

THE OFFICIAL 2016 FAIR BOOK!



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Cabarrus
County **fair**

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GENERAL FAIR INFORMATION

Advanced Discount Tickets: Sold August 1- September 8th ONLY

Purchase Online 24/7 @ CabarrusCountyFair.com

Ages 6-11 \$3.00* | Ages 12 & Over \$5.00* (savings of \$2.00) | Ride Wristband \$15.00 (Savings of \$5.00)

**Sales Tax not included*

Fair Hours

Weekdays 4:00pm-11:00pm | Saturdays 1:00pm-11:00pm | Sunday 1:00pm-10:00pm

General Admission*

Ages 5 and Under are FREE | Ages 6-11 are \$3.00 | Ages 12 and Over are \$7.00

With Military ID \$5.00 | Ages 65 and Over are \$5.00 | Parking is FREE

**Sales Tax not included*

Rides

- Strip of 4 ride tickets are \$5.00 | A sheet (22) tickets are \$20.00 | Ride wristbands are \$20.00 which allow you unlimited*access on mechanical rides for one day of the fair.
**Some rides may require extra tickets in addition to the wristband. Please check with the ride ticket agent on the midway before purchasing for specific details. The Vortex Ride requires 3 extra tickets with the wristband. Rides take 3-5 tickets each. The Vortex Ride takes 8 tickets.*
- If your child is under 36 inches tall they can ride selected rides for free with a paying adult (16 years of age or older). There are 7-8 of those rides on the grounds and they are listed on the ticket box windows inside the fairgrounds where you purchase your ride tickets.

Gate Specials

Saturday, September 10th - Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

FREE General Gate Admission from 1 PM - 3 PM ONLY

Sunday, September 11th – CCM Canned Food Drive

FREE General Gate Admission from 1 PM - 3 PM WITH:

4 canned food items per Adult

2 canned food items per Child

Tuesday, September 13th - School Education Night

\$1.00 off General Gate Admission when you show your school spirit by wearing grade school to college attire

Thursday, September 15th - Salute to Seniors Night

Admission \$4.00 for Seniors 65 and over 4 PM - 6 PM ONLY

Looking for another way to save?

Catch the game and get into the Fair for FREE on Fridays!

Bring your High School football ticket stub after the game on

Friday, September 9th and Friday, September 16th ONLY and get into the Fair for FREE. Rides are not included.

Plan Ahead all Transactions at the Fair are Cash Only!

No Pets are allowed!

2016 Cabarrus County Fair Information @ CabarrusCountyFair.com



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**PREMIUM CATALOG
&
AWARDS**

Rules and Regulations

**Cabarrus County Fair
Concord, North Carolina**

September 9-17, 2016

Member:

North Carolina Association of
Agricultural Fairs



International Association of
Fairs and Expositions



The Fair is licensed by the
North Carolina Department of Agriculture

The Cabarrus County Sheriff's Department
issues a permit under NCGS Sec. 106.616.1

All Midway rides are inspected by the
North Carolina Department of Labor

Cabarrus County Fair

Office | 4759 Highway 49 North, Concord, NC 28025
Mailing Address | P.O. Box 707, Concord, NC 28026-0707
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Cabarrus County Center



cabarrus.ces.ncsu.edu

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DON'T FORGET YOUR CHECKLIST:

- ⇒ Sign and Date Your Entry Form
- ⇒ Include a Signed and Dated W9
- ⇒ Entry Fee (if applicable). Visa and Master Card are Accepted. Make checks payable to "Cabarrus County Fair".
- ⇒ All Entry Forms and Entry Fees **must** be into the Fair Office by:

Wednesday, August 24, 2016 @ 4:30PM

Directions to the Cabarrus County Fair

Cabarrus Arena and Events Center | 4751 NC Hwy 49 North, Concord, NC 28025

GPS Address: 4551 Old Airport Road, Concord, NC 28025

Located at the Cabarrus Arena & Events Center in Concord, NC just minutes from UNCC, I-85, Charlotte Motor Speedway and Concord Mills Mall. The Cabarrus County Fair is easily accessible and strategically located in Cabarrus County, offering convenient access from Charlotte and other surrounding cities.

From the North:

- Travel **I-85 south** to Exit 60. Turn left onto Copperfield Blvd/Dale Earnhardt Blvd and travel to NC 3. At NC 3 turn left, follow NC 3 for 5.4 miles to Old Airport Rd. Turn left onto Old Airport Rd and travel 3 miles and continue into the fair grounds. **Alternate route:** Travel Hwy 52 east to NC 49, turn right onto NC 49. Travel approx. 12 miles and continue into the fair grounds.

From the South:

- Travel **I-85 north** to Exit 48 (I-485). Turn right onto I-485, travel to NC 49. Turn left onto NC 49. Continue east thru Harrisburg, cross under US 601 and follow NC 49 for 3.2 miles to Old Airport Rd. Turn left onto Old Airport Rd and continue into the fair grounds. **Alternate route:** Travel N. Tryon St. (29/49) north to NC 49. Bear right onto NC 49. Continue thru Harrisburg, cross under US 601 bridge and follow NC 49 for 3.2 miles to Old Airport Rd. Turn left onto Old Airport Rd and continue into fair grounds.

From the East:

- Travel **NC 24/27** to Flowes Store Road/Hwy 601. Turn left onto Hwy 601 and travel approximately 1 mile. Turn right onto NC 49 north. Travel NC 49 for 3.2 miles and turn left onto Old Airport Rd into arena grounds. **Alternate route:** Travel I-485 to NC 49, on NC 49 travel approx. 14 miles and turn left onto Old Airport Road and continue into fair grounds.
- Travel **NC 73 west** thru Mt Pleasant. Turn left onto NC 49 south and travel 2.9 miles. Turn right on Old Airport Rd and continue into fair grounds.
- Travel **NC 200/US 601 north** to NC 49. Turn right onto NC 49. Travel 3.2 miles and turn left on Old Airport Rd into arena grounds. **Alternate route:** Travel NC 200 or US 601 north to Cold Springs Road, turn right. Travel until road dead ends (approx. 4.5 miles) into another Cold Springs Road at Cold Springs Church & Cemetery, then turn left and continue approx. 1/2 mile to NC 49, turn left on NC 49. Continue into the fair grounds.

From the West:

- Travel **NC 73 to US 29/601**. Turn right and travel 2.2 miles, US 29 will bear right - stay left and follow US 601 to NC 49. Turn left on NC 49 north. Travel 3.2 miles and turn left on Old Airport Rd continue into the fair grounds.
- Travel **NC 3 to US 29/601** and turn right. In Concord, US 29 will bear right to Charlotte - stay left and follow US 601 to NC 49. Turn left on NC 49 north and travel 3.2 miles to Old Airport Rd. Turn left on Old Airport Rd. and continue into the fair grounds.

All parking at the Cabarrus County Fair is FREE. Shuttles will be available on the weekends.

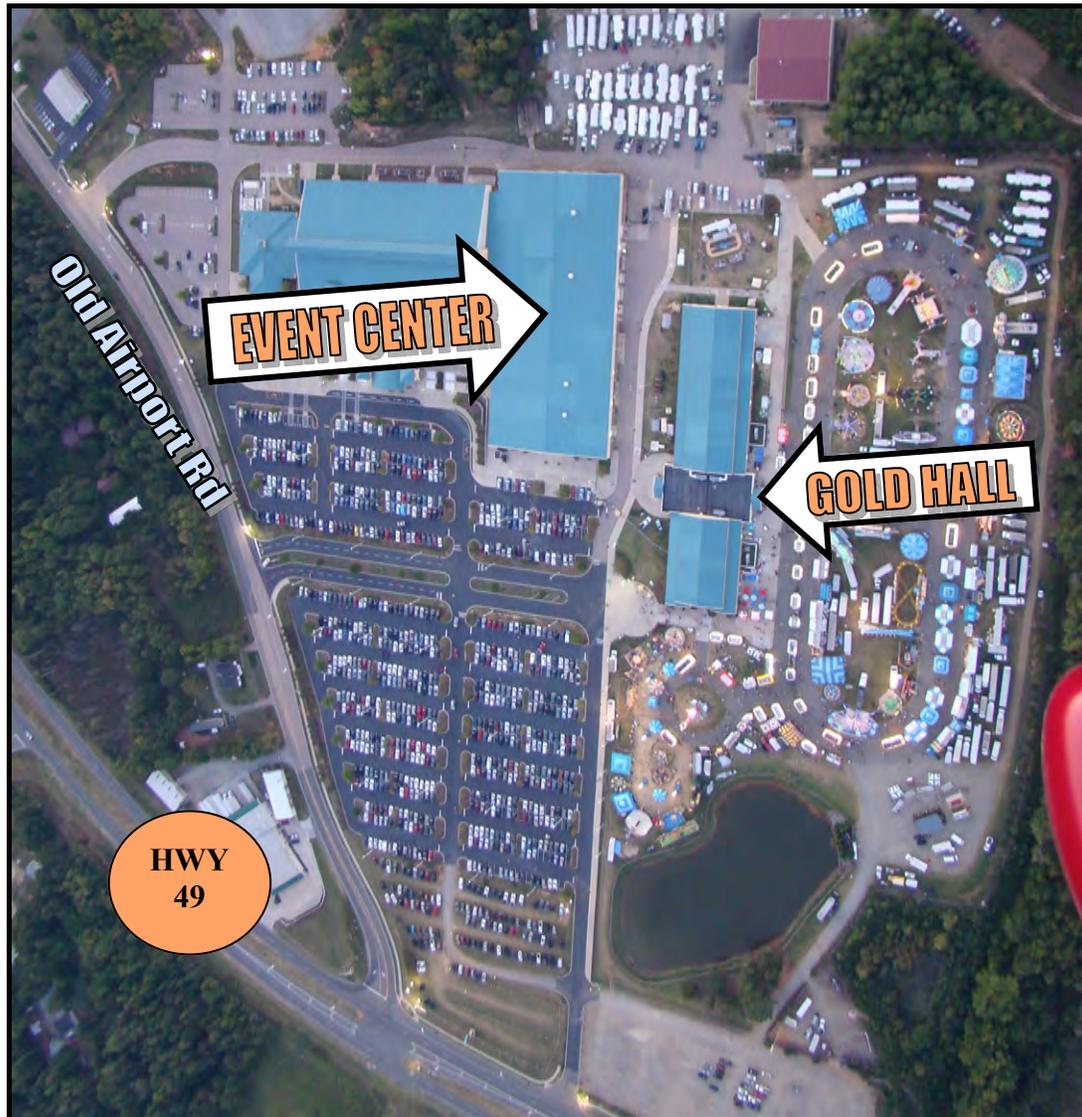
Traffic can be heavy at times, please plan accordingly.

2016 Cabarrus County Fair General* Daily Events

Friday, Sept. 9th	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	6:00 pm	Mini Horse Show, Event Center Show Ring
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Saturday, Sept. 10th	8:30 am	NC Make it With Wool Competition - Cabarrus Rooms
	1:00 pm	2016 Cabarrus County Fair Official Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
		Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
		Open Youth Horse Show, Event Center Show Ring
	2:00 pm	Cabarrus County Fair Pageant - Arena Stage
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Sunday, Sept. 11th	1:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
		Mule and Donkey Show, Event Center Show Ring
	3:00 pm	Mule and Donkey Performance Shows, Event Center Show Ring
	9:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	10:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Monday, Sept. 12th	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Tuesday, Sept. 13th	9:00 am	Agribusiness School Day Program - 6th Graders
	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	5:00 pm	Beef Cattle Show, Event Center Show Ring
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Wednesday, Sept. 14th	9:00 am	Agribusiness School Day Program - 6th Graders
	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Thursday, Sept. 15th	9:00 am	Agribusiness School Day Program - 6th Graders
	3:00 pm	Senior Citizens Talent Show, Cabarrus Rooms
	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	5:00 pm	Dairy Cattle Show, Event Center Show Ring
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Friday, Sept. 16th	10:00 am	Preschool and Kindergarten Program in Events Center
	4:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
	7:00 pm	4-H Dog Show, Event Center Show Ring
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close
Saturday, Sept. 17th	1:00 pm	Fairgrounds Open: Gates, Buildings & Midway Open
		Sheep Show, Event Center Show Ring
	4:00 pm	Goat Show, Event Center Show Ring
	10:00 pm	Gold Hall and Event Center Close
	11:00 pm	Fairgrounds Close

*Visit cabarruscountyfair.com for detailed schedules, including grounds acts and helpful 2016 Fair info.

ENTRY & EXHIBITOR DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP LOCATIONS



1. **Lobby of Gold Hall** : Individual Fair Entries, ECA, 4H, FFA, Scouts, County Exhibits and Crafters.

Entry Drop-Off/ Registration/ Set Up:

Tuesday, September 6th from 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm and
Wednesday, September 7th from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Entry Pick-Up/ Teardown:

Sunday, September 18th from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

2. **Event Center A**: All Livestock Entries.

See Entry & Exhibit information for all registration/check-in schedules.

**ALL PREMIUMS WILL BE PAID BY A CABARRUS COUNTY ISSUED CHECK.
CHECKS WILL BE MAILED TO THE ADDRESS YOU PROVIDE ON YOUR W9 FORM
WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE CLOSE OF THE FAIR. CALL THE FAIR OFFICE IF YOU HAVE
NOT RECEIVED YOUR CHECK BY NOVEMBER 17, 2016**

Entry & Exhibit Information

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24TH	4:30 pm ALL ENTRY FORMS, ENTRY FEES & W9 FORMS DUE TO FAIR OFFICE, INCLUDES LIVESTOCK AND EDUCATIONAL BOOTH ENTRIES. See below for extended agricultural entry items due date <u>ONLY</u> .
TUESDAY, AUGUST 30TH	4:30 pm Dept. A– Field Crops, Dept. B– Horticulture, Dept. C- Misc. Ag. Products, Dept. R– Flowers, & Dept. V- Farm Equip. ENTRY FORMS DUE
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH	2:00 pm - 7:00 pm Set Up Educational Booths (Dept. L) and Drop-off of the actual Individual Entries , Gold Hall Lobby
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH	3:00 pm - 7:00 pm Set Up Educational Booths (Dept. L) and Drop-off of the actual Individual Entries, Gold Hall Lobby
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH	10:00 am - 1:00 pm Judging*: Educational Exhibits and Individual Entries *Except Departments DB, DD, DP, DG, F, FA, FB, G & H 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm Check-in for Dept. G (Poultry) & Dept. H (Rabbits), Event Center B
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH	9:00 am Judging for Dept. G (Poultry) & Dept. H (Rabbits), Event Center A 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm Check-in for Dept. FC : Mini Horse Show, Event Center B
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH	8:00 am - 12:00 pm Check-in for Dept. F: Open Youth Horse Show, Event Center B
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH	8:00 am - 12:00 pm Check-in for Dept. FA: Mule and Donkey Show, Event Center A
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH	9:00 am - 4:00 pm Check-in for Dept. DB: Beef Show, Event Center A
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH	12:00 pm - 4:00 pm Check-in for Dept. DD: Dairy Show, Event Center A
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH	5:00 pm - 6:30 pm Registration Dept. UC :4-H Dog Show, Event Center A
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH	10:00 am - 12:00 pm Check-in for Dept. DP (Sheep) and DG (Goats), Shows, Event Center A
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH	9:00 am - 12:00 pm All Livestock must be removed from Event Center A & B 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm Exhibitors remove all Educational Booths and Individual Exhibits.

Please note that some entries have special registration requirements. Please review all information carefully. Entry forms can be mailed to the Fair Office PO Box 707, Concord, NC 28026-0707, faxed to 704-795-1517, emailed to fair@cabarruscounty.us or submitted nights and weekends in the afterhours drop box outside the Fair Office door located directly behind the Cabarrus Arena and Events Center at 4759 NC Hwy 49 North, Concord, NC 28025.

Rules and Regulations

1. The Cabarrus County Fair hours are:
Friday, September 9th 4:00 pm-11:00 pm
Saturday, September 10th 1:00 pm-11:00 pm
Sunday, September 11th 1:00 pm-10:00 pm
Monday, September 12th—Friday,
September 16th 4:00 pm-11:00 pm
Saturday, September 17th 1:00 pm-11:00 pm
2. Parking space does not insure against theft or fire hence the Fair is not responsible in case of theft or fire.
3. Drunkenness, quarreling or the use of profane or obscene language will not be permitted on the grounds. The Fair reserves the right to expel any objectionable person or persons from the grounds without the refund of admission price.
4. The rules and regulations apply to each and every department of the Fair. Exhibitors and concessionaires are asked to familiarize themselves with all the rules. Any person or persons obstructing any passage or roadway on the Fairgrounds with automobile or other vehicle shall be removed at owners expense and will be subject to the penalty of a misdemeanor.
5. **The Management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules as they deem fit without prior notice to exhibitors.**
6. The Management shall have supervision and control of all exhibits and exhibitions for the Fair, whether in the building or on the grounds, and reserves the right to prescribe the dimensions and regulate the position of all signs, to control the distribution of advertising matter and generally direct the articles on exhibition insofar as same may be necessary to secure harmony and attractive appearance.
7. **The Management reserves the right to reject any entries offered.**
8. No article or animal shall be entitled to space until proper entry has been made.
9. **Premiums may be withheld for misrepresentation or failure to comply with the rules.**
10. Exhibitors' business cards, pamphlets, circulars, etc. may be distributed after judging is complete as long as materials have been pre- approved by Management.
11. All exhibits must be registered by the deadlines specified to be eligible for competition. Physical entries will be received in the lobby of Gold Hall on Tuesday, September 6th from 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm and again on Wednesday, September 7th from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm with the exception of Departments D, F,G & H. The Fair reserves the right to place exhibits in their proper class if they have been entered incorrectly.
12. In making entries, it is necessary to give the name of the article, the premium number under which the article is to compete, exhibitor's name, mailing address, phone number, email address and a completed W-9 form.
13. All entries must be in place in the exhibit hall by 7:00 pm Wednesday, September 7th and exhibits must be removed Sunday afternoon, September 18th between 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm.
 - **All Livestock entries including Poultry and Rabbits must be removed by 12 noon on Sunday, September 18th.**
 - **All Competitive Exhibits must be removed by 5:00 pm Sunday, September 18th**
 - **Any entries including livestock not removed will be considered abandoned and will be disposed of by the Arena Staff. Exhibits may not be removed prior to Sunday, September 18th .** Please see additional information outlined within each department regarding Livestock and Poultry entries which are governed by special rules (Departments D, F, G & H) due to health and safety concerns.
14. Adult Departments (M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T) are open to adults 19 and older.
15. All articles which are products of the soil must be entered in the name of the producer. Those showing handiwork or skill must be entered in the name of the one whose skill they exhibit. Unless article is of good quality, premium will not be awarded. All other property including livestock must be entered in the name of the actual owner.
16. The Management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit, concession or objectionable exhibit or show that may be falsely entered or may be deemed unsuitable by them. without assigning any reason therefore.

