



Halifax County Exhibition

A Family Exhibition for more than 125 Years

Middle Musquodoboit Agricultural Society

Official Rules, Regulations & Prize List

Dear Exhibitors:

Welcome to our Halifax County Exhibition competitions. Please be sure to read the General Rules & Regulations as well as the specific guidelines for your areas of competition. The Exhibition Management Committee try to make things clear and safe for all of our exhibitors, and the Halifax County Exhibition would not be the success it is without your participation and cooperation.

Each year we begin with current entry forms. If forms are not completed in full we will not be able to contact you in the future, so please take a few moments to fill out your mailing address, phone number and email.

Sponsorship is an important part of the Exhibition and is not solely for the purposes of obtaining the prize money. The sponsorship costs include: prize money, ribbons, banners, trophies, judges, tags, drags, weight loaders, drug testing and many other areas of the Exhibition. If there are any questions regarding sponsorship please contact the office.

We have also been very fortunate in the past with the number of Exhibitors who lend a hand - if you have some time available please let us know at the main office - many hands make light work. Please note all inquiries should be made at the main office, which is the two story grey metal building at the end of the Main Ring.

Thank you!
Halifax County Exhibition Management Committee

For further information on the Halifax County Exhibition or any other events of the Middle Musquodoboit Agricultural Society please contact us:

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PARADE – Wednesday, August 18 - 1 pm

THEME - “A New Beginning”

The Halifax County Exhibition invites all businesses, organizations and individuals to participate in our Parade, which will take place on Wednesday, August 18th.

Line up for the Parade is by the ball field at the exit of George Street and Hwy 357. Entrants need to have a prepared write-up/description of their float entry that can be used to introduce your float in the main ring. **Please check in with one of the volunteers with registration cards, at the corner of George Street & Hwy 357, between 12 and 1 pm, to get your parade number and give them your write-up on your entry.** Judging will take place along the parade route.

All Exhibitors are encouraged to participate.

Awards for the following categories will be presented at the Exhibition Grounds in the main ring.

BEST COMMERCIAL (LOCAL)

BEST INDIVIDUAL

BEST THEME

BEST COMMERCIAL (NON-LOCAL)

BEST GROUP

MOST HUMOUROUS

BEST 4-H

BEST LEGION FLOAT

BEST YOUTH GROUP

BEST DECORATED

GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

All Exhibitors are subject to these Rules and Regulations in addition to those specifically listed in the separate categories.

PLEASE NOTE THE DEADLINE FOR YOUR ENTRY FORMS UNDER THE SPECIFIC CATEGORIES.

1. The Exhibition Office will be open on Monday & Tuesday, prior to the start of the Exhibition from 9 am - 9 pm and Wednesday to Saturday, from 9:00 am - 8:00 pm. Please address all inquiries and correspondence to: Halifax County Exhibition, PO Box 161, Middle Musquodoboit NS BON 1X0 or email to info@halifaxcountyex.com
2. The Exhibition will be open to the public, from 9:00 am - 10:00 pm all four days of the show.
3. **GATE ADMISSIONS:**

ADULTS & TEENS	\$5.00
SENIOR CITIZENS (with ID card)	\$4.00
CHILDREN (6 to 12 inclusive)	\$2.00
CHILDREN (under 6)	FREE
WEEKLY PASS	\$15.00 (per person - available at the front gate)
4. **CHILDREN'S DAY:** All children 12 & under will be admitted free of charge on Wednesday, the first day of the Exhibition.
5. Exhibitors, when they arrive with entries, should see the **Superintendent of their Section** who will inform them where the exhibit/article should be placed. Please refer to **individual sections for closing times of entries.**
6. **Any concerns are to be made in writing to the Exhibition Office before the close of the show.**
7. No person shall interfere with the Judges or attempt to influence a Judge's decision. Any person who uses any contemptuous or abusive language in reference to any award made shall forfeit his/her right to any premium which they might otherwise be entitled to and could be denied participation in future Exhibitions.
8. *This is an agricultural exhibition and Exhibitors are reminded to be courteous to all other Exhibitors and to take the time to answer questions from the public passing through.*
9. Judges are required to give their reasons on placing of classes when requested by the Superintendents.
10. **Exhibits must remain in place (including decorations) until 9:00 pm Saturday evening. Removing exhibits before this time will forfeit entry to future Exhibitions. No livestock trailers will be given admittance to the Exhibition Grounds prior to 9 pm Saturday evening.**
11. *Dogs are not permitted to be brought on the grounds by the general public. PETS in camp grounds must remain in camp ground area during open hours, leashed at all times - please pick up after pets.*
12. The Exhibitor is responsible for all expenses incurred in transporting entries and maintaining them during the show. The Exhibition Management Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage. Any article left in the buildings or on the grounds after the close of the Exhibition shall be entirely at the owner's risk.
13. Space is available for tent and camper parking for our livestock exhibitors' convenience. Cost is \$50.00 for the four days and should be included with your entry form. All driving lanes must be kept clear. Larger trailers will have to be placed at the back of the Grounds. **Please Note:** We will provide camping space out to non-exhibitors (if space permits) at a cost of \$15.00 per night and they will have to purchase grounds passes. There is a **\$15.00 septic dumping fee** for campers who need this facility.

ATTENTION: Exhibitors of animals, machinery in motion, and other exhibits liable to occasional accidents, injury or damage to persons coming in contact with them shall guard their exhibits and protect the public from coming in contact therewith, and every such exhibitor does hereby indemnify the Halifax County Exhibition, the Middle Musquodoboit Agricultural Society and Officials from and against all such claims, demands, costs, charges and expenses which it may occur, suffer or be put to be reason of any accident, or of any period being injured or suffering damage through by reason of any such exhibit not being properly protected there from.

LIABILITY INSURANCE: We require that every large animal on our grounds, as well as pull event participants, is covered for liability should that animal, exhibitor or vehicle be involved in an incident on the Exhibition Grounds causing injury or harm to buildings or people. Your policy must show us that you, the animal or animals you are bringing onto the Exhibition Grounds or your vehicle have the proper coverage to be at our Exhibition. If your coverage is part of a group plan, we require proof of the insurance as well as proof of your membership under this plan. Proof must clearly show the appropriate coverage. This proof of insurance must accompany the Exhibitors Entry Form, and is a part of said entry form.

The Halifax County Exhibition and the Middle Musquodoboit Agricultural Society, its employees, agents or servants shall not be liable for any loss to an exhibitor, his or her employees, agents or servants which may have occasioned by fire, accident, condition of structure or the negligence of other exhibitors, officials or otherwise, howsoever.

Entry forms can be found at the back of this prize book. Please use the appropriate form for your entries, making any copies you need.

We suggest you make a copy of your completed form for your reference.

Any entry forms received without all requirements and attachments will not be considered.

Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.

There will be a charge of \$25.00 on all NSF Cheques

EXHIBITIONS ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA CODE OF ETHICS FOR EXHIBITORS OF LIVESTOCK

Exhibitors of livestock at exhibitions and fairs in Nova Scotia shall at all times deport your selves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Your conduct in this competitive and showmanship environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honour and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural awareness and education. This code applies to all livestock entered and/or offered in any event at fairs and exhibitions. Owners, exhibitors, trainers, and all responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and entry fees and may be prohibited from future fairs and exhibitions in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and exhibitions in Nova Scotia. Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics negatively impact on the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and may be prohibited from entry and/or offered competition at all livestock shows in Nova Scotia.

1. Any liquid or substance not considered part of an accepted and normal diet for livestock is deemed illegal and inhumane. (For example; the use of alcoholic, carbonated or caffeine beverages or chocolate flavoured nutritional supplements).

