

DEPARTMENT I OPEN YOUTH

RULES:

1. *Open Youth* is open to youth at least 5 years of age by January 1, 2017 (except for the Color Page division).
2. Exhibitors are eligible to compete/exhibit through December 31st of the year in which they turn 19 years of age.
3. Each entry in these divisions shall have been made by or produced by the exhibitor.
4. All State and Local rules apply.
5. Entries shall be made online in Department I, Open Youth
6. All entries in Department I, Open Youth will be judged by the Danish System.
7. The Danish System of judging is based upon established standards of quality for each type of product.
8. Each exhibit is judged according to how well it meets that standard rather than how it compares with other exhibits.
9. There is one 1st place, one 2nd place and one 3rd place chosen in each class.

FARM & GARDEN

Online Entry Deadline: Thursday, August 17th

Entries Received: Monday, August 21st, 4 pm - 7 pm – Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10:00 am – 7:00 pm Feather Room

No Limit On Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. For Rules and Quantities see Dept. A, Adult Farm and Garden.

DIVISION 575: YOUTH FARM/GARDEN

CLASS:

1. Any - List Type and Variety 2. Gift Baskets - Any - List Type - See Adult Department.

CLOTHING & TEXTILES

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm - Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am – 7:00 pm - Feather Room

No Limit On Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. All exhibits must be original and the work of the exhibitor. Exhibitors limited to entries in one level: Grade: K - 5th, Grade: 6th - 8th and Grade: 9th - 12th
2. Exhibits must have been completed after July 2016 and have not been shown at a previous Butte County Fair.
3. An exhibit may consist of 2 or more items not judged elsewhere. A coordinate exhibit is judged as one entry.
4. Exhibits must be cleaned and pressed. All hang able items must be on hangers.
5. All State and Local rules apply.

DIVISION 529: GRADE K - 5th

CLASS:

1. Apron
2. Blouse or Shirt
3. Dress
4. Jacket or Vest
5. Pants or Shorts

DIVISION 530: GRADE 6th - 8th

6. Skirt
7. Coordinated Outfit - Consists of 2 or more items
8. Quilt, Any, Specify
9. Needlework, Specify
10. Knitting or Crochet

DIVISION 531: GRADE 9th - 12th

11. Any Other Clothing Item, Specify
12. Any Other Non-Clothing Item, Specify
13. Pajamas and Nightgowns
14. Duct Tape Clothing

BAKING & CONFECTIONS

Online Entry Deadline: Thursday, August 17th

Entries Received: Wednesday, August 23rd, 8 am - 12 pm Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am – 7:00 pm – Feather Room

No Limit On Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. Foods that require refrigeration may not be entered.
2. Entries that spoil during the fair will be removed.
3. See Adult Baking & Confections Department for wrapping instructions see Dept E, Adult Baked Foods and Confections.
4. A styrofoam or cardboard form must be used, provided the shape is one which could be reasonably achieved through baking.
5. Decorated cakes to be judged on eye appeal, neatness, hand decorating technique, intricate work, creativity and practicality.
6. Breads: no mini loaves.
7. Any other quantity - Either 3 pieces or 1/2 of item + 1.
8. All State and Local rules apply.

DIVISION 532: Pre Kindergarten

CLASS:

1. Candies (3 pieces + 1 piece)
2. Cake (1/2 cake + 1 slice)
3. Cookies (3 cookies + 1 cookie)

DIVISION 533: GRADE K - 5th

4. Muffins or Biscuits (3 pieces + 1 piece)
5. Quick Breads (1/2 loaf + 1 slice)
6. Yeast Breads (1/2 loaf + 1 slice)

DIVISION 534: GRADE 6th - 8th

7. Any Other, Specify
8. Any Decorated Cake, Specify (Cake Form)

DIVISION 535: GRADE 9th -12th

FOOD PRESERVATION

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm - Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am - 7:00 pm - Feather Room

