

Granite State Fair

at

Rochester Fairgrounds

Exhibition Hall



September 14th-24th

2023

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Entries accepted for all departments (except Green Thumb) Saturday and Sunday, September 9th & 10th, 1:00 – 5:00 pm. Green Thumb ONLY Wednesday, September 13th, 10-7.

Refresh of fruits and vegetables in Green Thumb, with judging, Thursday, September 21, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm.

All judging and ribbon placement will be done prior to the fair opening.

Removal of entries will be Monday, September 25, 1:00 – 5:00 pm. All entries not picked up by that time will be placed in the office. Call to arrange pick up at 332-6585.

For Online Fair Entry

www.granitestatefair.fairentry.com

We strongly recommend you enter online ahead of take in. This will expedite the process for everyone.

General Rules and Regulations

- Premiums will not be paid on articles removed from the Fair before it closes UNLESS special approval of the superintendent of the department has been given.
- All articles must be entered in the name of the owner. Dairy products, fruits, grain, vegetables must have been made or raised by the exhibitor thereof. Descriptive labels, in accordance with the entries, can be secured from the superintendents who shall attach them to the articles and allow them to remain during the Fair.
- No exhibitor shall compete against himself either directly or indirectly, and any person entering borrowed articles, vegetables, or other products, or making fraudulent representations in reference to any exhibit will forfeit all premiums which may have been awarded. The Association also reserves the right to accept or reject any entry made for any premium offered and no premium will be paid unless all requirements are fulfilled. Premiums earned will be paid by check and those checks will be mailed to the exhibitor no later than November 1st of the current year. Any check not cashed within 60 days of issue date will be considered a donation to the Fair Association.
- The Association will employ a watchman on the grounds at night and exercise due care, but they will assume no responsibility for any loss or damage from any cause that may occur to any animal or article exhibition, and upon this condition only are entries received.

Girl Scouts

Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

1. The members exhibiting must have been registered as a Girl Scout when the project was completed. Although the association does exercise as much care as possible, we assume no responsibility for loss or damage and exhibits entered at the member's risk. Any exhibits left after the departure date and time will be disposed of.
2. Judges look for creativity, quality, skill involvement, and age level.
3. We retain the right to move items to the most appropriate classes.

Art: This includes painting and drawing. They must be at least 8x10 but should not exceed 20x24. They must be matted or framed. Please no glass. Also includes ceramics and sculptures. Limit five pieces.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Banding Together: Includes any projects created with the use of rubber bands or elastics. (Limit 5)

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Derby Car: Any Pinewood derby cars may be entered in this class as long as they meet derby specs.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Flashpoint: Any framed or matted photograph. (Please no glass)

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Girl Scout Program Materials: i.e., Scrapbooks, Gold, Silver, and Bronze Award projects. Please display so that people can understand your work and goals.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Homegrown: Any vegetable or plants can come in as long as planted and tended to by scouts themselves. This class also includes canning; jars must be packed full and cleaned after processing. No rusty lids or rings. Canning may be entered as a single jar or a collection of 3, 5, 9, or 12 jars, or a basket decorated for St. Patrick's Day. Container gardens are great for this division.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Jewelry: Must be presented on its own display piece.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Needlework: Includes knitting, crocheting, weaving, etc.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Quilting and Sewing: Includes sewing, quilting, and latch hook embroidery. Limit three entries.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Sweet Stuff: Includes desserts or treats made from scratch and must include the recipe on a 4x6 card.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Unique Masterpieces: Any project deemed by the staff to fit this category.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Variety Camp Crafts: Baskets, macramé, candles, beadwork, etc.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Wood Crafts: All projects made from wood. This may include kits. Please include on a 4x6 card explaining how much the scout was able to do on her own. Limit three entries.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Ceramics & Sculptures: Includes projects made of ceramic and/or clay or any other sculptured medium.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Tape (Duct) Creations: Includes projects made from Duct Tape for display.

