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NAPA COUNTY FAIR

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July 4th



FINE ARTS ~ FINE CRAFTS

ENTRY FEE
AMATEUR - \$1 per item per class
PROFESSIONAL - \$15 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARDS

BEST OF SHOW - \$50 PER AMATEUR DIVISION 2-D & 3-D ART
BEST OF SHOW - \$300 PER PROFESSIONAL DIVISION 2-D & 3-D ART
STAR-SPANGLED RED WHITE & BLUE

RULES

- A. Indicate sales price or not for sale (NFS) on entry form.
 Napa County Fair will retain a 20% commission. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Artists will be paid by check approximately three weeks following the Fair. Sales Price may not be changed after entry form has been submitted.
- B. Two-dimensional works must be framed and be equipped for hanging with wire. No tape, tape with hooks, clip-on, or clamp framing will be accepted.
- C. Unframed canvases must have painted/finished sides.
- D. We reserve the right to refuse any piece that is considered inappropriate in a family environment. Artist will be notified of rejection.
- E. No commercial molds, numbered painting, decoupage kits, etc. will be allowed unless specified.
- F. **INSURANCE:** Extreme care and caution will be exercised in the care of paintings, but insurance, if desired, should be arranged for by the exhibitor. The Napa County Fair assumes no responsibility for the loss of works by fire, theft, or damage during transportation to exhibition.

DIVISION 41 - Amateur
DIVISION 51 - Professional
Class

- | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Acrylics | 9. Ceramics |
| 2. Charcoal, Pastel | 10. Handcrafts |
| 3. Oil | 11. Metal |
| 4. Pen & Ink, Pencil | 12. Porcelain Art |
| 5. Watercolor | 13. Sculpture |
| 6. Digital Art | 14. Wearable Art |
| 7. Mixed Media | 15. Woodworking |
| 8. Other 2-D art form, specify | 16. Other 3-D art form, specify |

IMPORTANT DATES

Registration OPENS:
 Friday, May 13, 2016

Registration CLOSES:
 Wednesday, June 15, 5 pm

Bring Your Items to the Tubbs Building:
 Thursday, June 16
 7-11 am OR 4-7 pm

Judging:
 Saturday, June 18, 10 am

Items & Award Pickup:
 Tuesday, July 5, 10 am - 1 pm

Cash Award per Class Amateur
 1st Place - \$15
 2nd Place - \$10
 3rd Place - \$5

Cash Award per Class Professional
 1st Place - \$75
 2nd Place - \$50
 3rd Place - \$25

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PHOTOGRAPHY

ENTRY FEE
AMATEUR - \$1 per item per class
PROFESSIONAL - \$10 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARDS
BEST OF SHOW - \$25 PER AMATEUR DIVISION
BEST OF SHOW - \$150 PER PROFESSIONAL DIVISION
STAR-SPANGLED RED WHITE & BLUE

RULES

- A. Wall-hung works only.
- B. Indicate sales price or not for sale (NFS) on entry form. Napa County Fair will retain a 20% commission. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Artists will be paid by check approximately three weeks following the Fair. Sales Price may not be changed after entry form has been submitted.
- C. Photographs must be the work of the exhibitor with the exception of processing and mounting.
- D. Works must have been taken within the year preceding the Fair.
- E. Works must be framed and be equipped for hanging with wire. No tape, tape with hooks, clip-on, or clamp framing will be accepted. Mats or mounts must be at least 8"x10" and cannot exceed 84" (including frame) in any direction.
- F. We reserve the right to refuse any piece that is considered inappropriate in a family environment. Exhibitor will be notified of rejection.
- G. **INSURANCE:** Extreme care and caution will be exercised in the care of photography, but insurance, if desired, should be arranged for by the exhibitor. The Napa County Fair assumes no responsibility for the loss of pictures by fire, theft, or damage during transportation to exhibition.