2. Any time after an animal arrives on the fair or exhibition site or premises, a licensed veterinarian upon notification to the manager of the fair or exhibition shall administer all treatments involving the use of drugs and/or medication for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal.
3. The use of showing and/or handling practices or devices such as striking animals to cause swelling, using electrical contrivance or other similar practices are not acceptable and are prohibited.
4. The application of this code of ethics provides for absolute responsibility for an animal's condition by the owner, exhibitor or participant whether or not he or she was actually instrumental in or had actual knowledge of the treatment of the animal in contravention of this code of ethics.
5. The act of entering an animal is the giving of consent by the owner or exhibitor to have the fair or exhibition take disciplinary action for violation of this code of ethics, and any other rules of the fair or exhibition, without recourse against the fair or exhibition.
6. **The Exhibitions Association of Nova Scotia, in working with the livestock associations that use the fairs and exhibitions facilities, will conduct random drug testing as a credible deterrent to the use of performance enhancing drugs. A policy has been developed to deal with such matters.**

POULTRY & PET STOCK

RULES & REGULATIONS

In addition to the General Rules & Regulations:

1. Entries must be post-marked by July 21st of show year. There is no entry fee for bird or rabbit.
2. All entries must be in place by 9:30 am of the first day (Wednesday) of the show and remain on the grounds until 9:00 pm of the last day (Saturday) of the show. Any exhibits not abiding these times must have prior consent from the Exhibition Management Committee.
3. Stock will be fed and cared for by attendants. Stationary coops will be provided by the Committee, in which all birds must be displayed. Not more than two per coop, except in pens.
4. The Committee has the right to reject any exhibits showing signs of disease or those of inferior quality. Judges will award premiums according to the merit of the entry.
5. Birds to be shown as cock or hen. Exhibitors please note that in making entries - Section must be shown along with the Class number with letter C for cock and H for hen. Not more than three entries per class (three hens, three cocks).
6. Pigeons to be shown as female or male. Exhibitors please note that in making entries - Section must be shown along with the Class number with letter M for male and F for female. Not more than three entries per class (three males, three females).
7. No birds can be shown in more than one class.
8. The Halifax County Exhibition and the Middle Musquodoboit Agricultural Society, its employees, agents or servants shall not be liable for any loss to an exhibitor. His or her employees, agents or servants which may have occasion by fire, accident, condition of structure or the negligence of other exhibitors, officials or otherwise, howsoever.
9. The Nova Scotia Poultry Show Health Monitoring Policy is in effect at this show. The exhibitor should make himself/herself aware of their rules and regulations before exhibiting. All birds must be vaccinated.
10. Exhibitors will write their own Wing Band Numbers on their coop tags.
11. **All Prize Money & Special Prizes must be picked up by 9:00 pm on Saturday at the Main Office.**

Section D1 - Standard Poultry

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Cock</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00	<i>Hen</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00
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Class:

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| 1. Plymouth Rock, Barred | 14. Jersey Giants, AOV. | 27. Old English Game, Black Red |
| 2. Plymouth Rock, White | 15. Orpington, AOV. | 28. Old English Game, AOV. |
| 3. Plymouth Rock, Silver Penciled | 16. Cornish, AOV. | 29. Polish, AOV. |
| 4. Plymouth Rock, Buff | 17. Australorp, AOV . | 30. Ancona |
| 5. Plymouth Rock, Partridge | 18. Sussex, AOV. | 31. Cubalya |
| 6. Plymouth Rock, AOV. | 19. Brahma, AOV. | 32. Cochins, Black |
| 7. Rhode Island Red, AOV. | 20. Leghorn, White | 33. Cochins, Buff |
| 8. Wyandotte, White | 21. Leghorn, Brown | 34. Cochins, AOV. |
| 9. Wyandotte, AOV. | 22. Leghorn, AOV. | 35. Standard AOV. Correctly Named |
| 10. Wyandotte, Silver Penciled | 23. Andalusian, Blue | * AOV. – Any Other Variety |
| 11. Wyandotte, Silver Laced | 24. Hamburg, Silver Spangled | |
| 12. Wyandotte, Black | 25. Hamburg, AOV. | |
| 13. Wyandotte, Partridge | 26. Minorca, AOV. | |

**HALIFAX COUNTY EXHIBITION
Section D2 - BANTAMS**

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<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Cock</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00	<i>Hen</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00
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Class:

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| 1. Bantam, AOV. | 16. Rose Combs, Black | 27. Old English Game, Golden Duckwing |
| 2. Brahma, AOV. | 17. Rose Combs, White | 28. Old English Game, Red Pyle |
| 3. Booted, AOV. | 18. Rose Combs, Black Breasted Red | 29. Old English Game, Silver |
| 4. Cochins, Black | 19. Rose Combs, Blue | 30. Old English Game, AOV. |
| 5. Cochins, White | 20. Rose Combs, Splash | 31. Polish, AOV. |
| 6. Cochins, AOV. | 21. Rose Combs, AOV. | 32. Plymouth Rock, White |
| 7. Cornish, AOV. | 22. Old English Game, White Pyle | 33. Plymouth Rock, Columbian |
| 8. Duckwing | 23. Old English Game, Black | 34. Plymouth Rock, AOV. |
| 9. Duckwing, Silver Pyle, Red | 24. Old English Game, White | 35. Wyandotte, White |
| 10. Hamburgs, AOV. | 25. Old English Game, Black Breasted Reds | 36. Wyandotte, Black |
| 11. Japanese, AOV. | 26. Old English Game, Blue Breasted Reds | 37. Wyandotte, Partridge |
| 12. Modern Game | | 38. Wyandotte, AOV. |
| 13. Seabrights, Silver | | * AOV – Any Other Variety. |
| 14. Seabrights, Golden | | |
| 15. Rhode Island Red, AOV. | | |

Section D3 - POULTRY SPECIALS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00
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Class:

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| 1. Pen of Two Cockerels | 3. Trio of Bantams |
| 2. Pen of Three Laying Hens | 4. Trio of Standard Poultry |

Section D4 – DUCKS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Drake</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00	<i>Hen</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00
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Class:

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| 1. Rouen | 9. Indian Runner, Grey |
| 2. Muskovy | 10. Indian Runner, Fawn |
| 3. Calls, White | 11. Indian Runner, Penciled |
| 4. Calls, Gray | 12. Mandarin |
| 5. Buff | 13. Ducks, AOV. Correctly named |
| 6. Pekin | * AOV – Any Other Variety. |
| 7. Indian Runner, White | |
| 8. Indian Runner, Black | |

Section D5 – GEESE

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Gander</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00	<i>Goose</i>	1 st \$4.00	2 nd \$3.00	3 rd \$2.00
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| 1. Chinese, AOV. | 4. Canadian Geese | * AOV – Any Other Variety. |
| 2. Pilgrim | 5. African | |
| 3. Emden | 6. Geese, AOV. Correctly named | |

Section D6 – PIGEONS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Male</i>	1st \$4.00	2nd \$3.00	3rd \$2.00	<i>Female</i>	1st \$4.00	2nd \$3.00	3rd \$2.00
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| 1. Homers | 8. Rollers | 15. Lahores | 22. Pigeon, AOV.
Correctly named |
| 2. Doves | 9. Tumblers | 16. Helmets | * AOV – Any Other Variety. |
| 3. Fantails | 10. Trumpeters | 17. Swallows | |
| 4. Magpies | 11. Modenas | 18. Capuchins | |
| 5. Owls | 12. Ice | 19. Satinettes | |
| 6. Arcangels | 13. Show Kings | 20. Blondinettes | |
| 7. Jacobins | 14. Nuns | 21. Tipplers | |

Section D7 – Champion

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| 1. Bantam - \$10.00 | 4. Pigeon - \$10.00 |
| 2. Large Fowl - \$10.00 | 5. <i>Best in Show</i> - \$20.00 |
| 3. Waterfowl - \$10.00 | |

Section D8 – RABBITS

NOTE: Rabbits are limited to 2 of a breed per Exhibitor, either sex. Exhibitors are to bring their own cages.

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Buck</i>	1st \$4.00	2nd \$3.00	3rd \$2.00	<i>Doe</i>	1st \$4.00	2nd \$3.00	3rd \$2.00
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Class:

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| 1. Utility (New Zealand, Flemish, Californian) | 2. Ornamental (Dutch, Himalayan, English Spot) |
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VEGETABLES

RULES & REGULATIONS

In addition to the General Rules & Regulations:

- Entry forms should be submitted to the **Exhibition Office by August 1st** for tags to be made up. Entries will be accepted after this date; however, tags will be the responsibility of the Exhibitor to complete.
- All exhibits must be the growth of the show year.
- There is no entry fee for vegetable exhibits.
- The Superintendent will accept exhibits, **Tuesday evening between the hours of 6:00 and 9:00 pm.**
- Only two exhibits** per exhibitor will be accepted in each class.
- The judge will note the care & taste displayed in the arrangement of all collections as well as the excellence of the vegetables.
- Specimens should be displayed in the correct number, as specified in the Prize List, on plates provided by the Exhibition.
- All specimens should be as uniform as possible in size, colour & form.
- Any injury by insects, disease, bruises, over ripeness or other causes will adversely affect the score of the exhibit.
- The Point System used for special prizes is as follows: 1st - 6, 2nd - 5, 3rd - 4
- Include the **name and variety** of vegetable on entry tag whenever possible.
- All Prize Money & Special Prizes must be picked up by 9:00 pm on Saturday at the Main Office**

Section H1 – POTATOES

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1- 4</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
	<i>Class 5</i>	1 st \$15.00	2 nd \$12.00	3 rd \$10.00

Class:

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| 1. Potatoes, any white variety, 12 tubers | 4. Potatoes, any other variety, 12 tubers |
| 2. Potatoes, any blue variety, 12 tubers | 5. Best Display of Potatoes, 5 each of four varieties, suitably displayed |
| 3. Potatoes, any red variety, 12 tubers | |