Rules and Regulations

17. No exhibitor will be permitted to exhibit more than one article or animal having the same premium number with the exception of Beef and Dairy. The same article/animal cannot compete for more than one premium in any department. All entries must be new entries unless provided for. Exhibitors are urged not to exhibit any items having personal or sentimental value.

18. Premiums are designated by ribbons, blue-first; red-second; white-third; and pink-fourth. These ribbons will be attached after judges have made their awards. All young children in Dept. K will receive a green participant's ribbon and a \$1.00 honorarium per exhibit up to ten. **Premiums are paid only in accordance with official judges sheets and not from ribbons that may be attached to the exhibits.** They are payable according to the department schedules. First year exhibitors will receive one ribbon total not per item. **It will be the responsibility of the participant to alert Department Superintendents if they are a first time exhibitor.**

19. First, second, and third premiums will be offered. When three or more quality entries are made in a class, first money will be paid first winner, second money second, third money third winner. When only one or two entries are made, the awarding of premiums will be left to the discretion of the judges.

EXHIBITION OF ARTICLES NOT LISTED

20. The exhibition of articles not enumerated in the regular schedule of premiums are invited and they will be placed in the proper department and displayed to visitors.

LIABILITY TO FAIR EXHIBITORS

21. In no case shall Cabarrus County, Cabarrus County Agricultural Fair or the Cabarrus Arena & Events Center be held responsible for any loss, theft, injury, death by disease or damage of any character, to any property, while same is at the Cabarrus Arena & Events Center at any time or place, regardless of the cause of such loss or damage. All entries are made subject to this rule, and there are absolutely no exceptions.

NOTICE: The Fair, Cabarrus County and the Cabarrus Arena & Events Center will not be responsible for any claims, losses, injuries, or damages done to, occasioned by, or arising from any animal or item exhibited and the exhibitor shall release, indemnify and hold harmless the Fair, Cabarrus County and the Cabarrus Arena & Events Center, its agents, employees, officers and contractors from all claims, losses, injuries and damages including, but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees.

JUDGES

22. Premiums will not be paid to exhibitors when it is proven that they accompanied the judges when awarding the premiums. The judges sheets, when completed, will return to the Exhibit Director, who will then submit them to the Fair Office.

23. Decision of the Judges shall be final and no appeal shall be considered except in case of protest in writing, with strong evidence of fraud or violation of the rules.

24. Judges must not permit consolidation or change of exhibits.

25. No exhibitor shall be within hearing distance of any judge during judging exhibits. Violation of this rule shall disqualify any exhibitors so acting, in the discretion of the judge.

26. The Fair will not be liable for typographical errors in the Premium Catalog.

PAYMENT OF PREMIUMS

27. All exhibitors receiving premiums will receive a Cabarrus County issued check. It will be mailed to the person designated on the exhibitors W-9 form within 60 days of the close of the fair.

NOTICE

28. **WARNING** - Under North Carolina Law, a farm animal activity sponsor of farm animal professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in farm animal activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of farm animal activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina General Statutes.

2016 County Fair Best of Show at the North Carolina State Fair

Rules and Regulations

The 2016 County Fair Best of Show will feature the best Arts and Crafts entries from Agricultural Fairs across the State. One youth and one adult winner will be selected from each Fair. The Fair will receive \$200, to be split between the Fair (\$100) and the participants (\$50 for the adult entry and \$50 for the youth entry). All entries will be on display at the North Carolina State Fair in October in Raleigh. All entries will be judged for a **\$1,000 Grand Prize** to be given to the best youth and best adult entries in each of the 3 attendance categories. The Grand Prize would be split evenly between the Fair (\$500) and the Exhibitor (\$500).

The CABARRUS COUNTY FAIR is in Category 3:

- *Category 3 (Fairs with attendance of 40,001 or more)*
Best of Show Youth - \$1,000
Best of Show Adult - \$1,000

Arts and Crafts entries can include, but are not limited to, paintings, furniture, woodworking, cross-stitch, metalwork, pottery, dolls and baskets. Due to space limitations, weight and proper display, exhibits must meet the following requirements:

- *Exhibits larger than 40x25x25 inches in size are subject to not be accepted.*
- *Quilts, Afghans, etc. may be displayed folded to meet size specifications.*
- *All drawings, painting, photographs, etc. must be framed or mounted to support proper display.*

All entries must include proper identification attached to the actual entry with the following information:

- *Name of Fair*
- *Name of Artist who created the entry item*
- *Age of artist who created the entry item*
- *Address, phone number and email address of the artist who created the entry*
- *Brief description of the entry item, such as how it was made, what materials were used, etc.*
- **All Ribbons must be attached when being sent to the NC State Fair.**

The North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services regulates Fairs to ensure they meet minimum exhibit and premium requirements. More information can be found online at www.ncagfairs.org.

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These Categories are automatically entered and do not need to be listed on Entry Form:

Best of Show at the Cabarrus County Fair

Premium: \$25.00—Adult

Premium: \$25.00—Youth

One adult and one youth will be chosen from the Cabarrus County Fair to receive the “Best of Show” award. These Exhibitors will be asked to exhibit at the North Carolina State Fair to compete with other fairs from the state. Judging for this award will take place on Thursday, September 8th.

Fair Director Award

Premiums: \$ 25.00

This award is given by the Fair Director to one lucky youth exhibitor within the competitive exhibits. Judging for this award will take place during the 2016 Fair.

Department A—Field Crops

Entry Deadline in Dept. A, Dept. B, Dept. C , Dept. R and Dept. V ONLY is Tuesday, August 30 at 4:30 p.m.

Total Premiums Offered: \$108.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

Exhibitors must be 19 years of age or older. All exhibits must be entered in the name of the producer and must be produced during the previous 12 months.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
A-2-1	Wheat	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
A-3-1	Oats	Brooks, Best Quart
A-4-1	Rye	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
A-5-1	Any other Grain	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
A-6-1	Barley	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
A-7-1	Cowpeas	Any other type not listed, Best Stalk
A-9-1	Soybeans	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
A-9-2	Soybeans	Any other type not listed, Best Stalk
A-10-1	Hay Display (10" block or bundle)	Any other type not listed

CORN SCORE CARD	OTHER GRAINS SCORE CARD
A. Prolificacy—30pts	A. Plumpness of Kernel—30pts
B. Trueness of Ears to Variety Type—20pts	B. Soundness—30pts
C. Market & Seed Condition—30pts	C. Freedom from foreign matter & insect injury—20pts
D. Character & Uniformity of Ears—10pts	D. Uniformity—10pts
E. Character & Uniformity of Kernel—10pts	E. Color—10pts

Department B—Horticulture

Total Premiums Offered: \$792.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

Exhibitors must be 19 years of age or older. Entries or items which have spoiled due to insect, bacteria or fungi may be removed any time after judging at the Department Superintendent's discretion without notice to the exhibitor. Please be sure all young children (5-8) enter their exhibits in Dept. K and all youth (9-18) enter in Department J. Apples, peaches and pears should consist of 5 items in your basket of any shape, color or size. Plums should consist of 10 items in your basket of any shape, color or size. Hulls or husks should be removed on all nuts. Nuts should be in shell unless noted.

SCORECARD: Size: 10pts | Uniformity: 40pts | No Blemishes: 20pts | Quality: 20pts | Color: 10pts

Code for Entry	Product	Description of Article
B-1-1	Apples	Yellow
B-1-2	Apples	Red
B-1-3	Apples	Any other type not listed
B-2-1	Pears	Any other type not listed
B-3-1	Grapes	Muscadine—White, Best Quart
B-3-2	Grapes	Muscadine—Black, Best Quart
B-3-3	Grapes	Muscadine— Any other type not listed, Best Bunch
B-5-1	Plums	Any other type not listed
B-6-1	Blueberries	Any other type not listed, Best Pint
B-7-1	Figs	Best Basket of 10
B-8-1	Any Other Fruit	Most Unusual Fruit or Nut
B-9-1	Nuts	Any Pecans, Best Quart
B-9-2	Nuts	Any Pecans, Shelled, Best Pint
B-9-3	Nuts	Stuart Pecans, Best Quart
B-9-4	Nuts	Black Walnuts, Best Quart
B-9-5	Nuts	Hickory Nuts, Best Quart
B-9-6	Nuts	Chestnuts, Best Quart
B-9-7	Nuts	Any Other Nut, Best Quart
B-10-1	Sweet Potatoes	Unlisted Cultivar, Best Five
B-10-2	Sweet Potatoes	Largest/Best

Code for Entry	Product	Description of Article
B-11-1	Irish Potatoes	Red Pontiac, Best Five
B-11-2	Irish Potatoes	Any other type not listed, Best Five
B-11-3	Irish Potatoes	Largest/Best
B-12-1	Onions	Any other type not listed, Best Five
B-13-1	Peppers	Jalapeno, Best Five Pods
B-13-2	Peppers	Banana Peppers, Best Five Pods
B-13-3	Peppers	Cayenne Pepper, Best Five Pods
B-13-4	Peppers	Any other type not listed, Best Five Pods
B-13-5	Peppers	Pepper, Small Hot, Best Five Pods
B-13-6	Peppers	Pepper, Long Hot, Best Five Pods
B-13-7	Peppers	Sweet Pepper Cultivar, Best Five Pods
B-13-8	Peppers	Hot Pepper Cultivar, Best Five Pods
B-13-9	Peppers	Bell Pepper Red, Best Five Pods
B-13-10	Peppers	Bell Pepper Green, Best Five Pods
B-13-11	Peppers	Bell Pepper Any Other Color, Best Five Pods
B-14-1	Tomatoes	Red Tomato, Best Five
B-14-2	Tomatoes	Cherry Tomato, Best Pint
B-14-3	Tomatoes	Other Tomato, Best Five
B-15-1	Peanuts	Any other type not listed, Best Quart
B-16-1	1st—\$8.00 2nd—\$6.00 3rd —\$4.00	Best and largest collection of fresh vegetables, neatly arranged, no less than six kinds

Department B—Horticulture (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
B-17-1	Fruit	Cantaloupe
B-17-2	Fruit	Watermelon, Best
B-17-3	Fruit	Watermelon, Largest
B-17-4	Fruit	Persimmons, Basket of Ten
B-17-5	Fruit	Pumpkin, Best
B-17-6	Fruit	Pumpkin, Smallest
B-17-7	Fruit	Pumpkin, Largest
B-18-1	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Beans, Lima, Shelled, Best Pint
B-18-2	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Beans, Lima, Not Shelled, 10 Pods
B-18-3	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Beans, Snap, Green, Any Cultivar, 10 Pods
B-18-4	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Eggplant, Two
B-18-5	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Gourds, Largest (1)
B-18-6	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Gourds, Best Collection, Five Different Cultivars
B-18-7	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Herbs, Fresh Brunch
B-18-8	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Okra, Ten Pods
B-18-9	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Peas, Any Cultivar, Not Shelled, 10 pods
B-18-10	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Squash, Patty Pan, Three of One
B-18-11	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Squash, Acorn, Three

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
B-18-12	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Squash, Butternut, Three
B-18-13	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Squash, Yellow, Five
B-18-14	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Squash, Zucchini, Five
B-18-15	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Melon, Other, One
B-18-16	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Sunflower, Head, Best
B-18-17	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Sunflower, Head, Largest
B-18-18	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Most Unusual Vegetable
B-18-19	Misc. Garden Vegetables	Any other vegetable

**Entry Deadline in Department A,
 Department B,
 Department C, Department R and
 Department V
ONLY is
Tuesday, August 30 at 4:30 p.m.**

Department C—Miscellaneous Agricultural Products

Total Premiums Offered: \$108.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

Exhibitors must be 19 years of age or older. Entries or items which have spoiled due to insect, bacteria or fungi may be removed any time after judging at the Department Superintendent’s discretion without notice to the exhibitor.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
C-1-1	Eggs	White Eggs, Best Dozen
C-1-2	Eggs	Brown Eggs, Best Dozen
C-1-3	Eggs	Assorted Color, Best Dozen
C-2-1	Sorghum Molasses	Best Homemade Sorghum Molasses, Best Quart
C-3-1	Honey	Light Honey, One Pint Jar or One lb Jar
C-3-2	Honey	Comb Honey, Any Jar
C-3-3	Honey	Amber Honey, One Pint Jar or One lb jar
C-3-4	Honey	Display of Beeswax, One-Half Pound
C-3-5	Honey	“Black Jar” Honey, Any Jar (Judged on taste only, does not have to be painted black)

**Entry Deadline in Department A,
Department B,
Department C, Department R and
Department V
ONLY is
Tuesday, August 30 at 4:30 p.m.**

Department D— Livestock

Shows Included in Livestock Department D: Youth Beef Show | Open Dairy Show | Sheep/Goats Shows

Livestock Coordinator: Matt Barrier Total Premiums Offered: \$59,300.00

GENERAL RULES: Competition Open to the World, Unless Otherwise Specified.

1. Livestock entries must be made **on official Livestock Entry Forms provided by Fair Management** and must be in full compliance with the printed instructions. Exhibitors should study the list carefully to make a decision on which classes to enter. Forms should be completed with Code for Entry, Description of Animal, Registration Number and Date of birth. Please note changes in classes. **Please fill in the required W-9 on the back of your entry form. Your SSN will be placed here and secured at the County Finance Office. This W-9 is required and no premium will be paid without it. Premium checks will be made payable to the person or farm who completed the entry form.**
 - NEW in 2016: EARLY check-in or set-up for beef prior to 9/12 will not be available. No exceptions. Dairy exhibits must arrive between 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm Wednesday, September 14th and must be removed directly after the show.
2. Entries and Entry Fees in the Livestock Department close **Wednesday, August 24th at 4:30 pm** and must be delivered to the Fair Office no later than Wednesday, August 24th in order to be assigned a space. This is a firm deadline. Entry forms can be mailed to the Cabarrus County Fair, P. O. Box 707, Concord, NC 28026-0707 or submitted nights and weekends in the afterhours drop box outside the Fair Office door at 4759 Hwy 49 North, Concord, NC 28025 before Wednesday, August 24th.

IMPORTANT: Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list. Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with FIRST preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents. **Show Limits: Beef— 100 | Dairy —100 | Sheep-200 and Goats— 75**
3. **Please Note: All exhibitors will be required to wear long pants, collared shirts, and closed toe shoes in the show ring. No inappropriate attire will be allowed.**
4. All animals must be accompanied by an official health certificate as required by NCDA & CS and signed by an accredited veterinarian. See detailed certificate requirements listed under #18.
5. Beef entries must arrive at the fairgrounds between 9:00 am - 4:00 pm on Monday, September 12th and depart directly after the show.
6. No animal will be entitled to space until a proper entry form and W9 has been submitted and a health certificate has been shown upon arrival. After an animal has been entered for a premium, it cannot be removed until the departure time. (See Rule No. 8). If any person removes an animal, he/ she will forfeit all claims to premiums or awards.
7. Any artificial means of removing or remedying physical defects or conformation in exhibition animals, including the use of steroids and other drugs, as well as lifting, dyeing or filling under the skin, will be considered fraud and deception. The Cabarrus County Fair Management reserves the right to test any animal at anytime. Exhibitors involved in any such mistreatment will be barred from exhibition at this fair, and the International Association of Fairs and Expositions will be notified.
8. **National Code of Show Ring Ethics: The Cabarrus County Fair agrees to abide by the IAFE (International Association of Fairs and Expositions—www.fairsandexpos.com) National Code of Show Ring Ethics shown in the Fair rules and regulations. Exhibitors are responsible for being familiar with this code.**
9. When there is only one entry in a class, it can be judged in its pen at the judges' discretion. The judges' decisions are final.
10. **The Judge, Fair Management, Superintendent or Livestock Coordinator reserves the right to reject any unhealthy, unthrifty or unruly entries.**
11. Application for requesting a new breed addition to any show must be made in writing to the Fair Office by December 1st of the year preceding the date of the proposed show. Assurance of at least two exhibitors and a minimum of 5 head for individual classes is required for consideration. If the request is approved, a show classification will be added. A new breed failing to meet the minimum requirements to maintain a show may be dropped without minimum participation.
12. To compete in any Livestock Department, exhibitors must be able to safely handle the animal exhibited.

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13. Only first premium animals in individual classes will be eligible for championship classes.
14. **Scratching in one class and/or trading to enter into another will not be allowed.** It will be left to the discretion and review of the department superintendent, livestock coordinator and/or judge to allow up to two (2) scratches for first time exhibitors only.
15. **No Substitutions will be allowed.** Exceptions are at the discretion of the department superintendent in a limited number of departments. If substitutions are not allowed (no exceptions), it will be listed on the department page.
16. **All individuals involved with in any livestock show are expected to demonstrate positive sportsmanship behavior.** Be courteous to all. Know the rules, abide by and respect Management and judges decisions.

There is zero tolerance for inappropriate conduct. Those demonstrating behavior deemed unsportsmanlike by the superintendent and livestock coordinator may be required to leave the fair grounds and risks loss of premiums, future participation and/or any ribbons and trophies.
17. Youth participant age levels are based on 4-H criteria and must follow their age guidelines unless otherwise specified.

18. **Ribbons and Trophies for Grand Champion and Reserve Market Lambs and Market Goats.** The North Carolina Department of Agriculture requires that all sheep and goats have an official individual Identification tag with the permanent flock number prior to exhibition at any Fair. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to ensure that this requirement is met prior to the unloading of your animals. This is in compliance with the Scrapie Eradication Program.

