

2007 DODGE COUNTY FAIR

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

SUPERINTENDENT

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CHAIRMAN OF TOWNSHIP BOOTHS

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GUIDELINES

- ▶ All townships in Dodge County are eligible to enter.
- ▶ Chairman of each township will be in charge of their booth under the direction of the Agricultural Superintendent.
- ▶ Each class may have no more than one entry per person.
- ▶ All exhibits will be released after 8:00 p.m. on Sunday.

LOT - VEGETABLES

All vegetables are to be washed.

PREMIUMS AWARDS FOR VEGETABLES LISTED

First: 1.50; Second: 1.25; Third .75; Fourth: .50

PREMIUMS AWARDS FOR VEGETABLES NOT LISTED

First: 1.00; Second: .75; Third .50; Fourth .25

- Class 1 White flat cabbage (2 heads)
- Class 2 White round cabbage (2 heads)
- Class 3 Red cabbage or other colors (2 heads)
- Class 4 Broccoli (2 heads)
- Class 5 Irish cobbler potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 6 Kennebec potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 7 Norland potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 8 Russet potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 9 Any other white potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 10 Any other red potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 11 Nancy Hall sweet potatoes (6 per plate)
- Class 12 Puerto Rico Yams (6 per plate)
- Class 13 Flat white onions (3 per plate)
- Class 14 Globe white onions (3 per plate)
- Class 15 Flat yellow onions (3 per plate)
- Class 16 Globe yellow onions (3 per plate)
- Class 17 Flat red onions (3 per plate)
- Class 18 Globe red onions (3 per plate)
- Class 19 White onion sets (1/2 pint)
- Class 20 Yellow onion sets (1/2 pint)
- Class 21 Winter onion sets (1/2 pint)
- Class 22 Green onions (6 per bunch)
- Class 23 Long carrots (4 per plate)
- Class 24 Half long carrots (4 per plate)
- Class 25 Short carrots (4 per plate)
- Class 26 Lima beans (10 per plate)
- Class 27 Wax beans (10 per plate)
- Class 28 Green beans (10 per plate)
- Class 29 Green sweet peppers (3 per plate)

- Class 30 Red sweet peppers (3 per plate)
- Class 31 Banana peppers (3 per plate)
- Class 32 Jalapeno peppers (3 per plate)
- Class 33 Any other hot pepper (3 per plate)
- Class 34 Large red tomatoes (4 per plate)
- Class 35 Preserving red tomatoes (4 per plate)
- Class 36 Catsup tomatoes (4 per plate)
- Class 37 Large yellow tomatoes (4 per plate)
- Class 38 Yellow pear tomatoes (10 per plate)
- Class 39 Small red cherry tomatoes (10 per plate)
- Class 40 Large red cherry tomatoes (10 per plate)
- Class 41 Mangel beets (2 per plate)
- Class 42 Red beets (4 per plate)
- Class 43 Red table beets (6 per plate)
- Class 44 Turnips (4 per plate)
- Class 45 Okra (4 per plate)
- Class 46 Kohlrabi (4 per plate)
- Class 47 Peas in pod (10 per plate)
- Class 48 Leek stalks (3 stalks)
- Class 49 Eggplant (2 per plate)
- Class 50 Parsnips (5 per plate)
- Class 51 Rhubarb (6 stalks)
- Class 52 Radishes (10 per plate)
- Class 53 Sunflowers (2 heads)
- Class 54 Yellow cucumbers (2 per plate)
- Class 55 Large green cucumbers (2 per plate)
- Class 56 Cucumber slicers (4 per plate)
- Class 57 Dill pickles (6 per plate)
- Class 58 Sweet pickles (8 per plate)
- Class 59 Green Hubbard squash (2)
- Class 60 Blue Hubbard squash (2)
- Class 61 Scallop squash (2)
- Class 62 Butternut squash (2)
- Class 63 Acorn squash, green or white (2)
- Class 64 Spaghetti squash (2)
- Class 65 Turk's turban squash
- Class 66 Banana squash
- Class 67 Buttercup squash (2)
- Class 68 Straightneck squash (2)
- Class 69 Crookneck squash (2)
- Class 70 Mature zucchini (2)
- Class 71 Immature zucchini (2)
- Class 72 Any other squash (2)
- Class 73 Pie pumpkins (2)
- Class 74 Large pumpkins (2)
- Class 75 Miniature pumpkins (2)

