

Department 45 – Flowers

- **Superintendent: Variety Garden Club | Chris Siemers | (320) 479-2978**
- **Pre-entry paperwork required by August 3, 2017**
- **Exhibits accepted for judging Wednesday, August 9 from 7 am - 4 pm**

Competition open to amateur growers only. An amateur grower shall be a person who does not grow flowers for sale to the public. Please check number of blooms and stalks or spray or spike in Premium List needed for exhibit. Flowers must be grown by exhibitor.

Bloom: An individual flower, solitary flower terminating in a stem such as a rose or peony.

Stalk: A stiff stem, branched or unbranched, with one or more blooms and buds; i.e. gladiolus or hybrid lily.

Spray: A small branch bearing dependent branchlets; i.e. petunia.

Spike: An unbranched single stemmed, elongated flower cluster in which the flowers are practically stemless; i.e. snapdragon, delphinium.

On Lily's in the cut flower group, do not take off anthers. In the arrangements they can be taken off. "Anther" is the brown pollen on the ends that stain if touched.

Harden off cut flowers, this means you should pick your flower choice the day before the fair exhibit and put in a cold place, basement or refrigerator. They will not wilt as easy.

Class 1 - Cut Flowers

1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50 | Flowers should be all one color.

LOT	LOT
1. Ageratum, 3 stem	51. Lily Oriental, 1 stalk
2. Ameranthus, 1 stem	52. Lily Tiger, 1 stalk
3. Aster, 3 blooms	53. Lisianthus, 1 stem
4. Baby's breath (fresh), 1 spray	54. Malva, 1 stalk
5. Bachelor Buttons, 3 stems	55. Marigold, large, 1 bloom
6. Begonia bloom, in water, 1 bloom	56. Marigold, dwarf, 3 blooms
7. Black Eyed Susan, 1 stem	57. Nastrurturtium, 3 blooms
8. Balsam, 1 stem	58. Nicotiana, 1 stalk/spray
9. Bells of Ireland, 1 stalk	59. Pansy "cut stem long", 3 blooms
10. Bee Balm (Monarda), 3 blooms	60. Petunias, single, 1 spray
11. Calendula, 3 blooms	61. Petunias, double, 1 spray
12. Celosia (Plume), 1 spike	62. Petunias, Miniature, 1 spray
13. Celosia (Crest), 1 spike	63. Phlox, perennial, 1 stalk
14. Chrysanthemum, 1 spray	64. Poppy, 1 bloom
15. Cleome, 1 stem	65. Rose Hybrid Tea, 1 bloom
16. Cosmos, any color, 1 bloom	66. Rose, miniature, 1 spray
17. Coral Bells, 1 stem	67. Rose, shrub, 1 spray
18. Coreopsis, 3 stems	68. Rose, any other, 1 spray/stem
19. Cone Flower, 1 bloom	69. Rudbeckia, 1 bloom
20. Daisy, 3 stems	70. Russian Sage "Peruoskia", 1 stem
21. Dahlia, Giant, 1 bloom	71. Salvia "blue", 1 stalk
22. Dahlia, Pompom, 3 blooms	72. Salvia "red", 1 stalk
23. Dahlia, Unclassified, 3 blooms	73. Sedum, 1 stem/stalk
24. Dianthus, 1 spray	
25. Daylily, 1 stem	
26. Delphinium, 1 stalk	
27. Feverfew, 1 spray	

28. Forget-Me-Not, 3 stems	74. Snapdragon, tall, 1 spike
29. Gaillardia, 3 blooms	75. Snapdragon, dwarf, 2 spikes
30. Gladiolus, 1 stalk	76. Statice, fresh, 1 spray
31. Golden Glow, 1 stalk	77. Sunflower, medium, 1 bloom
32. Helianthus, Bloom, with leaf	78. Sunflower, small, 1 bloom
33. Hollyhocks, Mini, 1 stalk	79. Verbena, 1 stalk
34. Hollyhocks, Single, 1 stalk	80. Veronica, 3 stems
35. Hollyhocks, Double, 1 stalk	81. Viola, 3 blooms
36. Host, 1 Leaf, over 12" wide	82. Yarrow, yellow, 2 stems
37. Hosta, 1 Leaf, lg 9-12" wide	83. Yarrow, colored, 2 stems
38. Hosta, 1 Leaf, m 5-9" wide	84. Yarrow, white, 2 stems
39. Hosta, 1 Leaf, sm 3-5" wide	85. Zinnia, under 3", 3 blooms
40. Hosta, 1 leaf, mini 1-3" wide	86. Zinnia, giant, over 3" 3 blooms
41. Hosta 1 Leaf, dwarf, 1" or less	87. Unclassified Annuals
42. Hydrangea "Arborescens", 1 stem	88. Unclassified Perennial or Bulb
43. Hydrangea "Panicelata", 1 stem	
44. Hydrangea "Moicrophylla", 1 stem	
45. Larkspur, 1 spike	
46. Lavatera, 1 stem	
47. Liatrus, 1 stem	
48. Lily Asian, 1 stalk	
49. Lily Hybrid, 1 stalk	
50. Lily Trupet, 1 stalk	

Class 2 - Flower Arrangements

1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$2.50; 3rd - 1.50 | Arrangements can have rocks, feathers, wood, candles, etc. Noxious weeds are not permitted. Mostly flowers. No silk flowers allowed.