Sheep and Goats must arrive prior to 11:00 am on Saturday, September 17th and will be released at the end of the goat show. Sheep and goats will be housed in Event Center A with the Show in Event Center A show ring.

All animals must have a health certificate as required by NCDA & CS. All market weights will be determined upon arrival.

The health certificate should contain the following:

- A. Name and address of exhibitor.
- B. Description of each animal including breed, age, sex, and registration, tattoo, or ear tag numbers.
- C. A statement of the veterinarian **signing the health certificate** that the animals listed are not

infected with, or have been recently exposed to, any communicable disease to the best of his/her knowledge.

- D. Information relating to brucellosis—those cattle which are native to North Carolina need not be tested. (Native meaning those cattle which were born in North Carolina or which have met North Carolina import requirements.)
- E. The North Carolina Department of Agriculture requires that all sheep have an official individual I.D. tag with the permanent flock number prior to exhibition at the Fair.
- F. It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to ensure that this requirement is met prior to the unloading of your animals. This is in compliance with the Scrapie eradication program.

19. No exhibitor will be permitted to exhibit more than one animal having the same premium number. The same person cannot compete for more than one premium in any one class. Example: There can not be two submissions for the same person under DB-AS-1.

It is the responsibility of each exhibitor to read and be familiar with the 2016 Rules and Regulations for all fair entries for additional policies, in addition to the Livestock policies provided.

Parade of the Future

In order for our younger participants in the livestock areas to be involved with the Cabarrus County Fair, we offer a Parade of the Future before every show during the week of the Fair. This is for youth under the ages of 8. Each youth with an adult will enter the show arena one at a time with only one animal. A parent/guardian will be required to hold on to the lead rope with the youth. Each parent/guardian must also sign the waiver of liability included in the entry form before any youth will be entered into the Parade of the Future. Each youth will receive a green participation ribbon.

NOTICE- WARNING: Under North Carolina law, a farm animal activity sponsor or farm animal professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in farm animal activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of farm animal activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina General Statutes.

Premium Checks: Premiums for livestock will be mailed to the exhibitor after the Fair. Please remember to fill out your W-9 on the back of your entry form. The check will be sent to the person and address provided on the W-9 Form within 60 days of the close of the fair. Premiums will be forfeited without it.

***REMEMBER: FOR YOUR SAFETY, NO FOOD OR DRINKS ARE ALLOWED IN THE LIVESTOCK AREA. PARENTS AND GUARDIANS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSISTING MANAGEMENT IN ENFORCING THIS RULE.**

Department D—Livestock

SPECIAL AWARDS

These categories are automatically entered per breed class and sex and do not need to be included on the entry form.

Beef Entries

Grand Champion Breeds (\$75)

Reserve Champion Breeds (\$50)

Champion Steer Breeds (\$150)

Reserve Champion Steer Breeds (\$100)

HERDSMAN AWARD — 1st \$175 | 2nd \$125 | 3rd \$100 | 4th \$75

For general appearance and cleanliness of animals and assigned area in livestock barn. This will be awarded for the Best Beef Herd and will be announced on the evening of Tuesday, September 13, 2016

Bull of the Barn—\$100 | Top Female—\$150

Dairy Entries

Grand Champion Breeds (\$50)

Reserve Champion Breeds (\$25)

HERDSMAN AWARD — 1st \$150 | 2nd \$100 | 3rd \$75 | 4th \$50

For general appearance and cleanliness of animals and assigned area in livestock barn. This will be awarded for the Best Dairy Herd and will be announced on the evening of Thursday, September 15, 2016

Top Female—\$100

\$500 Beef and Dairy Livestock Drawings

Rules:

1. Drawing for Beef Entries—\$250.00
2. Drawing for Dairy Entries—\$250.00
3. Each livestock entry entitles you to one chance.
4. A minimum of 50 beef entries and a minimum of 50 dairy entries are required for the Cabarrus County Fair to hold each drawing.
5. Time of drawings will be just before animals are released by Livestock Coordinator.

Sheep and Goat Entries

Grand Champion Goat (\$50)

Reserve Champion Goat (\$25)

Grand Champion Sheep (\$50)

Reserve Champion Sheep (\$40)

Market Lambs and Grand Champion Breeds (\$25) and Reserve Breed (\$20)

Market Goats will be automatically entered per sex for ribbons and trophies.



SCHEDULE OF SHOWS

Fri., Sept. 9th	6:00 p.m. MINI HORSE SHOW
Sat., Sept. 10th	1:00 p.m. OPEN YOUTH HORSE SHOW
Sun., Sept. 11th	1:00 p.m. MULE & DONKEY SHOW
	3:00 p.m. MULE & DONKEY PERFORMANCE SHOW
Tue., Sept. 13th	5:00 p.m. BEEF CATTLE SHOW
Thurs., Sept. 15th	5:00 p.m. DAIRY CATTLE SHOW
Fri., Sept. 16th	7:00 p.m. 4-H DOG SHOW
Sat., Sept. 17th	1:00 p.m. SHEEP SHOW
	4:00 p.m. GOAT SHOW

Department DB—Livestock | Youth Beef Show

Show Date: Tuesday, September 13th at 5:00 pm

NEW IN 2016: This is a **YOUTH ONLY SHOW**. ALL Entries must be aged **22 and under**. Youth participant age levels are based on FFA criteria and must follow their age guidelines.

- ⇒ Entry form must be accompanied by a corresponding W9 for the youth exhibitor. Exception only for NC Public School entries.
- ⇒ Entries by adults over age 22 will not be accepted.
- ⇒ Entries submitted by farms cannot be under the farm name and are required to be submitted under the individual youth showing.
- ⇒ No exhibitor will be permitted to compete for more than one premium in any one class.

Example: There cannot be two submissions for the same exhibitor/person under DB-AS-1.

THERE WILL BE A SHOW LIMIT OF 100. Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list. Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with **FIRST** preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.

BREED CODES: Angus (AS) | Hereford (HD) | Gelbvieh (GH) | All Other Breeds (AB) | Commercial (CM) NOTE:

Commercial is for commercial (crossbred) cattle only. Cattle entries in one of the breed categories are not permitted in the commercial beef heifer or steer classes. ****Please be sure you indicate Dept. Code, Breed Code, and Class Number for each entry.**

Entry Form Listing Example: DB-AS-1

FEMALES Beef Premiums: 1st \$100 2nd \$90 3rd \$80 4th \$70	Breed: AS	Breed: GH	Breed: HD	Breed: CM	Breed: AB
Spring Calf: Born after March 1, 2016 to May 31, 2016	DB-AS-1	DB-GH-1	DB-HD-1	DB-CM-1	DB-AB-1
Winter Calf: Dec. 1, 2015 to Feb. 29, 2016	DB-AS-2	DB-GH-2	DB-HD-2	DB-CM-2	DB-AB-2
Fall Calf: Sept. 1, 2015 to Nov. 30, 2015	DB-AS-3	DB-GH-3	DB-HD-3	DB-CM-3	DB-AB-3
Summer Yearling: Born June 1, 2015 to Aug. 31, 2015	DB-AS-4	DB-GH-4	DB-HD-4	DB-CM-4	DB-AB-4
Spring Yearling: Born March 1, 2015 to May 31, 2015	DB-AS-5	DB-GH-5	DB-HD-5	DB-CM-5	DB-AB-5
Winter Yearling: Born Dec. 1, 2014 to Feb. 28, 2015	DB-AS-6	DB-GH-6	DB-HD-6	DB-CM-6	DB-AB-6
Fall Yearling: Born Sept. 1, 2014 to Nov. 30, 2014	DB-AS-7	DB-GH-7	DB-HD-7	DB-CM-7	DB-AB-7
Cow/Calf—Any Age, Calf Nursing	DB-AS-8	DB-GH-8	DB-HD-8	DB-CM-8	DB-AB-8

MALES Beef Premiums: 1st \$90 2nd \$80 3rd \$70 4th \$60	Breed: AS	Breed: GH	Breed: HD	Breed: CM	Breed: AB
Spring Bull Calf: Born after March 1, 2016 to May 31, 2016	DB-AS-11	DB-GH-11	DB-HD-11	DB-CM-11	DB-AB-11
Junior Bull Calf: Born Jan. 1 to Feb. 29, 2016	DB-AS-12	DB-GH-12	DB-HD-12	DB-CM-12	DB-AB-12
Winter Bull Calf: Born Nov. 1 to Dec. 31, 2015	DB-AS-13	DB-GH-13	DB-HD-13	DB-CM-13	DB-AB-13
Early Senior Bull Calf: Born Sept. 1 to Oct. 31, 2015	DB-AS-14	DB-GH-14	DB-HD-14	DB-CM-14	DB-AB-14
Yearling Bull, Over One: Year of Age at Fair Time	DB-AS-15	DB-GH-15	DB-HD-15	DB-CM-15	DB-AB-15

STEERS—1st \$45 | 2nd \$40 | 3rd \$35 | 4th \$30

DB-FS-18 Feeder Steers | Under one year of age Sept. 1

DB-MS-19 Market Steers | One year & older as of Sept. 1

SHOWMANSHIP—Grand \$50 | Reserve \$25 | 3rd \$15 | 4th \$10 | Entry is limited to one Showmanship* Class

- DB-1-1 Junior Showmanship (Ages 9-13)
- DB-1-2 Super Showmanship (3 years experience up to 21 years)
- DB-1-3 Senior Showmanship (Ages 14-18)
- DB-1-4 Young Adult Showmanship (Ages 19-22) Ribbon Only—No Premiums
- DB-1-5 Parade of the Future (Ages up to 8) Ribbon Only—No Premiums

**NO SUBSTITUTIONS, CHANGES
OR LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED
AFTER DEADLINE.
(NO EXCEPTIONS)**

NOTICE: Exhibitors are responsible with being familiar with the Department D—Livestock Rules and Regulations, along with the 2016 Rules and Regulations provided in the Fair Book. Exhibitors will forfeit all premiums if stalls and animals are not neat, clean and well cared for. No pens are provided. Tie stalls only for sheep and goats.

Department DD—Livestock | Open Dairy Show

Show Date: Thursday, September 15th at 5:00 pm

THERE WILL BE A SHOW LIMIT OF 100. Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list. Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with **FIRST** preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.

BREED CODES: Brown Swiss (BW) | Holstein (HA) | Jersey (JY) | Swedish Cross (SC) | All Other Breeds (AB) | Gurnsey (G4) ***Please be sure you indicate Dept. Code, Breed Code, and Class Number for each entry.*

Entry Form Listing Example: **DD-BW-1**

FEMALES Dairy Premiums: 1st \$100 2nd \$90 3rd \$80 4th \$70	Breed: BW	Breed: HA	Breed: JY	Breed: SC	Breed: AB	Breed: G4
Spring Calf: Born after March 1, 2016 to May 31, 2016	DD-BW-1	DD-HA-1	DD-JY-1	DD-SC-1	DD-AB-1	DD-GA-1
Winter Calf: Born Dec. 1, 2015 to Feb. 29, 2016	DD-BW-2	DD-HA-2	DD-JY-2	DD-SC-2	DD-AB-2	DD-GA-2
Fall Calf: Born Sept. 1, 2015 to Nov. 30, 2015	DD-BW-3	DD-HA-3	DD-JY-3	DD-SC-3	DD-AB-3	DD-GA-3
Summer Yearling: Born June 1, 2015 to Aug. 31, 2015	DD-BW-4	DD-HA-4	DD-JY-4	DD-SC-4	DD-AB-4	DD-GA-4
Spring Yearling: Born March 1, 2015 to May 31, 2015	DD-BW-5	DD-HA-5	DD-JY-5	DD-SC-5	DD-AB-5	DD-GA-5
Winter Yearling: Born Dec. 1, 2014 to Feb. 28, 2015	DD-BW-6	DD-HA-6	DD-JY-6	DD-SC-6	DD-AB-6	DD-GA-6
Fall Yearling: Born Sept. 1, 2014 to Nov. 30, 2014	DD-BW-7	DD-HA-7	DD-JY-7	DD-SC-7	DD-AB-7	DD-GA-7
Cow 2 Years Old: Born Sept. 1, 2013 to Aug 31, 2014	DD-BW-8	DD-HA-8	DD-JY-8	DD-SC-8	DD-AB-8	DD-GA-8
Cow 3 Years Old: Born Sept 1, 2012 to Aug 31, 2013	DD-BW-9	DD-HA-9	DD-JY-9	DD-SC-9	DD-AB-9	DD-GA-9
Cow 4 Years Old, Born Sept. 1, 2011 to August 31, 2012	DD-BW-10	DD-HA-10	DD-JY-10	DD-SC-10	DD-AB-10	DD-GA-10
Cow 5+ Years Old	DD-BW-11	DD-HA-11	DD-JY-11	DD-SC-11	DD-AB-11	DD-GA-11
Group Class—Best 3 Females	DD-BW-12	DD-HA-12	DD-JY-12	DD-SC-12	DD-AB-12	DD-GA-12

SHOWMANSHIP—Grand \$50 | Reserve \$25 | 3rd \$15 | 4th \$10 | Entry is limited to one Showmanship* Class

- DD-1-1 Junior Showmanship (Ages 9-13)
- DD-1-2 Super Showmanship (Advanced Showmanship Ages 9-18)
- DD-1-3 Senior Showmanship (Ages 14-18)
- DD-1-4 Adult Showmanship (Over 18) Ribbon Only—No premiums
- DD-1-5 Parade of the Future (Ages 5-8) Ribbon Only—No premiums

Dairy exhibits must arrive between 12:00pm - 4:00pm Wednesday, September 14th and must be removed directly after the show.

There will be milking facilities available at the 2016 Cabarrus County Fair.

**NO SUBSTITUTIONS, CHANGES OR LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER DEADLINE.
(NO EXCEPTIONS)**

NOTICE: Exhibitors are responsible with being familiar with the Department D— Livestock Rules and Regulations, along with the 2016 Rules and Regulations provided in the Fair Book. Exhibitors will forfeit all premiums if stalls and animals are not neat, clean and well cared for.

Department DP | DG—Sheep/Goat Shows

Show Date: Saturday, September 17th, 1:00 pm Deadline for weigh-ins will be accepted up to 11:30 am day of show

THERE WILL BE A SHOW LIMIT OF 200 SHEEP AND 75 GOATS. Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list.

Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with **FIRST** preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.

BREED CODES:

Commercial (CL) | All Other Breeds (AB) | Hampshire (HM) | Montadale (MO) | Suffolk (SK) | Market Lamb (ML)

* **Barn Opens at 9:00 AM**

Entry Form Listing Example DP-HM-1

MALES Sheep Premiums: 1st \$50 2nd \$40 3rd \$34 4th \$30	Breed: CL	Breed: AB	Breed: HM	Breed: MO	Breed: SK
Late Ram Lamb: Born after Feb 15, 2016	DP-CL-1	DP-AB-1	DP-HM-1	DP-MO-1	DP-SK-1
Intermediate Ram Lamb: Born Jan 1-Feb 15, 2016	DP-CL-2	DP-AB-2	DP-HM-2	DP-MO-2	DP-SK-2
Senior Ram Lamb: Born Sept. 1-Dec 31, 2015	DP-CL-3	DP-AB-3	DP-HM-3	DP-MO-3	DP-SK-3
Yearling: Born before Sept. 1, 2015 but not over 2 yrs. old	DP-CL-4	DP-AB-4	DP-HM-4	DP-MO-4	DP-SK-4
FEMALES Sheep Premiums: 1st \$50 2nd \$40 3rd \$34 4th \$30	Breed: CL	Breed: AB	Breed: HM	Breed: MO	Breed: SK
Junior Ewe Lamb: Born after Feb. 15, 2016	DP-CL-7	DP-AB-7	DP-HM-7	DP-MO-7	DP-SK-7
Intermediate Ewe Lamb: Born Jan. 1-Feb. 15, 2016	DP-CL-8	DP-AB-8	DP-HM-8	DP-MO-8	DP-SK-8
Senior Ewe Lamb: Born Sept. 1-Dec. 31, 2015	DP-CL-9	DP-AB-9	DP-HM-9	DP-MO-9	DP-SK-9
Yearling Ewe: Born before Sept. 1, 2014—Aug. 31, 2015	DP-CL-10	DP-AB-10	DP-HM-10	DP-MO-10	DP-SK-10
Aged Ewe— over 2 yrs. old	DP-CL-11	DP-AB-11	DP-HM-11	DP-MO-11	DP-SK-11

Market Lamb Show—Premiums: 1st \$50 | 2nd \$40 | 3rd \$34 | 4th \$30

Lambs will be weighed at check-in and market class determined after weigh-in. Deadline for weigh-ins will be accepted up to 11:30 am day of the show.

DP-ML-1,2,3,4,5 Market Lambs

SHOWMANSHIP | Sheep—Premiums: 1st \$25 | 2nd \$20 | 3rd \$17 | 4th \$10 | Entry is Limited to One Showmanship Class

- DP-1-1 Junior Sheep Showmanship (Ages 9-13)
- DP-1-2 Novice Junior Showmanship (up to Age 13)
- DP-1-3 Senior Showmanship (Ages 14-18)
- DP-1-4 Parade of the Future (Ages 5-8) Ribbon Only—No Premiums
- DP-1-5 Adult Showmanship—Challengers Cup

GOATS | Premiums: 1st \$25 | 2nd \$20 | 3rd \$17 | 4th \$10

Goats will be weighed at check-in and market classes determined after weigh-in. Deadline for weigh-ins will be accepted up to 11:30 am day of the show. No Billy Goats are allowed.

- DG-MG-1,2,3,4,5 Market Goats
- DG-1-1 Junior Showmanship (9-13)
- DG-1-2 Senior Showmanship (14-18)
- DG-1-3 Parade of the Future Ribbon Only—No Premiums

NO SUBSTITUTIONS, CHANGES OR LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER ENTRY DEADLINE. (NO EXCEPTIONS)

NOTICE: Exhibitors are responsible with being familiar with the Department D—Livestock Rules and Regulations, along with the 2016 Rules and Regulations provided in the Fair Book. Exhibitors will forfeit all premiums if stalls and animals are not neat, clean and well cared for. No pens are provided. Tie stalls only for sheep and goats.

