

DIVISION-E

FLORICULTURE SUPERINTENDENT

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**ENTER EXHIBITS TUESDAY AUGUST 6th, 2024
NOON to 8:00PM**

RULES AND REGULATIONS

ALL GENERAL RULES APPLY

1. Plants must be in your possession 30 days prior to exhibit.
2. No inferior exhibit will receive a ribbon.
3. No artificial flowers are accepted.
4. A person who is exhibiting for the first time, or who has won fewer than ten ribbons in a class in the last three years shall be considered a novice in that class.
5. A person who has won ten or more ribbons in a class in the three previous years shall be considered an amateur in that class.
6. Professionals and Advanced Amateurs will be judged separately from other non-professionals.
7. Professionals include teachers, judges, instructors, advisors and owner/operators/demonstrators engaged in business related to the area of exhibit and anyone who sells their items for more than cost.

*When entering as a Professional, please add a
P after the lot number
(example 001-P)*

*When entering as an Advanced Amateur, please add AA
after the lot number
(example 001-AA)*

8. The following are NOT permitted in floral shows; natural birds' nests, shells, stuffed birds, butterflies, or insects, fish, birds, or animals. Sea fans, coral, sponges, bones, antlers, etc., are permissible; the designer must exercise good taste. Naturally shed feathers (from non-endangered species) may be used.
9. All exhibits must remain intact until Noon on Sunday August 11th.

SOME FLOWER HINTS

1. All flowers should be named for extra credit. Be sure to include cultivars names.
2. Cut your flowers in late afternoon of the day before they are exhibited; place immediately in deep lukewarm water and keep out of the drafts in a dark place.
3. Select material in its prime and pest free; foliage should be clean and neither chewed nor torn.
4. Roses should have healthy stems and foliage with blossoms 1/2 to 2/3 open.
5. Gladioli should have 5 to 7 florets open, none removed, a long stiff straight stem and one leaf.
6. Dahlias should have 2 leaves, check underside. No buds, center should show only in single or collarettes
7. Water lilies; cut soon as fully open on the first day. Put a few drops of paraffin in the flower to keep it from closing. Flowers may be displayed either floating or on stems.
8. Herbs should be pre-bloom.
9. Pots and moveable containers must be clean and leak-proof.
10. Containers for cut flowers will be furnished by the fair.
11. Exhibitors are asked to replace cut flowers as often as necessary for the duration of the Fair.
12. A collection by definition in the judge's book consists of 5 or more stems of different color AND variety.
13. Arrangements should not contain flags or any product advertisement. Use ribbons only if specified.
14. Wedging of the single blooms is allowed: (wrapping stem in clear Plastic wrap to support upright display)

SPECIAL AWARDS

**AWARDS CEREMONY WILL BE HELD ON THE
STAGE SATURDAY AT 6:00 PM**

An Outstanding Ribbon will be awarded to the
Outstanding Exhibit in each class.

Best of Show in the Adult Division – Best of Show Ribbon plus
the Lillian McGonegal Memorial Award of \$25
from the **Monmouth Garden Club**

Best of Show in the Junior Division - Best of Show Ribbon plus
their name inscribed on the Raymond Stull Commemorative Trophy
and \$25 from **Dallas Garden Club**

Monmouth Garden Club will award \$15 to the Outstanding Exhibit in each of the following Classes: 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35A, 35B, 35C, 35D, 36D

Polk County Master Gardeners will award \$50 to the Junior Entrant who wins the most blue ribbons in Class 36 (Junior Division). The winner **MUST** have at least one entry in BOTH Section A (Cut Flowers) and Section B (Plants)

Dallas Garden Club will award \$20 to the Outstanding Annual Cut Flowers Exhibit in Class 36A

Dallas Garden Club will award \$20 to the Outstanding Cut Flowers Perennials/Biennials Exhibit in Class 36B

Grossman & Weston Gravel will award \$20 to the Outstanding Plants Exhibit in Class 36C

