

Mercer County 4-H/FFA Fair

Open Adult Classes

Open Adult Classes Rules:

- Exhibits should be brought in Tuesday, July 14th from 5-6 pm for registration. Judging will be Monday night following 4-H Conference Judging. **Exhibits, except Fine Arts, are released between noon – 3 pm Saturday July 18th. Fine Arts will be released at 6 pm Wednesday.**
- **These adult classes are open to all adults in Mercer County. Canned and preserved food must have been prepared in 2008/2009.**
- Only first, second, and third place ribbons will be given in each class. The top entry in each of the Divisions (I-VI) will receive \$10.00.

Division I – Crafts

1. Handicrafts
2. Fancywork (Embroidery of Appliqués)
3. Other Fancy Work should be framed or appropriately displayed for their intended purpose.
4. Knitting
5. Crochet
6. Macrame

Division II – Fine Arts: No work will be accepted unless professionally prepared for display. Watercolors and printer must be framed, under glass if possible. Oil and acrylic must be framed and complete with wires if to be hung for exhibit. No glue on hanger will be accepted. No string with tape fastener. Exhibitors must provide their own easel to display their art, if not planning to hang it. If a picture is not properly hung or displayed on an easel, it will not be judged.

Division III – Household Arts

1. Bread
2. Cakes
3. Cookies/Doughnuts
4. Canned Fruit
5. Canned Vegetables
6. Pickles/Relishes
7. Preserves
8. Jellies
9. Jams
10. Butter
11. Homemade Soup

Division IV – Household Science

1. Garments
2. Rugs
3. Quilts

Division V – Farm Produce

1. Root Crops – Potatoes (6); Sweet Potatoes (3); Onions (4); Turnips (4); Carrots (4); Beets (4); Parsnips (4); Other (4)
2. Vegetables – Green Beans (6); Tomatoes (4); Cabbage (1); White Squash (1); Summer Squash (2); Pumpkin (1); Cantaloupe (1); Watermelon (1); Eggplant (1); Cucumbers (4); Sweet Peppers (4); Chili Peppers (4); Other (3)
3. Horticulture – Best Plate of Fruit, any variety

Division VI – Floriculture: Entries are open to all amateur gardeners.

Exhibitors will be responsible for their own properties.

1. Annuals
2. Perennials: A. Roses B. Shrubs C. Vines D. Potted Plants E. Other

THE FAIR BOARD IS NOT RESPONSIBLE IN CASE OF BREAKAGE!