DIVISION 111
 Amateur / Black & White

DIVISION 112
 Amateur - Color

DIVISION 113
 Professional - Black & White

DIVISION 114
 Professional - Color

- Class**
1. Animals (pets, wildlife...)
 2. Architecture (cityscapes, bridges...)
 3. Landscapes (water, mountains...)
 4. Nature (flowers, trees...)
 5. People (groups, portraits...)

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 2nd Place - \$7
 3rd Place - \$5

Cash Awards per Class Professional
 1st Place - \$50
 2nd Place - \$30
 3rd Place - \$15

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CULINARY ARTS BAKING

ENTRY FEE \$1 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARDS BEST OF SHOW

RULES

- A. Entries must be on plain white paper plates.
- B. Pies must be in aluminum pie plates.
- C. Entries must be prepared by the exhibitor.
- D. Entries requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.
- E. Entries will be discarded when necessary due to spoilage.
- F. All containers will be discarded if not picked up on July 5th.

DIVISION 31 - BAKING

Class

- 1. Quick Breads (½ loaf + 1 slice)
- 2. Yeast Breads (½ loaf + 1 slice)
- 3. Biscuits (half dozen)
- 4. Rolls (half dozen)
- 5. Brownies, Bar Cookies (half dozen)
- 6. Cookies (half dozen)
- 7. Pies (minimum 6", no cream)
- 8. Confections (half dozen)
- 9. Cakes (¼ cake + 1 slice)
- 10. Other, specify

**STAR- SPANGLED RED WHITE & BLUE
DIVISION 32**

Class

- 1. Decorated Cupcakes



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Registration CLOSES:
Monday, June 29, 5 pm

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Saturday, July 2, 8 am – 1 pm

Judging:
Thursday, July 2, 2:30 pm

Items and Award Pickup:
Tuesday, July 5, 10 am – 1pm

Cash Awards per Class
1st Place - \$7
2nd Place - \$5
3rd Place - \$3

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CULINARY ARTS CANNING

ENTRY FEE \$1 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARDS BALL® FRESH PRESERVING DOROTHY BENNETT MEMORIAL BEST OF SHOW

Entries designated First Place from each class will receive:

- Two (2) Five-dollar (\$5) Coupons for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving products and One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® pectin

Entries designated Second Place from each class will receive:

- One (1) Five-dollar (\$5) Coupon for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) coupon for Ball® pectin

Honoring Dorothy Bennett, a lady who entered at least 100 items each year in almost every division and class in the Home and Hobbies Department. She brought love, eccentricity, and enthusiasm to the Fair.

RULES

- All entries must be prepared and canned by the Exhibitor within one year of the opening date of the Fair.
- Each entry must consist of two (2) samples made from the same batch: one may be a small jar to be judged and one for display.
- Standard Jar: Must be a clear glass container specifically designed for canning purposes.
- Seals: All jars must be tightly sealed with rings. No paraffin seals allowed.
- Labels: All jars must be neatly labeled, no larger than 2"x2", and must be placed on side of jar. Label must state name of produce, date canned and method used. **NAME OF EXHIBITOR MUST NOT BE ON THE LABEL.**
- Non-Acid Foods: All vegetables, meats, poultry and fish must be canned under pressure.
- Low Acid Foods: Fruits, such as figs, must be made more acidic by adding lemon juice. Tomatoes and fruits must be canned in a boiling water bath canner.

DIVISION 33 - CANNING

Class

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|---------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 1. Fruits | 5. Jam, Berry | 9. Butters |
| 2. Vegetables | 6. Jam, specify | 10. Conserves |
| 3. Pickles | 7. Jellies | 11. Vinegars |
| 4. Relishes | 8. Marmalades | 12. Other, specify |

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3rd Place - \$3

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NAPA VALLEY



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QUILTING & WALL HANGINGS

ENTRY FEE
\$1 PER ITEM PER CLASS

SPECIAL AWARDS
BEST OF SHOW QUILT, UNDER 60" (LONGEST SIDE)
BEST OF SHOW QUILT, OVER 60" (LONGEST SIDE)
STAR-SPANGLED RED WHITE & BLUE

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 2nd Place - \$5
 3rd Place - \$3

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RULES

- A. Entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
- B. Items must have been completed within one year of the opening day of the Fair.
- C. 4" sleeve required on all quilts and wall hangings.

