



DIVISIONS

- 701 - Land Products**
Adult (18 & over)
- 702 - Land Products**
Teen (Ages 13 - 17)
- 703 - Land Products**
Youth (12 & under)

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Exhibit Intake - Mon. 7/31/06 - 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Tues. 8/1/06 - 8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Judging - Tues. 8/1/06 - Afternoon

Exhibit Release - Mon. 8/7/06 - 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Premiums: 1st place = \$3.00
2nd place = \$2.00
3rd place = \$1.00

** Ribbons only for Best in Class & Best in Show **

Entry Procedures & Department Rules

1. Please read all General Rules on page 14.
2. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places, as well as rosettes for Best of Class and for Best of Show in each Division.
3. Special awards are listed at the end of the department.

Entry Hints:

To help you select and prepare your entries, a good reference is the OSU Extension Service Bulletin "Selecting and Preparing Vegetables for Exhibit" available at the Benton County Extension Office, 1849 NW 9th St., Corvallis, OR.

1. **Trueness to type** - specimens should be typical of the variety in shape, color, and size.
2. **Quality and Condition** - specimens should be edible, in prime condition, free from blemishes or damage from insects, disease or handling. Specimens with the deepest color are preferred.
3. **Uniformity** - specimens should be alike in size, shape, color, texture, and stage of maturity.
4. **Size** - contrary to popular opinion, large entries do not have a competitive edge over other entries (except for special entries such as largest pumpkin, watermelon, or head of cabbage). Largeness suggests coarseness. Medium sized specimens are more typical of a variety and most desired.
5. **Cleanliness** - dirt distracts from the natural attractiveness of vegetables and conveys an unfavorable impression to judges and the public. Wipe cucumbers, tomatoes, peppers, and other soft skinned vegetables with a

damp cloth. Wash or lightly brush soil from potatoes, carrots, and beets. Clean leafy vegetables such as Swiss Chard by dipping in cool water.

6. **Neat arrangement in containers** - carefully align specimens to enhance their most attractive and desirable characteristics.
7. **Exhibitors are encouraged to replace items that may be perishable as often as necessary for the duration of the Fair.**

VEGETABLES

Class 1 - Vine

Lot

1. Beans - lima - 6 pods
2. Beans - snap - 6 pods
3. Beans - yellow wax - 6 pods
4. Beans - Italian - 6 pods
5. Beans - shell - 6 pods
6. Corn - sweet - any variety - 3 husked ears
7. Corn - popping - 1 pint jar
8. Cucumbers - lemon - 3 specimens
9. Cucumbers - pickling - under 3" - 5 specimens
10. Cucumbers - pickling - over 3" - 5 specimens
11. Cucumbers - slicing - 3 specimens
12. Eggplant - 1 specimen
13. Peas - regular - 6 pods
14. Peas - sugar pod - 6 pods
15. Peas - sugar snap - 6 pods
16. Peppers - bell - 2 specimens
17. Peppers - green hot - 5 specimens
18. Peppers - red hot - 5 specimens
19. Peppers - yellow - 5 specimens
20. Rhubarb - 1" tops above stem (do not cut bottoms) - 5 stalks
21. Tomatoes - cherry - 6 specimens
22. Tomatoes - green - 3 specimens
23. Tomatoes - novelty - small plate
24. Tomatoes - pear - 6 specimens
25. Tomatoes - ripe - 3 specimens
26. Any one other

Class 2 - Root

Lot

1. Artichokes - Jerusalem - 2 root clumps
2. Beets - table - 1" tops under 1" diameter - 5 specimens
3. Beets - table - 1" tops over 1" diameter - 5 specimens
4. Beets - pickling - under 1" diameter - 5 specimens
5. Carrots - table - long - 1" top - 5 specimens
6. Carrots - table - short - 1" tops - 5 specimens
7. Garlic - 5 bulbs
8. Garlic - elephant - 1 specimen
9. Kohlrabi - purple or white - 3 specimens
10. Leeks - 3 specimens
11. Onions - green - 5 specimens
12. Onions - red - 5 specimens
13. Onions - white - 5 specimens

14. Onions - yellow - 5 specimens
15. Onions - largest
16. Parsnip - 3 specimens
17. Potatoes - purple - 5 specimens
18. Potatoes - red - 5 specimens
19. Potatoes - yellow- 5 specimens
20. Potatoes - white - 5 specimens
21. Turnips - 3 specimens

Class 3 - Leaf

Lot

1. Artichokes - globe - 2 specimens
2. Broccoli - 1 head
3. Cabbage - flat head - 1 head
4. Cabbage - round head green - 1 head
5. Cabbage - red - 1 head
6. Cabbage - largest
7. Cauliflower - 1 head
8. Celery - 1 stalk in water (Bunch)
9. Lettuce - head - 1 specimen
10. Lettuce - Swiss Chard - 1 specimen
11. Herbs - 4 different types - must be labeled and placed in container with water
12. Herb plants - 4 different types - must be labeled