Department F—Open Youth Horse Show

SUPERINTENDENT: Patti Bost
ASSISTANT: Neal Hess

Show Date: Saturday, September 10th, at 1:00 pm

**Pre-Entry Due: August 24th at 4:30 pm to the
Cabarrus County Fair Office**

Check-in time: 8:00 am—12:00 pm on Sept. 10th

Entry Fees:
\$20.00 Per Horse and Rider (Due With Entry Form)
unlimited number of class entries

Premiums: \$30, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5
1st—5th Places

Rules :

- 1. Divisions: Youth, Junior, Senior**
- 2. Classes may be added/deleted at the discretion of the show Superintendent with Fair Management approval.**

Note: This is a trailer-in only show and you will tie your horses to tie panels in the Events Center.

Age Divisions: Youth—ages 11 and under
Junior—12-16 years old
Senior—17-22 years old

Halter:

- F-1-1 Model English Horse
- F-1-2 English Showmanship—Youth (pattern)
- F-1-3 English Showmanship—Junior (pattern)
- F-1-4 English Showmanship—Senior (pattern)

- 30 MINUTE BREAK -

Performance:

- F-2-1 Hunter Walk/Trot—Youth
- F-2-2 Hunter Walk/Trot—Junior
- F-2-3 Hunter Walk/Trot—Senior
- F-2-4 English GAYP—Youth
- F-2-5 English GAYP—Junior
- F-2-6 English GAYP—Senior
- F-2-7 Hunter Under Saddle—Youth
- F-2-8 Hunter Under Saddle—Junior
- F-2-9 Hunter Under Saddle—Senior
- F-2-10 English Equitation—Youth (pattern)
- F-2-11 English Equitation—Junior (pattern)
- F-2-12 English Equitation—Senior (pattern)
- F-2-13 Bridle Path Hack—Youth
- F-2-14 Bridle Path Hack—Junior
- F-2-15 Bridle Path Hack—Senior
- F-2-16 Junior Horse Walk/Trot English
- F-2-17 Senior Horse Walk/Trot English
- F-2-18 Junior Horse Pleasure English
- F-2-19 Senior Horse Pleasure English

- 15 MINUTE BREAK -

- F-2-23 Model Western Horse
- F-2-24 Western Showmanship—Youth (pattern)
- F-2-25 Western Showmanship—Junior (pattern)
- F-2-26 Western Showmanship—Senior (pattern)
- F-2-27 Junior Horse GAYP—Western
- F-2-28 Senior Horse GAYP—Western
- F-2-29 Junior Horse Pleasure—Western
- F-2-30 Senior Horse Pleasure—Western
- F-2-31 Western GAYP—Youth
- F-2-32 Western GAYP—Junior
- F-2-33 Western GAYP—Senior
- F-2-34 Western Walk/Jog—Youth
- F-2-35 Western Walk/Jog—Junior
- F-2-36 Western Walk/Jog—Senior
- F-2-37 Western Pleasure—Youth
(no lope or canter)
- F-2-38 Western Pleasure—Junior
- F-2-39 Western Pleasure—Senior
- F-2-40 Western Horsemanship—Youth (pattern)
- F-2-41 Western Horsemanship—Junior
(pattern)
- F-2-42 Western Horsemanship—Senior
(pattern)
- F-2-43 Trail Class (open)
- F-2-44 In Hand Trail (open)

Animals over 6 months of age must be accompanied by an official negative test for Equine Infectious Anemia (Coggins), issued within 12 months prior to the Cabarrus County Fair.

Papers will be checked before show.

NOTES:

- Junior Horse—5 years and younger
- Senior Horse—6 years and older

Special Awards

English Grand Champion—\$50
Western Grand Champion—\$50

WARNING

Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina General Statutes.

Department FA—Open Mule and Donkey Show

SUPERINTENDENT: Patti Bost

ASSISTANT: Neal Hess

Show Date: Sunday, September 11th at 1:00 pm

Pre-Entry Due: August 24th at 4:30 pm to the Cabarrus County Fair Office

**Entry Fees: \$20.00 Per Animal/Rider Combination, unlimited number of class entries or \$8.00 per class
(Due With Entry Form)**

Check-in time: 8:00 am—12 noon September 11th

**Premiums: \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5
1st—5th Places**

Rules :

- 1. Divisions: There will not be an Open and Junior Show designation for this Show.**
- 2. Classes may be added/deleted at the discretion of the show Superintendent.**

Champion MuleRibbon

Champion Donkey.....Ribbon

Halter:

FA-1-1	Youth Showmanship (Ages 9-18)	FA-1-11	Matched Pairs (Mule or Donkey)
FA-1-2	Adult Showmanship	FA-1-12	Color Class—Most Unusual (all animals)
FA-1-3	Miniature Donkey—Jennet—All Ages		
FA-1-4	Miniature Donkey—Jack—All Ages		
FA-1-5	Miniature Donkey—Gelding—All Ages		
FA-1-6	Donkey Jack— All Ages-Standard/Mammoth		
FA-1-7	Donkey Gelding – All Ages-Standard/Mammoth		
FA-1-8	Donkey Jennet - All Ages-Standard/Mammoth		
FA-1-9	Champion Donkey		
FA-1-10	Saddle Mule - All Ages (Mare & Horse)		

Performance Show will begin at 3:00 pm

Performance:

FA-2-1	Pleasure Mule—Go As You Please (English or Western)	FA 2-8	Pleasure Mule—W-J-Lope
FA-2-2	Pleasure Donkey — Go As You Please (English or Western)	FA 2-9	Musical Cones
FA-2-3	Pleasure Donkey—Go As You Please (English or Western)	FA 2-10	Egg and Spoon
FA-2-4	Country Pleasure Mule (Gated)	FA-2-11	Trail Class (open)
FA 2-5	Speed Racing Mule	FA-2-12	In Hand Tail (open)
FA 2-6	Mule—Walk—Jog	FA-2-13	Donkey Coon Jump Standards
FA 2-7	Donkey—Walk—Jog	FA-2-14	Coon Donkey Jump/Minis
		FA-2-15	Coon Mule Jump

Animals over 6 months of age must be accompanied by an official negative test for Equine Infectious Anemia (Coggins), issued within 12 months prior to the Cabarrus County Fair. **Papers will be checked before show.**

Department FC—Open Miniature Horse Show

SUPERINTENDENT: Patti Bost

ASSISTANT: Neal Hess

Show Date: Friday, September 9th at 6:00 pm

Pre-Entry Due: Wednesday, August 24th at 4:30 pm to the Cabarrus County Fair Office

Check-in time: 2:00 pm—5:00 pm September 9th

Entry Fees: \$20.00 Per Horse and Rider, unlimited number of class entries (Due With Entry Form)

Premiums: \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5
1st—5th places

Rules :

1. **Classes may be added/deleted at the discretion of the show Superintendent with Fair Management approval.**

Note: This is a trailer-in only show and you will tie your horses to tie panels in the Event Center.

Halter:

FC-1-1 Mares
FC-1-2 Geldings/Stallions
FC-1-3 Showmanship
FC-1-4 Costume Class

Performance:

FC-2-1 In Hand Trail
FC-2-2 Jumping Class
FC-2-3 Single Pleasure Driving
FC-2-4 Country Pleasure Driving
FC-2-5 Obstacle Driving
FC-2-6 Musical Freestyle

Animals over 6 months of age must be accompanied by an official negative test for Equine Infectious Anemia (Coggins), issued within 12 months prior to the Cabarrus County Fair. **Papers will be checked before show.**

Notice:

WARNING: Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99 E of the North Carolina General Statues.



Department G — Poultry

SUPERINTENDENT: Carl Beard

ASSISTANT: Jr. Stewart

Total Premiums Offered: \$5535.00

Coop Fee: \$1.00 per bird due with entry form to the Cabarrus County Fair office. Fee includes feed and water for the duration of the fair.

THERE WILL BE AN ENTRY LIMIT OF 400. Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list. Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with **FIRST** preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.

Rules and Regulations

- 1. Only one entry per person, per contest. No exceptions. Entries along with payment are due by Wednesday, August 24th at 4:30 pm and all entries must be postmarked by said date. No late entries will be accepted. No exceptions.**
- Birds will be received at Fair on Thursday, September 8th between the hours of 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- Judging will be Friday, September 9th at 9:00 am
- Release of Exhibits will be Saturday, September 17th after 10:00 pm and again Sunday, September 18th between the hours of 9:00 am -12:00 noon. No exhibits may be removed before this time and entries will be considered abandoned after 12 noon on September 18th.**
- Poultry exhibits are open to exhibitors from all areas and not restricted to Cabarrus County.
- The following poultry rules and regulations will prevail, except in cases of conflict, wherein, the General Rules and Regulations of the Fair will govern this department.
- Entries must be made on the **2016 Livestock Entry Form ONLY**. Remember, the birds must be entered before being brought in for exhibit. No entry will be taken at the time of the Fair, unless there has been some mistake in copying of the original entry, in which case corrections can be made only by the Poultry Superintendent with Fair Management approval.
- Entry forms and coop fees should be mailed to the Cabarrus County Fair, P. O. Box 707, Concord, NC 28026-0707 or submitted nights and weekends in the afterhours drop box outside the Fair Office door at 4759 Hwy 49 North, Concord, NC, 28025 before Wednesday, August 24th.
- All birds are entered at the risk of the owner. The Fair shall not be responsible for loss or damage.
- Premiums will be paid only to worthy specimens. A bird must score at least 85 to qualify for premium. The American Standard of Perfection (revised edition) will be the guide of the judges in awarding premiums.
- All poultry exhibited shall have been owned by the exhibitor for 30 days or more.
- All entries are subject to North Carolina health regulations.

All Poultry entries are subject to NC State regulations which may be in effect at the time of the fair.

Premiums and Trophies will be paid as follows:

Three or More Entries in Class: 1st 2nd 3rd
Two or More Entries in Class: 1st 2nd
One Entry in Class 1st

Trophies will be awarded as follows:

(Trophy winners will also receive any and all cash premiums to which they are entitled.)

Trophies: Champion Standard Male
Reserve Champion Standard Male
Champion Standard Female
Reserve Champion Standard Female
Champion Bantam Male
Reserve Champion Bantam Male
Champion Bantam Female
Reserve Champion Bantam Female

COMMERCIAL LAYER BREEDS

Premiums: 1st \$6.00 | 2nd \$5.00 | 3rd \$4.00

G-1-1 Best Pen of 3 Hens (Over One Year)
G-1-2 Best Pen of 3 Hens or Pullets
(Under One Year)

TURKEYS

Premiums: 1st \$6.00 | 2nd \$5.00 | 3rd \$4.00

Turkeys - Best Hen, Best Tom

G-2-1 Bronze, Best Hen
G-2-2 Bronze, Best Tom
G-2-3 Royal Palm, Best Hen
G-2-4 Royal Palm, Best Tom
G-2-5 Nargarsett, Best Hen
G-2-6 Nargarsett, Best Tom
G-2-7 Any Other, Best Hen
G-2-8 Any Other, Best Tom

OTHERS

Premiums: 1st \$6.00 | 2nd \$5.00 | 3rd \$4.00

Geese

G-3-1 Best Goose
G-3-2 Best Gander
G-3-3 Brown Chinese—Cock
G-3-4 Brown Chinese—Hen
G-3-5 Brown Chinese—Cockerel
G-3-6 Brown Chinese—Pullet
G-3-7 Any Other

Department G — Poultry (continued)

Definition of Terms:

- Cock:** Male Bird, One Year Old or Older
Hen: Female Bird, One Year Old or Older
Cockerel: Male Bird, Less Than One Year Old
Pullet: Female Bird, Less Than One Year Old

Application for a “new breed” to be added to the show should be received by the Fair Director by January 1 of the year preceding the date of the proposed show. Assurance of at least two exhibitors and a minimum of 10 birds for individual classes are required. If approved, a show classification will be added. If the breed falls below this 2/10 requirement, it will be placed on probation and then eliminated.

North Carolina Health Regulations for Poultry Exhibitions

1. *All chickens and turkeys for exhibition in North Carolina shall originate from U. S. Pullorum- Typhoid Clean or equivalent flocks, or have a negative pullorum- typhoid test within ninety (90) days (30 days for out-of-state birds) at the date of the exhibition. All North Carolina owned birds must be tested by the North Carolina Department of Agriculture agent at the time of entry.*
2. *Poultry for exhibition shall not have been vaccinated with a live virus vaccine within the last 30 days.*
3. *Each bird must be identified with a “tamper-proof” band at the time of the pollorum-typhoid test. A copy of the pollorum-typhoid test chart must accompany birds to exhibition.*
4. *Birds are subject to examination (including blood test and swabs) by a representative of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture. Birds will not be accepted which are infected with or showing any clinical signs of a contagious disease, or are infested with lice and/or mites.*
5. *Out-of-state birds will be admitted provided a permit has been obtained from the State Veterinarian of North Carolina or his authorized representative. All of the above requirements must be satisfied before this permit will be issued.*
 - a. *The secretary of each show will have the requirements for out-of-state permits printed in the show catalog or premium list.*
 - b. *Before entry blanks are mailed out (approximately three weeks before each show), a list of names and addresses of all potential out-of-state exhibitors will be sent to *Dr. Douglas Meckes*
 - c. *A permit form will be prepared for each potential exhibitor and returned to the show secretary by return mail.*
 - d. *This permit will be sent to potential exhibitors along with the premium lists, entry blanks, etc., by the show secretary.*
 - e. *This permit will be returned with the entry blanks or may accompany birds to the show. The permit must be at the show when the birds are there and available for examination by the representatives of North Carolina Department of Agriculture.*

* ***Dr. R. Douglas Meckes***
NCDCA—Consumer Services
Veterinary Division
1030 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-1030
Telephone: 919-733-7601

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Department G — Poultry (continued)

Entry Form Listing Example G-5-1

DUCKS		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Call Ducks	G-4-	1	2	3	4
Runner Ducks	G-4-	5	6	7	8
Black East Indies	G-4-	9	10	11	12
Pekin	G-4-	13	14	15	16
Any Other	G-4-	17	18	19	20

AMERICAN		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Barred Plymouth Rocks	G-5-	1	2	3	4
White Plymouth Rocks	G-5-	5	6	7	8
White Wyandotte	G-5-	9	10	11	12
Black Jersey Giant	G-5-	13	14	15	16
Single Comb Rhode Island Red	G-5-	17	18	19	20
Dominiques	G-5-	21	22	23	24
Any Other Bird	G-5-	25	26	27	28

ASIATIC		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Black Cochins	G-6-	1	2	3	4
White Cochins	G-6-	5	6	7	8
Black Langshan	G-6-	9	10	11	12
Blue Langshan	G-6-	13	14	15	16

ENGLISH		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Buff Orpingtons	G-7-	1	2	3	4
Black Australorps	G-7-	5	6	7	8
Black Orpington	G-7-	9	10	11	12

MEDITERRANEAN		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Single Comb Dark Brown Leghorns	G-8-	1	2	3	4
Single Comb Light Brown Leghorns	G-8-	5	6	7	8
Single Comb White Leghorns	G-8-	9	10	11	12
Any Other Bird	G-8-	13	14	15	16

Department G — Poultry (continued)

Entry Form Listing Example G-5-1

GAMES		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Black Breasted Red Modern Game	G-9-	1	2	3	4
Golden Duckwing Modern Game	G-9-	5	6	7	8
Brown Red Old English	G-9-	9	10	11	12
Black Breasted Red Old English	G-9-	13	14	15	16

MISCELLANEOUS		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Brown/Red Ameraucana	G-10-	1	2	3	4
Wheaten Americana	G-10-	5	6	7	8
Black Sumatras	G-10-	9	10	11	12
Blue Sumatras	G-10-	13	14	15	16
White Ameraucana	G-10-	17	18	19	20
Any Other Bird	G-10-	21	22	23	24

GAME BANTAMS		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Brown Red Modern Games	G-11-	1	2	3	4
Blue Golden Duckwing Old English	G-11-	5	6	7	8
Blue Silver Duckwing Old English	G-11-	9	10	11	12
Brown Red Old English	G-11-	13	14	15	16
Black Breasted Red Old English Games	G-11-	17	18	19	20
Silver Duckwing Old English Games	G-11-	21	22	23	24
Wheaton Old English Games	G-11-	25	26	27	28
Red Pyle Modern Game	G-11-	29	30	31	32
Red Pyle Old English	G-11-	33	34	35	36
Blue Red Old English	G-11-	37	38	39	40
Spangled Old English	G-11-	41	42	43	44
White Old English	G-11-	45	46	47	48
Black Old English	G-11-	49	50	51	52
Black Breasted Red Modern	G-11-	53	54	55	56
Blue Old English	G-11-	57	58	59	60
Golden Duckwing Old English	G-11-	61	62	63	64
Lemon Blue Old English	G-11-	65	66	67	68
Birchen Modern	G-11-	69	70	71	72
Any Other Bird	G-11-	73	74	75	76

Department G — Poultry (continued)

Entry Form Listing Example G-5-1

CONTINENTAL (Polish)		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
White Crested Black Polish	G-12-	1	2	3	4
Buff Laced Polish	G-12-	5	6	7	8
Any Other Bird	G-12-	9	10	11	12

CONTINENTAL (French)		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Any Other Bird	G-13-	1	2	3	4

ROSE COMB CLEAN LEGGED BANTAMS		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Black Rose Comb	G-14-	1	2	3	4
Dark Brown Leghorns	G-14-	5	6	7	8
Light Brown Leghorns	G-14-	9	10	11	12
Silver Leghorns	G-14-	13	14	15	16
White Leghorns	G-14-	17	18	19	20
White Wyandotte	G-14-	21	22	23	24
Golden Sebright	G-14-	25	26	27	28
Silver Sebrights	G-14-	29	30	31	32
Any Other Bird	G-14-	33	34	35	36

