

Senior Floriculture Department

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We invite you to volunteer in the Floriculture Building. We welcome your participation!

IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION

ENTRY FORMS DUE:

(First Period Judging)

By Mail & Online: Monday, July 20, 2009

Arrangements
Cut Flowers
Orchids
Potted Plants
Jr. Arrangements

(Second Period Judging)

Friday, August 14, 2009

Arrangements
Cut Flowers

EXHIBITS RECEIVED:

(First Period Judging)

Tuesday, August 11, 2009
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Second Period Judging)

Friday, August 14, 2009
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

ALL EXHIBITS RELEASED:

Monday, August 17, 2009
Noon to 6:00 p.m.

*Note: please read all rules, requirements and pertinent information, there have been numerous changes from last year.

DEPARTMENTAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. American system of judging, except Junior Divisions which are Judged Danish.
2. Exhibits in the Floriculture Department must have been grown by the exhibitor within the county, district or community represented by the exhibitor, except division for arrangements. Florists and nurseries may exhibit plants, plant material and flowers which they currently sell but do not necessarily grow.
3. Exhibits should be adequately and correctly labeled.
4. This department is open to all exhibitors showing flowers and plants grown in Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz counties, unless otherwise specified.
5. Exhibitors are required to keep their flowers in good condition for the duration of the Fair or forfeit their prizes. Flowers and gardens must be changed and/or watered as needed between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 12th, Thursday, August 13th & Saturday, August 15th. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO DO SO AT THESE TIMES, PLEASE CONTACT BUILDING SUPERINTENDENT.
6. All materials and decorations must be made from a flame-proof material, or treated and maintained in a flame-retardant condition.

7. ENTRY LIMITS: One entry per exhibitor per class unless otherwise specified.
8. No Entry Fee on Cut Flower and Orchid Departments
9. LIABILITY: Every precaution will be taken in the handling and exhibiting of work; however, the Fair will not be responsible for loss or damage which may occur from any cause. Submission of entries implies acceptance of all conditions stated in local and state rules.

SPECIAL AWARDS RIBBONS FIRST AND SECOND PERIOD

Best Junior Arrangement
Best Novice Arrangement
Best Master Arrangement
Best Intermediate Arrangement
Best Commercial Arrangement
Best Open Arrangement
Best Arrangement In Show
Best Cut Flower
Best Cut Begonia
Best Cut Dahlia
Best Cut Rose
Best Specimen Cacti Plant
Best Specimen Succulent Plant
Best of Show Orchid
Best Outdoor Plant
Best Indoor Plant

The following awards will be presented to the outstanding educational exhibits. These awards are designed to encourage excellence in design and superior horticulture and will be judged by a special judging committee. All exhibits entered in the Floriculture Department are eligible. All winners will be re-judged for this award.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Excellence In Floral Design

First Period: \$50.00

Second Period: \$50.00

Excellence In Cut Flower

First Period: \$50.00

Second Period: \$50.00

Excellence In Horticulture

First Period: \$50.00

Second Period: \$50.00

Excellence In Horticulture

First Period: \$50.00

Second Period: \$50.00

Directors Award Floral Design

Viewers Choice Floral Department Plaque

FIRST PERIOD JUDGING

*These Divisions require Pre-Entry Prior To the Fair

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS DIVISIONS 81 - 98		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$15.00	\$12.00	\$10.00

DIVISION 81 TABLE SETTINGS OPEN

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

Flowers, fresh or dry must be used in all arrangements. Arranged by exhibitor only. An arrangement suitable for a center of a dining table or buffet table. May use glassware, china, etc. or paper and plastic. Bring your own card table. One exhibitor per card table. One or two place settings. Silverware at your OWN DISCRETION. The Fair is NOT responsible for lost items

CLASS:

1. Girls' Night Out
2. Dinner with an Important Person (Celebrity, idol, hero, etc... living or deceased)
3. Little Italy
4. Fair Theme- Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 82 WINDOW BOXES (Displayed Outdoors)

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

Hanging Window Boxes provided by the Floriculture Dept. First 6 Entries. Window Box Size - Length 3 feet long 6 inches wide and 5 inches in depth. Window portion 4 feet tall.

Plants must be in plastic pot or other light vessel. May use moss or similar product to cover containers, accessories for ornamentation and/or curtains. Exhibitor is responsible for watering. (Hint- use water retaining crystals)

CLASS:

1. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 83 PLANTER BOX

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

Standing Planter Boxes provided by the Floriculture Dept. First 6 Entries. Window Box Size - Length 2 feet long 12 inches wide and 9 inch depth. Stands 45 inches from ground.

Plants must be in plastic pot or other light vessel. May use moss or other product to cover containers and/or accessories for ornamentation. Displayed indoors or outdoors. Exhibitor is responsible for watering. (Hint- use water retaining crystals)

CLASS:

1. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 84 DECORATED HATS – OPEN
(must be able to display on hat rack provided by the Fair)
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Wild West – Cowboy Hat (using silk or dry flowers)
2. Off to the Races – Kentucky Derby Style Hat (using silk or dry flowers)
3. Fair Theme – Fisherman Style Hat (using dry, silk or fresh flowers)

DIVISION 85 DECORATED MANTELS
Mantels provided by the Floriculture Dept.