Class - Daisy/Brownie

Class - Junior

Class - Cadette/Senior

Premiums for All Classes			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Daisy/Brownie	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Junior	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Cadette/Senior	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00

Scouts BSA
Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

1. Articles exhibited must represent work since last September and not have been exhibited in the Scouts BSA exhibit at the Granite State Fair in the past. Items can be from school, camps, home, scouts, or anywhere else. The only rule is that the exhibitor must have been registered with the BSA when the project was created.
2. Exhibits submitted must be clean, whole, and complete. All paint must be dry. Exhibits are to be age/rank appropriate. The guidelines of the BSA will be taken into consideration as to the appropriateness of the exhibits. No Lego constructions.
3. Exhibits will be judged on creativity, quality, skill, and age level. Judges have the option of disqualifying any item deemed inappropriate to the exhibitor's abilities.
4. Due to limited space, we may not have enough room for larger items. Contact superintendents prior to pre-registering for any items larger than a display board.

Art: Paintings, drawings, and sculpted items. All paintings and drawings must be at least 5x7, matted, framed, or on art canvas. Prefer no glass. Drawings may be submitted that do not follow the above criteria will be for display only, space permitting.

- Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)
- Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)
- Class – Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)
- Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer
- Class - Adult

Scouting Skills: This could include, not is not limited to badge work, scouting programs materials, photo displays of scouting events, water bottle rockets, and knot boards.

- Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)
- Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)
- Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)
- Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer
- Class - Adult

Camp Crafts: Work done entirely at a scout camping experience. (day, resident, Akela camp, camporee, camp-in, lock-in, etc.) No target displays please.

- Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)
- Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)
- Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)
- Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer
- Class - Adult

Derby Kits: Pinewood derby, rain gutter regatta, space derby. Competition limited to Cub Scouts (Tiger cubs through Webelos). Others may submit for display only. They boys should design the shape of their car (which may include the use of pattern). Car made from premade manufactured kits need to be identified as such. Boy scouts who have derby cars should enter them under the “wood” category.

- Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)
- Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)
- Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)
- Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer
- Class - Adult

Science & Technology

- Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)
- Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)
- Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)
- Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Fabric Craft: Any project made of cloth including weaving, puppets, pillows, clothing, leather, etc.

Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)

Class – Wolf/Bear (Grade 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4&5)

Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Food Preservation: Canning – When entry is brought in the scout is to submit in writing the canning process used.

Class – Lion/Tiger Cub (Grades K & 1)

Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)

Class - Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Homemade: Homemade baked goods, candies, etc. Not from a mix. A copy of the recipe will help the judges.

Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)

Class – Wolf/Bear (Grades 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)

Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Handicraft: any craft not fitting any other categories. May include, but not limited to: Paper Mache, Ceramics, Dioramas, Holiday Decorations, etc.

Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)

Class – Wolf/ Bear (Grades 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)

Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Photography: Needs to be framed or matted.

Class – Lion/Tiger (K & 1)

Class – Wolf/ Bear (Grades 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)

Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

Woodcraft: Wood projects must have work done to the wood by the scout, whether it is sanding, nailing, gluing, or other fastening. Wooden pieces that are just painted by the scout should be in “Handicraft”. Please state if the item was pre-cut.

Class – Lion/Tiger (Grades K & 1)

Class – Wolf/ Bear (Grades 2 & 3)

Class - Webelos Scout (Grades 4 & 5)

Class – Scouts BSA/Venturer

Class - Adult

73 - Den Project: A Den entry is one single item the entry den worked on. Den flags are to be the work of the youth not just the adult leader. A Den may submit up to two entries. If the Den Leader is entering these items under his/her name, please add the words “youth den”.

Premiums			
	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Lion/Tiger	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Wolf/Bear	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Webelos Scouts	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Scouts BSA/Venturer	\$10.00	\$7.00	\$5.00
Class 73	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$5.00
Adult	No Premium		

Crafts
Online Entry Forms Due Sept 9th

1. All handiwork must have been completed by the exhibitor since the previous fair. **Individuals may enter more than one item per class but will be judged on only one.** Premiums are subject to change without notice.
2. Standards of judging arts and crafts will be based on general appearance, beauty of design, workmanship, and usefulness of articles. Judges' decisions are final.
3. Reasonable care will be taken with the articles on exhibition. The Association is not responsible for damaged, lost, or stolen items.
4. Except for items sold, articles removed from the display area prior to closing will forfeit any earned premium.
5. The following definitions will be used.