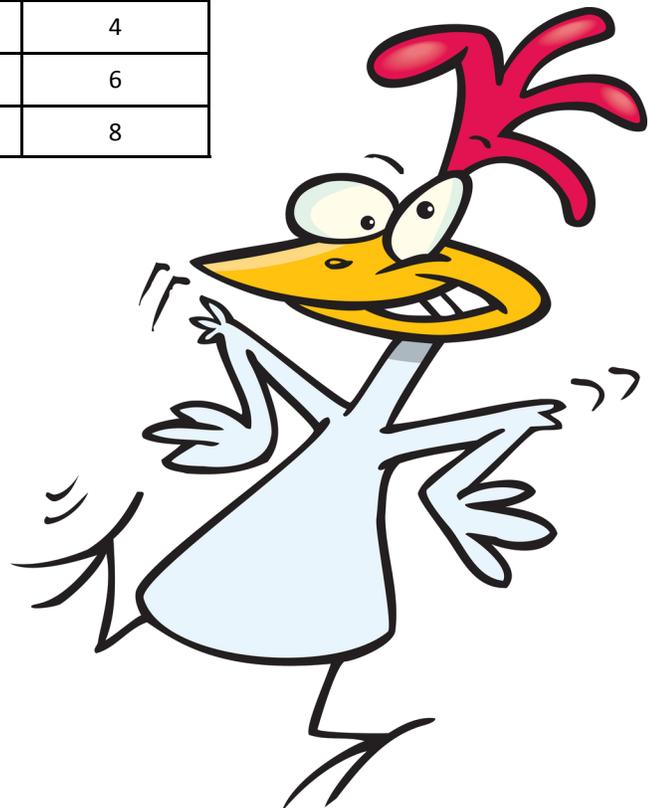
FEATHERED LEGGED BANTAMS		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Buff Brahams	G-15-	1	2	3	4
Light Brahams	G-15-	5	6	7	8
Red Cochins	G-15-	9	10	11	12
White Silkie	G-15-	13	14	15	16
Black Silkie	G-15-	17	18	19	20
White Cochins	G-15-	21	22	23	24
Blue Cochins	G-15-	25	26	27	28
Black Cochin	G-15-	29	30	31	32
Frizzles	G-15-	33	34	35	36
Any Other Bird	G-15-	37	38	39	40

Department G — Poultry (continued)

Entry Form Listing Example G-5-1

SINGLE COMB CLEAN LEGGED OTHER THAN BANTAM		Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
White Japanese	G-16-	1	2	3	4
Buff Leghorns	G-16-	5	6	7	8
Dark Brown Leghorns	G-16-	9	10	11	12
Light Brown Leghorns	G-16-	13	14	15	16
Silver Leghorns	G-16-	17	18	19	20
White Leghorns	G-16-	21	22	23	24
Barred Plymouth Rocks	G-16-	25	26	27	28
Single Comb Rhode Island Red	G-16-	29	30	31	32
White Plymouth Rock	G-16-	33	34	35	36
Black Tail White Japanese	G-16-	37	38	39	40
Buff Plymouth Rock	G-16-	41	42	43	44
Guinea	G-16-	45	46	47	48
Black Tail Buff Japanese	G-16-	49	50	51	52
Any Other Bird	G-16-	53	54	55	56

PIGEONS		Cock	Hen
Fan Tail	G-17-	1	2
Rollers	G-17-	3	4
Homer	G-17-	5	6
Any Other Pigeons	G-17-	7	8



Department H—Rabbits

SUPERINTENDENT: Jr. Stewart

Total Premiums Offered: \$324.00

Premiums: 1st \$7.00 | 2nd \$6.00 | 3rd \$5.00

Coop Fee: \$1.00 per rabbit due with entry form by Wednesday, August 24th at 4:30 pm to the Cabarrus County Fair Office

- ◆ All rabbit entries are subject to rules of the Poultry Department.
- ◆ NO pregnant rabbits are allowed.
- ◆ Entries along with payment are due by Wednesday, August 26th. No late entries will be accepted.
- ◆ Only one entry, per person, per contest. No Exceptions.

Drop-off and Pick-up:

Rabbits will be received at the Fair on Thursday, September 8th between the hours of 1:00 pm —6:00 pm.

Release of Exhibits will be Saturday, September 17th after 10:00 p.m. and again Sunday, September 18th between the hours of 9:00 am—12 noon. **No exhibits may be removed before this time and entries will be considered abandoned after 12 noon.**

THERE WILL BE AN ENTRY LIMIT OF 70. Completed entries are accepted in the date order they are received. Entries missing information or incorrectly completed will be considered after complete and accurate entries. In the occurrence that any show reaches maximum capacity the show will then go to a waiting list. Entries received after the maximum is met will be notified by Management that they have been moved onto the waiting list. Completed entries on the waiting list will be considered in the date order they are received with **FIRST preference and priority given to Cabarrus County residents.**



BREED		Buck	Doe
Dutch, Any Variety	H-1-	1	2
New Zealand, Any Variety	H-2-	3	4
Netherland Dwarf	H-3-	5	6
Velveteen Rex	H-4-	7	8
Mini Lop	H-5-	9	10
Holland Lop	H-6-	11	12
Lion Head	H-7-	13	14
Flemish Giant	H-8-	15	16
Any Other Breed	H-9-	17	18

Department J– Youth Division

Total Premiums Offered: \$1,650.00

Premiums: 1st \$4.50 | 2nd \$3.50 | 3rd \$3.00

Exhibitors must be between the ages of 9 to 18. Baked goods are to be dropped off only on Wednesday, September 7th from 3:00pm– 7:00pm to ensure their eligibility and keep quality. Home Sewing garments should be entered on a wooden or heavy plastic hanger. Model Kits (including Legos) should either be one item or affixed to a board measuring no more than 1.5x1.5 ft. Judging for the Decorated Potato Contest will be based on originality, likeness and neatness.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-1-1	Fresh Vegetables	Gourds, Three
J-1-2	Fresh Vegetables	Pumpkins
J-1-3	Fresh Vegetables	Watermelon
J-1-4	Fresh Vegetables	Cherry Tomato, Best Pint
J-1-5	Fresh Vegetables	Red Tomato, Best Five
J-1-6	Fresh Vegetables	Okra, Ten Pods
J-1-7	Fresh Vegetables	Squash Yellow, Five
J-1-8	Fresh Vegetables	Sunflower
J-1-9	Fresh Vegetables	Unlisted Vegetable
J-2-1	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Apples, Red Variety , Best Plate of 5
J-2-2	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Muscadine White, Best Quart
J-2-3	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Muscadine Black, Best Quart
J-2-4	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Hickory Nuts, Best Quart
J-2-5	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Black Walnuts, Best Quart
J-2-6	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Pecans, Best Quart
J-2-7	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Nuts
J-2-8	Fresh Fruits/Nuts	Unlisted Fruit
J-3-1	Canned Vegetables and Fruits	Canned Vegetable
J-3-2	Canned Vegetables and Fruits	Canned Fruit
J-4-1	Dried Foods	Dried Fruit or Vegetable
J-5-1	Canned Soft Spreads– No Freezer Type Spreads	Jams
J-5-2	Canned Soft Spreads– No Freezer Type Spreads	Jellies

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-5-3	Canned Soft Spreads– No Freezer Type Spreads	Unlisted Soft Spread
J-6-1	Canned Juices	Canned Juices
J-7-1	Canned Pickled Foods	Peppers
J-7-2	Canned Pickled Foods	Relish
J-7-3	Canned Pickled Foods	Unlisted Pickles
J-8-1	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	1/4 Cake
J-8-2	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	1/4 Cake from a Mix
J-8-3	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Cup Cakes, Six
J-8-4	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Decorated Cake
J-8-5	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Muffins, Six
J-8-6	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Bread– Sample
J-8-7	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Sweet Bread
J-8-8	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Biscuits
J-8-9	Bread/Cakes– Ages 9-13	Pie
J-9-1	Cookies—Ages 9-13	Bar Cookies
J-9-2	Cookies—Ages 9-13	Brownies, Six
J-9-3	Cookies—Ages 9-13	Dropped Cookies, Six
J-9-4	Cookies—Ages 9-13	Unlisted Cookies, Six
J-10-1	Candies—Ages 9-13	Fudge, 6-8 pieces
J-10-2	Candies—Ages 9-13	Peanut Brittle, 6-8 pieces
J-10-3	Candies—Ages 9-13	Unlisted Candy, 6-8 pieces
J-11-1	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	1/4 Cake
J-11-2	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	1/4 Cake from a Mix
J-11-3	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Sweet Bread
J-11-4	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Biscuits
J-11-5	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Cup Cakes, Six

Department J—Youth Division (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-11-6	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Decorated Cakes
J-11-7	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Pie
J-11-8	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Muffins, Six
J-11-9	Bread/Cakes—Ages 14-18	Other Baked Item
J-12-1	Candies—Ages 14-18	Fudge, 6-8 Pieces
J-12-2	Candies—Ages 14-18	Unlisted Candy, 6-8 Pieces
J-13-1	Cookies—Ages 14-18	Bar Cookies, Six
J-13-2	Cookies—Ages 14-18	Brownies, Six
J-13-3	Cookies—Ages 14-18	Dropped Cookies, Six
J-13-4	Cookies—Ages 14-18	Unlisted Cookies, Six
J-14-1	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Dress
J-14-2	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Sleepwear
J-14-3	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Skirt
J-14-4	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Vest
J-14-5	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Top
J-14-6	Home Sewing—Ages 9-13	Unlisted Sewing Item
J-15-1	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Pillows
J-15-2	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Household Accessories
J-15-3	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Knitted Items
J-15-4	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Quilted Items
J-15-5	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Stuffed Articles
J-15-6	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Wall Hangings
J-15-7	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Accessory
J-15-8	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Hats
J-15-9	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Jewelry
J-15-10	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Hair Accessories
J-15-11	Handwork—Ages 9-13	Unlisted Handwork
J-16-1	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Ceramics
J-16-2	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Christmas Decorations
J-16-3	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Collage
J-16-4	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Collections
J-16-5	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Decorated Articles
J-16-6	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Leather Articles
J-16-7	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Metal Craft
J-16-8	Crafts—ages 9-13	Model, Kits, Any Other

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-16-9	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Model, Kits, Original
J-16-10	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Paper Craft
J-16-11	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Acrylic
J-16-12	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Charcoal
J-16-13	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Drawings & Prints
J-16-14	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Pastel
J-16-15	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Watercolor
J-16-16	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pictures, Any Other
J-16-17	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Pottery
J-16-18	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Seed Craft
J-16-19	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Tie Dyeing
J-16-20	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Toys
J-16-21	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Wood craft
J-16-22	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Floral Design
J-16-23	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—Black & White
J-16-24	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—City & Landscape
J-16-25	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—Nature
J-16-26	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—Animals
J-16-27	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—People
J-16-28	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Photography—Children
J-16-29	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Tin Punch
J-16-30	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Woodworking
J-16-31	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Clay Objects
J-16-32	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Creative Lettering
J-16-33	Crafts—Ages 9-13	Unlisted Craft
J-17-1	Home Sewing Ages 14-18	Blouse
J-17-2	Home Sewing Ages 14-18	Skirt
J-17-3	Home Sewing Ages 14-18	Dress
J-17-4	Home Sewing Ages 14-18	Unlisted Sewing Item

Department J—Youth Division (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-18-1	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Household Accessories
J-18-2	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Knitted Items
J-18-3	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Quilted Items
J-18-4	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Accessory
J-18-5	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Jewelry
J-18-6	Handwork—Ages 14-18	Unlisted Handwork
J-19-1	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Basketry
J-19-2	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Ceramics
J-19-3	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Christmas Decorations
J-19-4	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Model, Kits, Any Other
J-19-5	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Model, Kits, Original
J-19-6	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Model, Kits, Vehicles
J-19-7	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Paper Craft
J-19-8	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Pictures, Acrylic
J-19-9	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Pictures, Drawings & Prints
J-19-10	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Pictures, Watercolor
J-19-11	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Pictures, Any Other
J-19-12	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Pottery
J-19-13	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Wood craft
J-19-14	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Floral Design
J-19-15	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Photography—Black & White
J-19-16	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Photography—City & Landscape
J-19-17	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Photography—Nature
J-19-18	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Photography—Animals
J-19-19	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Photography—People
J-19-20	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Tin Punch
J-19-21	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Creative Lettering (Computer Design)
J-19-22	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Clay Objects
J-19-23	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Card, Handmade
J-19-24	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Scrapbook Page
J-19-25	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Brochure (Computer Design)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
J-19-26	Crafts—Ages 14-18	Unlisted Craft
J-20-1	Decorated Potato Contest—Ages 9-13	Decorated Potato (Use Irish White)
J-20-2	Decorated Potato Contest—Ages 14-18	Decorated Potato (Use Irish White)
J-21-1	Recycled Articles Ages 9-13	Fair Theme
J-21-2	Recycled Articles Ages 14-18	Fair Theme
J-21-3	Recycled Clothing Ages 9-13	Clothing Item
J-21-4	Recycled Clothing Ages 14-18	Clothing Item
J-21-5	Recycled Sculpture Ages 9-13	Sculpture
J-21-6	Recycled Sculpture Ages 14-18	Sculpture

- Recycled Articles should consist of recycled materials that resemble something from the Cabarrus County Fair. (Examples: Livestock, rides, food, etc.)
- Recycled Clothing should be used to create a new usable product. (Examples: jeans or slacks to make a handbag or skirt, etc.)
- Recycled Sculpture should be made from plastic bottles, cans, corks or bottle caps, wire, wood, etc. to create a sculpture of any kind no larger



ATTENTION GIRL SCOUTS!

Visit the Fair and earn your Homegrown in North Carolina Activity Patch!

Agriculture is North Carolina's number one industry, generating \$62.6 billion annually for the State. Fairs promote agriculture through their exhibits, livestock shows and competitions.

By visiting the Fair, you can earn your agriculture activity patch by doing activities on the Fairgrounds. Activities include visiting a livestock show, interviewing a Fair employee and entering a competitive exhibit. The Homegrown in North Carolina patch program can be found at www.pinesofcarolina.org.



Young Children (Ages 5-8)

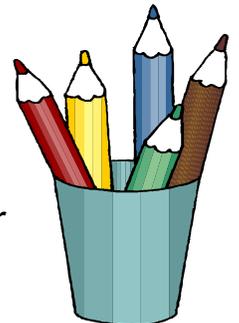
ATTENTION ALL FIRST & SECOND GRADERS!!
Enter the "Heaping Helping of Fun" Coloring Contest"
Prizes will be awarded.

Return Sheet to: Cabarrus County Fair
P.O. Box 707
Concord, NC 28026-0707

Deadline: September 1, 2016

Fair Office: 4759 Highway 49 North
Concord, NC 28025

Also look for the coloring contest in the Independent Tribune for your chance to win Fair tickets!



FAIR SCENE COLORING CONTEST

2016

Contest Rules

First and Second Graders

1. Open to first and second graders only.
2. Coloring ideas are left to each individual and he/she must do his/her own work.
3. Prizes will be awarded to the top ten per grade level. Winners will be posted inside Gold Hall 1 for each grade level and may collect their entry and prizes on Wednesday, September 14th, 2016.
4. Picture must be completely filled in on the back with your name, address, phone number, school, teacher's name, and grade.
5. Mail or deliver to the Fair Office (P.O. Box 707, Concord, NC 28026-0707 or 4759 Highway 49N, Concord, NC 28025) on or before September 2, 2016.

NAME _____

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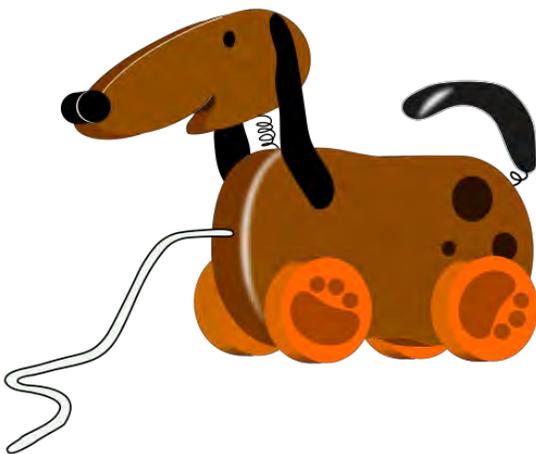
Department K—Young Children

Exhibitor's age shall be 5-8 years old determined as of January 1 of the current year.
All young children (ages 5-8) should enter their items in this Department.
Each entry will receive a green participation ribbon and \$1.00 honorarium per entry up to (10) ten.

**All garments should be exhibited on a clothes hanger.*

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
K-1-1	Handwork	Pillows
K-1-2	Handwork	Stuffed Article
K-1-3	Handwork	Decorated Trees
K-1-4	Handwork	Hair Accessory
K-1-5	Handwork	Unlisted Handwork
K-2-1	Arts and Crafts	Ceramics
K-2-2	Arts and Crafts	Christmas Decorations
K-2-3	Arts and Crafts	Collage
K-2-4	Arts and Crafts	Collection
K-2-5	Arts and Crafts	Decorated Article
K-2-6	Arts and Crafts	Jewelry
K-2-7	Arts and Crafts	Model
K-2-8	Arts and Crafts	Paper Craft
K-2-9	Arts and Crafts	Picture
K-2-10	Arts and Crafts	Seed Craft
K-2-11	Arts and Crafts	Toy
K-2-12	Arts and Crafts	Photography
K-2-13	Arts and Crafts	Tin Punch
K-2-14	Arts and Crafts	Clay Objects
K-2-15	Arts and Crafts	Unlisted Craft

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
K-3-1	Bread/Cakes	Biscuits
K-3-2	Bread/Cakes	Cup Cakes, Six
K-3-3	Bread/Cakes	Decorated Cake
K-3-4	Bread/Cakes	Muffins, Six
K-3-5	Bread/Cakes	Unlisted Bread— Sample
K-3-6	Break/Cakes	Unlisted Cake, 1/4 Cake
K-4-1	Cookies	Brownies
K-4-2	Cookies	Dropped Cookies, Six
K-4-3	Cookies	Unlisted Cookies, Six
K-5-1	Home Sewing	Skirt
K-5-2	Home Sewing	Top, Casual
K-5-3	Home Sewing	Slacks
K-5-4	Home Sewing	Dress
K-5-5	Home Sewing	Unlisted Garment
K-6-1	Fresh Vegetables	Beans, Snap, Unshelled, 12 pods
K-6-2	Fresh Vegetables	Peppers, 6 pods
K-6-3	Fresh Vegetables	Pumpkin
K-6-4	Fresh Vegetables	Gourd
K-6-5	Fresh Vegetables	Unlisted Vegetable
K-7-1	Fresh Fruit/Nuts	Apples, Red Variety, Best Plate of 5
K-7-2	Fresh Fruit/Nuts	Watermelon
K-7-3	Fresh Fruit/Nuts	Unlisted Fruit
K-7-4	Fresh Fruit/Nuts	Nuts



Code for Entry	Description
L-1-1	4-H Exhibits
L-2-2	ECA Clubs
L-3-3	Schools
L-4-4	FFA
L-5-5	Boy Scouts
L-6-6	Girl Scouts
L-7-7	All Other Organizations

**SCORE CARD: Education: 30pts | Communication to Viewers: 30pts
Creativity: 20pts | Design & Mechanics 20pts**

**Awards: 1st \$150.00 | 2nd \$125.00 | 3rd \$100.00 | 4th \$95.00
All others who qualify (5th place—all other) will receive
honorable mention: \$85.00**

The Fair will furnish your exhibit space with the following:

- Booth (8 ft. x 8 ft.)
- Backdrop Curtain (7 ft. from floor)
- Front Curtain (3-1/2 ft. from floor)
- Side Curtain Dividers (3-1/2 ft. from floor)

*****The Fair will take as many booths as physical space allows. Due to space needs please have entry form into the Fair Office by August 10, 2016.*****

Entry forms received after this date will be accepted on a first-come first-serve basis until space runs out. ALL entry forms must be received by the fair entry deadline of August 24th at 4:30 pm.