Class 4 - Individual herbs

Lot

1. Basil
2. Catnip
3. Chives
4. French sorrel
5. French tarragon
6. Lavender
7. Lemon verbena
8. Mint
9. Oregano and marjoram
10. Parsley
11. Rosemary
12. Sage
13. Scented geranium
14. Thyme
15. Winter savory
16. Any other herb

Class 5 - Squash

Lot

1. Cantaloupe - 1 specimen
2. Gourds - 1 specimen
3. Pumpkin - pie - 1 specimen
4. Pumpkin - field - 1 specimen
5. Pumpkin - largest
6. Squash - acorn - 2 specimens
7. Squash - banana - 1 specimen
8. Squash - crookneck - 2 specimens
9. Squash - large winter - 1 specimen
10. Squash - scallop - 2 specimens
11. Squash - summer - 2 specimens
12. Squash - winter - 1 specimen
13. Squash - zucchini - yellow or green - 2 specimens
14. Watermelon - any - 1 specimen

Class 6 - Organic Gardening

Lot

1. Beans - 6 pods
2. Tomatoes - 3 specimens
3. Cabbage - 1 specimen
4. Cucumber - 5 specimens
5. Squash - 2 specimens
6. Pumpkin - 1 specimen
7. Lettuce - 1 specimen
8. Potatoes -
9. Any one other

FRUITS, NUTS, & OTHER PRODUCE

Class 7 - Apples

Lot


1. Crabapples - 5 specimens
2. Gravenstein - 5 specimens
3. Jonathan - 5 specimens
4. Red delicious - 5 specimens
5. Yellow delicious - 5 specimens
6. Yellow transparent - 5 specimens
7. Any one other - must be labeled

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GARY WATTS

Class 8 - Berries, Cherries, Figs & Grapes

Lot

1. Blackberries - 1 pint
2. Strawberries - 1 pint
3. Blueberries - 1 pint
4. Berries - other - 1 pint
5. Cherries - dark - small plate
6. Cherries - light - small plate
7. Cherries - pie - small plate
8. Cherries - red - small plate
9. Figs - 4 specimens
10. Gooseberries - 1 pint
11. Grapes - wine - 1 bunch
12. Grapes - eating - 1 bunch
13. Any one other

Class 9 - Pears, Peaches, Prunes, Plums

Lot

1. Pears - red - 5 specimens
2. Pears - green or yellow - 5 specimens
3. Peaches - 5 specimens
4. Prunes - 5 specimens
5. Plums - large eating - red or yellow - 5 specimens
6. Plums - small eating - red or yellow - 5 specimens
7. Any other

Class 10 - Nuts

Lot

1. Filbert - brix - 24 specimens
2. Filbert - barcelonans & others - 24 specimens
3. Filbert - soft shell in husk - 24 specimens
4. Walnuts - 24 specimens

Class 11 - Honey - pint jar - no commercial names

Lot

1. Comb in a frame
2. Comb in a jar
3. Strained - light - 1 pint
4. Strained dark - 1 pint

Class 12 - Eggs - must be brought in egg carton

Lot

1. Eggs - white - 6 samples
2. Eggs - brown - 6 samples
3. Eggs - blue - 6 samples

Class 13 - Special Displays - must be in portable displays such as baskets, boxes, or other display containers or may be done in wreath or sheaf form

Lot

1. Vegetables
2. Fruits
3. Combination of vegetables & fruits
4. Combination of any lots and may include grains, nuts, forest products, fruits, vegetables, honey, herbs, & sun-flowers

GRAINS

Class 14 - Threshed Grain & Grasses - 1 quart

Lot

1. Any type - must be labeled

Class 15 - Four inch Diameter Sheaf of Grain & Grasses

Lot

1. Any type - must be labeled

WOOL

Entry Hints:

1. *All fleeces shown must have been sheared in the spring or summer within 13 months of the opening of the 2005 Benton County Fair & will be disqualified if there appears to be more than 13 months growth.*
2. *All fleeces entered must have been sheared from sheep owned by the exhibitor.*
3. *Fleece must be entered in the market classification.*
4. *Since many wool growers are unfamiliar with the market grade of their wool, a fleece entered by an exhibitor in a market classification to which it does not properly belong will be transferred to the proper section by the judge or a wool specialist before the awards are made.*
5. *Only one entry per lot per household.*
6. **Display in clear plastic bag.**

Class 16 - White Wool

Lot

1. Fine - i.e. Merino, Rambouillet
2. Medium & down - i.e. Cormo, Suffolk
3. Long - i.e. Romney, Lincoln
4. Primitive - i.e. Shetland, Jacob