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

First 6 entries. Call (831) 372-5863 on Mantel Dimensions

CLASS:

1. Ringing in the New Year
2. Remember the Fallen – Tribute to all Armed Forces
3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 86 SILK/DRY/FRESH
ARRANGEMENTS IN UNUSUAL CONTAINERS – OPEN

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Recycled Container – Milk Jug, Soap Bottle, Egg Carton, Cereal box etc.

ARRANGEMENT DEPARTMENT

SCORECARD FOR ARRANGEMENTS

Originality and Conformance	30%
Harmony of Color, Texture and Container.....	30%
Design (Balance and Proportion)	25%
Condition of Material	15%
TOTAL SCORE	100%

Arrangements must be completed by Exhibitor only at home; work space available for last minute details only. Exhibitors will be allowed to set their own completed arrangements in place in the exhibit area. "Fresh Arrangements" are not to exceed 10% use of dry materials, unless otherwise noted.

The use of artificial flowers and materials will not be permitted unless specifically stated in Division or Class descriptions. Small or valuable figurines and accessories should not be used in arrangements unless securely attached to base. Owner's name on bottom of container is recommended. The attendants

in charge will take every possible precaution, but will not be responsible for loss or breakage. Natural plant materials may be dyed or sprayed.

DEFINITIONS FOR THE ARRANGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

NOVICE: One who has won from 0 to 5 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

INTERMEDIATE: One who has won 6 to 10 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

ADVANCED: One who has won 11 to 30 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

MASTER: Arrangement Lecturers, Floral Arrangement Teachers, Arrangement Judges or anyone who supplements their income in the field of Floral Arranging, or who has received 31 or more blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

COMMERCIAL: Professional Florists or Floral Shop Designers.

OPEN: Open to all exhibitors, including professional.

CLASSIFICATION RULES: An exhibitor is classified as one, and only one, of the following: Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Master, or Commercial. An exhibitor may compete only in those classes listed in his/her classification plus Open Classes. For example, a Novice may exhibit only in Novice Classes and Open Classes. Supervisors and judges may reclassify entrants into correct classes.

EXHIBITOR UPGRADE RULE: An exhibitor may upgrade his classification even though he/she has not won the appropriate number of blue ribbons, but once having exhibited in a higher class (excluding Open) the exhibitor can never return to a lower classification. For example, a Novice who decides to reclassify as an Intermediate and exhibits in Intermediate Classes can never go back to being a Novice even though he still has the number of blue ribbons showing that he should be a Novice.

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT RULES: Flowers must be arranged in a single container unless otherwise specified. Arrangement designs may be enhanced by accessories. Accessories are considered anything in a design in addition to the plant material and container. Accessories may include a mat, small object, figurines, backdrop, and/or frame.

Scorecard: - Coordinating & Conformance

Design (Balance & Proportion) Condition of material

DIVISION 87 FRESH/DRY MINIATURES - OPEN

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(one entry per class)*

Fresh or dried flowers must be used in all arrangements except where otherwise indicated. Not to exceed 4” in any dimension, including the base.

CLASS:

1. Fresh Flowers, Any Container
2. Dry or Silk Flowers, Any Container

DIVISION 88 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS OPEN

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)*

CLASS:

1. Wall Décor-Seasonal or Holiday (Wreath, Swag, etc.)
2. Wine Country – Arranged in a Wine Glass
3. Let Freedom Ring – Use Red, White and Blue in Arrangement
4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 89 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS NOVICE

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)*

CLASS:

1. Sailing Ships – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Hands Out of the Cookie Jar – Arranged in a Cookie Jar
3. Team Spirit – An Arrangement Designed with your Favorite Sports Team in Mind
4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 90 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS INTERMEDIATE

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)*

CLASS:

1. Home on the Range – Arranged in a Farm Style Container
2. Sunset – A Yellow Rose Surrounded by Complementary Colors
3. Teacup Delight – Arranged in a Tea Cup
4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 91 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS ADVANCED

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)*

CLASS:

1. Playing with the Queen of Hearts – Use Pink and Red Flowers
2. This is for the Birds – Using a Bird House
3. Red and Ritzy – Arranger’s Interpretation
4. Fair Theme - Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 92 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS MASTERS

*Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)*

CLASS:

1. Fiesta Time – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Luck of the Irish – Using Green and White Flowers
3. Key to my Heart – Arranger’s Interpretation
4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 93 SILK/DRY/FRESH ARRANGEMENTS COMMERCIAL

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Get a Rhythm – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Fair Theme

DIVISION 94 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS OPEN

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Backwoods Boy – Use Wood in Arrangement
2. California Dreamin’ – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Fair Theme - Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 95 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS NOVICE

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Whispered Romance – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Rock my World Little Country Girl – Use a round Object and Rocks in Arrangement
3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 96 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS INTERMEDIATE

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Sentimental Journey – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Coffee Break – Arranged in a Coffee Cup
3. Fair Theme –Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 97 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS ADVANCED

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. The Very Last Country Song – Must Include an Item Pertaining to Music
2. Autumn Bliss: Flowers & Foliage in warm and neutral colors
3. Fair Theme

DIVISION 98 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS MASTERS

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

CLASS:

1. Salute to Friends – Arranger’s Interpretation
2. Something’s Cooking – Arranged in any style Cooking Pot
3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

CUT FLOWER DEPARTMENT

CUT FLOWERS AND ORCHID: No Entry Fees.