DIVISION 121

60" & UNDER (longest side)

DIVISION 122

60" & OVER (longest side)

Class

- 1. Appliquéd by Hand
- 2. Appliquéd by Machine
- 3. Pieced by Hand
- 4. Pieced by Machine
- 5. Wall-hanging
- 6. Wrap Mine Red, Blue & White





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GARDENING & FARMING FRUITS & VEGETABLES

NO ENTRY FEE

SPECIAL AWARD BEST OF SHOW

RULES

The quality desired in agriculture and horticultural products is the quality that brings the best financial return in the commercial market, and such exhibits must be at least equal in maturity as that state of ripeness required by the Food and Agricultural Code in order to be considered for award.

- “Mature” means having reached that stage of ripeness which will insure the completion of the ripening process to a degree which will insure palatability, after the removal of the product from the tree, plant or vine.
 - “Overripe” means having an advance stage of maturity which causes the product to be undesirable for human consumption in a fresh state.
 - **NOTE:** Monstrosities will not be considered for premium awards.
- A. Each entry must include 3 fruits or 3 vegetables. Berries must be in a 3 oz. basket.
 - B. Napa County Fair will furnish uniform containers for plate displays.
 - C. Leafy vegetables may be received in a re-sealable plastic bag for freshness.
 - D. **BUNCHES MUST BE TIED.**
 - E. Fruits and vegetables may be from cold storage from previous year’s crop.

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Judging:
Saturday, July 2, 2:30 pm

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Cash Awards per Class
1st Place - \$4
2nd Place - \$3
3rd Place - \$2

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GARDENING & FARMING

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

NO ENTRY FEE

VEGETABLES

DIVISION 11 – Fruit

Vegetable (tomatoes)

Class

1. Specify fruit vegetable type

DIVISION 12 – Pod

(beans, peas, peppers)

Class

1. Beans/Peas, specify
2. Peppers, specify
3. Any other, specify

DIVISION 13 – Leafy

(Cabbage, chard, radicchio)

Class

1. Specify leafy vegetable type

DIVISION 14 – Stem

(Corn, rhubarb)

Class

1. Specify stem vegetable type

DIVISION 15 – Root

(Beets, carrots, radishes)

Class

1. Specify root vegetable type

DIVISION 16 – Bulb

Class

1. Garlic
2. Onions
3. Any other, specify

DIVISION 17 – Tuber

(Potatoes, yams)

Class

1. Specify tuber vegetable type

DIVISION 18 – Vine Crops

(Cucumbers, pumpkins, squash)

Class

1. Cucumbers, specify
2. Squash, specify
3. Any other, specify

FRUITS & NUTS

DIVISION 19 – Fruits

Class

1. Citrus, specify
2. Dried fruits, specify
3. Grapes, specify
4. Stone fruits, specify
5. Any fruit, specify

DIVISION 20 – Berries

Class

1. Specify berry type

DIVISION 21 – Nuts

Class

1. Specify nut type

HERBS

DIVISION 22 – Herbs, Fresh Cut

Class

1. Specify herb type

ORGANIC

DIVISION 23 – Organic

Class

1. Specify type

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3rd Place - \$2

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GARDENING & FARMING FLOWERS & PLANTS

NO ENTRY FEE

SPECIAL AWARDS BEST OF SHOW POTTED PLANTS BEST OF SHOW CUT FLOWERS

RULES

- A. Entries must have been grown by the exhibitor within the county represented by the exhibitor.
- B. Cut Flower entries consist of 1 spike with 3 blooms, or 3 stems with 1 bloom each.
- C. Exhibitors will be allowed to replenish/water entries from 10-11 am on July 3 and again from 9-10 am on July 4.
- D. Vases or other suitable containers must be provided by exhibitor.
- E. All dahlias, except pom-pom, and all roses, except floribunda, must be debudded.
- F. All container gardens must be the work of the exhibitor.