Professional – One who teaches, accepts commissions, and sells.

Amateur – One who participates as a hobby, has never given lessons and sells occasionally.

Senior – Person aged 65 and over.

Junior – Between the ages of 13 and 18 years of age.

Children – Under 12 years of age.

Rugs			
	1st	2nd	3rd
Braided Large: 7x9 or Larger	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00
Braided Medium: 3x5 or Larger	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Braided Small: Smaller than 3x5	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Braided Hall or Stair Runner	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Braided Chair Seat	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hooked Large: 7x9 or Larger	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00
Hooked Medium: 3x5 or Larger	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$10.00
Hooked Small: Smaller than 3x5	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Hooked Runner	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Hooked Wall Hanging	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hooked Picture	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hooked Chair Seat	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hooked Pillow	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Latch Hook, Rug or Wall Hanging	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Latch Hook, Pillow	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Rugs	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Quilts			
Hand Quilted (Hand Pieced or Hand Applique)	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00
Machine Quilted or Tied (Hand Pieced or Hand Applique)	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Hand Quilted (Machine Pieced)	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Machine Quilted or Tied (Machine Pieced)	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hand Quilted (Machine Applique)	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Machine Quilted or Tied (Machine Applique)	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Cross Stitched, Embroidered, or Stenciled	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Wall Hanging (any size)	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Infant Quilt	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Quilts	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Bedspreads			
Crochet	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Knitted	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Applique	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Embroidered	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
All Other Bedspreads	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Afghans			
Crochet	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Knitted	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Infant	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
All Other Afghans	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Tablecloths and Table Runners			
Crochet or Crochet Trimmed Tablecloth	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Embroidered Tablecloth	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Crocheted or Crocheted Trimmed Table Runner	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Embroidered Table Runner	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Quilted Table Runner	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
All Other Tablecloths and Runners	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Placemats			
Embroidered	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Quilted	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Crochet or Crochet Trimmed	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
All Other Placemats	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Centerpieces and Doilies			
Crocheted or Tatted	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Knitted	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Embroidered	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
All Other Centerpieces or Doilies	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Pillows			
Embroidered and Crewel	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Needlepoint and Bargello	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Crocheted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Knitted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Quilted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
All Other Pillows	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Pillowcases			
Embroidered	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Crocheted Trimmed	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Pillowcases	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Knitting			
Adult Cardigan	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Adult Pullover or Turtleneck	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

Adult Vest	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Child Cardigan	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Child Pullover or Turtleneck	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Child Vest	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Stoles or Ponchos	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Knitted or Felted Bags	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hand Spun Yarn	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Knitted and Crocheted	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Infant Wear			
Dress	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Sweater or Jacket	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Booties	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Mittens	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Hats	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Sets (2 or more pieces)	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Infant Wear	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Embroidery			
Needlepoint	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Crewel Work	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Samplers – Hemmed or Framed	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Counted Cross-Stitched	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Bargello	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Plastic Canvas	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
All Other Embroidery	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
Dolls, Doll Clothes, Stuffed Toys			
Dolls	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Stuffed Toys	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Dolls Clothes	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
All Other Dolls, Doll Clothes, Stuffed Toys	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Woodcarving			
Wildlife Figures and Domestic Animals	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Human Figures	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Caricature	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Walking Sticks	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
All Other Woodcarving	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Leaded Glass			
Single Pieces	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Collection	\$16.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Woodcraft			
Kits	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Original Design	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
All Other Woodcraft	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Ceramics			
Figurines and Animals	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
Bowls, Vases and Pitchers	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
All Other Ceramics and Pottery	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

Leather Crafts			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Metal Craft			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Baskets			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Painted and Stenciled Items			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Weaving			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Jewelry			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Paper and Felting			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
Diamond Art			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00
All Other Crafts			
	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$2.00

Please Note: In classes where there is no competition, 1/2 premium will be paid only if the entry merits judging.