Section H2 - GARDEN VEGETABLES

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>H2 – A to L</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Section H2-A – Beans and Peas

Stems - 1 cm and the calyx attached

Class:

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| 1. Beans, bush, yellow pods, 12 specimens | 6. Peas, short pod, 12 specimens |
| 2. Beans, pole, yellow pods, 12 specimens | 7. Peas, long pod, 12 specimens |
| 3. Beans, bush, green pods, 12 specimens | 8. Peas, snow, 12 specimens |
| 4. Beans, burgundy, 12 specimens | |
| 5. Beans, pole, green pods, 12 specimens | |

Section H2 - B – Beets and Carrots

Stem - 2.5 cm, small hair roots removed, main root left

Class:

1. Beets, dark, round, 5 roots
2. Beets, long (cylindrical), 5 roots
3. Carrots, long, 5 roots, over 6 inches
4. Carrots, short, 5 roots, up to & including 6 inches

Section H2 - C – Broccoli

Cut 10 - 20 cm below the flower head

Class: 1. Broccoli, 2 heads

Section H2 - D – Cabbage

Cut at soil line, leaves surrounded by 3 or 4 wrapper leaves

Class:

1. Cabbage, red, 2 heads
2. Cabbage, any variety, 2 heads

Section H2 - E – Cauliflower

Cut the stem at ground level; trim leaves evenly, so that a rim of green leaves frames white curd.

Class: 1. Cauliflower, 2 heads

Section H2 - F – Corn

Stalk trimmed to 1.5 cm; peel off 1/3 of husk and silk leaving remainder intact.

Class: 1. Corn, sweet, 5 ears

Section H2 - G – Cucumbers

Stem attached and trimmed to 1 cm, leave spines attached if applicable.

Class:

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| 3. Cucumbers, green, 3 specimens | 5. Cucumber, English, 3 specimens |
| 4. Cucumbers, pickling, 12 specimens | |

Section H2 - H – Garlic

Trim tops 2.5 to 4 cm, roots left long.

Class: 1. Garlic, 5 specimens, correctly exhibited

Section H2 - I – Lettuce, Spinach and Swiss Chard

All lettuce should be cut just below the soil line so that all leaves remain intact.

Class:

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| 1. Lettuce, Head, 2 specimens | 4. Spinach, 2 plants |
| 2. Lettuce, Leaf, 2 specimens | 5. Swiss Chard, any variety, 2 plants |
| 3. Lettuce, Romaine, 2 specimens | |

Section H2 - J – Onions

Only the dirty & jagged outer scales are to be removed from onions.
Onions should be well dried, tops trimmed to 1 cm, and roots trimmed as close as possible.

Class:

- 1. Onions, any variety, skin left on, 5 specimens
- 2. Onions, multipliers, skin left on, 12 specimens
- 3. Onions, pickling, skin left on, 12 specimens
- 4. Onions, red, skin left on, 5 specimens

Section H2 - K – Peppers & Tomatoes

Stems should be attached and trimmed to 1 cm.

Class:

- 1. Peppers, sweet, any colour, 5 specimens
- 2. Peppers, hot, any variety, 5 specimens
- 3. Tomatoes, ripe, 5 specimens
- 4. Tomatoes, green, 5 specimens
- 5. Tomatoes, Tiny Tim or Cherry, ripe, 12 specimens
- 6. Tomatoes, Tiny Tim or Cherry, green, 12 specimens

Section H2 - L – Squash

Stems attached, trimmed to 2.5 cm.

Class:

- 1. Squash, Zucchini, gourmet, not larger than 8" in length, 2 specimens
- 2. Squash, Zucchini, larger than 8" in length, 2 specimens
- 3. Squash, Vegetable Marrow, 2 specimens
- 4. Squash, any variety, 2 specimens

SECTION H2 - M - GARDEN VEGETABLES

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1 & 2</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
	<i>Class 3</i>	1 st \$15.00	2 nd \$12.00	3 rd \$10.00

Class:

- 1. Herbs, collection of five fresh edible varieties (not dried), correctly named
- 2. Any other vegetable (not listed) properly named, 4 specimens
- 3. Best Collection of 12 Garden Vegetables.

SECTION H3 - NOVELTY CLASSES

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

- 1. Oddest Shaped Vegetable, any type
- 2. Funniest Potato

Section H4 - SPECIAL PRIZES - VEGETABLES

(Prizes may be gifts, gift certificates or prize money. Donors will be acknowledged on site)

Special Prizes will be awarded for each of the following:

- 1. Most points in Section H1 - Potatoes
- 2. Most points in Section H2 - A to M - Garden Vegetables
- 3. Best entry in Beans - \$10.00 *Sponsored by George and Ruth Graham*
- 4. Best entry in Cucumbers - \$10.00 *Sponsored by Jackson Garden*

CHILDREN'S CLASSES - VEGETABLES (FOR CHILDREN 12 YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER)

The Same Rules and Regulations Apply for the Children's Classes as for the Adult Classes

Sponsored by The Stewiacke Valley Garden Club

Section H5 – POTATOES (CHILDREN'S)

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00	4 th \$2.00	5 th \$1.00
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Class:

- 1. Potatoes, any variety, 6 tubers

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Section H6 - GARDEN VEGETABLES (CHILDREN'S)

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Section H6-A – Beans and Peas

Stems - 1 cm and the calyx attached

Class:

1. Beans, yellow, 6 pods
2. Beans, bush, green, 6 pods
3. Peas, 6 pods

Section H6 - B – Beets and Carrots

Stem - 2.5 cm, small hair roots removed, main root left

Class:

1. Beets, 3 roots
2. Carrots, 3 roots

Section H6 - C – Cucumbers

Stem attached and trimmed to 1 cm, leave spines attached if applicable.

Class:

1. Cucumbers, green, 3 specimens

Section H6 - D – Lettuce

All lettuce should be cut just below the soil line so that all leaves remain intact.

Class:

1. Lettuce, 2 plants

Section H6 - E – Tomatoes

Stems should be attached and trimmed to 1 cm.

Class:

1. Tomatoes, 3 green or 3 ripe

SECTION H7 - NOVELTY CLASSES (CHILDREN'S)

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00	4 th \$2.00	5 th \$1.00
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Class:

1. Any other vegetable (not listed) properly named, 2 specimens
2. Oddest shaped vegetable, any type

Section H8 - SPECIAL PRIZES (CHILDREN'S) – VEGETABLES

(Prizes may be gifts, gift certificates or prize money. Donors will be acknowledged on site)

Special Prizes will be awarded for each of the following:

1. Most points in Total (Section H6 – A-E) - \$10.00 *Sponsored by Alvin & Elizabeth Lemmon*
2. Best entry in Beans - \$10.00 *Sponsored by George and Ruth Graham*
3. Best entry in Cucumbers - \$10.00 *Sponsored by Jackson Gardens*

PLANTS & FLOWERS

RULES & REGULATIONS

In addition to the General Rules & Regulations:

1. Entry forms should be submitted to the Exhibition Office by **August 1st** for tags to be made up. Entries will be accepted after this date, however tags will be the responsibility of the Exhibitor to complete. **Entries close Tuesday, the day prior to the Exhibition.**
2. All entries must be in by 9:00 pm on Tuesday. Exhibits will be accepted between the hours of 1:00 pm to 9:00 pm Tuesday. **No entries accepted after 9:00 pm.**
3. **No more than two exhibits per class** will be accepted from any one exhibitor. Containers for cut flowers will be provided by the Exhibition.
4. Floral exhibits may be removed after 9:00 pm the last night of the Exhibition or between 10:00 am and 12 pm the next day.
5. Any plant offered for entry, suitable for more than one category, will be placed where desired by the exhibitor, provided the plant is eligible for that class.
6. There is no entry fee for Plant and Flower exhibits.

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7. Prizes will be awarded at all times at the Judges discretion and if the judge deems that an award is not warranted, no award will be given.
8. The Point System used for special prizes is as follows: **1st - 6, 2nd - 5, 3rd - 4**
9. **All Prize Money & Special Prizes must be picked up by 9:00 pm on Saturday at the Main Office**

Section J1 - POTTED PLANTS

***NOTE:** A hanging plant is one that trails naturally or has been assisted to assume a trailing form, which hangs down from its container at the time of Exhibition. **Example:** Ivies, Fuchsias, Spiders, etc. (Containers should only consist of **ONE** species).