Grossman & Weston Gravel will award \$20 to the Outstanding Bouquets Exhibit in Class 36E

Dallas Garden Club will award \$15 to the Superintendent's Choice

The Flower King - Friends of the Fair will award \$20 to the adult man or junior boy with the most blue ribbons

****Awards subject to change****

CLASS 23 - ROSES

LOT NUMBER

(1 Stem)

001. Climber	005. Hybrid Tea
002. English	006. Miniature
003. Floribunda	007. Old Fashioned
004. Grandiflora	008. Polyanthus
	009. Micro (Bloom Smaller Than 1")

CLASS 24 - GLADIOLI - NOVICE (1 Spike)

LOT NUMBER

020. Bi-Color	028. Red, Dark
021. Cream	029. Red, Bright
022. Green	030. Smokey Shades
023. Lavender	031. White
024. Orange	032. Yellow
025. Salmon	033. Miniature
026. Purple	034. Seedling
027. Pink	

CLASS 25 - GLADIOLI - AMATEUR (1 Spike)

LOT NUMBER

040. Bi-Color	048. Red, Dark
041. Cream	049. Red, Bright
042. Green	050. Smokey Shades
043. Lavender	051. White
044. Orange	052. Yellow
045. Salmon	053. Miniature
046. Purple	054. Seedling
047. Pink	

CLASS 26 - DAHLIAS - NOVICE

LOT NUMBER

(1 Bloom)

070. Anemone	077. Decorative, Informal
071. Ball	078. Pompon
072. Cactus, Incurved	079. Serrated
073. Cactus, Semi	080. Single
074. Cactus, Straight	081. Water Lily
075. Collarette	082. Miniature
076. Decorative, Formal	

(3 Blooms, 1 Variety)

090. Anemone	097. Decorative, Informal
091. Ball	098. Pompon
092. Cactus, Incurved	099. Serrated
093. Cactus, Semi	100. Single
094. Cactus, Straight	101. Water Lily
095. Collarette	102. Miniature
096. Decorative, Formal	

(3 Blooms, 2 or More Varieties)

110. Anemone	117. Decorative, Informal
111. Ball	118. Pompon
112. Cactus, Incurved	119. Serrated
113. Cactus, Semi	120. Single
114. Cactus, Straight	121. Water Lily
115. Collarette	122. Miniature
116. Decorative, Formal	

CLASS 27 - DAHLIAS - AMATEUR

Exhibitor growing Dahlias for selling purposes -Tubers and/or flowers are considered professional.

LOT NUMBER

(1 Bloom)

130. Anemone	137. Decorative, Informal
131. Ball	138. Pompon
132. Cactus, Incurved	139. Serrated
133. Cactus, Semi	140. Single
134. Cactus, Straight	141. Water Lily
135. Collarette	142. Miniature
136. Decorative, Formal	

(3 Blooms, 1 Variety)

145. Anemone	152. Decorative, Informal
146. Ball	153. Pompon
147. Cactus, Incurved	154. Serrated
148. Cactus, Semi	155. Single
149. Cactus, Straight	156. Water Lily
150. Collarette	157. Miniature
151. Decorative, Formal	

(3 Blooms, 2 or More Varieties)

160. Anemone	167. Decorative, Informal
161. Ball	168. Pompon
162. Cactus, Incurved	169. Serrated
163. Cactus, Semi	170. Single
164. Cactus, Straight	171. Water Lily
165. Collarette	172. Miniature
166. Decorative, Formal	

CLASS 28 - ANNUALS

LOT NUMBER

(3 Stems)

180. Amaranth	193. Petunia, Double
181. Aster	194. Phlox
182. Baby's Breath	195. Salvia Farinacea (Victoria) , Salvia Splendens
183. Celosia	196. Snapdragon
184. Cosmos	197. Statice
185. Larkspur	198. Strawflower
186. Lavatera (Annual Mallow)	199. Sunflower (Helianthus)
187. Marguerite (Chrysanth)	200. Sweetpea
188. Marigold, Dwarf	201. Zinnia
189. Marigold, Standard	202. Zinnia, Lilliput
190. Nasturtium	203. Any Annual Not Listed, Please Specify
191. Nigella (Love-In-A-Mist)	
192. Petunia, Single	