Cut Flowers must be shown in containers furnished by the Floriculture Department. Cut flower divisions are open to amateur and private growers.

DEFINITIONS:

- A. AMATEUR: One who generally grows plants primarily for his own pleasure and who does not derive his livelihood there from.
- B. PRIVATE GROWER: A person who may enjoy growing their own cut flowers and who may or may not offer them for sale.

EVERYONE HAS A BEAUTIFUL GARDEN.

PLEASE NOTE - All cut flowers will be discarded at close of Fair except when prior arrangements have been made with the floriculture department.

SCORECARD - CUT FLOWERS

CULTURE PERFECTION	80%
Size (according to species or variety).....	20%
Color	10%
Form.....	10%
Substance and Texture	10%
Perfection of Bloom	10%
Foliage (if any)	10%
Stem.....	10%
CONDITION (FRESHNESS)	20%
TOTAL SCORE	100%

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
DIVISIONS 99 - 103		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

DIVISION 99 CUT FLOWERS - BEGONIAS - Tuber, Hybrids

NO Entry Fees
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

CLASS:

1. Best One Bloom - Camellia or Rose Type, Smooth Petal Edge
2. Best One Bloom - Carnation or Ruffled Type, Ruffled Petal Edge
3. Best One Bloom - Picotte, Any Form
4. Any Other Form - Such as Crispa Marginata, Narcissiflora, or Single Form

DIVISION 100 CUT FLOWERS - DAHLIAS

NO Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

One of the following forms:

CLASS:

1. Stellar, Orchid, Water Lily or Anemone
2. Ball or Pompom
3. Cactus, Incurved or Straight
4. Cactus, Semi
5. Cactus, Decorative Informal
6. Colaretta, Single (Daisy Form), Mignon
7. Decorative Formal
8. Largest (diameter and depth), any type
9. Miniature, Under 4" Cactus or Decorative

DIVISION 101 CUT FLOWERS - ROSES

No Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

NOTE: All roses must be disbudded, except when shown as sprays.

CLASS:

1. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, white/near white
2. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, yellow/yellow blend
3. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, orange/orange blend/
orange red
4. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, pink/pink blend
5. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, red/red blend
6. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, mauve or striped
7. Floribunda, white/near white
8. Floribunda, yellow/yellow blend; orange/orange
blend
9. Floribunda, pink/ pink blend
10. Floribunda, red or red blend
11. Floribunda, mauve or striped
12. Floribunda spray, any color
13. Miniature, white/near white; yellow/yellow blend
14. Miniature, orange/orange blend
15. Miniature, pink or pink blend
16. Miniature, red or red blend
17. Miniature, any other color
18. Miniature spray, any color
19. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, any color
20. Climber, any color, one spray
21. Fully open, any color, stamens must show

**DIVISION 102 CUT FLOWERS -
ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS**

No Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

Blossoms cannot have buds, number of stems or sprays as specified.

CLASS:

1. Agapanthus, Blue or White - 1 stem
2. Amaryllis, African/Dutch - 1 stem
3. Aster, Single - 1 stem
4. Aster, Double - 1 stem
5. Alstromeria - 1 spray
6. Begonia, Tuberous - 1 bloom
7. Bougainvillea - (12" to 30" long) 1 branch
8. Bachelor Buttons - 3 stem