CUT FLOWERS

- DIVISION 82** – Dahlias
- DIVISION 83** – Daisies
- DIVISION 84** – Gladiolus
- DIVISION 85** – Perennials
- DIVISION 86** – Annuals
- DIVISION 87** – Marigolds
- DIVISION 88** – Petunias
- DIVISION 89** – Miniature Roses
- DIVISION 90** – Zinnias

Class

1. Specify flower variety & name
2. (special category)

DIVISION 91 – Roses

Class

1. Floribunda, any color - 1 spray
2. Grandiflora, any color - 1 stem
3. Hybrid Tea, any color - 1 bloom

DIVISION 92 –

Bouquet Of Perennials

DIVISION 93 –

Bouquet Of Annuals

Class

1. Single Variety
2. Mixed Varieties

POTTED PLANTS

DIVISION 94 – Potted Plants

Class

1. Specify plant type
2. Container Garden

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DIVISION 99- Floral Arrangement

Class

1. Firecracker Explosion (fresh, dried or silk), Specify

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1st Place - \$5
2nd Place - \$4
3rd Place - \$3

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HOME & HOBBY

ENTRY FEE \$1 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARDS
BEST OF SHOW NEEDLE ARTS
BEST OF SHOW GOLDEN YEARS
STAR-SPANGLED RED WHITE & BLUE

RULES

- A. Entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
- B. Items must have been completed within one year the year preceding the Fair.
- C. Classes will be divided into sub-classes when necessary due to number and type of entries.
- D. Division 107 – Golden Years – Judged using the Danish System. This judging process compares each exhibit on its own merit against the recognized standard and awards as many first, seconds, etc. as merited.

DIVISION 101

Crochet

DIVISION 102

Knit

DIVISION 103

Embroidery

DIVISION 104

Tatting

DIVISION 105

Counted Cross-Stitch

DIVISION 106

All Other Needle Arts

DIVISION 107

Golden Years - All Needle Arts

Over 80 Years & Special Needs Adults

Class

1. Afghan
2. Clothing
3. Picture, framed
4. Household accessories
5. Novelty
6. Any other, specify

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AMATEUR WINE

ENTRY FEE \$5 per item per class

SPECIAL AWARD BEST OF SHOW RED WINE BEST OF SHOW WHITE WINE

RULES

- All wines other than commercial wines or wines made by a wine maker employed by or owner of a bonded winery are eligible.
- Must be at least 21 years of age to enter.
- Entry consists of two (2) bottles, 750 ml each, for judging and display.
- No foil capsules.
- All Classes will be judged single blind.
- Entries become the property of Napa County Fair and will not be returned.
- Bottles must be labeled with 2"x4" label, in addition to home/wine maker's label. Label must state, Division, Class, Vineyard (if known) and WineMaker's Name.

RED WINE

DIVISION 131 – Red Wine

Class

- Cabernet Sauvignon
- Merlot
- Petite Sirah
- Pinot Noir
- Zinfandel
- Any other red wine or blends, specify

WHITE WINE

DIVISION 132 – White Wine

Class

- Chardonnay
- Any other, specify

DESSERT WINE

DIVISION 133 – Dessert Wine

Class

- Any dessert wine, specify

Best of Show is awarded for one red and one white wine recognized for special characteristics of the highest quality from among the gold medal winners.

Gold Medal is awarded to wines that demonstrates its type and/or varietal character, balance, structure, and complexities to the highest standards.

Silver Medal is awarded to wines reflecting the correct distribution of balance and character of its type or variety; a wine deemed to be well crafted and of excellent quality.

Bronze Medal is awarded to wines that are true to its type or variety; a wine deemed to be well crafted and of good quality.

Danish System of judging.

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Deliver or Ship entries to:

Napa County Fair

Attn: Amateur Wine Competition

1435 N Oak Street

Calistoga, CA 94515

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