LOT	LOT
1. One-sided Arrangement of Garden Flowers	7. Best of Mixed Garden Flowers
2. Dining Room Centerpiece	8. Holiday Arrangement
3. Best of animal container	9. Miniature, 8" & under
4. Best Showing Water	10. Special Occasions
5. Dried Arrangement	11. Vegetables or Fruits or Combined
6. In a Pop Can	

Class 3 - Potted Plants

1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50 | Limit no larger than 12" pots

LOT	LOT
1. African Violet, single	19. Impatiens, single
2. African Violet, double	20. Impatiens, double
3. African Violet, ruffled	21. Ivy, English
4. Begonia, fibrous	22. Ivy Geranium, German
5. Begonia, tuberous	23. Ivy Geranium, Swedish
6. Cactus, Christmas,	24. Jade
7. Cacti	25. Orchids, 1 plant
8. Caladium	26. Petunia, single, 1 plant
9. Coleus	27. Petunia, double, 1 plant
10. Dish Garden	28. Philodendron
11. Dieffenbachia	29. Pothos Vine, Drvil's Ivy
12. Fairy Garden, lg 24x24	30. Planter, at least 3 varieties
13. Fern, Boston	31. Succulent
14. Fern, Asparagus	32. Terrarium, closed container
15. Fuchsia, blooming	33. Wandering Jew
16. Geranium, blooming	34. Most Unusual Plant
17. Hanging Basket, blooming	35. Unclassified
18. Hanging Basket, non-blooming	

Class 4 - Cut Flowers

Youth ages 13 - 17 years old | 1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50
 Flowers should be all one color.

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| LOT | LOT |
| 1. Bachelor Buttons, 3 stems | 11. Sunflowers, medium,
1 bloom |
| 2. Black Eyed Susan, 1 stem | 12. Viola, 3 blooms |
| 3. Cone Flower, 1 bloom | 13. Zinnia, under 3",
3 blooms |
| 4. Daylily, 1 stem | 14. Zinnia, Giant over 3",
3 blooms |
| 5. Marigold, large, 1 bloom | 15. Unclassified, Annuals |
| 6. Marigold, dwarf, 3 blooms | 16. Unclassified, perennial
or bulb |
| 7. Pansy, 3 blooms | |
| 8. Petunias, single, 1 spray | |
| 9. Petunias, double, 1 spray | |
| 10. Petunias, miniature, 1 spray | |

Class 5 - Cut Flowers

Children ages 12 and under | 1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50
 Flowers should be all one color.

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| 1. Bachelor Buttons, 3 stems | 11. Sunflowers, medium,
1 bloom |
| 2. Black Eyed Susan, 1 stem | 12. Viola, 3 blooms |
| 3. Cone Flower, 1 bloom | 13. Zinnia, under 3",
3 blooms |
| 4. Daylily, 1 stem | 14. Zinnia, Giant over 3",
3 blooms |
| 5. Marigold, large, 1 bloom | 15. Unclassified, Annuals |
| 6. Marigold, dwarf, 3 blooms | 16. Unclassified, perennial
or bulb |
| 7. Pansy, 3 blooms | |
| 8. Petunias, single, 1 spray | |
| 9. Petunias, double, 1 spray | |
| 10. Petunias, miniature, 1 spray | |

Class 6- Potted Plants

Youth ages 13 - 17 | 1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50
 Limit no larger than 12" pots

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| LOT | LOT |
| 1. Planter, at least 3 varieties | 3. Unclassified |
| 2. Succulent | |

Class 7 - Potted Plants

Children ages 12 - under | 1st - \$2.00; 2nd - \$1.75; 3rd - 1.50
 Limit no larger than 12" pots

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| LOT | LOT |
| 1. Planter, at least 3 varieties | 3. Unclassified |
| 2. Succulent | |

Class 8 - Flower Arrangements

Youth ages 13 - 17 | 1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$2.50; 3rd - 1.50
 Arrangements can have rocks, feathers, wood, candles, etc. Noxious
 weeds are not permitted. Mostly flowers. No silk flowers allowed.

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| LOT | LOT |
| 1. Dining Room Centerpiece | 2. In a Pop Can |

Class 9 - Flower Arrangements

Children ages 12 - under | 1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$2.50; 3rd - 1.50
 Arrangements can have rocks, feathers, wood, candles, etc. Noxious
 weeds are not permitted. Mostly flowers. No silk flowers allowed.

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| 1. Dining Room Centerpiece | 2. In a Pop Can |