Prize Money:	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. African Violet, single crown, single bloom
2. African Violet, single crown, double bloom
3. African Violet, miniature
4. African Violet, multi-crown
5. Begonia, tuberous
6. Rex Begonia
7. Coleus
8. Flowering Maple
9. Geranium, blooming
10. Hanging plant with blooms*
11. Hanging plant without blooms*
12. Fern, any variety correctly named
13. Collection of three potted plants
14. Collection of three cacti, any type
15. Orchid
16. Any plant, correctly named, not listed above

Section J2 - CUT FLOWERS

All flowers must have some foliage.

Prize Money:	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ageratum, 3 stalks 2. Asters, 3 blooms 3. Bachelor Buttons, 5 blooms 4. Calendula, 3 blooms 5. Cosmos, 3 blooms 6. Larkspur, 3 spikes 7. Lavatera, 2 spikes 8. Marigold, tall, 3 blooms 9. Marigold, dwarf, 3 blooms 10. Nasturtiums, single, 5 blooms 11. Nasturtiums, double, 5 blooms 12. Petunia, single, 3 blooms 13. Petunia, double, 3 blooms | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 14. Phlox, annual, 3 sprays 15. Roses, polyantha or floribunda clusters, 1 spray 16. Roses, climbing, 1 spray 17. Roses, bush or hardy, 1 spray 18. Rose in a bowl 19. Sweet Peas, mixed, 5 stalks 20. Salvia, 3 stalks 21. Snapdragon, 3 stalks 22. Zinnias, pompon, 3 blooms 23. Zinnias, large, 3 blooms 24. Collection of 6 different annuals 25. Any other annual, correctly named, 3 blooms |
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Section J3 – Cut Flowers – Dahlias

Please ensure proper Section is shown on entry form. All Dahlias must have some foliage and no buds.

Prize Money:	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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The Dahlia Show Judging will follow the American Dahlia Society (ADS) classification rules.

AA over 10 inches in diameter 001-095
 B over 6 inches to 8 inches in diameter 201-295
 M over 2 inches to 4 inches in diameter 401-495

A over 8 inches to 10 inches in diameter 101-195
 BB over 4 inches to 6 inches in diameter 301-395

Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dahlia, Decorative, AA, 1 bloom 2. Dahlia, Decorative, A, 1 bloom | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Dahlia, Decorative, B, 1 bloom 4. Dahlia, Decorative, BB, 1 bloom |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Dahlia, Decorative, M, 1 bloom 6. Dahlia, Cactus, AA, 1 bloom 7. Dahlia, Cactus, A, 1 bloom 8. Dahlia, Cactus, B, 1 bloom 9. Dahlia, Cactus, BB, 1 bloom 10. Dahlia, Cactus, M, 1 bloom 11. Dahlia, Semi-cactus, AA, 1 bloom 12. Dahlia, Semi-cactus, A, 1 bloom 13. Dahlia, Semi-cactus, B, 1 bloom 14. Dahlia, Semi-cactus, BB, 1 bloom 15. Dahlia, Semi-cactus, M, 1 bloom 16. Dahlia, Lacinated, AA, 1 bloom 17. Dahlia, Lacinated, A, 1 bloom 18. Dahlia, Lacinated, B, 1 bloom 19. Dahlia, Lacinated, BB, 1 bloom 20. Dahlia, Lacinated, M, 1 bloom 21. Dahlia, Ball, over 3.5 inches, 1 bloom 22. Dahlia, Miniature Ball, under 3.5 inches, 1 bloom | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 23. Dahlia, Mignon, 3 blooms 24. Dahlia, Collarette, 1 bloom 25. Dahlia, Orchid, 1 bloom 26. Pompom Dahlia, 1 bloom 27. Waterlily Dahlia, 1 bloom 28. Dahlia, Any other kind, 1 bloom 29. Basket of Dahlias, Decorative 30. Basket of Dahlias, Cactus 31. Basket of Dahlias, Semi-cactus 32. Basket of Dahlias, Waterlily 33. Basket of Dahlias, Balls 34. Basket of Dahlias, Mini-balls 35. Basket of Dahlias, Pompon 36. Basket of Dahlias, Any other type 37. Largest Dahlia, Width x depth, not judged on quality 38. Novice Growers Class, Any kind, any size, 1 bloom 39. Seedling Class, 1 bloom 40. ADS Seedling, 3 blooms |
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Section J4 - CUT FLOWERS – GLADIOLI

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. White, 1 spike 2. Yellow, 1 spike 3. Orange, 1 spike 4. Salmon, 1 spike 5. Light Red, 1 spike 6. Dark Red, 1 spike 7. Light Pink, 1 spike 8. Deep Pink, 1 spike 9. Purple, 1 spike 10. Smokey, 1 spike 11. Blue, 1 spike 12. Green, 1 spike | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 13. Light Lavender, 1 spike 14. Deep Lavender, 1 spike 15. White, 3 spikes 16. Yellow, 3 spikes 17. Orange, 3 spikes 18. Salmon, 3 spikes 19. Light Red, 3 spikes 20. Dark Red, 3 spikes 21. Light Pink, 3 spikes 22. Deep Pink, 3 spikes 23. Purple, 3 spikes 24. Smokey, 3 spikes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 25. Blue, 3 spikes 26. Green, 3 spikes 27. Light Lavender, 2 spikes 28. Deep Lavender, 3 spikes 29. Red Miniature, 1 spike 30. White Miniature, 1 spike 31. Pink Miniature, 1 spike 32. Yellow Miniature, 1 spike 33. Miniature, any colour 34. 5 Glads – vase supplied 35. Basket of 12 Glads |
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Section J5 – PERENNIALS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Aconitum (monks hood), 3 flowering stalks 2. Chrysanthemum, 3 sprays 3. Echinacea (cone flower), 3 blooms 4. Foxglove (biennial), 3 flowering stalk 5. Golden Glow, 3 flowering stalks 6. Shasta Daisy, 3 blooms 7. Hydrangea, 2 flowering stalks 8. Hybrid lily (Asiatic), 1 flowering stalk 9. Hybrid lily (Oriental), 1 flowering stalk 10. Hybrid lily (Turk's Cap), 1 flowering stalk 11. Hybrid lily (Trumpet), 1 flowering stalk | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12. Pansies, 5 blooms 13. Phlox, 3 stalks 14. Rudbeckia (Gloriosa Daisy, Brown Eyed Susan), 3 blooms 15. Sweet William (biennial), 3 flowering stalks 16. Tiger Lily, 1 flowering stalk with at least 5 blooms 17. Liatris, Purple, 3 flowering stalks 18. Liatris, White, 3 flowering stalks 19. Any other perennial, correctly named, (not listed above), 3 stalks |
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Section J6 - ARRANGEMENTS & COMPOSITIONS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

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1. Beauty without bloom, shades of green, using foliage only
2. An arrangement in a low container suitable for a small table
3. Dining room table arrangement
4. Hall Highlights, a one-sided arrangement suitable for a hall table
5. Happy Birthday, featuring one or more candles
6. Miniature arrangement, not over 3 inches high or wide
7. Summer's Dream, arrangement using all white flowers
8. Bumble Bee's Delight, a low arrangement of pink flowers suitable for a small table
9. Oriental arrangement, with accessories if desired
10. Most original arrangement
11. Cup and Saucer arrangement
12. An arrangement to feature one rose or a cluster of roses on one stem, combined with a few other flowers and/or foliage if desired, in a small suitable container.
13. Modern arrangement featuring one or more garden lily blooms, if desired other flowers and foliage may be used. (NO day lilies to be used)
14. Dried flower arrangement, with dried grasses and leaves if desired. Only un-dyed, natural materials to be used.
15. Christmas Table arrangement, using natural materials. With accessories if desired, suitable for Christmas banquet.
16. Sea Shore Treasurers – using flowers and marine items.

Section J7 - CHILDREN'S CATEGORY,*OPEN TO CHILDREN, 12 YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER**Sponsored by Valley Weeders Garden Club*

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00	4 th \$2.00
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Class:

1. Illustrated Nursery Rhyme, using flowers, any kind. Give title of rhyme. Drawings may be used.
2. Small arrangement, suitable for a doll's house. Container may be a small bottle, bottle top, small tin, etc. Flowers may be of any kind. Arrangement not more than three inches overall.
3. "An Imaginary Garden" to be displayed in a low box, at least 30 cm by 46 cm. Flowers used must be either wild or garden types. Judged on imagination and artistic layout.
4. Children's Choice: a bouquet of flowers, any kind in any type of container, **up to and including 7 years of age.**
5. Children's Choice: a bouquet of flowers, any kind in any type of container, **8 to 12 years of age.**
6. An arrangement suitable for Birthday Party, your choice of container. Accessories allowed, **8 to 12 years of age.**

Section J8 - EXHIBITION ARRANGEMENTS*CHILDREN UP TO 14 YEARS OF AGE**Sponsored by Valley Weeders Garden Club*Arrangements are created **at the Exhibition Grounds** on Tuesday the same week of the Exhibition.**Time: 1:00 - 7:00 pm Containers, materials and flowers will be provided.**

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00	4 th \$2.00
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Class:

1. Open to children, up to and including 8 years of age.
2. Open to children, age 9 – 14 inclusive.

Section J9 - EXHIBITION ARRANGEMENTS*Youths 13 – 18 Years of Age**Sponsored by Valley Weeders Garden Club*

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00	4 th \$2.00
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Class:

1. Simplicity: An arrangement featuring one flower.
2. Arrangement for a party.
3. Music Theme: To be displayed in a low box no larger than 46 cm x 62 cm. Flowers used must be wild or garden types. Judged on imagination and artistic layout. *Music title must accompany display.*
4. Sea Adventures: Using flowers and marine items. To be displayed in a container of your own choice.