- Class 76 Large watermelon (1)
- Class 77 Small watermelon (2)
- Class 78 Yellow muskmelons (2)
- Class 79 Green muskmelons (2)

LOT - FRUITS

PREMIUMS AWARDS FOR FRUITS LISTED

First: 1.50; Second: 1.25; Third .75; Fourth: .50

PREMIUMS AWARDS FOR FRUITS NOT LISTED

First: 1.00; Second: .75; Third .50; Fourth .25

BERRIES (10 per plate unless otherwise noted)

- Class 1 Red Raspberries (shown with stem)
- Class 2 Mulberries
- Class 3 Elderberries (2 bunches)
- Class 4 Chokecherries (2 bunches)
- Class 5 Strawberries

GRAPES (2 bunches)

- Class 1 White
- Class 2 Blue
- Class 3 Red
- Class 4 Any other

PEARS (4 per plate)

- Class 1 Bartlett
- Class 2 Kieffer
- Class 3 Douglas
- Class 4 Any other small
- Class 5 Any other large

PEACHES (4 per plate)

- Class 1 Any small
- Class 2 Any large

PLUMS (6 per plate)

- Class 1 Red
- Class 2 Yellow
- Class 3 Small blue
- Class 4 Large blue
- Class 5 Wild plums

APPLES (4 per plate)

- Class 1 Red Delicious
- Class 2 Yellow Delicious
- Class 3 Winesaps
- Class 4 Grimes Golden
- Class 5 Jonathan
- Class 6 Black Twig
- Class 7 MacIntosh
- Class 8 Crabs
- Class 9 Any other

LOT - HERBS

All herbs must be entered in one of the following classes. Herbs not listed should be entered in the any other herb class. No Exceptions. Fresh herbs are to be placed in a container with water (three sprigs per entry unless otherwise noted)

PREMIUMS: First: 1.00; Second: .75; Third .50; Fourth .25

HERBS

- Class 1 Anise
- Class 2 Basil, sweet
- Class 3 Basil, cinnamon
- Class 4 Basil, opal
- Class 5 Basil, holly
- Class 6 Basil, any other
- Class 7 Beebalm
- Class 8 Borage
- Class 9 Burnet
- Class 10 Caraway
- Class 11 Chicory
- Class 12 Catnip
- Class 13 Chives (10 sprigs)
- Class 14 Chives, garlic (10 sprigs)
- Class 15 Coriander
- Class 16 Curry
- Class 17 Dill
- Class 18 Fennel
- Class 19 Germander
- Class 20 Lavender
- Class 21 Lemon Balm
- Class 22 Lemon Verbena
- Class 23 Marjoram
- Class 24 Mint, apple
- Class 25 Mint, orange
- Class 26 Mint, pepper
- Class 27 Mint, spear
- Class 28 Mint, any other
- Class 29 Oregano
- Class 30 Parsley
- Class 31 Rosemary
- Class 32 Sage
- Class 33 Rue
- Class 34 Scented geranium
- Class 35 Summer savory
- Class 36 Sweet woodruff
- Class 37 Tansy Class
- Class 38 Tarragon Class
- Class 39 Thyme Class
- Class 40 Wormwood Class
- Class 41 Any other fresh herb

OTHER HERBS

- Class 1 Horseradish (4 roots)
- Class 2 Garlic (5 bulbs)
- Class 3 Dill, dried (3 sprigs)

