

# GRAINS, VEGETABLES, FRUITS AND FORAGES

## Department 21 / Open Show

**Amount Offered:** \$1,464.00  
**Entry Fee:** \$ .50/entry  
**Judging Time:** Wednesday - August 5, 2009 - 12:00 noon  
**Superintendent(s):** Walter Davidson ..... 815/ 943-5284  
**Asst. Superintendent:** Philip Sandford / Ron Hansen

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

- IMPORTANT CHANGE:** 2 ENTRIES MAY BE MADE IN ALL LOTS EXCEPT CLASS P, DISPLAYS
- Exhibits must be checked in Tuesday between 4:00-9:00pm. Exhibits cannot be removed before 4:00pm Sunday. All exhibit items not removed by 7:00pm will be disposed of; a local Food Pantry will take usable items.
- Exhibit item may be shown in ONE lot.
- Exhibits must have been grown in most recent crop year by exhibitor.
- Substitutions may be made & additional lots entered at check-in if 5 entries or more are made by the Open Show deadline.
- Exhibits must be shown on a paper plate or bowl (no foam) to contain exhibit and attach tag. (Some should also be in plastic bags)
- Displays cannot be any larger than 36 inches wide.
- Champion Rosette each of class A thru O (15 rosettes)
- Superintendent's TROPHY awarded to an exhibitor deserving of recognition for contribution to the success of the show.
- TROPHY for BEST OVERALL VEGETABLE or CULINARY HERB.
- TROPHY for BEST OVERALL GRAIN AND FORAGE, entries shown in classes K, L, M & N WILL BE CONSIDERED IN AWARDING THIS TROPHY.

### PREMIUMS will be paid as follows:

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

#### CLASS A: Fresh Vegetables and Herbs *Beginning Class*

Class for exhibitors with not more than 2 years experience showing vegetables (no age limit)

##### LOTS:

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|------------------------------------|---|
| 1 Beans, green, 4                  | 17 Peppers, large hot, 1                  |
| 2 Beans, yellow, 4                 | 18 Peppers, small hot, 1                  |
| 3 Beans, pole, 4                   | 19 Peppers, other sweet, 1                |
| 4 Beets, 1                         | 20 Potatoes, salad/baby size any color, 3 |
| 5 Carrots, 1                       | 21 Potatoes, red, 1                       |
| 6 Cucumber, dill, 1                | 22 Potatoes, white, 1                     |
| 7 Cucumber, slicing, 1             | 23 Radish, red, 3                         |
| 8 Cucumber, sweet, 1               | 24 Radish, white, 3                       |
| 9 Kohlrabi, 1                      | 25 Sweet corn, 1 ear, no husk             |
| 10 Onions, bunching, 3             | 26 Squash, zucchini, 1                    |
| 11 Onions, red, 1                  | 27 Squash, other summer, 1                |
| 12 Onions, white, 1                | 28 Tomatoes, cherry, 4                    |
| 13 Onions, yellow, 1               | 29 Tomatoes, red, 1                       |
| 14 Peas, edible pods, 4 pods       | 30 Turnip, 1                              |
| 15 Peas, shelling, 4 pods          | 31 Herb Sprig, any, 1                     |
| 16 Peppers, bell type, any color 1 |   |

#### CLASS B: FRESH VEGETABLES (leaf, stem or flower)

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 Cabbage, green, 1 head     | 7 Any other leaf vegetable |
| 2 Cabbage, red, 1 head       | 8 Broccoli, 1 head         |
| 3 Celery, 1 head             | 9 Cauliflower, 1 head      |
| 4 Chard, 3 leaves            | 10 Any other edible flower |
| 5 Lettuce, 1 plant, no roots | 11 Kohl rabi               |
| 6 Spinich, 1 plant, no roots | 12 Rhubarb                 |

#### CLASS C: FRESH VEGETABLES (root, tuber, or bulb)

##### LOTS:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 Beets, 3               | 8 Potatoes, white, 3             |
| 2 Carrots, 3             | 9 Potatoes, other, 3             |
| 3 Carrots, baby 3        | 10 Onions, red, 3                |
| 4 Radish, red, 3         | 11 Onions, white, 3              |
| 5 Radish, white, 3       | 12 Onions, yellow, 3             |
| 6 Potatoes, baby, red, 5 | 13 Garlic, 3 bulbs               |
| 7 Potatoes, red, 3       | 14 Any other root, tuber or bulb |