Section J10 - SPECIAL PRIZES - Plants & Flowers

(Prizes may be gifts, gift certificates or prize money. Donors will be acknowledged on site)

1. Most Points in Section J1 – Potted Plants
2. Most Outstanding Potted Plant exhibited in Section J1

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Best Hanging Plant, Section J1, Class 10 & 11 4. Most Points in Section J2 – Cut Flowers 5. Most Points in Section J5 – Perennials 6. Most Points in Section J6 – Arrangements & Compositions 7. Most Outstanding Arrangement – Section J6 8. Best Rose Entry in Show 9. Best Dahlia Entry 10. Best Basket of Dahlias 11. Best Decorative Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 12. Largest Dahlia 13. Best Cactus Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 14. Best Semi-Cactus Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 15. Best Ball Dahlia – Excluding Basket 16. Best Mini-Ball Dahlia – Excluding Basket 17. Best Pompon Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 18. Best Waterlily Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 19. Best Mignon Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 20. Best Collarette Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 21. Best Orchid Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 22. Best Lacinated Dahlia Entry – Excluding Basket 23. Best Dahlia, any other type – Excluding Basket 24. Best Dahlia, Novice Grower – Excluding Basket 25. Best Seedling - Dahlia 26. Most Points in Dahlias 27. Best Basket – Decorative Dahlia 28. Best Basket – Cactus Dahlia 29. Best Basket – Semi-Cactus Dahlia 30. Best Basket – Waterlily Dahlia 31. Best Basket – Ball Dahlia 32. Best Basket – Mini-ball Dahlia 33. Best Basket – Pompon Dahlia 34. Best Basket, Any other Dahlia type 35. Most points in Gladioli Section 36. Best Gladioli Entry, 1 spike 37. Best Gladioli Entry, 3 spikes |
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CHRISTMAS TREES & WREATHS**RULES & REGULATIONS***In addition to the General Rules & Regulations:*

1. Christmas trees grown anywhere in Nova Scotia may be entered for competition as long as they are of the Balsam or pine variety.
2. Exhibitors may enter in as many classes of each section as they wish but no exhibitor shall make more than one entry in a single class of the section either in his own name, the name of a company, a farm name or that of someone other than the person.
3. There is no entry fee for Christmas Trees and Wreaths.
4. No trees may be exhibited with limbs or foliage added that did not grow naturally in place.
5. No trees may be exhibited that have been sprayed with or have artificial colour or chemicals added in any manner. Exception to this rule is fertilizer.
6. Trees exhibited will remain the property of the exhibitor and may be picked up after 9:00 pm on the last day. Trees not removed by 10:00 am on the following Monday will become the property of the Exhibition and will be disposed of by it.
7. Trees & wreaths must be delivered to the grounds **BETWEEN 4:00 pm and 8:00 pm Tuesday, August 17th** the day prior to the start of the show or they will not be eligible. Fastening them to wires will support trees.
8. Superintendent of the show is the Department of Natural Resources. Judging will commence the first morning of the show. No prizes will be awarded in any section or class unless the exhibits are worthy. The judges reserve the right to eliminate any unqualified trees. Judges decisions are final.
9. Entries must have an entry tag attached showing the name and address of the exhibitor and the class number and section in which the tree is exhibited. All entries are to be treated on a first come/first serve basis.
10. Trees to be exhibited shall be within the following sections with all height measurements being made from the end of the butt to the top of the tip, with standard butt. The length of the butt should not exceed 12 inches. The Exhibition Management Committee reserves the right to place any tree in the proper class or section if it is incorrectly entered.
11. **All Prize Money & Special Prizes must be picked up by 9:00 pm on Saturday at the Main Office.**

Prize Money: L1 – L3	1 st \$22.00	2 nd \$15.00	3 rd \$13.00	4 th \$11.00	5 th \$9.00
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Section L1 - BALSAM FIR (SHEARED SINGLE TREES)

A sheared tree must be initially sheared at least two growing seasons before it can be entered for competition. Further shearing is allowed up to date of entry.

Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Trees from 3ft. 7 ins. to 6ft. 0" in height. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Trees from 6ft. 1" To 9ft. 0" in height. |
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Section L2 - BALSAM FIR (UNSHEARED SINGLE TREES)**Class:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Trees from 3ft. 7ins. To 6ft. 0" in height. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Trees from 6ft. 1" To 9ft. 0" in height. |
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Section L3 - PINE (SHEARED SINGLE TREES)

A sheared tree must be initially sheared at least two growing seasons before it can be entered for competition. Further shearing is allowed up to date of entry.

This class is open to White Pine, Scotch Pine and Red Pine.

Class:

1. Trees from 5ft. 6" to 8ft. 0" in height.

Section L4 - WREATHS

Any decorated or undecorated balsam fir wreath. Maximum ring size is 14 inches. All wreaths must be double-sided, with greenery on both sides.

Class:

1. Decorated Wreath	<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$25.00	2 nd \$20.00	3 rd \$15.00	4 th \$10.00
2. Undecorated Wreath	<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$17.00	2 nd \$15.00	3 rd \$13.00	4 th \$9.00

HAND CRAFTS & HOME CRAFTS

RULES & REGULATIONS

In addition to the General Rules & Regulations:

1. Entries: To enter your articles for judging, please fill out the appropriate entry form, located at the back of the prize book. Upon completion, this form should be mailed to the Exhibition Office by **August 1st**. Entry forms received later than the above date will be accepted, however completion of the entry tags will be the responsibility of the exhibitor, due to time constraints.
2. There is no entry fee for the Hand and Home Crafts Competitions.
3. All articles for judging must be delivered to the Crafts Superintendent/Volunteers at the Craft Building **between 3 pm and 9 pm on Monday August 16th** - prior to the Exhibition opening. **Someone must accompany all entries to the Craft Building and have the entry form and tag information properly completed.**
4. Judging takes place on Tuesday. The building will be opened for viewing on Wednesday.
5. Articles entered must be the bona fide work of the Exhibitor.
6. Any articles deemed to be soiled or defaced would be removed before judging. Said articles may be obtained at the Main Office by Wednesday (opening day) at 9 pm. Should the article not be claimed it would be disposed of.
7. Any article previously shown at the Halifax County Exhibition is not eligible for competition.
8. Sales of your exhibited article are supported and encouraged. However, under no circumstances will the Craft Superintendent/Volunteers be responsible for the gathering of monies, delivery or any other activities involved with the sale of the article. The Volunteers must be advised of your interest to sell the article(s) during the delivery of your exhibits for judging. A "for sale inquire within" sign will be affixed to the article after judging.
9. Judges will not award a prize to any section in which the work is considered "below standard".
10. Exhibitors are requested to read the Prize List carefully as entries not conforming to the listed stipulation(s) will not be judged.
11. The Point System used for special prizes is: 1st - 4 pts, 2nd - 3 pts, 3rd - 2 pts, 4th - 1 pt.
12. **Exhibits must not be removed prior to 9 pm on Saturday**, the last day of the show. Articles should be picked up by the Exhibitor between the hours of **9 pm and 10 pm, Saturday evening**. Should it not be possible for the Exhibitor to pick up their own articles, please notify the Craft Superintendent as to who will pick up your entries. The Halifax County Exhibition will not be responsible for the articles not retrieved between the hours of 9 pm & 10 pm Saturday. The Exhibition Management Committee will dispose of all items not retrieved.
13. **All Prize Money & Special Prizes must be picked up by 9:00 pm on Saturday at the Main Office.**
14. Articles entered in the Sections M1 to M6 must be visible on the reverse side for judging. Failure to do so will deem the article ineligible for judging.
15. Exhibitors are encouraged to keep all their exhibits on display.
16. The Management will take reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of articles entered yet it must be understood that the owners themselves must assume all risk. Should any article be accidentally injured, lost or stolen, while the Management will give all assistance in its power towards the recovery of the same, it will not make any payment for the value thereof.
17. Only one exhibit in any one class will be accepted from any one exhibitor.
18. Work must have been completed within the past year. For example: August 2009 - August 2010.