No Limit On Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. Entry must list type of product fruit, vegetable, preserves, etc. and method or process used (canning, freezing, or drying).
2. Low acid foods must be canned under pressure.
3. All jars must have rings to be entered. **No paraffin seals.**
4. Dried products should be in zip lock bags or sealed jars. Samples should be taped to the outside.
5. All canning exhibits must consist of **two** identical entries and must be in containers specifically designed for canning purposes.
6. **Jars opened for judging should be picked – up after judging, Monday, Aug. 14th, Jars for display to be picked up Monday, August 28th.**
7. Jar labels should include the name of exhibitor, type of product and process used/time processed and date it processed.
8. Ball® “Bring out your Best™” Food Preservation Award Program, presented by Newell Brands Inc.
 - Newell Brands Inc., Marketers of Ball® and Kerr™ Fresh Preserving Products, is proud to recognize today’s fresh preserving(canning) enthusiasts.
 - An award for 1st place will be presented to the individual whose home canned entry is selected the best in the category.
 - A panel of judges will select the top two entries in Fruits, Vegetables, Pickles, and Soft Spreads.
 - Entries must be preserved in Ball® Jars and sealed with Ball® and Bands specially designed for home canning, or preserved in Kerr™ Jars sealed with Kerr™ Lids and Bands specially designed for home canning.
 - In addition entries in the soft spread category must be prepared using Ball® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-sugar, or Liquid.
 - Proof of pectin purchase in the form of a receipt or product UPC must be submitted with entry.

DIVISION 536: GRADE K - 5th

CLASS:

1. Dried Foods, Specify
2. Fruits, Specify

DIVISION 537: GRADE 6th - 8th

3. Jams, Jellies or Preserves, Specify
4. Vegetables, Specify

DIVISION 538: GRADE 9th - 12th

5. Pickles or Relishes, Specify

FINE ARTS

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm Farmer’s Hall

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am - 5:30 pm Farmer’s Hall

Limit 6 Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. All exhibits must be original and the work of the exhibitor.
2. Paint by number NOT permitted.
3. Each entry to be listed separately entered online.
4. All art work must be mounted/matted on mat board, heavy paper stock or two pieces of construction paper.
5. Work that is flimsy or hard to display, will not be accepted.
6. Exhibits must have been completed after July, 2016 and not shown at a previous Butte County Fair to be eligible for entry.

DIVISION 539: Pre Kindergarten

DIVISION 540: GRADE K - 5th

DIVISION 541: GRADE 6th - 8th

DIVISION 542: GRADE 9th -12th

CLASS:

1. Acrylic
2. Color Crayon
3. Felt Tip

4. Pen
5. Pencil
6. Oil

7. Watercolor
8. Any Other Medium, Specify

ARTS, CRAFTS & HOBBIES

On Line Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm – Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am – 7:00 pm – Feather Room

Limit 6 Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. All exhibits must be original and the work of the exhibitor. Paint by number NOT permitted.
2. Each entry to be listed separately on entry form.
3. All art work must be mounted/matted on mat board, heavy paper stock or two pieces of construction paper. Work that is flimsy or hard to display and will not be accepted.
4. Exhibits must have been completed after July, 2016 and not shown at a previous Butte County Fair to be eligible for awards.

DIVISION 543: Pre Kindergarten

DIVISION 544: GRADE K - 5th

DIVISION 545: GRADE 6th - 8th

DIVISION 546: GRADE 9th - 12th

CLASS:

1. Candles
2. Ceramics, Specify
3. Computer Generated Art
4. Christmas Decoration
5. Collections, Any, Specify
6. Dough Art

7. Leather craft, Any, Specify
8. Lego Construction must be mounted
9. Lego Models, from a kit
10. Lego Original Design
11. Photo Albums (not judged on pictures)
12. Scrap Booking (two pages)

13. Tole Painting
14. Woodworking/Carving
15. Any Other Art, Craft or Hobby, Specify
16. Mission
17. Models, from a kit
18. Duct Tape Craft

PHOTOGRAPHY

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm Farmer's Hall

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am - 12 pm - 3:30 pm - 5:30 pm Farmer's Hall

****NO VELCRO***NO DOUBLE STICK TAPE****

Limit 6 Entries Per Class

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

RULES:

1. Exhibits must have been taken/processed after July 2016 and must not have been shown at any previous fair to be eligible for entry.
2. Loose photos will not be accepted. **Mat board should be no larger than 18 x 22 in.**
3. Photographic works include black & white, color, and mixed media.
4. Mixed media: Can be hand tinted, appliqué, retouched or computer enhanced images on silver based photographic paper.
5. **Digitally Altered Definition:** The application of image editing techniques to photographs in order to create an illusion or deception (in contrast to mere enhancement or correction) through analog or digital means.
6. For all other Photography Rules see Dept G, Adult Photography.
7. All State and Local rules apply.