9. Bells of Ireland - 1 stem
10. Bird of Paradise - 1 stem
11. Canna - 1 stem
12. Carnation (large flowering, disbudded) - 3 stem
13. Carnation (miniature, cluster type) - 1 spray
14. Chrysanthemum (Florist's Mum) disbudded - 3
stem
15. Chrysanthemum (small, cluster type) - 1 spray
16. Coreopsis - 3 stem
17. Cosmos (single or double) - 3 stem
18. Daisy, African - 3 stem
19. Daisy, Gloriosa (single or double) - 3 stem
20. Daisy, Marguerite - 3 stem
21. Daisy, Shasta - 3 stem
22. Daisy, Transvaal; (single or double) - 3 stem
23. Dianthus (Sweet William) - 3 stem
24. Echinacea, any color - 3 stem
25. Fuchsia (single or double) - 1 stem
26. Gaillardia - 3 stem
27. Gladiola - 1 stem
- Geranium, See Pelargonium
28. Hollyhock; single or double - 1 stem
29. Hydrangea, any color - 1 branch
30. Iris, any variety - 1 stem
31. Liatris - 3 stem
32. Lily, any variety - 1 stem
33. Marigold, any variety - 3 stem
34. Money Plant (peeled or unpeeled) - 1 branch
35. Nasturtium, any variety, must have leaves &
flowers - 1 vine
36. Pansy - 3 stem
37. Pelargonium, Ivy Geranium, must have leaves &
flowers - 2 stem
38. Pelargonium, Regal/Martha Washington
Geranium, must have leaves & flowers - 2 stem
39. Pelargonium, Common (Zonal) Geranium, must
have leaves & flowers - 2 stem
40. Pelargonium, Scented Geranium, must have
leaves & flowers - 2 stem
41. Scabiosa, any variety - 3 stem
42. Sunflower, any variety - 1 stem
43. Sweet Peas - 3 stem
44. Zinnia, Dwarf - 3 stem
45. Zinnia, Giant - 1 stem
46. Any Annual not listed, same color - 2 stem
47. Any Perennial not listed, same color - 2 stem
48. Any Bulb, Corm, Tuber - 1 stem
49. Any Shrub or Vine not listed (12" to 30" long) - 1
branch
50. Grower's Bunch, mixed variety, mixed color - 12-
20 stems
51. Grower's Bunch, same variety, same color/shade
- 12-20 stems
52. Any other Perennials

DRIED OR EVERLASTING FLOWERS

53. Baby's Breath - 1 spray
54. Celosia - 1 stem
55. Statice - 3 stem
56. Strawflower - 3 stem
57. Yarrow - 3 stem

DIVISION 103 CUT HERBS*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Basil
2. Garlic
3. Onion
4. Parsley
5. Rosemary
6. Thyme
7. Any Other

4. Oncidium Hybrids
5. Miltonia Species and Hybrids
6. Miltoniopsis Species and Hybrids
7. Brassia Species and Hybrids
8. Other Species, specify
9. Multi Generic Hybrids

DIVISION 106 PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Paph Species
2. Paph Hybrids, All Colors
3. Paph Hybrids, All Colors, Dorsal Types
4. Paph Hybrids, Antique or Primary
5. Paph Hybrids, All Other Colors
6. Phragmepedium Species
7. Phragmepedium Hybrids

DIVISION 107 CYMBIDIUM*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Miniature
2. Standard
3. Species

DIVISION 108 PHALAEOPSIS ALLIANCE*No Entry Fee**(two entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Phalaenopsis Species
2. Any Solid Color Hybrid
3. Striped or Spotted Hybrids
4. Barred Hybrids
5. Multi-Flowered
6. Doritis Species and Hybrids

DIVISION 109 MISCELLANEOUS ORCHIDS*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Dendrobium Any Type
2. Epidendrum Species and Hybrids
3. Epidendrum Intergene Hybrids
4. Encyclia Species and Hybrids
5. Vanda Hybrids and Species
6. Vanda Intergeneric Hybrids
7. Lycaste Hybrids and Species
8. Masdevallia/Dracula Hybrids
9. Masdevallia/Dracula Species
10. Other Hybrids or Species with smaller than one inch flowers
11. Other Hybrids or Species with larger than one inch flowers
12. Any mounted Species or Hybrid

ORCHID DEPARTMENT**DEPARTMENTAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

NEW: No entry fee in Cut Flower and Orchid departments

Orchids must be in exhibitor's possession for a minimum of 90 days prior to showing at Monterey County Fair.

The following Orchid Divisions are open to AMATEURS AND PRIVATE GROWERS (see definitions below) of Monterey, Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Luis Obispo and San Benito counties.

DEFINITIONS:

- A. AMATEUR: One who generally grows plants primarily for his own pleasure and who does not derive his livelihood there from.
- B. PRIVATE GROWER: A person who may enjoy growing of plants and who may or may not offer them for sale.

**PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS
DIVISIONS 104 - 109**

1st	2nd	3rd
\$9.00	\$7.00	\$5.00

DIVISION 104 CATTLEYA ALLIANCE*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Cattleya Alliance Species
2. Cattleya, Hybrids, Solid Colors
3. Cattleya, Hybrids, Spotted
4. Other Species & Hybrids

DIVISION 105 ODONTOGLOSSUM ALLIANCE*No Entry Fee**(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)***CLASS:**

1. Odontoglossum Species
2. Odontoglossum & Odontioda Hybrids
3. Oncidium Species

POTTED PLANT DEPARTMENT

Plants must be in exhibitor's possession for a minimum of 90 days prior to showing at the Monterey County Fair. All plants must be free of pest and disease.

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS DIVISIONS 110 - 115

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6.00	\$5.00	\$3.00

DIVISION 110 SAINTPAULIA - AFRICAN VIOLET
Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

To be displayed indoors.