Fine Woodworking							
Acceptance Criteria							
<p>Wood: No items created from kits are acceptable. All wooden parts are to have been cut, shaped, sanded, finished, etc. by the entrant. Exception is made for minor turned parts such as dowels, knobs, etc.</p> <p>Fasteners: In general, fasteners should not be visible. This is particularly true for nails. Screws for hinges, locks, and other typically metal parts are allowed. For reproductions and period pieces, cut nails may be visible as style allows/requires.</p> <p>Techniques: Entries should display average joinery techniques with fine joint lines and tight joints. Typically, joints such as dovetails, mortises, thru Tenon, and bridal joints are used.</p> <p>Finish: All items should be fully finished in accordance with the styles of each piece. All surfaces should be smooth and pleasant to touch. Exceptions are made for work that should show hand tooling as Early American, or for artistic purposes. No rough edges or unfinished pieces are accepted.</p>							
<i>Fine woodworking items are judged on originality or adherence to reproduction styles and standards, technical merit, and finish</i>							
Professional	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	Amateur	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Turned Work	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	Turned Work	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Traditional	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	Traditional	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Contemporary	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	Contemporary	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Shaker	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	Shaker	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Accessory	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	Accessory	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
Items in this section will be given a “special exhibit” ribbon				Doll House	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00

To ensure fairness to all exhibitors, there will be a limit to one special award per entry.

Francis Garland Memorial Award

Judges Choices Award

Woodworking Award

DNA Printer’s Surprise Award for Best Fall Article

Joel Sherburne Ambassador Award

Flora Sherburne Ambassador Award

The Great Pumpkin Award – pumpkins awarded to all children who enter items

Art

Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

1. No entries will be accepted unless framed and wired for hanging.
2. Paintings must be the work of the artist.
3. No digital photography
4. Material deemed suggestive or inappropriate may be excluded from display.
5. **You may submit one entry per class.**
6. The following definitions will be used:
 - Professional – One who teaches, accepts commissions, and sells.
 - Amateur – One who participates as a hobby, has never given lessons and sells occasionally.
 - Senior – Person aged 65 and over.
 - Junior – Between the ages of 13 and 18 years of age.
 - Children – Under 12 years of age.

Professional/Amateur/Senior Class

Premiums		
1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$16.00	\$15.00	\$12.00

Oils
Acrylic
Watercolor
Pastel
Oil Pastel
Pen & Ink
Pencil & Charcoal
Scratchboard
Mixed Media
NH Motif
Fair Motif
Portrait
Landscape
Fantasy
Still Life
Printmaking
Abstract
Colored Pencil
Papier Mache
Animal Themed
Mobiles & Stables
Three Dimensional

Junior (9th-12th grade)/Youth (5th-8th grade) Class

Premiums		
1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$4.00	\$3.00	Ribbon

- Oils (no Youth)
- Acrylic
- Watercolor
- Pastel
- Oil Pastel
- Pen & Ink
- Pencil & Charcoal
- Scratchboard
- Mixed Media
- NH Motif
- Fair Motif
- Portrait
- Landscape
- Fantasy
- Still Life
- Printmaking
- Abstract
- Colored Pencil
- Papier Mache
- Animal Themed
- Mobiles & Stables
- Three Dimensional

Child (up to and including grade 4) Class

Pumpkins and Ribbons

- Acrylic
- Watercolor
- Pastel
- Pencil & Charcoal
- Scratchboard
- Mixed Media
- NH Motif
- Fair Motif
- Portrait
- Landscape
- Fantasy
- Still Life
- Printmaking
- Abstract
- Colored Pencil
- Papier Mache
- Mobiles & Stables
- Three Dimensional
- Crayons

Special Awards

High School Award “Superintendents Choice”

People’s Choice Award—Amateurs

People’s Choice Award—Juniors

Best of Show Award

Fair Motif Award

Please Note: In classes where there is no competition, 1/2 premium will be paid only if the entry merits judging.

Photography

Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

1. Amateurs only.
 2. **All photos must be 8x10, matted in an 11x14 matte, with no foam backing. Photos should not be framed.**
 3. Judging classes: Child-5-12, Junior-13-18, Adult-19-59, Senior-60 and over.
 4. Awards are made in accordance with entries; therefore, exhibitors should take care to have articles entered correctly.
Black and White photos should be entered under black and white category only.
 5. Photographs will be judged on composition, creativity, degree of difficulty, presentation (matte), how well the photo fits the category and how well the subject fits the format chosen. Please refrain from using Photoshop for anything more than what would be done when using traditional printing methods.
 6. **Only one entry per class per entrant.**
 7. Photographs will not be judged if they do not fit the category.
 8. Premiums: \$12 – 1st, \$10 -2nd, \$8 – 3rd
- Please Note: In classes where there is no competition, 1/2 premium will be paid only if the entry merits judging.