LOT - FIELD CROPS

PREMIUMS AWARDS FOR FIELD CROPS NOT LISTED

First: 1.00; Second: .75; Third .50; Fourth .25

CORN

(on the ear from the current season)

FIELD CORN (single ear)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Yellow
- Class 2 White

FIELD CORN (10 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 3.00; Second 2.00; Third 1.00; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Yellow, over 9 inches
- Class 2 Yellow, under 9 inches
- Class 3 White

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 4 Cow, squaw, or flint (10 ears per exhibit)

SWEETCORN (6 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Early (dented)
- Class 2 Late (husks off)
- Class 3 Late white sweetcorn

POPCORN (6 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 White
- Class 2 Yellow
- Class 3 Red
- Class 4 Any other

CORN

(on the ear from the preceding season)

FIELD CORN (single ear)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Yellow
- Class 2 White

FIELD CORN (10 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 3.00; Second 2.00; Third 1.00; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Yellow, over 9 inches
- Class 2 Yellow, under 9 inches
- Class 3 White

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 4 Cow, squaw, or flint (10 ears per exhibit)

SWEETCORN (6 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Early (dented)
- Class 2 Late (husks off)
- Class 3 Late white sweetcorn

POPCORN (6 ears per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 White
- Class 2 Yellow
- Class 3 Red
- Class 4 Any other

STALK DISPLAY (5 stalks per exhibit)

PREMIUM: First 3.00; Second 2.00; Third 1.00; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Field corn

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 2 Grain sorghum
- Class 3 Forage sorghum
- Class 4 Sudan grass

THRESHED GRAINS AND SEEDS

(4 quarts per exhibit unless otherwise noted)

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Wheat
- Class 2 Oats
- Class 3 Rye
- Class 4 Barley
- Class 5 Field corn
- Class 6 Soybeans
- Class 7 Grain sorghum
- Class 8 Alfalfa (one quart)
- Class 9 Red clover (one quart)
- Class 10 Sweet clover (one quart)
- Class 11 Millet, all varieties

SHEAVES (minimum circumference - 3")

PREMIUM: First 1.50; Second 1.25; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Soybean
- Class 2 Wheat
- Class 3 Oats
- Class 4 Barley
- Class 5 Rye
- Class 6 Millet, all varieties
- Class 7 Alfalfa for hay
- Class 8 Alfalfa for seed
- Class 9 Red clover for hay
- Class 10 Red clover for seed
- Class 11 Sweet clover for hay
- Class 12 Sweet clover for seed
- Class 13 Brome grass for hay
- Class 14 Brome grass for seed
- Class 15 Switchgrass (decorative)
- Class 16 Little blue stem (decorative)
- Class 17 Big blue stem (decorative)
- Class 18 Wheatgrass, all varieties (decorative)
- Class 19 Indiangrass (decorative)
- Class 20 Sideoats grama (decorative)
- Class 21 Sand lovegrass (decorative)

LARGEST, LONGEST, AND TALLEST

PREMIUM: First 3.00; Second 2.00; Third 1.00; Fourth .50

- Class 1 Largest watermelon
- Class 2 Largest pumpkin
- Class 3 Largest zucchini
- Class 4 Largest squash
- Class 5 Largest potato
- Class 6 Largest tomato
- Class 7 Largest carrot
- Class 8 Largest onion
- Class 9 Largest muskmelon
- Class 10 Largest head of cabbage
- Class 11 Largest eggplant
- Class 12 Largest sunflower head
- Class 13 Largest pepper
- Class 14 Largest cucumber
- Class 15 Longest cucumber
- Class 16 Largest beet
- Class 17 Tallest stalk of corn - cut at ground level