CLASS:

SECTION I -

Standard Plants. Single Or Semi-double Blossoms, Single Crown

1. Blue, Purple, Lavender or Orchid
2. Pink, Red, Wine, Fuchsia or Coral
3. White, Cream or Blush
4. Two-Tone or Multicolored
5. Fantasy, Chimera and All Edged

SECTION II -

Standard Plants, Double Blossoms, Single Crown

6. Blue or Purple
7. Pink, Rose or Coral
8. Red, Wine, Fuchsia or Plum
9. Lavender, Mauve or Orchid
10. White, Cream or Blush
11. Two-Tone, Fantasy, Multicolored or Edged (all shades of bloom)

SECTION III -

Standard Plants, Single, Semi-double Or Double Blossoms, Variegated Foliage, Single Crown.

12. Blue, Purple, Lavender or Orchid
13. Pink, Red, Wine, Fuchsia or Coral
14. White, Cream or Blush
15. Two-Tone, Chimera and All Edged

SECTION IV -

Miniature Or Semi-miniature Plants, Not Larger Than Eight Inches, Single, Semi-double, Or Double Blossoms, Single Crown.

16. Blue, Purple, Lavender or Orchid
17. Pink, Coral, Red or Fuchsia
18. White, Cream or Blush
19. Two-Tone or Multicolored
20. Fantasy, Chimera and All Edged
21. Any Color - Variegated Foliage

SECTION V -

Trailers, Any Color Or Blossom Type, Single Plant

22. Standard Trailers

23. Miniature Trailer

SECTION VI -

Gesneriads Other Than African Violets

24. Gloxinia
25. Streptocarpus
26. Any Other Gesneriad

**DIVISION 111 POTTED PLANTS
 Displayed Indoors**

Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

CLASS:

1. Adiantum –All Varieties (such as five fingered fern and maidenhair fern)
2. Asplenium- All Varieties (such as bird nest Fern and Mother Fern)
3. Begonia, Rex
4. Begonia Rhizomatous
5. Begonia, Shrub like
6. Bromeliad, no bloom required, any type
7. Coleus
8. Croton
9. Dieffenbachia
10. Dracena
11. Fern, Boston
12. Fern, Any Other
13. Ficus Benjamina
14. Ivy-Common
15. Ivy-Any Other
16. Philodendron
17. Pothos
18. Rubber Plant
19. Spathiphyllum
20. Parasitic Plants
21. Any other indoor foliage plant
22. Any other indoor foliage plant in bloom

**DIVISION 112 POTTED PLANTS -
 SHADE PLANTS IN BLOOM
 Displayed Outdoors**

Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

CLASS:

1. Begonia, Tuberous Hanging Basket, Any Color
2. Begonia, Tuberous Upright Multiflora Type
3. Begonia, Tuberous Upright Carnation or Ruffled Type
4. Begonia, Tuberous Rose or Camellia Type
5. Begonia, Tuberous Any other flower form
6. Any Other Shade Plant in Bloom

**DIVISION 113 POTTED PLANTS -
 SUN PLANTS IN BLOOM
 Displayed Outdoors**

Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

CLASS:

1. Begonia, Cane-like, such as Angel Wing
2. Begonia, Semperflorens, single flower, any color foliage
3. Begonia, Semperflorens, double flower, any color foliage
4. Pelargonium, Ivy Geranium, Any Hanging (must have leaves & flowers)
5. Pelargonium, Regal/Martha Washington Geranium, Any Potted (must have leaves & flowers)
6. Pelargonium, Common (Zonal) Geranium, (must have leaves & flowers)
7. Pelargonium, Scented Geranium, (must have leaves & flowers)
8. Any Other Sun Plant in Bloom

DIVISION 114 CACTI

*Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)*

CLASS:

1. Aporocatus –Rat Tail
2. Astrophytum – Bishop Cap, Star or Sea Urchin
3. Cephalocereus & Espostoa–Oreolereus – Hairy Cactus
4. Cereus & Ceroid types – Organ Pipe, Silvertip, etc.
5. Chamaecereus – Silverstria & Hybrids – Peanut Cactus
6. Columnar Cactus – Borzicatus, Cleistocatus, etc.
7. Echinocatus – Golden Barrel
8. Echinocactus – All Other Varieties
9. Epiphyllum – Orchid Cactus
10. Fero Cactus – Barrel
11. Mammillaria Elongata & Varieties – Golden Stars, Pink Nymph, etc.
12. Mammillaria – Any Solitary Ball Type
13. Mammillaria – Any Ball Type Clustering
14. Notocactus Species – Golden Ball, etc.
15. Opuntia Species - Beaver Tail, Prickly Pear, Cholla, etc.
16. Rhipsalis Species – Rice Cactus
17. Sulcorebutia & Rebutia
18. Zygocactus, Schlumberga Hybrids – Christmas, Thanksgiving, & Easter
19. Any Crested or Monstrose Cactus – Boxing Glove, Curiosity Plant, etc.
20. Novelty Container – Any Type Pottery or Dish
21. Any Other Cactus Not Listed, please specify

DIVISION 115 SUCCULENTS

*Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class)..... \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)*

CLASS:

