

## VEGETABLE GARDENING

### **Superintendent:**

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Judging: Saturday at 11:30 a.m. with interview (before fair)

Location: Still Exhibit Barn

Project Set Up: Friday at 6:30 p.m.

Check in Time: Saturday at 11:30 a.m. (before fair)

Check out Time: Saturday 7-8 p.m. or Sunday 8-9 a.m.

Premiums: A=\$4; B=\$2; C=No premiums.

### **Project Requirements:**

1. Each exhibit should include exhibitor's name, age, year in project and class, as well as list vegetable displayed, giving the variety name also.
2. Exhibitors must raise their own vegetables to exhibit.
3. All boxed exhibits must be lined with white paper.
4. **Beginner Garden Project**, Ages 8-11. One kind of vegetable.
5. **Junior Garden Project**, Ages 12 & 13. Three kinds of vegetables exhibited or one box exhibit, or a commercial package of the crop grown if it is a commercial garden project.
6. **Senior Garden Project**, Ages 14 & over. A box exhibit of at least 6 (but not more than 10) different kinds of vegetables, or for a commercial garden project, or both, or commercial package of the crop grown.
7. One entry per class.
8. Suggested Exhibits (Home Garden). The number of specimens of one kind and variety of vegetable to exhibit is:  
**1 specimen:** broccoli (bunch), cabbage, cantaloupe, cauliflower, celery (plant), eggplant, leeks (bunch), green onions (bunch), pumpkin, winter squash, watermelon.  
**3 specimens:** rutabagas, summer squash, zucchini  
**5 specimens:** beets, carrots, sweet corn, cucumbers, kohlrabi, okra, dry onions, parsnips, peppers, potatoes, radishes, salsify, sweet potatoes, tomatoes (except cherry), turnips.  
**12 specimens:** green or wax beans, lima beans, brussel sprouts, peas, cherry tomatoes.
9. Suggested Exhibits – (Commercial Garden). The minimum number of specimens of one kind of vegetable to exhibit is:  
**3 specimens:** leeks (5 per bunch), large pumpkins, large winter squash, large watermelons.  
**5 specimens:** broccoli (bunches), cabbage, cantaloupe, cauliflower, celery (plants), eggplant, green onions (bunches), pie pumpkins, medium size winter squash, ice box watermelons.  
**12 specimens:** beets, carrots, sweet corn, slicing cucumbers, kohlrabi, okra, dry onions, parsnips, peppers, potatoes, radishes, rutabagas, salsify, summer squash, sweet potatoes, tomatoes (except cherry), turnip, green

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& wax beans, lima beans, brussel sprouts, peas. One box (16x10x4 in)

### **Division 3001 – Vegetable Garden/Beginner Project**

**Class 01** Tray exhibit of one kind of vegetable

### **Division 3002 – Vegetable Garden/Junior Project**

**Class 03** Three tray exhibits of 3 kinds of vegetables

**Class 04** Box exhibit of at least 6 kinds of vegetables\*

**Class 05** 1 veg. commercial pkg. Commercial Project  
\*No more than 10

### **Division 3003 – Vegetable Garden/Senior Project**

**Class 07** Box Exh. of at least 6 (not more than 10) kinds

**Class 08** 1 veg. commercial pkg. Commercial Project

**Class 09** Vegetable basket, organically grown

### **Division 3004 – Novelty Class**

**Class 11** Largest Vegetable by weight (other than tomato)

**Class 12** Largest Tomato by weight

**Class 13** Largest Vegetable Length not including stem

**Class 14** Most Unusual Vegetable

### **Division 3005 – Fresh & Dried Herbs**

**Class 16** Display of labeled fresh cut herbs, Ages 14-18\*

**Class 17** Display of labeled fresh cut herbs, Ages 12-13\*\*

**Class 18** Display of labeled fresh cut herbs, Ages 8-11\*\*\*

**Class 19** Display of labeled dried cut herbs, Ages 14-18\*

**Class 20** Display of labeled dried cut herbs, Ages 12-13\*\*

**Class 21** Display of labeled dried cut herbs, Ages 8-11\*\*\*

\*Exhibit of 6 or more bunches

\*\*Exhibit of 3 bunches

\*\*\*Exhibit of 1 bunch

### **Division 3006 – Container Garden**

**Class 23** Vegetable grown in portable container

**Class 24** Herbs grown in portable container

### **Division 3007 – Educational Exhibit**

On poster 22"x28") Correlate your exhibit with your garden project.

**Class 26** Ages 8-11 years old

**Class 27** Ages 12-13 years old

**Class 28** Ages 14 years and over

**Division 3008 – Vegetable & Fruit Sculpture**

Vegetables/Fruits may be purchases or homegrown. No more than 3 entries may be made in this division. Exhibit must be made of all edible decorations. Must bring in a picture plus the sculpture. Sculpture will be taken home after judging. Picture will stay.

**Class 30** Sculpture

**Division 3009 – Educational Display**

Educational display on a career in this area of agriculture.

**Class 32** Careers in Agriculture

**ALL EXHIBITORS ARE ADVISED TO THOROUGHLY READ THE FAIR RULES AND REGULATIONS, FAIR CODE OF CONDUCT, LIVESTOCK RULES & REGULATIONS AND LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR CONDUCT.**

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