Photosmith Award for each class, best senior, adult and junior.

The Granite State Fair uses every reasonable means to protect all property on exhibit but will not be responsible for any damage or loss.

Photos not picked up by 5pm on the date indicated will be left at the fair office unless other arrangements have been made.

Fall Scenes: including Granite State (Rochester) Fair, harvest

Adult

Senior

Junior

Seascapes: a scene relating to the sea, seashore, boats, lighthouses

Adult

Senior

Junior

Landscapes: a scene such as mountains, trees, forests or a natural vista

Adult

Senior

Junior

Waterscapes: water should be the main subject; rivers, brooks, lakes, ponds, waterfalls, puddles, drips and

Adult

Senior

Junior

Architecture: image should convey a special observation about the building in relationship to its environment or focus on an isolated part of the building or group of buildings.

Adult

Senior

Junior

American Pride: patriotism, heroes, military, fireworks historically significant locations

Adult

Senior

Junior

Americana: antique (scene, vehicle or machinery), folk art, American history, gravestones

Adult

Senior

Junior

Nature: photographs of the natural world including plant (s) or animal (s) in their natural habitat, does not include cultivated flowers/plants

Adult

Senior

Junior

Flowers: gardens or cultivated flowers/plants

Adult

Senior

Junior

Wildlife: animals shown in their natural environment depicting special qualities/relationships

Adult

Senior

Junior

Pets: domestic and farm

Adult

Senior

Junior

Winged Creatures: birds, insects, bugs, butterflies

Adult

Senior

Junior

Sunrise/Sunsets

Adult

Senior

Junior

People: people doing something that reveals their personality, not portraits

Adult

Senior

Junior

Barns & Farm Implements: old, new, pieces, parts

Adult

Senior

Junior

Grouping: 3 photos with a theme

Adult

Senior

Junior

Black and White

Adult

Senior

Junior

Transportation: any source of transport (trains, planes, cars, buses, bikes, sleds tractors....)

Adult

Senior

Junior

Reflection: the throwing back by a body or surface of light or heat; serious thought or consideration (how would you define this?)

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Altered images: hand painted, mixed media, creatively photoshopped (include a small image of original)...

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Children's Categories

At Play

All Creatures Great and Small

My Favorite Things

We Are Friends

Family

New this year!

Drone images: images that display our beautiful state

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GRANGE

Online Entry forms are due September 9th

Class 1– Traditional Grange Exhibit –Must Include the following

- American Flag and Open Bible
- 8 Examples of Vegetable and Fruits
- 1 Dozen Eggs
- 2 Examples of baked goods
- 6 Canned goods
- 2 Flowers/Plants
- 5 Fancy Works/Crafts

Class 2—Theme (Choose Your Own Theme)- Must Include the following

- Title
- An American Flag
- An open Bible
- Clearly Illustrate chosen theme

SCORING ~ POSSIBLE 100 POINTS

Conforms to requirements = 50 points

Quality = 35 points

Arrangement = 10 points

Sign = 5 points

Premiums:

1st: 90-100 points \$80.00

2nd: 80-89 points \$60.00

3rd: 70-79 points \$50.00



King Arthur Flour Chocolate Chip Cookie Contest

Saturday, September 23, 1:00 Exhibition Building

Entries must be there by noon.

There will be two divisions of cookies judged.

Traditional Chocolate Chip
Cookie of Choice

Contestant must follow the listed rules:

- All cookies must be baked using King Arthur Flour. Contestant must bring opened bag of flour or submit a UPC label from the bag when entering.
- A legible recipe must be included (preferably typed).
- All entries must be submitted on a disposable container for judging, 6 cookies per container.
- All entries must be entered in www.granitestatefair.fairentry.com
- Failure to follow rules may result in disqualification.