#### CLASS D: FRESH VEGETABLES (immature fruit)

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 Beans, green pole, 8         | 6 Cucumbers, pickling, sweet, 4      |
| 2 Beans, green string, 8       | 7 Cucumbers, slicing, 3              |
| 3 Beans, yellow string, 8      | 8 Summer squash, yellow crookneck, 3 |
| 4 Beans, other in pod, 8       | 9 Summer squash, zucchini, 3         |
| 5 Cucumbers, pickling, dill, 3 | 10 Sweet corn, unopened husks, 3     |

**\*\* Hot Pepper Lots in Class E below**  
 The following are examples ONLY - other pepper varieties allowed

Lot 4 - Mild Hot Peppers  
 Guajillo, Louisiana hot sauce, Jalapeno, Cayenne, Serrena, Arbol

Lot 5 - Medium Hot Peppers  
 Thai hot, Chinese Kwanssi, Tabasco, Long Slim Cayenne

Lot 6 - Extreme Hot Peppers  
 Scotch Bonnet, Red Savuna Habenero, Bhut, Jolokia

**CLASS E: FRESH VEGETABLES (mature fruit)**  
**LOTS:**

1 Eggplant, 1	9 Squash, acorn, green, 1
2 Peppers, bell, 3	10 Squash, acorn, yellow, 1
3 Peppers, other sweet, 3	11 Squash, butternut, 1
4 Peppers, mild hot, 3	12 Squash, any other, 1
5 Peppers, medium hot, 5	13 Tomatoes, cherry, 9
6 Peppers, extreme hot, 5	14 Tomatoes, plum, 6
7 Pumpkin, field, 1	15 Tomatoes, red, 3
8 Pumpkin, pie, 1	16 Tomatoes, yellow, 3

**CLASS F: FRESH HERBS**

:1 Arugula	8 Chamomile
2 Chives, 1 plant, roots off	9 Cilantro, spray
3 Dill, 1 stalk	10 Mint, spray
4 Fennel, entire plant, roots washed	11 Rosemary, spray
5 Parsley, 6 leaves, bundled	12 Savory, spray
6 Any other annual herb, labeled	13 St John's wort
7 Basil, spray	14 Thyme, spray
	15 Any other perennial herb, labeled

**CLASS G: FRUIT**

1 Apples, red, 3	6 Muskmelon, netted surface, 1
2 Apples, yellow, 3	7 Muskmelon, smooth, 1
3 Currants, 1 cup	8 Plums, 5
4 Grapes, 3 bunches	9 Raspberries, 1 cup
5 Pears, 3	10 Watermelon, 1
	11 Any other fruit

**CLASS H: POTTED CULINARY HERB PLANTS**

1 Lemon Balm	6 Stevia
2 Lemon Grass	7 Sweet Bay
3 Oregano	8 Tarragon
4 Rosemary	9 Any other potted culinary herb, labeled
5 Sage	

**CLASS J: NOVELTY or ORNAMENTAL**

1 Longest ear, corn can be last years	3 Gourds, 3
2 Tallest stalk, corn cut at ground	

**Largest**

4 Beet by weight	11 Potato by weight
5 Carrot by weight	12 Pumpkin by weight
6 Cucumber by weight	13 Radish by weight
7 Cabbage head - weight	14 Tomato by weight
8 Kohlrabi by weight	15 Zucchini by weight
9 Onion by weight	16 Sunflower head, width
10 Pepper by weight	
17 Longest bean	20 Tallest sunflower
18 Longest cucumber	21 Most unusual vegetable
19 Longest zucchini	

22 **BIGGEST WEED by measurement, must be fresh cut & not classified as a "noxious weed" by the state**

