

Department P

Junior Show

PREMIUMS OFFERED - \$ 690.00

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Entries close at 5:00 p.m. Monday, June 7, 2010. ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES.

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per class entry (No limit to the number of classes entered.) **Exhibitor Pass: \$12.00 (required)**

The Junior Show, Department P, has been divided into two age groups. Department P is only open to any boy or girl who is over 8 years of age and under 13 years of age as of September 1, 2009. *Exhibitors are asked to read carefully all rules and regulations. The judges will be instructed to judge according to the rules. Anyone not following the rules, may be disqualified.*

Rules And Regulations

- Rule 1** Entry tags can be picked up at the Art Hall on ***Sunday, June 20, 2010** between noon and 4:30 p.m. All items *must* be to its rightful department by 5:00 p.m. or the item will *not be judged*.
- Rule 2** All entries in this department must be **OWNED OR GROWN BY EXHIBITOR OR EXHIBITOR'S FAMILY OR THE WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR ONLY**. The work of the exhibitor must have been completed in the last two (2) years with the exception of the souvenir and collection classes. Members from the same family may not use identical baking recipes. *Any 4-Hers may enter last years 4-H item in Junior Open this year. Any item receiving a premium last year in the Junior Open Class can not re-enter for two (2) years. (Remember some of the classes have a time limit.)*
- Rule 3** Each exhibitor can enter TWO (2) entries per class number. If entering two (2) items with the same class number, please enter the class number twice on your entry form. In order for you to get two (2) tags, this must be done. Only entries on your original entry form will be allowed to be exhibited. An item can only be entered in one (1) class number.
- Rule 4** All **Food** items must be on a PAPER plate and be in a zip lock plastic bag. Baked items must be baked **BY THE EXHIBITOR**. **Sewing** must be on a hanger, ready to hang. It may be covered with plastic. *Sewing must be the WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR.*
Flower and Flower Arrangements must be in place by 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 22nd. *Flower arrangements must be the WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR. You are limited to an 18"x 18" area. If using fresh flowers, they cannot be florist-cut flowers. They have to be HOME-GROWN BY THE EXHIBITOR OR EXHIBITOR'S FAMILY or roadside flowers. The judge will be looking at theme, quality of flowers, color and texture, and overall impression, not in that order, but just overall.*
Single Fresh Flowers must be in a clear glass vase or bud vase of same kind. The flowers may be GROWN BY EXHIBITOR OR EXHIBITOR'S FAMILY. The judge will be looking at *growth, color, and size of bloom*, not in that order, but just overall.
Vegetables and Fruits may be **GROWN BY THE EXHIBITOR OR EXHIBITOR'S FAMILY**. They are to be attractively displayed using your choice of accessories, baskets, toy truck, etc. Remember that a **DISPLAY** means an attractively arranged so it is *eye-catching*. Rhubarb should be on a PAPER plate or in an aluminum pie tin. Berries should be in plastic butter or oleo tub.
Artwork must be the **WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR**. All artwork must be framed or mounted and ready to hang with a sturdy cord or wire or entry will be disqualified.
Photographs must be the **WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR**. All photographs must be framed or mounted on Cardboard or poster board and ready to hang. Photograph frames may be the kind that will stand up. Any size photo. No computer generated photos.
- Rule 5** **COLLECTIONS AND SOUVENIRS** can be **OWNED BY EXHIBITOR OR EXHIBITOR'S FAMILY**. All collections have a table area of 18" x 24". Some *wall space is available, but on a first come bases. Caps may use rope holders or regular cap holders to display the caps.* All other collections can be mounted on cardboard, wood, material, or poster board. Baskets, mirrors or other accessories may be used to make an eye-catching display. Remember you have an area of 18" x 24". Remember that a display means an eye-catching, attractively arranged number of items.
- Rule 6** Awards will be made by the single judge system. The judging will be closed. The judge is instructed not to award premiums unless the articles are deemed worthy of merit. If no competition exists and an article is not worthy of 1st premium, or even if competition does exist and no article is worthy of 1st premium, the judge may award second or third premium according to their judgment. All judge's decisions are final.
- Rule 7** Any reason to believe that any entry is an attempt to deceive and obtain an award by misrepresentation, the exhibitor may be expelled from showing at the fair for at least TWO (2) years. If there is a problem in this department, please inform the superintendent or Art Hall Supervisor
- Rule 8** The Henry County Fair Association takes reasonable precautions to insure the safety of all exhibits, but in no case will the Fair Association or any of the superintendents be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury to the property of any exhibit while it is on the fair ground.
- Rule 9** All entries limited to the following counties: Henry, Stark, Knox, Mercer, Rock - Island, and Bureau.
- Rule 10** All articles can be removed from the Art Hall on Sunday, June 27th after 6PM.
The Art Hall closes at 9:00 p.m. on Sunday. If your entry or entries are not picked up by that time, Rule 8 will apply. Your premium checks will be available to you at that time in the Art Hall. If your check is not picked up, the exhibitor will forfeit their premium to the Henry County Fair Association. No premium checks will be mailed out due to the high cost of postage.

Junior Classes - Premiums for all: 1st - \$5.00, 2nd - \$4.00, 3rd - \$3.00, 4th - \$2.00