Judging will be based on:

Taste	50 pts.
Overall Appearance and Creativity	25 pts.
Texture	<u>25 pts.</u>
Total	100 pts.

Adult (18 and over)

1 st prize	\$75 King Arthur Gift Card
2 nd prize	\$50 King Arthur Gift Card
3 rd prize	\$25 King Arthur Gift Card

Youth (17 and below)

1 st prize	\$40 King Arthur Gift Card
2 nd prize	\$25 King Arthur Gift Card
3 rd prize	King Arthur Tote Bag

Call the office at 332-6585 with any questions.

Winners names will be posted.

Any cookies left overnight will be disposed of the next night.

Food Preservation
Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

1. All exhibits are judged on creativity, color, quality, clarity, and cleanliness.
2. Labels on all jars must be uniform in size on the front of the jar with only the product name neatly printed.
3. All jars must be screw top lids with rings. No 4oz. Jars. No Fabric covers or ribbons on jars. All canned goods must be current year's canning.
4. Collections: 5 to 8 jars of variation (no two the same) in presentation of any one product.
5. Due to limited space, we reserve the right to limit entries.

Fruit Single
 Fruit Collection
 Vegetable Single
 Vegetable Collection
 Sauces Single
 Sauces Coll
 Pickles Single
 Pickles Collection
 Relish Single
 Relish Collection
 Jelly Single
 Jelly Collection
 Salsa Single
 Salsa Collection
 Jam Single
 Jam Collection

Premiums		1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Single Jar		\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
Collection		\$24.00	\$16.00	\$8.00

Family Homestead Collection 25 of any mixed variety

Premium
 1st- \$150
 2nd- \$100
 3rd- \$80

Green Thumb

Online Entry Forms are due by September 9th

You may refresh your exhibit on Wednesday from 9 to 1 to be eligible for a second round of judging. Call the office for details 332-6585

Entries should be uniform in size, shape, color and blemish free. Tomatoes need stem on.

	Premiums		
Basket of Apples	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Peaches	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Pears	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Mixed Basket of Fruit	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Beans any variety	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Cucumbers	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Watermelon 1 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Cantaloupe 1 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Onions White 3 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Onions Red, 3 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Basket of Peppers 3 of any variety, red or green	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Pumpkins 3 pie pumpkins	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Basket of Gourds several varieties	1st- \$20	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12
Delicata Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Yellow Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Zucchini Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Butternut Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Acorn Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Blue Hubbard Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Spaghetti Squash 3 of uniform size	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Slicer Tomatoes 5 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Sauce Tomatoes 5 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Heirloom Tomatoes 3 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Corn Best 5 Ears	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Red Cabbage 1 Head	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Green Cabbage 1 Head	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Basket of Garlic 6 of any variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Potted Herbs Plants	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Eggs 1 dozen	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Potted Vegetables	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Farm and Homestead Display	1st- \$250	2nd- \$150	3rd- \$80
Showcase your Farm or Family Business			
Home Garden Display 8 diff. varieties, at least 25 vegetables	1st- \$40	2nd- \$30	3rd- \$20
Farmstead Display 10 diff. varieties, at least 30 vegetables	1st - \$60	2nd-\$50	3rd- \$40
Youth Garden 5 varieties, at least 15 vegetables	1st- \$24	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$8
Corn Silage, Entry MUST be in a 1 gal. Airtight Container	1st- \$12	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6
Painted Pumpkins Jr. 12 and Under (Classrooms Welcome!)	1st- \$16	2nd- \$12	3rd- \$8
Painted Pumpkins Sr. 13 and Up (Classrooms Welcome!)	1st- \$16	2nd- \$12	3rd- \$8
Christmas Tree Jr. 12 and Under Trees Provided	1st- \$40	2nd- \$30	3rd- \$20
Christmas Tree Sr. 13 and Up	1st- \$65	2nd- \$45	3rd- \$25
Amateur Floral Arrangement Any 3 Variety	1st- \$24	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$8
Wreath Any Handmade	1st- \$12	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6
Houseplant Any Variety	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Vase of Silk Flowers	1st- \$12	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6
Floral Dried Arrangement	1st- \$12	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6

