

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 only if 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 color 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**, 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. Any monies not collected or had special arrangements made by this time will be donated back to the Halifax County Exhibition.**

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.

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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Class:

1. Trees from 3' 7" to 6' 0" in height.
2. Trees from 6' 1" to 9' 0" in height.

Section L2 - BALSAM FIR (UNSHEARED SINGLE TREES)

Class:

1. Trees from 3' 7" to 6' 0" in height.
2. Trees from 6' 1" to 9' 0" in height.

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 5' 6" to 8' 0" in height.

Section L4 - WREATHS

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

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

Class:

1. Decorated Wreath
2. Undecorated Wreath