Guidelines

- Only one booth may be submitted for judging per group. Additional booths may be accepted by Fair Management for display only (not to be judged) if space allows. Include all booths on the entry form and note which one is to be judged.
- All W-9 and Entry Forms for educational exhibits must be received by the Fair Office by **4:30 pm on Wednesday, August 10th for your best chances at guaranteeing booth space**. Space is available on first-come first-serve basis. No exceptions. **All W-9's submitted in this department MUST include the organizations EIN number NOT a personal SS#.**
- Booth Set-Up Times: Tuesday, September 6th, 2 p.m. until 7 p.m. and Wednesday, September 7th, 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. All educational exhibits must be in place by 7 p.m., Wednesday, September 7th. Entry tags must be attached to the front curtain of the exhibit. Exhibits should not exceed 8ft in height.
- No advertising materials or literature may be displayed in exhibit. Cover brand names of product and use generic labeling where applicable.
- All hanging signage provided by the fair for each booth will be turned over for judging. Signs provided by the fair will be collected at the completion of the fair. Should exhibitors select to take the sign the fair has provide then a \$30 replacement fee will be subtracted from the exhibitors premium.
- No liquids are allowed in booths.
- Booths cannot be an advertisement for the group or a business and must be structured on an educational topic. ONLY.
- Judging will be held on Thursday, September 8th beginning at 10 a.m.
- Judges may determine that a booth does not meet minimum standards, which will disqualify it from receiving the honorable mention premium.
- Exhibits must be removed Sunday, September 18th between 2p.m.–5 p.m.
- Premium checks will be sent to the organization designated on the W9 Form.
- Interested in staffing your exhibit booth? Organizations must let the office know in writing by Friday, Sept. 2nd and include names, dates, times that you will be staffing booth for fair. Notice given after this date will not be accepted.

Department L—Educational (Continued)

Judging Criteria

I. EDUCATION

Would the viewers want to make a change because of the exhibit? Is this the kind of exhibit that would inspire others to develop similar ideas in their community? Is information based on facts concerning the subject matter rather than hearsay? Is the idea based on a positive note and does the exhibit clearly show how the viewers can accomplish this? Does the exhibit teach and instruct the viewers how to carry out the idea presented by the exhibit?

II. COMMUNICATION TO VIEWERS

If the idea is directed at too broad an area or audience, has it weakened the impact of the idea? When the group knows what audience they want to reach, will this be shown in the clarity of the idea? It also will answer the question—Do you know who you want to talk to, and why? The attention of the viewer needs to be held long enough to communicate the idea clearly. Can you follow the idea easily and interestingly? Does each part relate and help tell a unified story? Is the idea clear or is it only presented in the title? Is the presentation of the idea obscure and not easily understood?

III. CREATIVITY

Many times the idea is so subtle or confused that it is not understood. The idea should be understood in 15 to 20 seconds. Has the group developed the idea in a new and interesting manner? Have they taken an old idea and given it a new turn? Does the idea sparkle, is it the kind of idea that makes you want to stop and look, and try to learn more about it? Does the exhibit show that the group knows what they are talking about? Have they clarified their thinking in such a way that the meaning is clear and understood?

IV. DESIGN AND MECHANICS

Is it helpful to have action? The color can cause action; also, the movement of light and the idea or title denote action. Have exhibits crowded the exhibit space with “things” merely to fill space and, in doing so, made it bare or empty? Are the buildings, figures, lettering, etc. in proportion to the idea portrayed? Example: A building on a stream that is too large for the stream. Has the group used their talent in a professional manner? Have they used lettering and painting in a professional manner?



Department M—Food Preservation

Total Premiums Offered: \$1,050.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.50 | 2nd \$4.50 | 3rd \$4.00

Rules:

1. Exhibitor must be 19 years of age or older .
2. All entries must be in standard home canning jars and sealed with two-piece vacuum caps.
3. Entries must be labeled with product name, date of preparation, processing method and length of processing time.
4. Entries must have been prepared within a one-year period of judging date.
5. Entries must be heat-processed following canning recommendations in the USDA (Cooperative Extension) guide. The two approved methods are: boiling-water canning for high-acid food (fruits, juices, soft spreads and pickled foods) and steam-pressure canning for low-acid foods (all vegetables, meats, soup mixtures).
6. Bands should be in place for transporting home canned foods; however, bands should be removed when presented for judging.
7. An appropriate amount of headspace should be allowed: 1/4-inch for jams and jellies, pickled foods (except sauerkraut); 1/2-inch for fruits, tomatoes and sauerkraut; 1-inch for vegetables.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
M-1-1	Canned Fruit	Apples
M-1-2	Canned Fruit	Figs
M-1-3	Canned Fruit	Peaches
M-1-4	Canned Fruit	Pears
M-1-5	Canned Fruit	Plums
M-1-6	Canned Fruit	Blackberries
M-1-7	Canned Fruit	Applesauce
M-1-8	Canned Fruit	Unlisted Fruit
M-2-1	Canned Vegetables	Corn
M-2-2	Canned Vegetables	Field Peas
M-2-3	Canned Vegetables	Green Beans, Pint
M-2-4	Canned Vegetables	Green Beans, Quart
M-2-5	Canned Vegetables	Green Beans, Shelly
M-2-6	Canned Vegetables	Lima Beans
M-2-7	Canned Vegetables	Okra
M-2-8	Canned Vegetables	Sweet Potatoes
M-2-9	Canned Vegetables	Pimento Peppers
M-2-10	Canned Vegetables	Tomatoes, Pint
M-2-11	Canned Vegetables	Tomatoes, Quart
M-2-12	Canned Vegetables	Spaghetti Sauce (no Meat)
M-2-13	Canned Vegetables	BBQ Sauce
M-2-14	Canned Vegetables	Soup
M-2-15	Canned Vegetables	Unlisted Vegetables

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
M-3-1	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Apple Butter
M-3-2	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Blackberry Jam
M-3-3	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Plum Jam
M-3-4	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Strawberry Jam
M-3-5	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Unlisted Butter
M-3-6	Soft Spreads– Jams & Butter	Unlisted Jam
M-4-1	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Cherry
M-4-2	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Fig
M-4-3	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Peach
M-4-4	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Strawberry
M-4-5	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Unlisted Marmalades
M-4-6	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Pear Preserves
M-4-7	Soft Spreads– Preserves & Marmalades	Unlisted Preserves
M-5-1	Soft Spreads– Jellies	Apple
M-5-2	Soft Spreads– Jellies	Blackberry
M-5-3	Soft Spreads– Jellies	Crabapple
M-5-4	Soft Spreads– Jellies	Grape
M-5-5	Soft Spreads– Jellies	Peach

Department M—Food Preservation (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
M-5-6	Soft Spreads— Jellies	Pepper
M-5-7	Soft Spreads— Jellies	Plum
M-5-8	Soft Spreads— Jellies	Unlisted Jellies
M-6-1	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Beans
M-6-2	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Corn
M-6-3	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Peas
M-6-4	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Pepper
M-6-5	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Tomatoes
M-6-6	Dried Food Products— Fresh Vegetables	Other Dried Vegetables
M-7-1	Fruit	Apples
M-7-2	Fruit	Peaches
M-7-3	Fruit	Figs
M-8-1	Herbs	Herbs, Any Variety, Dried
M-9-1	Pickled Foods	Beets
M-9-2	Pickled Foods	Bread and Butter
M-9-3	Pickled Foods	Chili Sauce , Hot Sauce
M-9-4	Pickled Foods	Chow-Chow
M-9-5	Pickled Foods	Corn Relish
M-9-6	Pickled Foods	Cucumber Pickles, Dill
M-9-7	Pickled Foods	Cucumber Pickles, Sweet
M-9-8	Pickled Foods	Cucumber Pickles, Sour
M-9-9	Pickled Foods	Green Tomato Pickles
M-9-10	Pickled Foods	Mixed Pickles, Vegetable
M-9-11	Pickled Foods	Okra
M-9-12	Pickled Foods	Pepper Relish
M-9-13	Pickled Foods	Pickled Peppers
M-9-14	Pickled Foods	Salsa
M-9-15	Pickled Foods	Unlisted Pickles
M-9-16	Pickled Foods	Unlisted Relishes

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
M-10-1	Juices	Apple, Quart or Pint
M-10-2	Juices	Grape, Quart or Pint
M-10-3	Juices	Tomato, Quart
M-10-4	Juices	Tomato, Pint
M-10-5	Juices	Unlisted Juice

- Canned fruit must be processed in boiling water bath or pressure canner.
- Canned vegetables must be processed in stem pressure canner.
- Soft Spreads— James, Butter, Preserves, Marmalades, Jellies must be processed in boiling water bath, no paraffin should be used.
- Dried Food Products should be fresh vegetables dried in a dehydrator, oven or by natural means.
- Pickled Foods should be in a standard canning jar and processed in a boiling water bath.





2016 Award Announcement

BALL® Fresh Preserving™ AWARD

Presented by: ***BALL® & KERR® FRESH Preserving PRODUCTS***

FOR ADULT LEVEL

Jarden Home Brands makers of Ball® and Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products is proud to recognize today's fresh preserving (canning) enthusiasts. First and Second Place Awards will be given to individuals Judged as the best in designated categories.

A panel of Judges will select the two best entries for Fruit, Vegetable, Pickle and Soft Spread categories. Entries must be preserved in Ball® Jars sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands, or Ball® Collection Elite® Jars sealed with Collection Elite® Lids and Bands, Ball® Heritage Collection Jars sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands, or preserved in Kerr® Jars sealed with Kerr® Lids and Bands. In addition, soft spread entries must be prepared using Ball® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-Sugar Needed or Liquid.

Entries designated First Place from each category will receive:

- Two (2) Five Dollar (\$5) Coupons for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and
- One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

Entries designated Second Place from each category will receive:

- One(1) Five-Dollar (\$5) Coupon for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and
- One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

FOR YOUTH LEVEL

In recognition of youth who excel in the art of fresh preserving (canning), Jarden Home Brands, marketers of the Ball® and Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products will present First Place Awards in designated categories.

A panel of Judges will select the best entry in each category for Fruit, Vegetable, Pickle and Soft Spread. Entries must be preserved in Ball® Jars sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands or Ball® Collection Elite® Jars sealed with Collection Elite® Lids and Bands, Ball® Heritage Collection Jars sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands or preserved in Kerr® Jars sealed with Kerr® Lids and Bands. In addition, soft spread entries must be prepared using Ball® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-Sugar Needed or Liquid.

The best entry from each category will receive:

- One(1) Five (\$5) Coupon for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and
- One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

Department N—Baked Goods

Total Premiums Offered: \$532.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.50 | 2nd \$4.50 | 3rd \$4.00

BAKED GOODS ARE TO BE ENTERED ONLY ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH TO ENSURE THEIR ELEGIBILITY AND KEEP QUALITY.

Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years or older. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than one entry in any class.
2. Doctoring Mix for cakes should showcase the creativity of our own working parents. You should highlight what you “add to the mix” to make it your own cake.
3. All cake entries should be able to be carried into the Exhibits Hall. Judges do taste and/or cut into the cakes/cookie however the cakes will be moved for judging to take place.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
N-1-1	Bread	Buttermilk Biscuits, Six
N-1-2	Bread	Cheese Biscuits, Six
N-1-3	Bread	Cinnamon Buns, Six
N-1-4	Bread	Cornbread, 1/4 Cake
N-1-5	Bread	Cornmeal Muffins, Six
N-1-6	Bread	Yeast Rolls, Six
N-1-7	Bread	Yeast Bread, 1/4 loaf
N-1-8	Bread	Quick Bread, 1/4 Loaf
N-1-9	Bread	Quick Bread, Sample
N-1-10	Bread	Unlisted Bread, Sample
N-1-11	Bread	Muffins, Six
N-1-12	Bread	Automatic Bread Machine Products, Sample
N-2-1	Cakes	Angel Food, 1/4 Cake
N-2-2	Cakes	Layer Cakes, 1/4 Cake
N-2-3	Cakes	Chocolate Pound, 1/4 Cake
N-2-4	Cakes	Decorated Cake
N-2-5	Cakes	Decorated Cupcakes, Six
N-2-6	Cakes	Pound, 1/4 Cake
N-2-7	Cakes	Spice, 1/4 Cake
N-2-8	Cakes	Nut Cake, 1/4 Cake
N-2-9	Cakes	Unlisted Cake, 1/4 Cake
N-2-10	Cakes	“Doctoring Mix”, 1/4 cake
N-3-1	Candies	Carmel, 6-8 Pieces

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Article
N-3-2	Candies	Coconut, 6-8 Pieces
N-3-3	Candies	Dipped Chocolate, 6-8 Pieces
N-3-4	Candies	Divinity, 6-8 Pieces
N-3-5	Candies	Exhibit of Homemade Candies, 6-8 pieces, at least 3 kinds
N-3-6	Candies	Fudge, 6-8 Pieces
N-3-7	Candies	Peanut Brittle, 6-8 Pieces
N-3-8	Candies	Holiday Sweets
N-3-9	Candies	Unlisted Candies, 6-8 pieces
N-4-1	Cookies	Bar Cookies, Six
N-4-2	Cookies	Brownies, Six
N-4-3	Cookies	Fancy Cookies, Six
N-4-4	Cookies	Refrigerator Cookies, Six
N-4-5	Cookies	Pressed Cookies, Six
N-4-6	Cookies	Dropped Cookies, Six
N-4-7	Cookies	Rolled Cookies, Six
N-4-8	Cookies	Unlisted Cookies, Six

Diabetic Foods

All diabetic entries must have a recipe recorded on a 4x6 index card and will become the property of the Cabarrus County Fair. Foods in this section will be judged according to their diabetic standards, taste and overall appearance.

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| N-5-1 Breads, Any | N-5-4 Cakes, Any |
| N-5-2 Rolls, Any, Six | N-5-5 Cookies, Any |
| N-5-3 Muffins, Any, Six | N-5-6 Candy, Any |

Martha Brawley's Department O—Home Sewing

Total Premiums Offered: \$220.00

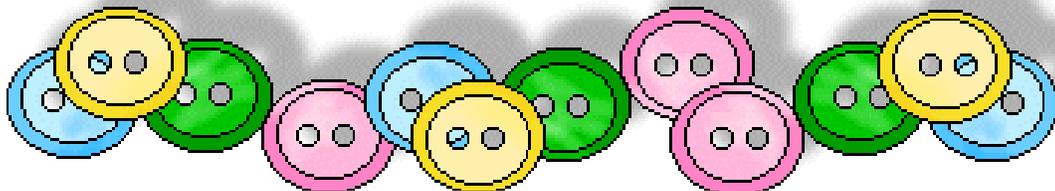
Premiums: 1st \$4.50 | 2nd \$ 3.50 | 3rd \$3.00

Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years or older.
2. Exhibit must have been completed since the last Fair.
3. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than one entry in any class.
4. All articles should demonstrate hand or machine sewing techniques.
5. All articles should be neat and clean.
6. Bring articles on clothes hangers that are to be hung.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
O-1-1	Children	Toy/Doll
O-1-2	Children	Dress
O-1-3	Children	Play Clothes
O-1-4	Children	Unlisted Items
O-2-1	Women & Girls	Apron
O-2-2	Women & Girls	Blouse
O-2-3	Women & Girls	Costume
O-2-4	Women & Girls	Handbag
O-2-5	Women & Girls	Hat
O-2-6	Women & Girls	Jumper

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
O-2-7	Women & Girls	Dress
O-2-8	Women & Girls	Skirt
O-2-9	Women & Girls	Vest
O-2-10	Women & Girls	Special Occasion
O-2-11	Women & Girls	Unlisted Items
O-3-1	Men & Boys	Any Top, Shirt, Jacket, etc.
O-3-2	Men & Boys	Any Bottom, Pants, Shorts, etc.
O-3-3	Men & Boys	Unlisted Items
O-4-1	Household Fashions	Pillow or Cushion
O-4-2	Household Fashions	Home Accessory



Department P—Needlework

Total Premiums Offered: \$576.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