HAND CRAFTS

A plaque will be presented to the person who accumulates the most points in Hand Crafts (Sections M1 – M6). **Donated by John & Gwen Dillman & Family in Memory of Emma Gladwin**, a long time resident of the Musquodoboit Valley who exhibited in Hand Crafts for most of her life.

Section M1- BEDSPREADS, QUILTS, RUGS & TABLECLOTHS

Prize Money:

<i>Classes 1-13</i>	1 st \$12.00	2 nd \$10.00	3 rd \$8.00
<i>Classes 14 -22</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00

Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bedspread, knitted, 48" wide or larger 2. Bedspread, crocheted, 48" wide or larger 3. Quilt, appliqué design, 48" wide or larger 4. Quilt, patchwork, 48" wide or larger 5. Quilt, embroidery, 48" wide or larger 6. Quilt, done by a group, 48" wide or larger 7. Crib Quilt, any work 8. Hand Quilting, any work 9. Machine Quilting, any work 10. Afghan, Crocheted 11. Afghan, Knitted 12. Tablecloth, All Crocheted, at least 36" square or round | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 13. Tablecloth, Embroidered, at least 40" 14. Mat, any type, Square, Round or Oval 15. Braided Mat, 36" or wider 16. Hooked Mat, Pictorial, at least 20", Wool 17. Hooked Mat, Geometric, at least 20", Wool 18. Hooked Mat, Floral Design, at least 20" Wool 19. Hooked Mat, Traditional, at least 20" Wool, Nylon, Fleece or Cotton, New or Recycled ** see Special below 20. Hooked Christmas Tree Ornament 21. Hooked Wall Hanging of any type 22. Any other Hooked Article (no latch hook) |
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**** Special Prize:** "Best Maritime Mat" 1st Prize: \$50.00 gift certificate and ribbon. **CLASS 19 ONLY**

Sponsored by The Rug Hooking Guild

The winning mat would then be judged at the Provincial Nova Scotia Exhibition in Truro (**August 5th – 29th**). The "Best Maritime Mat" chosen at that time will receive a gift certificate for 1st \$100.00, 2nd \$50.00 and 3rd \$25.00 and button ribbons.

Section M2 - KNITTING

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Baby Set (Jacket & Bonnet only) 2. Child's Dress, 6 months to 3 years 3. Lace, not less than 15" by ½" 4. Hat or Cap any Size 5. Mitts, Double any size 6. Mitts, Knit Plain | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Mitts, Knit Fancy 8. Sweater or Cardigan, any style 9. Slippers, Knitted, any size, any style 10. Socks, any style 11. Any Knitted Item, not listed |
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Section M3 - CROCHETING & TATTING

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Baby Set, Jacket and Bonnet only 2. Crocheted edging, not less than 36" x ½" to 1" wide 3. Tea Towels, crocheted edge only (2) 4. Tablecloth, minimum 36" square 5. Doilies set of three, matching patterns, assorted sizes 6. Pillowcase, Crocheted edge only | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Crocheted Centrepiece 3" to 12" wide 8. Tatted Edging, not less than 36" x ½" to 1" wide 9. Tea Towels, Tatted edge only (2) 10. Pillowcase, Tatted edge only 11. Tatted Doily, any size 12. Any Tatted item, not listed 13. Any Crocheted item, not listed |
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Section M4 - EMBROIDERY & NEEDLEWORK

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Embroidered Luncheon Cloth, maximum 40" x 40" 2. Pillowcases, Embroidered, any colour (2) 3. Bureau Scarf or Runner, minimum 15" x 36" 4. Picture or Panel, Embroidered, at least 7" x 9" 5. Cross Stitch, any article 6. Needlepoint, any article | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Bunka, any article 8. Weaving, any material 9. Counted Cross Stitch, any article 10. Smocking, any article |
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Section M5 - SEWING

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Child's Dress 2. Child's Outfit, 2 pieces 3. Sleepwear | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Ladies Dress or Skirt, casual 5. Jacket 6. Action or sports garment, using a Serger, with a minimum |
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- of 5 seams
- 7. Girl's or Lady's Formal Gown (Prom or Bridesmaid's dress)
- 8. Set of 4 Placemats, with or without coasters
- 9. Table Cloth
- 10. Curtains

- 11. Cushion Cover
- 12. Christmas Tree Skirt
- 13. Recycled Item
- 14. Any sewing item, not listed

Section M6 - OVER 70*Prize Money:*

<i>Classes 1-3</i>	1 st \$12.00	2 nd \$10.00	3 rd \$8.00
<i>Classes 4-17</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00

Class:

- 1. Afghan, any style
- 2. Quilt, Patchwork or Appliqué
- 3. Rug, Hooked, Yarn or Rags
- 4. Crocheted work, any article
- 5. Embroidered work, any article
- 6. Cross Stitch, any item
- 7. Any Tatted item
- 8. Any Hooked article
- 9. Mitts, Hand Knit
- 10. Socks, Hand Knit
- 11. Sweater, Hand Knit
- 12. Any other Knitted item
- 13. Smocking, any item
- 14. Cushion Cover, cover only
- 15. Fabric Painting, any article
- 16. Tole Painting, any article
- 17. Any Handmade Card or Scrapbooked item

Section M7 - SCRAPBOOKING

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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- 1. Each entry must be a one or two page layout.
- 2. Each page must be an 8 1/2"x11" or a 12"x12" layout.
- 3. No digitally created scrapbook pages allowed.
- 4. Open to age 16 and over.

Class:

- 1. Birthday
- 2. Seasons
- 3. Any homemade Mini Album, no larger than 9" x 9"
- 4. Beach or Pool
- 5. Mosaic
- 6. Family
- 7. Sports or other hobby
- 8. Any Altered Item, (paint can, recipe box, clipboard, notebook, etc.)
- 9. Nature
- 10. Any Holiday
- 11. Colour Blocking
- 12. Children
- 13. Any other scrapbook page

Section M8 - DECORATIVE PAINTING

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

- 1. Decorative Painting on any item other than glass
- 2. Tole Painting on wood, metal or stone
- 3. Stenciled Article
- 4. Fabric Painting

Section M9 – CERAMICS, POTTERY & GLASS

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

- 1. Pottery, hand built or thrown on wheel, any item
- 2. Stained Glass, any item
- 3. Ceramics, any item
- 4. Decorative Painting on glass

Section M10 - WOODWORKING - OPEN TO AGES 16 & OVER

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. Furniture
2. Carved Work
3. Toy
4. Any other Woodwork not Listed

Section M11 - OTHER CRAFTS - OPEN TO AGES 16 & OVER

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. Handmade Paper Gift Cards - 2 items
2. Gift Tags, Handmade, any theme – 6 items
3. Recycled Article
4. Christmas Tree Ornaments (not more than 4.5") – 3 items
5. Theme Decoration (i.e. Halloween, Thanksgiving or Christmas)
6. Any Rubber-stamped Item, other than card or gift item

Section M12 - DOMESTIC ARTS - 8 YEARS & UNDER

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. Item made from Recycled Material
2. Painting, any type
3. Item made from Clay or Play Dough
4. Lego Display
5. Colored Drawing, any medium
6. Handmade Greeting Card, any medium
7. Handmade Christmas Tree ornament
8. Beadwork
9. Any other craft, not listed

Section M13 - DOMESTIC ARTS - 9 TO 15 YEARS OF AGE

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. Item made from Recycled Materials
2. Sewing, any article
3. Woodworking, any article
4. Lego Display
5. Decorative Painting, any article
6. Any hooked Article, mat or other
7. Any Scrapbook layout, 1 or 2 pages
8. Handmade Greeting Card, any medium
9. Handmade Christmas Tree ornament
10. Any Knitted or Crocheted item
11. Creative Writing: A letter to someone special explains how he or she has influenced the life of the writer. OR A Journal of your garden, (Handwritten, 1 Page). Judging will be on penmanship and content.

Section M14 - SCARECROW & GARDEN PEOPLE COMPETITION

Open to Groups & Organizations, Families and Individuals

1. Minimum height 4'; Maximum 7'.
2. Must be free standing (with or without a base to support it).

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$10.00	2 nd \$8.00	3 rd \$6.00
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Class:

1. Scarecrows
2. Garden People
3. Any other Handmade Garden Decoration.

Section M15 - OUTSIDE DISPLAY

Outside Display - Open to Individuals or Groups

Sponsored by J R Fisher Consulting Services

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$20.00	2 nd \$15.00	3 rd \$10.00
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Class:

1. Displays will be placed throughout the Exhibition Grounds. If you have a preference of location, please notify the office early. Use your imagination to create a display that will enhance the Exhibition. Use a variety of items that will sustain the weather. Judging will be based on originality, suitability for the event or community with consideration of this year's theme "**A New Beginning**". Display must be set up on Monday of the Exhibition between 2-8pm.