1. Aeonium
2. Agave
3. Aloe
4. Crassula – Green Jade (up to 8” container)
5. Crassula – Green Jade (9” – 16” container)

6. Crassula – Varigated Jade (17” container permitted)
7. Crassula – Any Other Pogoda, Tetragone, Kitten Ears, etc.
8. Echeveria – Hen & Chickens, etc.
9. Euphorbia – Ball Type, Gingham Golf Ball, etc.
10. Euphorbia - Tall Type
11. Euphorbia _ Medium Type
12. Euphorbia – Any Other Type Not Listed
13. Faucaria - Tiger Jaw
14. Frithia, Frnestraria – Baby Toes
15. Gasteria
16. Haworthia – Wart Plant
17. Kalanchoe – Hairy Leaf, Velvet Leaf, Panda, Pen Wipe, etc.
18. Kalanchoe – Smooth Leaf, (Rhipsalidopsis- Easter Cactus)
19. Kleinia (Senecio) – Inchworm, String of Pearls, Gooseberry, etc.
20. Meseembs – Lithops, Conophytums, & Other Living Stones
21. Portulacaria – Elephant Bush, Rainbow Bush, etc.
22. Sanservieria
23. Sempervivum – Houseleek
24. Sedum – Burro’s Tail, Golden Sedum, etc.
25. Stapelia & Allies
26. Caudiciforms – Any Variety Succulent with Enlarged Trunk, Stem or Exposed Root
27. Novelty Container – Any Type Pottery or Dish
28. Any Crested or Monstrose Succulent
29. Any Other Succulent Not Listed, please specify

DIVISION 116 OTHER CACTI/ SUCCULENTS-COLLECTIONS

*Entry Fees: (Per Entry Per Class) \$1.00
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)*

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS DIVISIONS 116		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

CLASS:

1. Dish Garden – Succulents (no cacti) 3-5 plants spaced 12” or less, planted in one pot or individually
2. Dish Garden – Cacti (no succulents) 3-5 plants spaced 12” or less, planted in one pot or individually
3. Dish Garden – Cacti & Succulents 3-5 plants spaced 12” or less, planted in one pot or individually
4. Cacti/Succulents – Hangers
5. Educational Display – Spaced 12” or less. Will be judged on educational value to the public.

JUNIOR ARRANGEMENTS

DEPARTMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Entries may be submitted on a standard entry form and received by entry closing date, Monday, July 20, 2009.
2. As soon as the judging has officially started, no additional entry will be accepted.
3. Your arrangement entry must be received in the Floriculture Department on Monday, August 10, 2009 from Noon to 5:00 p.m. or Tuesday, August 11, 2009 from 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
4. Two entries per class per exhibitor, open to anyone.
5. Age limit: Up to age 18 years old.

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS DIVISIONS 117 - 119

1st	2nd	3rd
\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

DIVISION 117 JUNIOR ARRANGEMENTS SILK/ DRY

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00

CLASS:

1. Halloween Fun - Using Pumpkins, Gourds, etc.
2. Fair Theme

DIVISION 118 JUNIOR ARRANGEMENTS Fresh

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00

CLASS:

1. A+ Student – An Arrangement for Your Favorite Teacher
2. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 119 JUNIOR ARRANGEMENTS

Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00

CLASS:

1. Decorated Hat, Wild West - Cowboy Hat, Using Silk or Dry Flowers (Must be able to display hat on a rack provided by the Fair)
2. Decorated Wreath, Favorite Holiday



SECOND PERIOD JUDGING

Entry form need not be submitted prior to the Fair. Both Entry Forms and exhibits are due Friday, August 14 in the Floriculture Building 8:00 am to 10:00 am. These are Wlk-in Divisions.

ARRANGEMENT DEPARTMENT

SCORECARD FOR ARRANGEMENTS

Originality and Conformance	30%
Harmony of Color, Texture and Container.....	30%
Design (Balance and Proportion)	25%
Condition of Material	15%
TOTAL SCORE	100%

Arrangements must be completed by Exhibitor only at home; work space available for last minute details only. Exhibitors will be allowed to set their own completed arrangements in place in the exhibit area. "Fresh Arrangements" are not to exceed 10% use of dry materials, unless otherwise noted.

The use of artificial flowers and materials will not be permitted unless specifically stated in Division or Class descriptions. Small or valuable figurines and accessories should not be used in arrangements unless securely attached to base. Owner's name on bottom of container is recommended. The attendants in charge will take every possible precaution, but will not be responsible for loss or breakage. Natural plant materials may be dyed or sprayed.

DEFINITIONS FOR THE ARRANGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

NOVICE: One who has won from 0 to 5 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

INTERMEDIATE: One who has won 6 to 10 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

ADVANCED: One who has won 11 to 30 blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

MASTER: Arrangement Lecturers, Floral Arrangement Teachers, Arrangement Judges or anyone who supplements their income in the field of Floral Arranging, or who has received 31 or more blue ribbons in flower arranging competition.

COMMERCIAL: Professional Florists or Floral Shop Designers.

OPEN: Open to all exhibitors, including professional.

CLASSIFICATION RULES: An exhibitor is classified as one, and only one, of the following: Novice, Intermediate, Advanced, Master, or Commercial. An exhibitor may compete only in those classes listed in his/her classification plus Open Classes. For example, a Novice may exhibit only in Novice Classes and Open Classes. Supervisors and judges may reclassify entrants into correct classes.