**CLASS K: GRAINS and SEEDS (Commodity grain in 3 pound container)**

1 Oats	8 Any other grain
2 Spring Wheat	9 Popcorn, yellow, 5 ears
3 Winter Wheat	10 Popcorn, red, 5 ears
4 Barley	11 Yellow dent corn 5 ears
5 Corn, #2 yellow	12 Flint corn (Indian) 5 ears
6 Corn, specialty	13 Any other ears or heads, 5
7 Soybeans	

**CLASS L: SILAGE (5 quart bucket with lid)**

1 Corn silage	3 Grass silage
2 Legume silage	4 High moisture grain

**CLASS M: DRY HAY (3-5 pounds in a plastic bag)**

1 Alfalfa, 1st cutting	9 Orchard grass, 1st cutting
2 Alfalfa, 2nd cutting	10 Orchard grass, 2nd cutting
3 Alfalfa, 3rd cutting	11 Orchard grass, 3rd cutting
4 Alfalfa, 4th cutting	12 Orchard grass, 4th cutting
5 Red Clover, 1st cutting	13 Mixed, 1st cutting
6 Red Clover, 2nd cutting	14 Mixed, 2nd cutting
7 Timothy, 1st cutting	15 Mixed, 3rd cutting
8 Timothy, 2nd cutting	16 Other hay crop

# Sunday Grandstand Entertainment

## Demolition Derby

### 6:00pm

**CLASS N: SHEAF GRAINS AND FORAGES**

A bundle for display shall be securely tied around stems and not less than 3 nor more than 5 inches in diameter. (Judged on Arrangement and Quality 50/50). Stems should be tied one third distance from the top and grown in current year.

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| <b>LOT 1</b> Bundle of Wheat       | <b>8</b> Bundle, any other legume, fresh                   |
| <b>2</b> Bundle of Oats            | <b>9</b> Bundle of Brome, fresh                            |
| <b>3</b> Bundle of Barley          | <b>10</b> Bundle of Red Clover, fresh                      |
| <b>4</b> Bundle of Rye             | <b>11</b> Bundle of Orchard Grass, fresh                   |
| <b>5</b> Bundle of any other grain | <b>12</b> Bundle of Alfalfa, fresh                         |
| <b>6</b> Bundle of Soybeans, fresh | <b>13</b> Bundle, any legume for seed production           |
| <b>7</b> Bundle of Corn, 3 stalks  | <b>14</b> Bundle, any grass for seed production, 1 variety |

**CLASS O: COMMERCIAL HORTICULTURE**

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| <b>LOT 1</b> Bundle of dried lavender                                | <b>5</b> Hosta, in 4 inch pot                       |
| <b>2</b> Bundle of dried straw flowers                               | <b>6</b> Coral Bell, (Heuchera) in 4 inch pot       |
| <b>3</b> Any other bundle, dried flowers                             | <b>7</b> Sedum, in 4 inch pot                       |
| <b>4</b> Fresh cut flowers (6 blooms or stems) in suitable container | <b>8</b> Ornamental grass, 1 variety, in 4 inch pot |

**CLASS P: DISPLAY**

**\*\*PREMIUM for Lot 1 only:** First-\$30.00; Second-\$20.00; Third-\$10.00

- LOT 1** Best Display of Garden Produce with not less than 8 species. May be displayed in a basket or suitable container, attracting the consumer.

**\*\*PREMIUM for Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 & 9:** First-\$15.00; Second-\$10.00; Third-\$5.00

- LOT 2** Best Display of Peppers (4 each of at least 3 types). Displayed in a basket or suitable container
- 3** Best Display of Squash (10 or more). Displayed in a basket or suitable container
- 4** Best Display of Gourds (10 or more). Displayed in a basket or suitable container
- 5** Best Display of Fruit (4 each of at least 4 types). Displayed in a basket or suitable container
- 6** Best Display of Potted Herbs (4 or more plants), labeled. May be displayed in a planter
- 7** Best Display of Bundles. Shall be securely tied around stems and not less than 3 nor more than 5 inches in diameter - 6 or more bundles
- 8** Best Centerpiece arrangement - made only of materials named in Grain, Vegetable, Fruits & Forages entry classes
- 9** Best display of potted perennial ornamentals, (4 or more) each labeled



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