PAINTING

Rules

1. All paintings must be the original work of the exhibitor for the current year.
2. All paintings require proper hangers and equipped to be hung safely.
3. All articles in **Class M18** must be properly framed.
4. Paint by number kits, copies or tracings will be disqualified.

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Section M15 - ELEMENTARY CLASS (ages 8 to 11)

Class:

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Landscape or Pictorial, any medium | 4. Cartoon, any medium |
| 2. Animal or Bird, any medium | 5. Pen, Pencil, Pastel or Charcoal Drawing, any subject |
| 3. Person or Portrait, any medium. | |

Section M16 - JUNIOR CLASS (ages 12 to 14)

Class:

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| 1. Landscape or Pictorial, any medium | 3. Person or Portrait, any medium |
| 2. Animal or Bird, any medium | 4. Pen, Pencil, Pastel or Charcoal Drawing, any subject |
| 5. Cartoon, any medium | |

Section M17 - INTERMEDIATE CLASS (ages 15 to 17)

Class:

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Landscape or Pictorial, any medium | 3. Person or Portrait, any medium |
| 2. Animal or Bird, any medium | 4. Pen, Pencil, Pastel or Charcoal Drawing, any subject |
| 5. Cartoon, any medium | |

Section M18 - OPEN CLASS (ages 18 & over)

Note: All articles must be properly framed.

Class:

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Landscape or Pictorial, any medium | 4. Still life, any medium |
| 2. Animal or Bird, any medium | 5. Pen, pencil, pastel or charcoal drawing, any subject |
| 3. Person or Portrait, any medium | 6. Cartoon, any medium |

PHOTOGRAPHY

Please note changes in Photography Section

Rules

1. Photographers may submit no more than two items per class.
2. **Actual print size must be a minimum 5" x 7" and not exceeding 8" x 10". All work must be suitable matted and/or framed for display purposes.**
3. **All exhibits must be able to be hung on the wall.**
4. Original exposure must be work of an amateur and exhibitors must enter their own work.
5. If possible, technical information (ex. shutter speed) along with the title of the photograph (if any), date photograph was taken, etc., should accompany entry.
6. All photography is judged on composition, subject matter and technique.
7. Photographs cannot be digitally enhanced, or altered in any way, or be the product of any special technique or program. Any such photos can, however, be entered in **Section M19, Class 8 or M20, Class 9.**

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Section M19 - COLOUR, JUNIOR

(Up to and including 15 years of age)

Class:

1. Flowers
2. Pictorial (scenes)
3. Animal
4. People
5. Humorous
6. Birds
7. Any other subject, not listed
8. **Digitally altered photograph (Created with or altered by digital special effects or photo software of any kind).**

Section M20 - COLOUR, OPEN

(16 years & over)

Class:

1. Flowers
2. Landscape
3. Seascape or water scene
4. Animal
5. People
6. Humorous
7. Birds
8. Any other subject, not listed
9. **Digitally altered photograph (Created with or altered by digital special effects or photo software of any kind)**

Section M21- BLACK AND WHITE, JUNIOR

(Up to and including 15 years of age)

Class:

1. Flowers
2. Pictorial (scenes)
3. Animal
4. People
5. Humorous
6. Birds
7. Any other subject, not listed

Section M22 - BLACK AND WHITE, OPEN

(16 years & over)

Class:

1. Flowers
2. Landscape
3. Seascape or Water scene
4. Animal
5. People
6. Humorous
7. Birds
8. Any other subject, not listed

HOME CRAFTS- BAKING SECTION

BRAND NAME SPECIAL PRIZES - Home Baking Specials **

Rules:

1. All exhibitors who wish to enter the special prize classes must submit entries that were made using the sponsor's product.
2. A product label must accompany each entry, as proof of purchase.
3. For the Bernardin special prize classes, the use of a Bernardin Mason Jar/Snap lid must accompany each entry as proof of purchase.
4. All entries will be judged on appearance, taste, texture, creativity of recipe and presentation.
5. Decision of the judge(s) will be final.
6. Winners' name and address must be submitted with each entry.
7. Winners must submit recipe and proof of purchase.
8. A photograph of the winning exhibitor(s) must be taken by an Exhibition staff member, also a release form giving permission to the sponsor for use of the winner's name, recipe and/or photograph in any other advertising or publicity without payment must be signed by the winning exhibitor.
9. All gift and product coupons will be awarded on site. **All prizes must be picked up by Saturday night 9:00 pm at the Main Office.**

We encourage all exhibitors to be as creative with your recipes as possible. Good luck with the **Special Brand Name Classes** and check out the Sponsors' websites for tips and recipes. **HAVE FUN!**

Due to the increased cost of baked goods, pie exhibits will be limited to 1 piece of pie, at least 4" wide at the edge, to be cut by the judge. The remaining pie can be taken home after judging.

**HALIFAX COUNTY EXHIBITION
SECTION N1 - HOME BAKING**

AUGUST 18 - 21, 2010

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1 – 21</i>	1 st 5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 22– Crisco</i>	1 st \$25.00 product certificate	2 nd \$10.00 product certificate	

Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Shortbread cookies (3) 2. White sugar cookies (3) 3. Gingersnaps (3) 4. Drop cookies (3) 5. Oat cakes (3) 6. Squares, any kind (3) 7. Home Made Candy, 3 kinds, 2 of each 8. Tea Biscuits (3) 9. Bran Muffins (3) 10. Quick Bread, loaf, any kind (1/2 loaf) 11. Coffee Cake (1/2 cake) | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 12. Gingerbread (1/2 cake) 13. Plain White Cake, not iced, not a mix (1/2) 14. Chocolate Cake, not iced, not a mix (1/2) 15. Chocolate Cake, iced, not a mix (1/2) 16. Best Decorated Cake, with homemade decorations 17. Best Decorated Cake, with bought decorations 18. Best Decorated Cake, using a cake form 19. Light Fruit Cake, not iced, (1/2 cake) 20. Dark Fruit Cake, not iced, (1/2 cake) 21. Pie, any other type, 8" or 9", single crust 22. Fruit Pie, any type, 8" or 9", double or single crust made with Crisco** - see details below |
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****Special Brand Name Class:** Crisco Family Favorite Recipe Baking Contest
Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best homemade pie in *N1 class 22* using *Crisco*. Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture, and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase and recipe must accompany entry. *Class 22 Only*.

**SECTION N2 – NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCTS - EVERYTHING CRANBERRY – Using Fresh or Frozen Nova Scotia Cranberries
Sponsored by Sunberry Cranberry Producers Inc**

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1 – 6</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00
	<i>Class 7</i>	1 st \$10.00	2 nd \$8.00	3 rd \$6.00
	<i>Classes 8-9</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00

Class:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cranberry Scones (3) 2. Cranberry-Banana Loaf (1/2 loaf) 3. Any Cake using Cranberries 4. Cranberry Muffins (with or without nuts or other fruits) (3) 5. Cranberry Corn Bread | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Any other baked item using Cranberries 7. Cranberry Pie 8. Cranberry Sauce 9. Cranberry Preserve (any other variety) |
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SECTION N3 – NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCTS - EVERYTHING BLUEBERRY– Using Fresh or Frozen Nova Scotia Wild Blueberries

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1 – 6</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00
	<i>Class 7 - 8</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Classes 9 – Robin Hood Flour</i>	1 st \$25.00 product certificate	2 nd \$10.00 product certificate	

Class:

1. Wild Blueberry Scones (3)
2. Wild Blueberry Muffins (3)
3. Wild Blueberry Cheesecake (2 Slices)
4. Wild Blueberry Pie Double Crust
5. Wild Blueberry Squares (3)
6. Any other baked item using Wild Blueberries
7. Wild Blueberry Jam
8. Wild Blueberry Sauce
9. Wild Blueberry Cake made with **Robin Hood Flour**
– see details below **

**** Special Brand Name Class:** Robin Hood Family Favourite Recipe Contest
Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

HALIFAX COUNTY EXHIBITION**AUGUST 18 - 21, 2010**

Best homemade cake in *N3 class 9* using *Robin Hood Flour* www.robinhood.ca Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture, and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase and recipe must accompany entry. *Class 9 Only*.