DIVISION 548: Pre Kindergarten

DIVISION 549: GRADE K - 5th

DIVISION 550: GRADE 6th - 8th

DIVISION 551: GRADE 9th - 12th

CLASS:

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| 1. Black & White Enlargement - 5 x 7, 8 x 10 or 11 x 14 inches | 8. People, Black & White | 14. Flowers, Black and White |
| 2. Color Enlargement - 5 x 7, 8 x 10 or 11 x 14 inches | 9. People, Color | 15. Flowers, Color |
| 3. Mixed Media - 5 x 7, 8 x 10 or 11 x 14 inches | 10. Sports, Black and White | 16. Any Other Black & White, Specify |
| 4. Animals, Black & White | 11. Sports, Color | 17. Any Other Color, Specify |
| 5. Animals, Color | 12. Scenic, Black & White | 18. Digitally Altered Photographs (Before and After Pictures Required) |
| 6. General, Black & White | 13. Scenic, Color | 19. Sepia Tone, Specify |
| 7. General, Color | | |

MISCELLANEOUS PROJECTS

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 3 pm - Expo Hall

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am - 3 pm - Expo Hall

Limit 6 Entries Per Class.

Entry Fee: \$1.00

Premiums Offered Per Class:

1st Place - \$1.50 2nd Place - \$1.25 3rd Place - \$1.00

DIVISION 552: YOUTH WELDING

CLASS:

1. Welding—Large Projects
2. Welding—Small Projects

OPEN YOUTH CLASS/GROUP PROJECT

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 4th

Entries Received: Saturday, August 12th, 10 am - 5 pm - Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am - 5:30 pm - Feather Room

No Limit On Entries Per Class.

No Entry Fee.

RULES:

1. Entries must have been made by the entire class or a group within a class. No individual entry - see open youth sections for individual entries.
2. If large item please specify size of exhibit in description selection of online entry.
3. All State and Local rules apply.

DIVISION 553: Pre Kindergarten

DIVISION 554: GRADE K - 5th

DIVISION 555: GRADE 6th - 8th

DIVISION 556: GRADE 9th - 12th

CLASS:

1. Yearbook (Limit 1 per School)
2. Murals
3. Newspaper/Paper
4. Quilt
5. Class Art Projects

FLORICULTURE

CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August, 11

Exhibits Received: Special Needs: Monday, August 21, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. - Flower Bowl

Exhibits Received: All Others; Tuesday, August 22, 7 a.m. - 11 a.m. & 4 p.m. - 8 p.m. - Flower Bowl

Judging: Open Judging Thursday, August 24 beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Exhibits Released: Monday, August 28, 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. - 7 p.m. - Flower Bowl

Limit 6 Entries per Class

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per Entry

Premiums Offered per Class:

1st Place \$4.00 2nd Place \$3.00 3rd Place \$2.00

RULES:

1. Limit 6 entries per class.
2. Single specimen per container (unless noted otherwise)
3. Flowering plants must be in bloom.

DIVISION 557: FLOWERING PLANTS

CLASS:

1. Any, Specify

DIVISION 558: FOLIAGE PLANTS

CLASS:

1. Any, Specify

DIVISION 559: CACTUS AND SUCCULENTS

CLASS:

1. Any, Specify

FLORAL DESIGN—ARRANGEMENTS (ARTISTIC AND TRADITIONAL)

Online Entries Close: Friday, August 11

Exhibits Received: Wednesday, August 23, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m. and Thursday, August 25, 7 a.m. - 9 a.m. - Flower Bowl

Judging: Open Judging, Thursday, August 24, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Exhibits Released: Monday, August 28, 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. - 7 p.m. - Flower Bowl

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per Entry

Premiums offered per Class

1st Place \$4.00 2nd Place \$3.00 3rd Place \$2.00

RULES:

1. See Adult Floral Arrangement-Department B for complete rules.
2. Use Youth Department entry forms. Signature of a parent or guardian is required. Age of exhibitor must be included on the entry form. All arrangements must be in place by 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, August 25. Wilted arrangements will be removed. Exhibitor may “refresh” their arrangement. This is done before fair opening hours.
3. Dry arrangements will stay the duration of the Fair.
4. Flowers for arrangement materials need not be grown by the exhibitor, but arrangements must be made by exhibitor.
5. No artificial material or coloring permitted of fresh arrangements. Fresh material may be in water or wet oasis. Accessories permitted.
6. Class titles are for inspiration and do not have to be followed literally.