Quilt Premiums: 1st \$7.00 | 2nd \$6.00 | 3rd \$5.00

Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years or older.
2. Exhibitor must have been completed since last Fair.
3. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than one entry in any class.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
P-1-1	Crocheted	Afghan
P-1-2	Crocheted	Afghan, 2 or more colors
P-1-3	Crocheted	Baby Item
P-1-4	Crocheted	Doll Clothes
P-1-5	Crocheted	Holiday Decorations
P-1-6	Crocheted	Pillow
P-1-7	Crocheted	Hat/Scarf
P-1-8	Crocheted	Unlisted Article
P-2-1	Knitted	Afghan
P-2-2	Knitted	Afghan, 2 or more colors
P-2-3	Knitted	Baby Item
P-2-4	Knitted	Doll Clothes
P-2-5	Knitted	Holiday Decorations
P-2-6	Knitted	Pillow
P-2-7	Knitted	Hat/Scarf
P-2-8	Knitted	Unlisted Article
P-3-1	Linen	Napkins, Four
P-3-2	Linen	Pillow Case, Set
P-3-3	Linen	Place Mats, Set
P-3-4	Linen	Pot Holder
P-3-5	Linen	Towel, Kitchen
P-3-6	Linen	Towel, Unlisted
P-3-7	Linen	Unlisted Linen Article
P-4-1	Other Handiwork	Applique Article
P-4-2	Other Handiwork	Counted Cross Stitch
P-4-3	Other Handiwork	Creative Stitchery

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
P-4-4	Other Handiwork	Embroidered Item
P-4-5	Other Handiwork	Latch Hooked Item
P-4-6	Other Handiwork	Needlepoint, Any
P-4-7	Other Handiwork	Picture, Counted Cross Stitch
P-4-8	Other Handiwork	Pictures, Any Other
P-4-9	Other Handiwork	Pillow, Cross Stitch
P-4-10	Other Handiwork	Pillow, Any Other
P-4-11	Other Handiwork	Wall Hanging Cross Stitch
P-4-12	Other Handiwork	Toy
P-4-13	Other Handiwork	Unlisted Item
P-5-1	Quilts	Appliques—Hand Stitched
P-5-2	Quilts	Appliques—Machine Stitched
P-5-3	Quilts	Patchwork—Hand Stitched
P-5-4	Quilts	Patchwork—Machine Stitched
P-5-5	Quilts	Pieced—Hand Stitched
P-5-6	Quilts	Pieced—Machine Stitched
P-5-7	Quilts	Infant—Hand Stitched
P-5-8	Quilts	Infant—Machine Stitched
P-5-9	Quilts	Wall Hanging 24"x24" - Hand Stitched
P-5-10	Quilts	Wall Hanging 24"x24" - Machine Stitched
P-5-11	Quilts	Wall Hanging 36"x36" - Hand Stitched
P-5-12	Quilts	Wall Hanging 36"x36" - Machine Stitched

Department Q—Crafts

Total Premiums Offered: \$ 420.00 Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

SCORECARD: Good Craftsmanship 40pts | Originality and Creativity 30pts | Practicality and Usefulness 30pts

Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years or older.
2. Exhibitor must have been completed since last Fair.
3. No exhibitor will be allowed to make more than one entry in any class.
4. All work done on paper must be mounted on cardboard.
5. All work done in charcoal or pastel should be sprayed with a fixative.
6. All framed pictures must have attached hanger on back suitable for hanging.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
Q-1-1	Crafts	Woven Basket
Q-1-2	Crafts	Beadwork
Q-1-3	Crafts	Ceramics
Q-1-4	Crafts	Ceramics, Porcelain
Q-1-5	Crafts	Christmas Decorations, one item of a Set
Q-1-6	Crafts	Collage
Q-1-7	Crafts	Collection
Q-1-8	Crafts	Egg Craft
Q-1-9	Crafts	Fabric Craft
Q-1-10	Crafts	Glass Craft
Q-1-11	Crafts	Holiday Decoration
Q-1-12	Crafts	Household Article
Q-1-13	Crafts	Jewelry
Q-1-14	Crafts	Leatherwork
Q-1-15	Crafts	Holiday Tree Trimmer
Q-1-16	Crafts	Model Kit, Any
Q-1-17	Crafts	Paper Craft
Q-1-18	Crafts	Picture, Drawings and Prints
Q-1-19	Crafts	Picture, Mixed Media
Q-1-20	Crafts	Picture, Oil
Q-1-21	Crafts	Picture, Other
Q-1-22	Crafts	Watercolor

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
Q-1-23	Crafts	Woodburning
Q-1-24	Crafts	Woodcarving
Q-1-25	Crafts	Woodworking
Q-1-26	Crafts	Picture Frame
Q-1-27	Crafts	Floral Craft
Q-1-28	Crafts	Wreaths
Q-1-29	Crafts	Decorated Basket
Q-1-30	Crafts	Hobby
Q-1-31	Crafts	Unlisted Item
Q-1-32	Crafts	Seed Craft
Q-1-33	Crafts	Shell Craft
Q-2-1	Recycled Articles	Recycled Fair Theme Item— use recycled materials to create entries that resemble something from the Cabarrus County Fair. Examples live-stock, rides, food, etc.
Q-2-2	Recycled Articles	Recycled Clothing Item— Use an item of clothing to create a new usable product. Exam-ples jeans or slacks to make a handbag or skirt, etc.
Q-2-3	Recycled Articles	Recycled Sculpture—Use plastic bottles, cans, corks, or bottle caps, wire, wood, etc. to create a sculpture of any kind no larger than 3 feet in width or height.

Department R– Flowers

Entry Deadline in Dept. A, Dept. B, Dept. C , Dept. R and Dept. V ONLY is Tuesday, August 30 at 4:30 p.m.

Total Premiums Offered: \$990.00

Premiums: 1st \$4.50 | 2nd \$3.50 | 3rd \$3.00

Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years of age or older.
2. All entries in this category must be entered in the name of the producer.
3. All flowers must be alive or must have been alive at one time.
4. Last minute watering and arranging may be done in a designated area away from the registration table.
5. Short lived materials will be in better condition for judging if entered on Wednesday, September 9th.
6. Exhibitors will be responsible for placing heavy items such as large potted plants.
7. Exhibits will be watered by volunteers during the week the Fair reserves the right to remove and destroy any exhibit that has deteriorated.
8. Accessories are permitted in Category R-4-1 thru R-4-3 only.
9. No artificial flowers are permitted.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
R-1-1	Cut Flowers	Ageratum, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-2	Cut Flowers	Asters, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-3	Cut Flowers	Celosia, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-4	Cut Flowers	Chrysanthemums, Small, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-5	Cut Flowers	Chrysanthemums, Large, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-6	Cut Flowers	Cockscomb, 1 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-7	Cut Flowers	Cosmos, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-8	Cut Flowers	Dahlias, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-9	Cut Flowers	Daisies, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-10	Cut Flowers	Gladioli, 1 Specimen
R-1-11	Cut Flowers	Hydrangea, 1 Specimen
R-1-12	Cut Flowers	Lilies, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-13	Cut Flowers	Marigold, Small, 6 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-14	Cut Flowers	Marigold, Large 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-15	Cut Flowers	Rose, Red, 1 Specimen
R-1-16	Cut Flowers	Rose, Pink, 1 Specimen
R-1-17	Cut Flowers	Rose, White, 1 Specimen
R-1-18	Cut Flowers	Rose, Yellow, 1 Specimen
R-1-19	Cut Flowers	Rose, Any Other, 1 Specimen
R-1-20	Cut Flowers	Snapdragon, 1 Specimen

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
R-1-21	Cut Flowers	Sunflower, 3 Specimen
R-1-22	Cut Flowers	Zinnias, 1 Specimen
R-1-23	Cut Flowers	Petunias
R-1-24	Cut Flowers	Unlisted Blooming, 3 Specimens of 1 Variety
R-1-25	Cut Flowers	Unlisted Cut Flower, 1 Specimen
R-1-26	Cut Flowers	Sedum, 1 Specimen
R-2-1	Cut Flower Arrangement	Ageratum
R-2-2	Cut Flower Arrangement	Asters
R-2-3	Cut Flower Arrangement	Celosia
R-2-4	Cut Flower Arrangement	Chrysanthemums
R-2-5	Cut Flower Arrangement	Cosmos
R-2-6	Cut Flower Arrangement	Dahlias
R-2-7	Cut Flower Arrangement	Gladioli
R-2-8	Cut Flower Arrangement	Marigold
R-2-9	Cut Flower Arrangement	Mixed Flowers (at least 3 varieties)

Department R—Flowers (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
R-2-10	Cut Flower Arrangement	Roses, Any
R-2-11	Cut Flower Arrangement	Wildflowers
R-2-12	Cut Flower Arrangement	Zinnias
R-2-13	Cut Flower Arrangement	Unlisted (all 1 Variety)
R-2-14	Cut Flower Arrangement	Cut Foliage Elephant Ear, Best 1
R-2-15	Cut Flower Arrangement	Cut Foliage Caster Bean, Best 1
R-2-16	Cut Flower Arrangement	Cut Flower Grass Seed Head, Best 1 Bunch
R-3-1	Potted Plants	African Violet
R-3-2	Potted Plants	Begonia, Blooming, Pink
R-3-3	Potted Plants	Begonia, Blooming, Red
R-3-4	Potted Plants	Begonia, Blooming, White
R-3-5	Potted Plants	Begonia, Any Other
R-3-6	Potted Plants	Cactus, Collection
R-3-7	Potted Plants	Cactus, Individual
R-3-8	Potted Plants	Caladium
R-3-9	Potted Plants	Coleus, Large Leaf
R-3-10	Potted Plants	Coleus, Small Leaf
R-3-11	Potted Plants	Crassula (except Jade Plant)
R-3-12	Potted Plants	Dish Garden
R-3-13	Potted Plants	Fern, Any
R-3-14	Potted Plants	Jade Plant
R-3-15	Potted Plants	Foliage, House Plant
R-3-16	Potted Plants	Gizzard Plant
R-3-17	Potted Plants	Hanging Basket
R-3-18	Potted Plants	Joseph's Coat
R-3-19	Potted Plants	Orchids
R-3-20	Potted Plants	Pepper Plant, Any
R-3-21	Potted Plants	Philodendron (Vining Plant)
R-3-22	Potted Plants	Porch Box

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
R-3-23	Potted Plants	Sansevieria (Snake Plant Tall)
R-3-24	Potted Plants	Sansevieria (Snake Plant) Dwarf
R-3-25	Potted Plants	Sultana, Blooming
R-3-26	Potted Plants	Vining Plant, Any Other
R-3-27	Potted Plants	Wandering Jew
R-3-28	Potted Plants	Any Potted Herb
R-3-29	Potted Plants	Peace Lily (Spathiphyllum)
R-3-30	Potted Plants	Kalanchoe
R-3-31	Potted Plants	Schefflera
R-3-32	Potted Plants	Topiary, Best 1
R-3-33	Potted Plants	Pepper, Small Edible
R-3-34	Potted Plants	Pepper, Large Edible
R-3-35	Potted Plants	Pepper, Ornamental
R-3-36	Potted Plants	Sedum
R-3-37	Potted Plants	Nephtytis
R-3-38	Potted Plants	Lantana
R-3-39	Potted Plants	Agave
R-3-40	Potted Plants	Aloe
R-3-41	Potted Plants	Echeveria
R-3-42	Potted Plants	Euphorbia (Crown of Thorns)
R-3-43	Potted Plants	Haworthia
R-3-44	Potted Plants	Sempervivum (Hen and Chicks)
R-3-45	Potted Plants	Succulents
R-4-1	"A Fresh Mass" Arrangement	Arrangement of locally grown fruits or vegetables and plants. Design area 24"x20" and is designer's choice of orientation. Please attach brief description of items used in design.
R-4-2	"Go Green" Arrangement	Arrangement of locally grown herbs, which can be utilized in cooking or as a garnish on plated foods. Design area 18"x15" and is designer's choice of orientation. Please attach brief description of items used in design.
R-4-3	"Celebrate Cabarrus" Arrangement	A miniature design that is no more than 10" in height, width or depth. Plant materials and other components must be small, as scale is important.

Department SA—Home Arts, SB—Creative Celebration, SC—Scrapbooking and SD—Decorated Trees

Total Premiums Offered: \$436.00

Home Arts: 1st \$8.00 | 2nd \$6.00 | 3rd \$5.00 | 4th \$4.00

Creative Celebration : 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$ 4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

Decorated Trees: 1st \$15.00 | 2nd \$10.00 | 3rd \$5.00

Scrapbooking: 1st \$8.00 | 2nd \$ 6.00 | 3rd \$5.00

Exhibitors must be 19 years or older.

Home Arts Rules:

The Fair will furnish 12 spaces for individual place settings. Measurements per place setting: 24" by 24". Contestants are required to furnish all decorations. No plastic utensils will be accepted, silverware must be included along with a centerpiece accenting the theme. To reserve a place setting or space for a tree, an Entry Form and W9 must be submitted. Reservations will be accepted on a first-come first-reserved basis, as there are only 12 place settings available (4 spaces per theme) and 12 spaces for trees (4 spaces per theme). No 7ft trees will be accepted. After submitting your Entry Form and W9 please call the fair office and confirm your place setting or tree reservation. Invitations must be able to be mailed and accompanied with an envelope.

Scrapbooking Rules:

Whole scrapbooks are ineligible to enter, please submit: 2 pages only on the same subject and attach pages together in a protective covering. Pages should be 12 x 12 inches. Please do not repeat any pages from the previous year.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
SA-1-1	Place Setting- Celebrations	Holidays (Any Holiday)
SA-1-2	Place Setting- Celebrations	Birthdays/Baby Shower
SA-1-3	Place Setting- Celebrations	Fall/Winter
SB-2-1	Creative Celebration—Gift Wrap	Birthday Gift
SB-2-2	Creative Celebration—Gift Wrap	Christmas Gift
SB-2-3	Creative Celebration—Gift Wrap	Wedding/Shower Gift
SB-2-4	Creative Celebration—Gift Wrap	Miscellaneous
SB-3-1	Creative Celebration—Invitations	Birthday Party
SB-3-2	Creative Celebration—Invitations	Holiday Party
SB-3-3	Creative Celebration—Invitations	Wedding/Shower
SB-3-4	Creative Celebration—Invitations	Miscellaneous
SB-4-1	Creative Celebration Centerpieces	Birthday Party
SB-4-2	Creative Celebration Centerpieces	Christmas
SB-4-3	Creative Celebration Centerpieces	Wedding/Shower
SB-4-4	Creative Celebration Centerpieces	Miscellaneous
SC-5-1	Scrapbooking	Family
SC-5-2	Scrapbooking	Festivities
SC-5-3	Scrapbooking	Holiday
SC-5-4	Scrapbooking	Music, School, Sports
SC-5-5	Scrapbooking	Seasons

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
SC-5-6	Scrapbooking	Vacations
SC-5-7	Scrapbooking	Miscellaneous
SD-1-1	Decorated Trees	Small tree up to 3.5ft height. <u>Christmas only.</u>
SD-1-2	Decorated Trees (Any Other Holiday)	Any large decorated tree over 3.5ft -6ft in height. Cannot be Christmas.
SD 1-3	Decorated Trees	<u>Christmas only.</u> 3.5ft to 6 ft. height

Home Arts	Creative Celebration	Scrapbooking
Design—30pts	Creativity—50pts	Creativity—40pts
Artistic Concept—30pts	Attractiveness—50pts	Photo Enhancement—25pts
Theme Conformance—20pts		Story Journaling—20pts
Correct Table Setting—20pts		Title—15pts

Department T—Photography

Total Premiums Offered: \$348.00

Premiums: 1st \$5.00 | 2nd \$4.00 | 3rd \$3.00

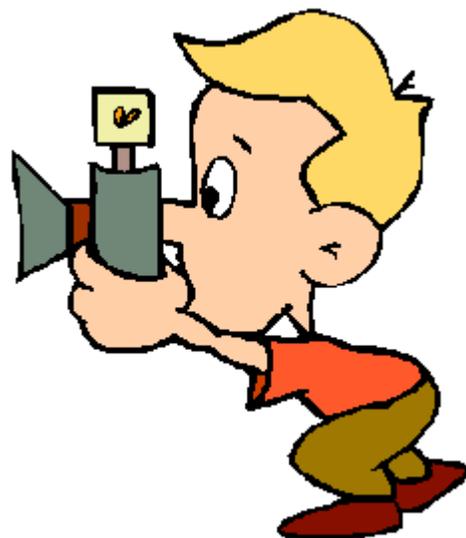
Rules:

1. Exhibitors must be 19 years of age or older.
2. All pictures, not including mount, must not exceed 11 x 14 inches with picture no less than 5 x 7 inches. Glass is not required however each entry must be secured in its mounting.
3. No tinted or hand-colored pictures accepted.
4. Limit—one entry in each class.
5. All pictures entered must be taken by the individual entering them and taken since the last Fair.
6. Some of the points considered by the judges in judging will be lighting, contrast and enlargement quality.
7. **No computer generated, enhanced or altered pictures will be accepted, except for category T-4-3.**
8. **All pictures must be framed and wired for hanging or able to stand alone. No serrated hooks or string will be accepted. Please adjust wire to frame so that it is not too tight or too loose.**
9. **Professional photographers** are required to attach a business card to the back of all entries.

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
T-1-1	Portraits	Single Adult or Couple, Color
T-1-2	Portraits	Single Child, Color
T-1-3	Portraits	Single Adult or Couple, Black & White
T-1-4	Portraits	Single Child, Black & White
T-1-5	Portraits	Single Animal, Color
T-1-6	Portraits	Single Animal, Black & White
T-2-1	Pictorial Subject	Nature, Color
T-2-2	Pictorial Subject	Nature, Black & White
T-2-3	Pictorial Subject	Scene, Color
T-2-4	Pictorial Subject	Scene, Black & White
T-2-5	Pictorial Subject	Landscape, Color
T-2-6	Pictorial Subject	Landscape, Black & White
T-2-7	Pictorial Subject	Sports—Action
T-2-8	Pictorial Subject	Buildings: doors, windows, doorknobs, keys, hinges, etc.
T-2-9	Pictorial Subject	Hunting, fishing, wild animals, etc.
T-2-10	Pictorial Subject	Farm Equipment: Tractor, Combines, balers, horse drawn or gas powered, etc.
T-2-11	Pictorial Subject	Military: Uniforms, Vehicles, Flowers, Flags, etc.
T-2-12	Pictorial Subject	Telephones: antique, unusual, etc.
T-2-13	Pictorial Subject	Railways: rails, engines, caboose, etc.
T-2-14	Pictorial Subject	Seasonal: Easter, Christmas, 4th of July, Halloween, Spring, Summer, Fall, Winter, etc.

