

# OPEN CLASS AG CRAFT BUILDING SPECIAL RULES

**ALL EXHIBITS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED BY  
MONDAY, JULY 23, 2018.**

**Entry tags may be picked up on Friday, July 27 from  
11 am to 3 pm at the fair office  
OR**

**on Entry Day, Monday, July 30 from Noon to 7 pm in  
the Ag Craft Bldg**

**ALL EXHIBITS MUST BE ENTERED  
on Monday, July 30th from Noon - 7 pm (Except flowers)**

**Building Hours:** 10 am - 9 pm Tuesday thru Friday,  
9am to 10pm Saturday and Sunday 11 am to 4 pm

**Judging: Tuesday, July 31**  
at 8:30 am **EXCEPT** for flowers. Building will open when  
judging is completed.

**Release Time:** Sunday, Aug 5  
starting at 5:00 pm per schedule on page 27.  
ID and claim check are required to pick up exhibit.

1. All items must be made, grown or prepared by exhibitor within the past year.
2. Champion ribbon may be given in each class.
3. No exhibitor may compete against themselves.
4. Exhibits must contain specified number and size as indicated class. Judges to have privilege of opening and sampling any exhibit.
5. All items must remain on display until 5:00 on Sunday. Failure to do so will mean forfeiture of premiums.
6. Not responsible for stolen exhibits.
7. Judges decisions are final.
8. Superintendent reserves the right to deny entries considered to be offensive or not family friendly.

## SPECIAL RULES GOVERNING DEPARTMENTS

1. It shall be the duty of the Superintendent of the judges, before proceeding to judge the exhibits entered in any class, to see that each exhibit entered on the judging forms is present and properly arranged and to notify the superintendent when the article is not found.
2. No person will be permitted to interfere with the department staff or judges while in the performance of their duties. In case of doubt as to their power, department staff will refer the matter to the Fair Secretary.

## Entry day Monday/Judging Tuesday



### DEPARTMENT 20 SCARECROW

**Entry Day: Monday, July 30  
from Noon - 7 pm**

**Judging: Tuesday, July 31  
at 8:30 am**

**Release Time: Sunday, Aug 5  
per Release Schedule**

**Premiums:**  
1st-\$8.00, 2nd-\$5.00, 3rd-\$3.00

#### RULES:

1. Limit one entry per individual or organization.
2. Must display entire fair.
3. Must not weigh over 60 lbs.
4. Not over 7 feet high
5. May be free standing or made to suspend from hook on display wall.
6. **Entries MUST BE family friendly.**

### CLASS A

#### LOT:

1. Traditional Harvest
2. Humorous
3. Celebrity

### DEPARTMENT 21 JUNIOR DIVISION SCARECROW

(9-16 Years)

Classes and lots same as Dept  
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### DEPARTMENT 22 DECORATED CHAIR PLANTERS

**Entry Day: Monday, July 30  
from Noon-7 pm**

**Judging: Tuesday, July 31  
at 8:30 am**

**Release Time: Sunday, Aug 5  
per Release Schedule**

All entries must include a chair

and a flower pot or planter with flowers.

**Premiums:**  
1st-\$3.00, 2nd-\$2.50, 3rd-\$2.00

### CLASS A

#### LOT:

1. Decorated Chair Planter
2. Champion - Ribbon



### DEPARTMENT 30 FRUIT

**Entry Day: Monday, July 30  
from Noon - 7 pm**

**Judging: Tuesday, July 31  
at 8:30 am**

**Release Time: Sunday, Aug 5  
per Release Schedule**

1. All articles must be entered in the name of the grower.
2. Any exhibitor may be requested by the superintendent to certify that the articles exhibited were

grown by exhibitor and upon failure to do so, or for certifying falsely, shall be barred from competition.

3. **Only one (1) entry per lot per exhibitor.**
4. **Must have specified number in exhibit.**

**Premiums:**  
1st-\$2.50, 2nd-\$1.75, 3rd-\$1.50

### CLASS A APPLES

**Four (4) apples per plate**

#### LOT:

1. Beacon
2. Connell Red
3. Delicious
4. Fireside
5. Golden Delicious
6. Haralson
7. McIntosh
8. Northwestern Greening
9. State Fair
10. Sweet Sixteen
11. Wealthy
12. Any Other Variety NOT LISTED- MUST Identify
13. Champion - Ribbon

## Entry day Monday/Judging Tuesday

### CLASS B SINGLE PLATE OF CRABS

Ten (10) apples per plate

**LOT:**

1. Chestnut
2. Dolga
3. Transcendent
4. Whitney
5. Centennial
6. Any Other Variety NOT LISTED - MUST Identify
7. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS C FRUIT EXHIBIT

(Showing 3 each of different varieties)

**LOT:**

1. Best Exhibit of Apples
2. Best Exhibit of Crabapples
3. Best Exhibit of Fruits
4. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS D PLUMS

Ten (10) plums per plate

**LOT:**

1. Pipestone
2. Superior
3. Toka
4. Underwood
5. Any Other Variety NOT LISTED - MUST Identify
6. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS E GRAPES

Five (5) bunches per plate

**LOT:**

1. Beta
2. Concord
3. Hungarian
4. Moore's Early
5. Wild
6. Any Other Variety NOT LISTED - MUST Identify
7. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS F MISCELLANEOUS