DIVISION 576: K – 5th GRADE ARRANGEMENTS

CLASS:

1. Ruffled Feathers
2. Early Bird’s Worm

DIVISION 577: 6th – 8th GRADE ARRANGEMENTS

CLASS:

1. Ruffled Feathers
2. Early Bird’s Worm

DIVISION 578: 9th – 12th GRADE ARRANGEMENTS

CLASS:

1. Ruffled Feathers
2. Early Bird’s Worm

DIVISION 579: MINIATURES: 5” maximum in height & width.

CLASS:

1. Birds & Bees

PLACE SETTINGS

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 11

Exhibit Set-up: Wednesday, August 23, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m.

with live plant material added on Thursday, August 24, 7 a.m. - 9 a.m. - Flower Bowl

Judging: Open Judging, Thursday, August 24, beginning at 11:00 a.m.

Exhibits Released: Monday, August 28, 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. - 7 p.m. - Flower Bowl

Entry Fee: \$1.00 per Entry

Premiums offered per Class

1st Place \$4.00 2nd Place \$3.00 3rd Place \$2.00

RULES:

1. Limited to the first four (4) entries. Entries are limited to one place setting per person.
2. One place setting to include dishes, glassware, linen, (place mat or cloth) napkin and a decorative unit.
3. NO utensils may be used.
4. The decorative unit may contain fresh flower material and must be in scale and proportion.
The flowers must be freshened regularly before the Fair opens each day.
5. The use of candy, food, cut fruit, or advertisements is NOT ALLOWED.
6. Must fit in a 24” x 24” size area provided by the Fair.

DIVISION 560: PLACE SETTINGS

CLASS:

1. Hen’s Party

YOUTH COLORING CONTEST

NO ONLINE ENTRY

Entries Received: Wednesday, August 23rd, 10 am – 4:30 pm Feather Room

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am – 4:30 pm Feather Room

No Entry Fee.

Winners: 1st through 3rd in each age group will receive a Family Fun Pack of 2 Adult tickets and 2 Youth tickets to the Fair.

ENTRY: COLORING PAGE WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE FAIR OFFICE OR ONLINE.

*Mail or drop off coloring page to the Butte County Fairground Office **before 4:30 pm August 23, 2017**

LATE ENTRIES *will not be accepted*****

199 East Hazel Street in Gridley or Mail to P.O. Box 308, Gridley, CA 95948. To be received NO LATER than August 23, 2017

RULES:

1. Coloring page is to be entered according to age of child.
2. This contest is for children 1 to 12 years of age
3. Coloring page entries **MUST** be at the Fairgrounds *before 4:30 pm August 23, 2017*. (mailed entries must be postmarked before August 23)
4. **Child's name and parent's name and phone number MUST** be on the back of each entry to be accepted.
5. Judging of coloring pages will happen the morning of August 24, 2017
6. **NO entries will be accepted the day of judging.** Entries MUST be received before 4:30 pm August 23, 2017)

DIVISION 596: UP TO 3 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 597: 4 - 6 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 600: 13 - 18 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 598: 7 - 9 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 599: 10 - 12 YEARS OLD

CLASS:

1. Coloring Contest

STEPPING STONE DECORATION CONTEST

Online Entry Deadline: Friday, August 18th

Received: Saturday, August 19th, 10 am - 12 pm Flower Bowl

Entries Released: Monday, August 28th, 10 am – 5:30 pm Flower Bowl

One Entry Per Child.

No Entry Fee.

Winners:

1st through 3rd in each age group will receive a Family Fun Pack of 2 Adult tickets and 2 Youth tickets to the Fair.

RULES:

1. All Stepping Stones must be entered online before the Entry Deadline of Friday, August 18th.
2. NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.
3. Stones must be between 2" to 3" thick.
4. Stones need to be between 12"x12" to 18"x18".
5. Stones may be in any shape as long as they are within the size range.
6. Child's name, Parent's name and phone number must be on the back of each entry.
7. Pre-fabricated stones may be used (as base for decorations).

DIVISION 601: 6 AND UNDER

DIVISION 602: 7 - 9 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 603: 10 - 12 YEARS OLD

CLASS:

- 1 Stepping Stone.