EXHIBITOR UPGRADE RULE: An exhibitor may upgrade his classification even though he/she has not won the appropriate number of blue ribbons, but once having exhibited in a higher class (excluding Open) the exhibitor can never return to a lower classification. For example, a Novice who decides to reclassify as an Intermediate and exhibits in Intermediate Classes can never go back to being a Novice even though he still has the number of blue ribbons showing that he should be a Novice.

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT RULES: Flowers must be arranged in a single container unless otherwise specified. Arrangement designs may be enhanced by accessories. Accessories are considered anything in a design in addition to the plant material and container. Accessories may include a mat, small object, figurines, backdrop, and/or frame.

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
DIVISIONS 120 - 132		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$15.00	\$12.00	\$10.00

DIVISION 120 FRESH/DRY MINIATURES - OPEN
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(one entry per class)

Fresh or dried flowers must be used in all arrangements except where otherwise indicated. Not to exceed 4" in any dimension, including the base.

- CLASS:**
1. Fresh Flowers, Any Container
 2. Dry or Silk Flowers, Any Container

DIVISION 121 FRESH/DRY MINIATURES - NOVICE
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(one entry per class)

Fresh or dried flowers must be used in all arrangements except where otherwise indicated. Not to exceed 4" in any dimension, including the base.

- CLASS:**
1. Fresh Flowers, Any Container
 2. Dry or Silk Flowers, Any Container

DIVISION 122 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS OPEN
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Wall Décor-Seasonal or Holiday (Wreath, Swag, Etc.)
 2. Wine Country – Arranged in a Wine Glass
 3. Let Freedom Ring – Use Red, White and Blue in Arrangement
 4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 123 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS NOVICE
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Sailing Ships – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Hands Out of the Cookie Jar – Arranged in a Cookie Jar
 3. Team Spirit – An Arrangement Designed with your Favorite Sports Team in Mind
 4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 124 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS INTERMEDIATE
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Home on the Range – Arranged in a Farm Style Container
 2. Sunset – A Yellow Rose Surrounded by Complementary Colors
 3. Teacup Delight – Arranged in a Tea Cup
 4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 125 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS ADVANCED
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Playing with the Queen of Hearts – Use Pink and Red Flowers
 2. This is for the Birds – Using a Bird House
 3. Red and Ritzy – Arranger’s Interpretation
 4. Fair Theme - Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 126 SILK/DRY ARRANGEMENTS MASTERS
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Fiesta Time – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Luck of the Irish – Using Green and White Flowers
 3. Key to my Heart – Arranger’s Interpretation
 4. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 127 SILK/DRY/FRESH ARRANGEMENTS COMMERCIAL
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Get a Rhythm – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Fair Theme

DIVISION 128 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS OPEN
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Backwoods Boy – Use Wood in Arrangement
 2. California Dreamin’ – Arranger’s Interpretation
 3. Fair Theme - Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 129 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS NOVICE
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Whispered Romance – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Rock My World Little Country Girl – Use a round Object and Rocks in Arrangement
 3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 130 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS INTERMEDIATE
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Sentimental Journey – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Coffee Break – Arranged in a Coffee Cup
 3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 131 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS ADVANCED
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. The Very Last Country Song – Must Include an Item Pertaining to Music
 2. Autumn Bliss: Flowers & Foliage in warm and neutral colors
 3. Fair Theme - Reel in the Fun

DIVISION 132 FRESH ARRANGEMENTS MASTERS
Entry Fees Per Class:..... \$1.00
(two entries per class)

- CLASS:**
1. Salute to Friends – Arranger’s Interpretation
 2. Something’s Cooking – Arranged in any style Cooking Pot
 3. Fair Theme – Reel in the Fun

CUT FLOWER DEPARTMENT

CUT FLOWERS AND ORCHID: No Entry Fees.

Cut Flowers must be shown in containers furnished by the Floriculture Department. Cut flower divisions are open to amateur and private growers.

- DEFINITIONS:**
- A. AMATEUR: One who generally grows plants primarily for his own pleasure and who does not derive his livelihood there from.
 - B. PRIVATE GROWER: A person who may enjoy growing their own cut flowers and who may or may not offer them for sale.

PLEASE NOTE - All cut flowers will be discarded at close of Fair except when prior arrangements have been made with the Floriculture Department.