SECTION N4 – NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCTS – “USING FOOD GROWN HERE AT HOME”

Prize Money:	<i>Classes 1 – 5</i>	1 st \$7.00	2 nd \$6.00	3 rd \$5.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 6 - Tenderflake</i>	1 st Gift prize	2 nd Gift prize	3 rd Gift prize

Please Note: *Recipe cards must accompany all entries. Please print or write clearly.*

Class:

1. Any Cake made with a NS vegetable (1/2)
2. Any Square made with NS strawberries or raspberries (3)
3. Any Cookie made with NS honey (6)
4. Any Quick Bread using NS maple syrup
5. Any other baked item using a Nova Scotia Product
6. Any Pie made with NS Rhubarb and **Tenderflake – see details below ****

**** Special Brand Name Class:** Tenderflake “Best Pie Contest”

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best homemade pie in *N4 Class 6* using *Tenderflake*. Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase (**Class 6 only**) and recipe must accompany entry.

SECTION N5 – BREAD AND ROLLS

Prize Money:	<i>Classes 1 - 5</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 6 – Fleischmann’s Yeast</i>	1 st \$15.00 plus gift	2 nd \$10.00 plus gift	

Class:

1. White Bread, single loaf
2. Plain Rolls (3)
3. Brown Bread, single Loaf
4. Whole Wheat Rolls (3)
5. Cinnamon Rolls, not yeast (3)
6. Fancy Bread, White or Brown, with or without fruit, using **Fleischmann’s Yeast**, single loaf – **see details below****

**** Special Brand Name Class :** Fleischmann’s Yeast Best Bread Contest

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best bread in *N5 Class 6* using *Fleischmann’s Yeast* www.achfood.ca Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase and recipe must accompany entry. *Class 6 Only*.

SECTION N6 – HEART SMART BAKING

Prize Money:	<i>Classes 1 - 4</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 5 – Mazola or Bee Hive</i>	1 st \$15.00 plus gift	2 nd \$10.00 plus gift	

NOTE:

- a) Recipe to accompany all entries.
- b) Recipe may be an original or an adaptation of an existing recipe (Purpose of adaptations is to limit amount of fat and salt (sodium) and to increase the amount of fibre in the product.)

Class:

1. Whole Wheat Bread, single loaf
2. Cornmeal Muffins (3)
3. Bread, containing at least 3 grains, single loaf
4. Cookies, containing rolled oats (6)
5. Any other “Heart Smart” muffins (3) or cake loaf (1/2 loaf) using **Mazola or Bee Hive– see details below****

**** Special Brand Name Class:** Mazola and Bee Hive Best Baking Contest

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best homemade muffin or cake loaf in *N6 Class 5*, using **Mazola or Bee Hive** www.achfood.ca. Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase (*Class 5 only*) and recipe must accompany entry.

Section N7 – Parent and Child (for children aged 5 to 12, open to parents of all ages)

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1 - 2</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 3 – Robin Hood Flour</i>	1 st \$15.00		

Class:

1. Decorated Gingerbread Cookies (from scratch, mix or store-bought cookies. Judged on decorating only) (6)
2. Chocolate Chip Cookies (from scratch) Accompanied by a handwritten recipe on recipe card (optional) (6)
3. Any other type of Cookies, Squares or Bars made from Scratch, suitable for Snack in Lunchbox, using **Robin Hood Flour – see details below****

**** Special Brand Name Class:** Robin Hood Best Lunchbox Snack Contest

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best homemade cookies, squares or bars in *N7 class 3*, using **Robin Hood Flour** www.robinhood.ca Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase and recipe must accompany entry. **Class 3 Only.**

Section N8 – Youth Category (for youth aged 13 to 16)

<i>Prize Money:</i>	<i>Classes 1-4</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 5 – Fleischmann’s Yeast</i>	1 st 15.00		

Class:

1. Cookies, decorated (from scratch) (6)
2. Cupcakes, iced or non-iced (from scratch) Accompanied by a handwritten recipe on recipe card. (3)
3. Brownies (from scratch) (3)
4. Decorated Theme Cake (i.e.: Halloween, Birthday, etc.) A group may also submit this. Mixes are acceptable. (Judging is on appearance only)
5. Bread, White or Brown, single loaf, (from scratch) using **Fleischmann’s Yeast** www.achfood.ca – see details below**

**** Special Brand Name Class :** Fleischmann’s Yeast Best Bread “Youth” Contest

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best bread in *N8 Class 5* using **Fleischmann’s Yeast** www.achfood.ca Judging is based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. Proof of purchase and recipe must accompany entry. **Class 5 Only.**

SECTION N9 – Novelty (open to all ages)

<i>Prize Money:</i>			
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 1 - Bernardin</i>	1 st \$20.00 product certificate	
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 2 - Bernardin</i>	1 st \$20.00 Product certificate	

Class:

1. Any Gift in a Decorated Jar using **Bernardin Mason Jar** and/or 2 piece **SNAP Lid®** - see details below**
2. Gift Box or Basket (ie. Valentines, Easter, Christmas, Thanksgiving or other theme) must include two Home-Baked items, two home canned items using **Bernardin Mason Jars and SNAP Lid®** plus two suitable gift items. – see details below**

Special Brand Name Class: Bernardin Snap Lid/ Mason Jar Creative Craft Award

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best decorative or functional homemade craft in *N9 class 1* using a **Bernardin Mason Jar(s)** and/or **2-piece SNAP Lid®** www.homecanning.com A proof of purchase must accompany entry.

**** Special Brand Name Class:** Bernardin Gift Pack Competition

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best gift pack submitted in *N9 class 2* using **Bernardin Mason Jar(s) & SNAP Lid®** www.homecanning.com Judging will be based on creativity, quality of home canned products, perceived value and appropriateness of presentation. Proof of purchase must accompany entry.

SECTION N10 – PICKLES

<i>Prize Money:</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
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Class:

1. Mixed Pickles, sweet
2. Bread & Butter Pickles
3. Dill Pickles

4. Zucchini Pickles
5. Mustard Pickles
6. Pickled Beets
7. Pickled Eggs
8. Relish
9. Tomato Chow
10. Salsa

Brand Name Special Prize: Bernardin Best of Show Award – \$30.00 Gift Certificate

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Halifax County Exhibition's Best Home Canning entry submitted in a **Bernardin Mason jar and SNAP Lid** - www.homecanning.com Judging is based on the highest accumulated points or the judges' choice of *Best Home Canning* from among qualifying entries in categories **N10 classes 1-10**.

Section N11- JAMS & JELLIES

Note: Must be contained in jars, properly sealed, cooked with or without added pectin.

Prize Money:	<i>Classes 1-6, 9-11</i>	1 st \$5.00	2 nd \$4.00	3 rd \$3.00
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 7 - Certo</i>	1 st \$20.00 product coupon	2 nd \$10.00 product coupon	
Special Brand Name Class	<i>Class 8 - Bernardin</i>	1 st \$20.00 product coupon		

Class:

1. Rhubarb Jam
2. Raspberry Jam
3. Blackberry Jam
4. Peach Jam
5. Freezer Jam, any kind
6. Marmalade, any kind
7. Strawberry Jam, made with **Certo pectin – see details below****
8. Apple Jelly, made with **Bernardin pectin - see details below****
9. Grape Jelly
10. Raspberry Jelly
11. Red Pepper Jelly

****Brand Name Special Class:** Certo Best Jelly Contest - *N11 class 7*

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best Jelly in *N11 class 7* using **Certo Pectin**. Judging will be based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. A proof of purchase must accompany entry. *Class 7 Only*

**** Brand Name Special Class:** Bernardin Best Jam Contest - *N11 class 8*

Sponsored by Country Fair Baking

Best Jam in *N11 class 8* using **Bernardin Pectin – www.homecanning.com** Judging will be based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity. A proof of purchase must accompany entry. *Class 8 Only*

SPECIAL PRIZES - HOME CRAFTS & HAND CRAFTS

(Prizes will be gifts or gift certificates. Donors will be acknowledged on site)

1. Most outstanding Quilt exhibited
2. Most outstanding Afghan exhibited
3. Most outstanding Rug or Mat exhibited
4. Most outstanding Tablecloth exhibited
5. Most points in Section M2 – Knitting
6. Most points in Section M3 – Crocheting and Tatting
7. Most points in Section M4 – Embroidery and Needlework
8. Most points in Section M5 – Sewing
9. Most outstanding article in Section M6 – Over 70
10. Best exhibit in Section M7 – Scrapbooking
11. Most outstanding exhibit in Section M15 – M18 - Painting
12. Most outstanding exhibit in Section M20 – Colour Photograph
13. Most outstanding exhibit in Section M22 – Black and White Photograph
14. Best exhibit, Section M19 and M21 – Junior Photograph
15. Most points in Section N1 – Home Baking
16. Most outstanding exhibit in Section N6 – Heart Smart Baking
17. Most outstanding item in Section N8 – Youth Category

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18. Bernardin Best of Show Award – N10 – Pickles

19. Emma Gladwin Plaque - Most accumulated points in Hand Crafts Sections M1 – M6