PREMIUM: First 2.00; Second 1.50; Third .75; Fourth .50

- Class 18 Longest completely filled ear of corn

OPEN CLASS

RULES & REGULATIONS

- ▶ While the greatest possible care will be taken by the management to protect patrons of the Dodge County Fair, each individual will be held personally responsible for his or her own actions, and the management will not be responsible for any accident or injury incurred to any person or persons on the fairgrounds or in connection with the fair.
 - ▶ Board of Directors of Dodge County Agricultural Society, Inc., reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these Rules and Regulations, and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto or otherwise arising out of, connected with or incident to the fair.
 - ▶ The promiscuous distribution of advertising matter is strictly prohibited, and no tacking of advertising matter on buildings will be permitted. Exhibitors may distribute advertising matter from their places of exhibit only.
 - ▶ No person will be allowed to do any soliciting on the fairgrounds unless permission is obtained from the Fair Manager and the required fee paid.
 - ▶ All possible diligence or care will be exercised to prevent loss or injury to articles or animals on exhibit, but the **MANAGEMENT OF THE FAIR WILL IN NO WAY BE RESPONSIBLE SHOULD LOSS OR INJURY OCCUR.**
12. NO ANIMAL OR EXHIBIT will be allowed to be removed before **8:00 p.m.**, the last day of the fair.
 13. (a) Premium money will be paid in cash at the Secretary's office.
(b) Premium winners will be issued a certificate by each department superintendent. Certificate must be signed by the exhibitor in the presence of the cashier before being paid.
(c) A 4-H leader may collect premium money for entire club after showing proper identification.
(d) All exhibitors having premium money coming should collect it before the close of the fair.
(e) All 4-H premium money not collected during the fair, may be collected at the Dodge County Extension Office, Fremont, NE.
 14. All special premiums must be claimed within 30 days after the close of the fair.
 15. **PARADE RULES.** No candy, treats, or gifts of any kind may be thrown, tossed or distributed from any moving vehicles in the parade.

NOTICE:

The United Church of Christ Church and St. Peter's Lutheran food stands will be open throughout the fair.

GENERAL GUIDELINES:

1. All Dodge County residents are eligible to exhibit.
2. No entrance fee will be charged for any article or animal or exhibition.
3. All premiums will be paid within 10 days after the fair unless by unavoidable cause the receipts shall not be sufficient, in which case they will be prorated and paid accordingly.
4. No charge will be made for parking automobiles, but they must occupy space set aside for that purpose. The Fair Board will not assume any liability for any automobile or its contents.
5. Stalls and pens for all livestock will be furnished. No bedding will be furnished; each exhibitor will provide for his own.
6. In open class a blue ribbon is denoted first premium, red ribbon second premium, and white ribbon third premium. In the agricultural department, 4th premium is pink. Superintendents will attach premium tags or ribbons as soon as awards are made.
7. All articles must be entered in their proper classes.
8. No animal or articles not listed in this premium list will be entered for premium, except as otherwise provided.
9. Articles that have won premiums in previous years will not be awarded again.
10. All livestock must be owned by the exhibitor as described in the rules for each division.
11. All articles must be completed and must be the work of the exhibitor.

ENTRY DAY:

- ▶ Entries for Open Class shall be made on Wednesday, August 1 from 4:00 - 9:00 p.m. and Thursday, August 2 from 7:00-8:00 a.m.
- ▶ **ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MADE BEFORE 8:00 A.M. THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.**
- ▶ All rules and regulations will be rigidly adhered to unless it is shown that unavoidable accident prevented the arrival of exhibits as expected.

PROTESTS:

- ▶ All protests must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$5.00, which will be forfeited if the protest is not sustained. Such protest must state plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be filed with Secretary of the fair by 12:00 noon of the last day of the fair.
- ▶ Where a protest is to be made against the competition of an animal, or article in any class, notice of the same must be filed with the superintendent of the department before class is passed upon, that the judge may be instructed to place reserve award, that premium may be properly distributed in the event the protest is sustained. Protest in the 4-H/FFA Division will be referred to a 4-H committee and two fair board members.