SCORECARD - CUT FLOWERS

CULTURE PERFECTION.....	80%
Size (according to species or variety).....	20%
Color	10%
Form.....	10%
Substance and Texture.....	10%
Perfection of Bloom	10%
Foliage (if any)	10%
Stem.....	10%
CONDITION (FRESHNESS).....	20%
TOTAL SCORE.....	100%

PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS		
DIVISIONS 133 - 137		
1st	2nd	3rd
\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00

DIVISION 133 CUT FLOWERS - BEGONIAS - Tuber, Hybrids
NO Entry Fees
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

- CLASS:**
1. Best One Bloom - Camellia or Rose Type, Smooth Petal Edge
 2. Best One Bloom - Carnation or Ruffled Type, Ruffled Petal Edge
 3. Best One Bloom - Picotte, Any Form
 4. Any Other Form - Such as Crispa Marginata, Narcissiflora, or Single Form

DIVISION 134 CUT FLOWERS - DAHLIAS
NO Entry Fee
(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

- CLASS:**
1. Stellar, Orchid, Water Lily or Anemone
 2. Ball or Pompom
 3. Cactus, Incurved or Straight
 4. Cactus, Semi
 5. Cactus, Decorative Informal
 6. Colaretta, Single (Daisy Form), Mignon
 7. Decorative Formal
 8. Largest (diameter and depth), any type
 9. Miniature, Under 4” Cactus or Decorative

DIVISION 135 CUT FLOWERS - ROSES

No Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

NOTE: All roses must be disbudded, except when shown as sprays.

CLASS:

1. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, white/near white
2. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, yellow/yellow blend
3. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, orange/orange blend/
orange red
4. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, pink/pink blend
5. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, red/red blend
6. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, mauve or striped
7. Floribunda, white/near white
8. Floribunda, yellow/yellow blend; orange/orange
blend
9. Floribunda, pink/ pink blend
10. Floribunda, red or red blend
11. Floribunda, mauve or striped
12. Floribunda spray, any color
13. Miniature, white/near white; yellow/yellow blend
14. Miniature, orange/orange blend
15. Miniature, pink or pink blend
16. Miniature, red or red blend
17. Miniature, any other color
18. Miniature spray, any color
19. Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora, any color
20. Climber, any color, one spray
21. Fully open, any color, stamens must show

**DIVISION 136 CUT FLOWERS -
ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS**

No Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

Blossoms cannot have buds, number of stems or sprays as specified.

CLASS:

1. Agapanthus, Blue or White - 1 stem
2. Amaryllis, African/Dutch - 1 stem
3. Aster, Single - 1 stem
4. Aster, Double - 1 stem
5. Alstromeria - 1 spray
6. Begonia, Tuberous - 1 bloom
7. Bougainvillea - (12" to 30" long) 1 branch
8. Bachelor Buttons - 3 stem
9. Bells of Ireland - 1 stem
10. Bird of Paradise - 1 stem
11. Canna - 1 stem
12. Carnation (large flowering, disbudded) - 3 stem
13. Carnation (miniature, cluster type) - 1 spray
14. Chrysanthemum (Florist's Mum) disbudded - 3
stem
15. Chrysanthemum (small, cluster type) - 1 spray
16. Coreopsis - 3 stem
17. Cosmos (single or double) - 3 stem
18. Daisy, African - 3 stem
19. Daisy, Gloriosa (single or double) - 3 stem
20. Daisy, Marguerite - 3 stem
21. Daisy, Shasta - 3 stem
22. Daisy, Transvaal; (single or double) - 3 stem

23. Dianthus (Sweet William) - 3 stem
24. Echinacea, any color - 3 stem
25. Fuchsia (single or double) - 1 stem
26. Gaillardia - 3 stem
27. Gladiolas - 1 stem
- Geranium, See Pelargonium
28. Hollyhock; single or double - 1 stem
29. Hydrangea, any color - 1 branch
30. Iris, any variety - 1 stem
31. Liatris - 3 stem
32. Lily, any variety - 1 stem
33. Marigold, any variety - 3 stem
34. Money Plant (peeled or unpeeled) - 1 branch
35. Nasturtium, any variety, must have leaves &
flowers - 1 vine
36. Pansy - 3 stem
37. Pelargonium, Ivy Geranium, must have leaves &
flowers - 2 stem
38. Pelargonium, Regal/Martha Washington
Geranium, must have leaves & flowers - 2 stem
39. Pelargonium, Common (Zonal) Geranium, must
have leaves & flowers - 2 stem
40. Pelargonium, Scented Geranium, must have
leaves & flowers - 2 stem
41. Scabiosa, any variety - 3 stem
42. Sunflower, any variety - 1 stem
43. Sweet Peas - 3 stem
44. Zinnia, Dwarf - 3 stem
45. Zinnia, Giant - 1 stem
46. Any Annual not listed, same color - 2 stem
47. Any Perennial not listed, same color - 2 stem
48. Any Bulb, Corm, Tuber - 1 stem
49. Any Shrub or Vine not listed (12" to 30" long) - 1
branch
50. Grower's Bunch, mixed variety, mixed color - 12-
20 stems
51. Grower's Bunch, same variety, same color/shade
- 12-20 stems
52. Any other Perennials

DRIED OR EVERLASTING FLOWERS

53. Baby's Breath - 1 spray
54. Celosia - 1 stem
55. Statice - 3 stem
56. Strawflower - 3 stem
57. Yarrow - 3 stem

DIVISION 137 CUT HERBS

No Entry Fee

(four entries, per class, per exhibitor)

CLASS:

1. Basil
2. Garlic
3. Onion
4. Parsley
5. Rosemary
6. Thyme
7. Any Other