Floral Professional Arrangement Any 1 Variety	1st-\$24	2nd -\$16	3rd-\$8
Floral Professional Arrangement Any 3 Varieties	1st-\$30	2nd-\$25	3rd-\$15
Floral Professional Arrangement Any 5 Varieties in water	1st-\$40	2nd-\$30	3rd-\$20
Floral Professional Basket Arrangement featuring a candle and bow	1st-\$40	2nd-\$30	3rd-\$20
Scarecrow Contest Youth 12 – 18	1st-\$40	2nd-\$30	3rd-\$12
Scarecrow Contest Adult 18 and Up	1st-\$65	2nd-\$45	3rd-\$25
Sunflower Largest Head	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Sunflower Tallest 1 Head	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Fresh Herbs 3 Varieties	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Dried Herbs 3 Varieties	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Mushrooms Grouping	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Micro Greens	1st- \$8	2nd- \$6	3rd- \$4
Dahlia 1 large stem any variety in vase	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Best Arrangement of Zinnias	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Best arrangement of Marigolds large stems	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Best Arrangement of Wildflowers	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Rose 1 stem any variety in vase	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Lettuce any variety exhibited in water provided by department	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Kale any variety exhibited in water provided by department	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Swiss Chard any variety exhibited in water provided by department	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Radishes 6 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Potatoes White 3 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Potatoes Yellow 3 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Eggplant 3 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Beets 3 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Hot Peppers 3 Thai Hots	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Hot Peppers 6 of any variety	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Biggest Tomato	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Biggest Pepper	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Biggest Beet	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Biggest Onion	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Biggest Squash	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Potted Succulents	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Hanging Floral Basket	1st - \$8	2nd - \$6	3rd - \$4
Best Arrangement using Vintage Tea Pot	1st - \$10	2nd - \$8	3rd - \$6
Best Arrangement Honoring 145 th Fair	1st - \$10	2nd - \$8	3rd - \$6
Kitchen Wreath with vintage small kitchen items	1st - \$10	2nd - \$8	3rd - \$6
Garden Chair with potted flower arrangement	1st - \$40	2nd - \$30	3rd - \$20
Fairy Garden 18” container max small house plants, etc.	1st - \$40	2nd - \$30	3rd - \$20
Fall Basket Arrangement 18” basket filled with 1 pumpkin, mum, ornament, cabbage, or kale, etc.	1st - \$40	2nd - \$30	3rd - \$20
Pumpkin Arrangement real pumpkin inside cleaned out used as a vase to add flowers, no bigger than 10” pumpkin	1st - \$20	2nd - \$16	3rd - \$12
Professional Greenhouse and Landscape Display	1st - \$250	2nd - \$150	3rd - \$80
Single Maple Syrup	1st- \$10	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6
Maple Syrup Collection	1st- \$24	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$8
Honey Single	1st- \$10	2nd- \$8	3rd- \$6
Honey Collection	1st- \$24	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$8
Dairy Yogurt 8 Oz. Cheese any type 6 Oz.	1st- \$24	2nd- \$16	3rd- \$12

Helping Hands Department

This department is designed for those exhibitors who require assistance to complete their entries. Items will be judged on their own merit with an emphasis on the complexity of their work.

Premiums will be the same as general classes

Crafts

1. Junior
2. Adult
3. Senior

Arts

4. Junior
5. Adult
6. Senior

Photography

7. Junior
8. Adult
9. Senior

Green Thumb

10. Junior
11. Adult
12. Senior

Please include a brief description of the item as well as any other information that the judges may find helpful.

Girl Scout/Scouts BSA



Entry Form



Entry Sheet Due September 9th.

Name _____

Street _____

City _____

State _____ Zip: _____

Exhibit #	Troop #	Age
Class	Description	
Ex. 26	A necklace made from shells	

GRANITE STATE FAIR EXHIBIT ENTRY FORM

Entry Sheet Due September 9th

Exhibitor Name:			
Mailing Address:			
Street/P O Box	Town	State	Zip
Telephone #			

CATEGORY - Please fill out a separate entry for each department.

- Food Preservation
- Green Thumb
- Arts & Crafts
- Art
- Photography
- Grange

Dept/Class	Article & Description
Art/Papier Mache	A papier mâché airplane with blue body and yellow wings