Department T—Photography (Continued)

Code for Entry	Products	Description of Articles
T-3-1	Personality or Humorous	Group (Two or More) Color
T-3-2	Personality or Humorous	Group (Two or More) Black & White
T-3-3	Personality or Humorous	Human (Antics or Expression) Color
T-3-4	Personality or Humorous	Human (Antics or Expression) Black & White
T-3-5	Personality or Humorous	Animal (Antics or Expression) Color
T-3-6	Personality or Humorous	Animal (Antics or Expression) Back & White
T-3-7	Personality or Humorous	Unusual or “by chance” Color
T-3-8	Personality or Humorous	Unusual or “by chance” black & white
T-4-1	Best Fair Picture	Cabarrus County Fair, Color
T-4-2	Best Fair Picture	Cabarrus County Fair, Black & White
T-4-3	Computer Enhanced	Enhanced Photography by a Computer



DEPARTMENT UA - NC MAKE IT WITH WOOL COMPETITION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2016, 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM: Fashion Revue 3:00 PM

2016 Cabarrus County Fair at the Cabarrus County Arena and Events Center

First Building on Left, Cabarrus Rooms

4759 Highway 49 North, Concord, NC 28025



SPONSORS: American Sheep Industry Women (ASIW), National MIWW, NC Sheep Producers Association (NCSPA), Cabarrus County Fair, NC 4-H Youth Development Program

PRIZES: Participants receive a length of wool fabric, sewing notions and a Certificate of Participation from the NCSPA. Cabarrus County Fair provides ribbons and honorariums of \$10 or \$20 if entry is displayed in the MIWW Booth September 10-17. (Must be picked up between 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. by participants/directors September 18th.)

- NC Jr. and Sr. Winners may qualify to compete at National MIWW to be held January 2017. Judges decision is final.
- Adult State Winner may compete in Nationals by submitting photos and a video modeling garment (info at www.makeitwithwool.com).

FORMS: National/state available at www.makeitwithwool.com. Cabarrus County Fair form and W-9 form available at www.cabarruscountyfair.com. NC MIWW info and commentary at www.ncmakeitwithwool.com.

CONTACTS: NC MIWW Director Jean Thomas 704-547-0499, ejthom41@bellsouth.net or Co-Director Jo Ann Lowder 704-455-9340, joannhlowder@windstream.net

RULES

1. **Eligibility** - Competition is open to all ages and all levels of sewing. Participants must be residents of NC. Anyone regardless of race, creed or sex who meets age and other guidelines may participate.
2. **Categories** – Participant's category is determined by their age as of January 1st, of the present year (see following chart for categories and age requirements).
3. **Fabrics/Yarns** - Entries may be sewn, knitted, crocheted, woven or felted and must contain 100% wool or wool blends (minimum 60% wool, mohair, cashmere, alpaca, camel, llama and/or vicuna). The entire garment body (back, front and sleeves) must be of these fabrics. Trims, facings, linings, interfacings and underlinings may be fabrics other than wool or wool blend.
4. **Swatches** – (3) 5"x 5" of each wool fabric/yarn (36" strand) used. Set 1 – send for testing, Set 2 – use with National Entry Form, Set 3 – use with State Entry Form.
5. **Fabric Testing** - Test all wool fabric(s)/yarn(s) used. Must be tested by the designated MIWW lab prior to construction to assure eligibility (at least 60% wool) to qualify for top placings. Send a 5x5 inch square of each fabric and a 36 inch strand of each yarn used. There is a \$5.00 fee for each fabric or yarn tested. Allow 3 weeks for results to be returned by the Wool Lab to Jean Thomas. Test samples should be sent to Jean by August 1st in order for results to be received by September 9th.
6. **Garments** - Participants must select, construct and complete garments in 2016. Garments may have been in prior competitions in 2016 (fashion shows, fairs, etc.). **Preteens, Juniors, Seniors and Adults** must model garment(s) in order to place. **Made for Others** is modeled by intended wearer. **Wearable Accessories** modeled by entrant.
7. **National and State Entry Forms** – Entry forms must be postmarked by August 13, 2016. A late entry fee of \$5 will be collected at registration if postmarked after August 13th. Each contestant must complete both a National Form and a State Form.

- **NATIONAL:** Send National entry form, entry fee, fabric/yarn sample to: National MIWW, PO Box 123, Albany, OH 45710 (use separate form for each category and outfit entered).
 - **STATE:** Send a copy of the National entry form, fabric/yarn sample(s), a commentary, a Cabarrus County Fair Form and W-9 form to: NC MIWW Director, Jean Thomas, 3019 McLaughlin Lane, Charlotte, NC 28269. (Complete all info. NO districts in NC).
- 8. Judging -** Construction judging (to be done on hanger) starts promptly at 9:00AM. Garments are modeled by contestants for the fit, style, fashion and presentation later in the morning. Costumes are not eligible as entries.

Cabarrus County Fair Official Entry Form

Entry Code	Category/Ages	Description
UA-1-1	Preteens – 12 and Under	Dress, jumper, skirt, pants, shorts, vest, sweater, shirt/blouse, jacket, or a combination of garments (list as two-piece outfit or ensemble as below)
UA-1-2	Juniors – Ages 13 to 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ One-piece garment: dress, jumper, lined outerwear jacket, coat or cape ▪ Two-piece outfit: lined outerwear coat, jacket, cape, blouse/shirt, vest or sweater with dress, jumper, skirt, pants or shorts ▪ Ensemble (three or more garments worn together at one time):
UA-1-3	Seniors - 17 to 24	Same as Juniors
UA-1-4	Adults – 25 and Over	Same as Juniors
UA-1-5	Made for Others – All Ages	Same as Juniors
UA-1-6	Wearable Accessories – All ages	Scarves, hats, purses, back packs, book bags, gloves, socks, fashion accessories, etc.

IMPORTANT DATES

As Soon As Possible: Send fabric/yarn samples to Jean Thomas for lab testing as soon as fabric is purchased. Results usually back to Jean in 3 weeks.

August 13, 2016: All forms postmarked. (Late fee due at competition if postmarked after 8/13)

September 10, 2016: NC MIWW Competition 8:30 a.m. -4:00 p.m. (Registration 8:30am – 9:00 am)

September 10-17, 2016: Garments displayed in NC MIWW Fair Booth at the Cabarrus County Fair

September 18, 2016: 2:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m. Garments picked up by participants/director

January 2017: NC eligible winners compete at National MIWW Competition in Denver, CO

Department UC- Dog Show & Demonstration Rules and Regulations/Show Schedule

Show Date	Friday, September 16, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. (<i>required to check in no later than 6:30 p.m.</i>)
Check-in Times	5:00 p.m.—6:30 p.m. in the Event Center (building air-conditioned)
Eligible Entrants	Call K9 Capers Dog Training Academy for information
Entry Deadline	August 24 at 4:30 p.m.

Tentative Show Schedule

- 5:00 –6:30pm Dogs and helpers arrive (PLEASE BE IN BY 6:30)
- 7:00pm Kick off POOCH PARADE and dog show
- 7:15pm Beauty/Costume Contest/Cutest Dog/Shortest tail etc.
- 7:30pm Grooming Tips by a professional groomer
- 7:40pm Search and Rescue Presentation
- 8:00pm Fly Ball Presentation
- 8:15pm Pet safety tips and good night!

Interested in Participating? To Get all the Details & Info on How to Sign Up
Please call the office of K-9 Capers Dog Training Academy @ 704-721-6757 or e-mail
k9capers@gmail.com. You can also visit www.k9capersTraining.com .

General Guidelines:

1. Show entries must be received by Wednesday, August 24th at 4:30 p.m.
2. Participants **MUST** present a proof of rabies vaccination for each dog the day of the show. All dogs must be healthy, groomed and flea-free.
3. No female dogs in heat are allowed in the show for any reason.
4. No dogs shall be kept in a vehicle before or after the dog show. You **MUST** leave the premises after the dog show. Any violations will get you disqualified.
5. You must pick-up or clean up after your dog or you will be asked to leave.
6. All dogs should be on a leash or be crated at all times. You should provide fresh water.
7. Any aggression of your dog to other dogs or people will result in an immediate dismissal. Call us for a temperament test if you are unsure.
8. All entrants or owner of the dog are responsible and liable for any destruction or mishaps by your dog.
9. K-9 Capers Dog Training Academy the Cabarrus County Fair or Volunteer is not to be held legally responsible for any animal lost, injured or should the dog injure someone else or their property.
10. Failure to comply with any rule or any abuse such as yelling or hitting the animal will be considered just cause for disqualification for the show. You must maintain good sportsmanship at all times.
11. All participants will receive a participation ribbon.
12. Food will be allowed but should be used as a reward at the end of your run. We do encourage praise and toys as motivation. Only positive reinforcement will be allowed both in and out of the show ring. We do not allow leash pops.
13. We suggest you bring your own folding chairs, a crate, a 6'ft leash, flat-buckle collar, water for you and your dog, rabies record and snacks for you and your dog. Choke Chains/pinch collars are not permitted.
14. This is a fun match aimed at teaching good sportsmanship, practice for other shows and to educate others about the various sports and fun things you can do with your dog. We appreciate your participating and helping to promote positive sports.

*****All Participants will be required to fill out a Cabarrus County Fair general information and contact form upon arrival, along with a participation waiver, prior to the show in order to participate. *****

Department UD-Salute to Senior Citizens
Coordinated by the Cabarrus County Active Living & Parks Department

Thursday, September 15, 2016 Cabarrus Rooms at 3:00 p.m.

Note: All persons 65 years of age or above receive general gate admission for \$4.00 from 4 p.m.—6 p.m. on Thursday, September 15th ONLY.

Rules and Regulations:

1. Contestants need to register with Cabarrus County Senior Center by August 24th.
2. Contestants will check in at Cabarrus Rooms by 2:00 p.m.
3. Senior Citizen Talent Contest begins at 3:00 p.m.
4. Contestants are to appear before judges with presentation.

**All Participants will Receive a Fair Participant Ribbon* and
One (1) Daily General Gate Admission* into the 2016 Cabarrus County Fair**
**Limit 1 ribbon and 1 gate admission per person regardless on number of acts participated in.*

**Please Contact Teresa Kiser at 704-920-3484 for More
Information and to Register**



Fun for Seniors

Department UF- Cabarrus County Fair Pageant



Saturday, September 10, 2016

Admission is free this Saturday Only from 1 p.m.—3 p.m.

Registration begins at 1:30 p.m.

Pageant Begins at 2 p.m.—Arena Stage

Contestant's Full Name _____

Age _____ Birth Date _____

Parent's Name _____

Address _____ City _____

Zip _____ Day Phone No. _____ Email _____

School _____ Grade _____

Awards/Honors: _____

Hobbies _____

Color of Hair _____ Color of Eyes _____ Favorite Color _____

Favorite Food _____ Person They Most Admire _____

Your Ambitions and Goals _____

_____ UF-6-1 Mini Miss Cabarrus County Fair (1st, 2nd, 3rd Grades)

_____ UF-6-2 Little Miss Cabarrus County Fair (4th, 5th, 6th Grades)

_____ UF-6-3 Junior Miss Cabarrus County Fair (7th, 8th, 9th Grades)

_____ UF-6-4 Miss Cabarrus County Fair (10th, 11th, 12th Grades)

Competition will consist of on-stage introduction and modeling of a summer dress (such as sundress). Judging will be based on beauty, poise, personality and stage presence. Natural hair and light make-up is appropriate.

Title winners will receive a crown, trophy, banner, and four Cabarrus County Fair admission tickets. (received day of competition) There will be a first and second runner up in each age group and each runner up will receive a tiara and be invited to ride on the float with the Fair Queens in the Concord Christmas Parade.

Entry Fee is \$50 payable to Cabarrus County Fair. Mail your check and completed application to: Cabarrus County Fair P.O. Box 707 Concord, NC 28026-0707. You may submit your form with payment on nights and weekends in the after hours drop box outside the fair office door at 4759 Hwy 49 North, Concord, NC 28025. **(Final date that the application/payment can be received in the Fair Office is by 4:30pm on Wednesday, August 24th. Applications after this date will not be accepted. No exceptions.)**

If questions, please email Susan Watkins at susan3855@gmail.com. Please view the pageant's website at cabarruscountyfairpageant.weebly.com.

Release: My daughter _____ has my permission to enter and compete in this pageant. I understand that the Director and/or the Pageant and/or Cabarrus County Fair will not be held responsible for any accident or injury and/or Cabarrus County Fair will not be held responsible for any lost, stolen or forgotten items.

Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Department V—Farm Equipment

Coordinated by the Cabarrus County Agricultural Fair Board

Each submission will receive FREE entry into the fair for 9 days and be entered to win up to \$500 in prizes.

Exhibitors will be asked to display any* farm implement -all makes are invited to be displayed. Priority will be given to Cabarrus County residents, those with older models to display and the current condition of the equipment. Space is limited and will be handled on a first-come, first serve basis.

Receiving hours for equipment are Wednesday, September 7th and Thursday, September 8th from 2 p.m.—5 p.m. and by appointment only on Friday, September 9th morning (until 12 noon).

Each entry will receive a minimum of 1 and a maximum of 6 season passes (depending on equipment being displayed) for entry into the fair. All entrants will also receive a ribbon for their participation in the Cabarrus County Fair.

V—1—1 Tractor, all types (antique, walking, garden, classic etc.)

V—2—2 Pull-type equipment

V—3—3 All other farm equipment (stationary and miscellaneous equipment etc.)

To display, complete an entry form and submit it to the Fair Office by mail, fax or in person. Deadline for entries in this department is Tuesday, August 30 at 4:30 p.m.. If you are interested in participating and/or have questions, please contact the fair office at 704-786-7221 for more information.

Rules:

- All equipment should indicate the year it was manufactured, if known.
- Entries can only be operated at the discretion of management.
- Exhibits will be accepted on Wednesday, September 7th and Thursday, September 8th from 2 p.m.—5p.m. and by appointment only on Friday, September 9th morning (until 12 noon). Upon arrival to drop-off your equipment, please check-in at the Fair Office before placing your equipment on the grounds. A fair staff member will take you to your assigned spot for display.
- Exhibits must remain on display until 11 p.m. on Saturday, September 17th of the fair.
- Exhibitors are encouraged to display their business name (if appropriate) farm and/or family name in front of their equipment. Signage **MUST** be pre-approved by the Fair Director by 12 noon Friday, September 9th.

Please DETACH and submit the following information along with your entry form.

IMPORTANT: Entry form MUST include a PHOTO of equipment to be displayed to be accepted.

Exhibitor Name: _____	Telephone: _____
Equipment Description: _____	
Make: _____	Model: _____
Manufacture Year or Approx. Age (yrs.): _____	Space Needed for Equipment: _____
Special Facts/History/Local Significance: _____	

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.**

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.		
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above		
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____		4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small>
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)		Requester's name and address (optional)
	6 City, state, and ZIP code		
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)		

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number											
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or											
Employer identification number											
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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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General Instructions

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Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/efw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
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- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

Did you remember to include your W-9?

2016 Cabarrus County Fair Livestock and Equine Official Entry Form

P.O. Box 707, Concord, NC 28026

Please accept the entries indicated below subject to the rules and classifications governing exhibits at the Cabarrus County Agricultural Fair, as published in the Fair Catalog, and by which I hereby agree to be governed in exhibiting. (Each exhibitor will need a separate entry form.) **All premium checks will be mailed to the name and address on the W-9 Form. TO RECEIVE PREMIUM MONEY, THE W-9 FORM MUST BE COMPLETED.**

Exhibitor Name: _____

Full Mailing Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Guardian Name: (if exhibitor is under 18 years of age) _____

Age of Exhibitor: (under 18) _____ Date of Birth of Exhibitor: (under 18) _____

Provide The Total Number of Animals you are Bringing: _____

Code for Entry	Description of Animal	Registration No.	Date of Birth
<i>Example: Department, Breed, Class DB-AS-5</i>	<i>Angus Spring Yearling</i>	<i>XXXXXX-XXXXXX-XXXXXX (Found on Health Certificate)</i>	<i>April 13, 2015</i>

- ⇒ The Fair assumes no responsibility in case of loss or damage to stock or other exhibit from any cause; and upon this condition only are entries received. The exhibitor agrees to hold the Cabarrus County Fair harmless from all liabilities and agrees that articles exhibited cannot be removed before Sunday following the Fair.
- ⇒ **Parade of the Future (Ages 5-8)** I accept full responsibility for the safety of my child if he/she enters the Show Ring in the Parade of the Future. The Cabarrus County Fair is not liable for an accident occurring during the livestock show.
- ⇒ I agree to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the Fair for livestock exhibitors. I am bound by this code of ethics.
- ⇒ Release of Livestock Exhibits will be Saturday, September 17th after 10 p.m. and again Sunday, September 18th between the hours of 9 a.m.-12 noon. **No exhibits may be removed before September 17th until 10 p.m. and livestock entries will be considered abandoned after 12 noon on Sunday, September 18th. My signature below indicates I understand that if I have not picked up my animal(s) by 12 noon on September 18, 2016 it will be considered abandoned.**
- ⇒ **WARNING:** Under North Carolina law, a farm animal activity sponsor or farm animal professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in farm animal activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of farm animal activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina General Statutes.

ALL ENTRY FORMS, W9 FORMS, AND ENTRY FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE FAIR OFFICE BY 4:30PM ON AUGUST 24, 2016.

PLEASE SEND YOUR ENTRY FORMS DIRECTLY TO THE FAIR OFFICE:

MAIL: PO BOX 707, CONCORD, NC 28026-0707 | FAX: 704-795-1517 | EMAIL: FAIR@CABARRUSCOUNTY.US

YOU MAY ALSO SUBMIT YOUR FORMS ON NIGHTS AND WEEKENDS IN THE AFTERHOURS DROP BOX OUTSIDE THE FAIR OFFICE DOOR AT 4759 HWY 49 NORTH, CONCORD, NC, 28025, LOCATED DIRECTLY BEHIND THE CABARRUS ARENA & EVENTS CENTER BEFORE WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 2016.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Relationship to Exhibitor: _____

Parent's Signature is required for anyone under the age of 18.

****STOP...AND DOUBLE CHECK YOUR PAPERWORK: INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.****

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	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</i>
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