Class 17 - Natural Colored Wool

Lot

1. Fine - i.e. Merino, Rambouillet
2. Medium & down - i.e. Cormo, Suffolk
3. Long - i.e. Romney, Lincoln
4. Primitive - i.e. Shetland, Jacob

Class 18 - Animal Fiber

Lot

1. Rabbit - white
2. Rabbit - colored
3. Rabbit - any other
4. Goat - Angora
5. Goat - Cashmere
6. Goat - Pygora
7. Goat - any other
8. Camelids - Alpaca
9. Camelids - Llama
10. Camelids - any other
11. Miscellaneous animal - dog
12. Miscellaneous animal - cat
13. Miscellaneous animal - yak
14. Miscellaneous animal - any other

FOREST EXHIBITS

Class 19 - Forest Tree Growth (conifers only)

Lot

1. Any type - must be labeled (2"-4" thick round or core sample - less than 12" diameter)
2. Any type - must be labeled (2"-4" thick round or core sample - more than 12" diameter)

Class 20 - Forest Products (cut one cone in half length-wise)

Lot

1. Cones - fir - 6 specimens
2. Cones - pine - 6 specimens
3. Cones - spruce - 6 specimens
4. Cones - hemlock - 6 specimens
5. Cones - cedar - 6 specimens
6. Burls
7. Ferns - native plant artistically displayed
8. Forest oddities

Class 21 - Scarecrow Contest

Lot

1. Individual Project
 2. Group Project (2 or more people)
- Scarecrow must be same height as an average person and be on display during the entire fair. Entries are judged on originality, workmanship, and condition of materials.

The Benton County Fair & Rodeo is not responsible for theft or loss of scarecrow. **Please do not place items on scarecrow that are of significant value.**

Score Card:

Originality	30%
Workmanship	25%
Creativity	25%
Adherence to Fair theme "It's Show Time"	20%

Class 22 - Garden Oddities

Lot

1. Largest sunflower head
2. Largest squash
3. Largest pumpkin
4. Largest cabbage
5. Largest potato
6. Largest onion
7. Most freakish vegetable
8. Tallest stalk of corn
9. Tallest sunflower
10. Any one other

Class 23 - Vegetable Art

Lot

1. Zucchini and/or Summer Squash sculpture
2. Pumpkin and/or Winter Squash sculpture
3. Any one other vegetable sculpture

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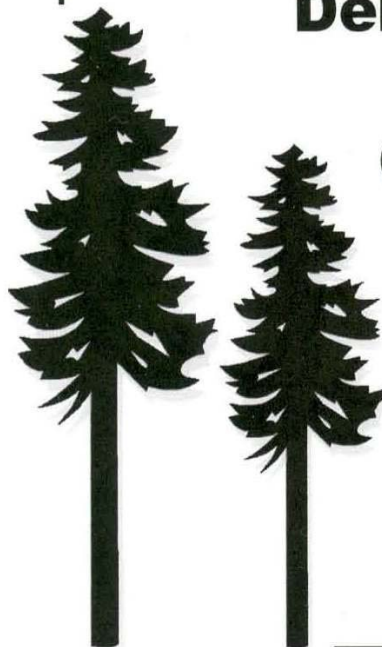
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Land Products - Special Awards



Division	Best of Class	Sponsor	Presents
701 - Adult	1 - Vine	Shonnard's Nursery & Florist	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	2 - Root	Davis Family Farm	\$25 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	3 - Leaf	Schmidt's Garden Center	\$25 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	4 - Individual Herbs	Nichols Garden Nursery	\$35 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	5 - Squash	Davis Family Farm	\$25 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	6 - Organic Gardening	First Alternative Inc.	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	8 - Berries, Cherries, Figs & Grapes	Anderson's Nursery	\$25 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	13 - Special Displays	First Alternative Inc.	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	16 - White Wool	Fiber Nooks & Crannys	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	17 - Natural Colored Wool	Fiber Nooks & Crannys	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	18 - Animal Fiber	Fiber Nooks & Crannys	\$15 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	19 - Forest Tree Growth	Starker Forest	\$25 Gift Certificate
701 - Adult	21 - Scarecrow Contest	Schmidt's Garden Center	1st, 2nd, & 3rd prize
702 - Teen	6 - Organic Gardening	Gathering Together Farms	\$25 Gift Certificate
702 - Teen	21 - Scarecrow Contest	Schmidt's Garden Center	1st, 2nd, & 3rd prize
703 - Youth	2 - Root	Davis Family Farm	\$25 Gift Certificate
703 - Youth	8 - Berries, Cherries, Figs & Grapes	Anderson's Nursery	\$25 Gift Certificate
703 - Youth	21 - Scarecrow Contest	Schmidt's Garden Center	1st, 2nd, & 3rd prize