**LOT:**

1. Compass Cherry - 10
2. Minnesota Bing Cherry - 10
3. Bantam Pear - 4
4. Parker Pear - 4
5. Raspberry, any variety - pint
6. Gem Strawberry - pint
7. Red Rich Strawberry - pint
8. Ogalia Strawberry - pint
9. Blackberry - pint
10. Blueberries - pint
11. Any Other Variety NOT LISTED - MUST Identify
12. Champion - Ribbon

## DEPARTMENT 31 JUNIOR DIVISION FRUIT

(15 years or younger)  
Classes and lots same as Dept 30



## DEPARTMENT 32 AGRICULTURE

### SUPERINTENDENT:

Dolores Supan  
320-251-3977

**Entry Day: Monday, July 30  
from Noon - 7pm**

**Judging: Tuesday, July 31  
at 8:30 am**

**Release Time: Sunday, Aug 5  
per Release Schedule**

1. The articles of a collection or display cannot be entered separately for individual premiums.
2. ALL grains and grasses must be this year's crop unless otherwise specified.
3. Bundles or sheaves to be four inches in diameter at band.
4. All articles competing for premiums must be grown in Benton, Morrison, Sherburne or Stearns counties, by the person in whose name they are entered.
5. All articles must be correctly labeled with the name of the variety.
6. Varieties entered for premiums for special purpose must be adapted to such purpose to receive awards.
7. Premiums will not be awarded to inferior collections or specimens if there is no competition.
8. **Only one entry per lot per exhibitor.**

Premium for Classes A-G, J-L  
1st-\$2.50, 2nd-\$2.00, 3rd-\$1.50

### CLASS A CORN Six (6) ear samples with husks

removed and must be identified with hybrid, planting date and maturity date

**LOT:**

1. This Year's Corn
2. Last Year's Corn
3. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS B CORN

Must identify with hybrid, planting and maturity date.

**LOT:**

1. Corn for Silage - 6 stalks
2. Tallest Stalk of Corn
3. Largest Ear this year
4. Largest Ear last year
5. Champion ribbon

### CLASS C SUNFLOWERS

**LOT:**

1. Largest Sunflower head grown this year
2. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS D GRAIN, LEGUME AND GRASS SEED (All exhibits to be 1 quart)

**LOT:**

1. Oats
2. Rye
3. Soybeans
4. Winter Wheat
5. Spring Wheat
6. Red Clover
7. Sweet Clover
8. Alfalfa
9. Barley
10. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS E FORAGE CROP SHOW Exhibits must be in one quart in size and placed in clear plastic bags EXCEPT hay samples that must consist of one bale slab that is six inches thick.

**ALFALFA must include date harvested, first or second cutting and estimated % legume & % grass.**

**LOT:**

1. Alfalfa Hay, this year's crop
2. Haylage, this year's crop
3. Oatlage, this year's crop
4. Corn Silage, last year's crop
5. High Moisture Ear Corn Silage
6. Champion - Ribbon

### CLASS F VEGETABLES

**PREPARATION FOR EXHIBIT:  
Vegetables may be carefully washed but not scrubbed**

- Beans** - leave stems on.
- Beets, Carrots, Parsnips, Turnips and Rutabagas** - the tops should be trimmed off 1-1/2" above crown and roots to 1/2".
- Cabbage** - leave stems on bottom and about 4 wrapper leaves.
- Cauliflower** - leave stem on and 5-6 leaves. Trim down 1-2 inches.
- Cucumbers** - should be uniform size, shape and color with 1/2" stem left on.
- Kohlrabi** - top 4-6 leaves left. Trim back to 2". Root trimmed to vege.
- Onions** - twist top off, do not peel to give a slick appearance, but remove outer scales that are broken or discolored. Trim stem to 1-1/2" to 2" from onion, trim roots to 1/2". Wipe or brush but do not wash
- Potatoes** - uniform in size and color. Washing is permitted but do not blemish the skin by scrubbing.
- Rhubarb** - leaf cut down to 1" from top of stem. Do not cut off bottom by root. Rather, pull it out of the ground.
- Sweet Corn** - leave inner husk on. No corn should be showing.
- Tomatoes** - should be uniform in size, shape and color. Remove stems.
- Zucchini & Squash** - 6-8" in size. Leave 1/2" to 1" stem on.
- LOT:**
1. Beans, green string in pods - 12 specimens
  2. Beans, pole - 12 specimens
  3. Beans, yellow wax in pods - 12 specimens
  4. Beets, table - 4 specimens
  5. Beets, any other - 4 specimens
  6. Broccoli - 1 specimens
  7. Cabbage, flat - 2 specimens
  8. Cabbage, pointed - 2 specimens
  9. Cabbage, red - 2 specimens
  10. Cabbage, round - 2 specimens
  11. Carrots - 4 specimens
  12. Cauliflower - 1 specimens
  13. Celery - 1 potted plant
  14. Cucumbers, 3-4" - 12 specimens
  15. Cucumbers, 5-6" - 12 specimens
  16. Cucumbers, burpless - 6 specimens
  17. Cucumbers, slicing - 6 specimens
  18. Dill - 1 plant
  19. Eggplant - 1 specimens
  20. Garlic - 4 specimens
  21. Gourds, mixed - 6 specimens
  22. Ground Cherries, in husk - 1 quart
  23. Kohlrabi - 4 specimens
  24. Jalapeno Peppers - 4 specimens
  25. Purple Kohlrabi - 4 specimens
  26. Lettuce - 3 complete plants
  27. Muskmelon - 2 specimens
  28. Muskmelon - any other not listed - 2 specimens
  29. Onions, red - 4 specimens
  30. Onions, sweet spanish - 4 spec
  31. Onions, white flat - 4 specimens