*

*Any Exhibit lost or damaged during the fair are the liability of the exhibitor.*

### **ENTRY FORM:**

- ✓ Complete Entry Form OR enter online at <http://grundyopen.fairentry.com>
  - If you receive an error message log in to <http://fairentry.com> and select find your fair.  
Look for 2019 Grundy County Fair OPEN class.
- ✓ Online Entry Instructions are available on [www.grundycountyfair.com](http://www.grundycountyfair.com)
- ✓ If you use an Entry Form:
  - On the paper form in the top right corner please put an X by Adult or Youth. If youth, please add the age as of entry day.
  - You must fill in your name, phone number and address.
  - You must include the Class # (ex. 502), Class Name (ex. Hand Quilted), & a brief description of your entry. (ex. Yellow & Black Bee Pattern Quilt)

### **ENTRY TAG:**

- ✓ Use the Open Class Entry Tag.
  - In the top right corner please put an X by Adult or Youth.
- ✓ Attach a completed Entry Tag to each exhibit.
  - No. – Leave Blank
  - Division – Leave Blank
  - Class – Use the class number in book (ex. 502:Hand Quilted)
  - Entry – Provide a brief description of your entry
  - Name – Exhibitor Name
  - Address – Exhibitor Phone #

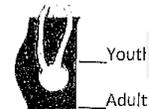
### **ENTRY DAY OPTIONS:**

Deliver your entries & entry form to the Open Class building on the Fairgrounds Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, between 3:00 pm – 7:00 pm or Tuesday, July 16<sup>th</sup> between 7:30 am – 9:30 am

### **EXHIBITS RELEASED:**

All exhibits are released on Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 am – 11:00 am. Exhibitors who remove their exhibits prior to release time without proper consent of the Executive Committees will not be allowed to exhibit at the 2019 Grundy County Fair.

All exhibits **MUST** be picked up by 11:00 am. Fair clean up follows the 4-H & FFA 8:00 am release of exhibits. If you are unable to pick up your own projects please make other arrangements and include a name and phone number on your entry form of the person who will be picking up your project.



### **ENTRY TAG**

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Division 502: Hand Quilted  
Class \_\_\_\_\_  
Entry Yellow & Black Bee Pattern  
Quilt \_\_\_\_\_

THE NAME UNDER THIS  
FLAP MUST NOT BE  
EXPOSED UNTIL  
AFTER JUDGING

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