(Collection) ANNUALS

210. Any Annual, 1 Variety, 5 or More Stems, Mixed Colors



CLASS 29 - PERENNIALS AND BIENNIALS

LOT NUMBER

(1 Stem or Spray)

- 220. Baby's Breath (Gypsophila)
- 221. Chrysanthemum, Hardy
- 222. Crocosmia
- 223. Delphinium
- 224. Hydrangea
- 225. Hydrangea, Lacecap (French)

- 226. Lily
- 227. Lobelia Cardinalis
(Cardinal Flower)
- 228. Shrub
- 229. Vine, Flowering
- 230. Any Other Not Listed,
Please Specify

(3 Stems)

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| 240. Aster | 254. Heliopsis |
| 241. Baby's Breath | 255. Herbs, 1 Variety |
| 242. Calendula | 256. Hollyhock |
| 243. Carnation | 257. Hydrangea |
| 244. Chinese Lantern (Physalis) | 258. Hydrangea, Lacecap (French) |
| 245. Chrysanthemum, Hardy | 259. Liatris |
| 246. Chrysanthemum, Any Other
(Except Maximum) | 260. Pansy or Viola |
| 247. Coneflower (Echinacea) | 261. Phlox |
| 248. Coreopsis | 262. Pink (Dianthus): Carnation, Sweet
William |
| 249. Cosmos | 263. Salvia |
| 250. Gaillardia | 264. Shasta Daisy |
| 251. German Statice | 265. Water Lily |
| (Rudbeckia) | 252. Gloriosa Daisy |
| 253. Golden Glow (Rudbeckia Laciniata) | 266. Yarrow (Achillea) |
| | 267. Any Perennial or Biennial
Not Listed, Please Specify |

(Collection)

- 275. Any Perennial/Biennial, 1 Variety, 5 or More Stems, Mixed Colors
- 276. Herbs, 5 or More Different Varieties, 5 or More Stems

CLASS 30 - INDOOR PLANTS

LOT NUMBER

- | | |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 280. African Violet, Double
Blossom | 292. Jade Plant |
| 281. African Violet, Single
Blossom | 293. Kalanchoe |
| 282. African Violet, Miniature | 294. Palm |
| 283. African Violet, Variegated | 295. Peperomia |
| 284. Baby Tears | 296. Philodendron |
| 285. Begonia | 297. Pothos |
| 286. Begonia, Angel Wing | 298. Prayer Plant |
| 287. Begonia Rex | 299. Sanseveria |
| 288. Dieffenbachia | 300. Schefflera |
| 289. Fern, (Not Specific) | 301. Shamrock |
| 290. Hoya | 302. Spider Plan |
| 291. Ivy | 303. Streptocarpus |
| | 304. Swedish Ivy |
| | 305. Wandering Jew |
| | 306. Any other not Listed, Specify |
| | 307. Hanging Plant, One Variety |
| | 308. Hanging Plant, More |

CLASS 31 - SUCCULENTS AND CACTI IN CONTAINERS

LOT NUMBER

- 330. Agave
- 331. Cactus
- 332. Cacti, 3 or More Varieties in Separate Containers
- 333. Cacti, 3 or More in One Container
- 334. Holiday Cactus, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Easter
- 335. Euphorbia (Crown of Thorns)
- 336. Succulent
- 337. Succulent, 3 or More Varieties in Separate Containers
- 338. Succulent, 3 or More in 1 Container
- 339. Mixed Cactus & Succulents in 1 Container
- 340. Any other Not Listed, Please Specify

CLASS 32 - PATIO PLANTING

LOT NUMBER

- 350. Mixed Plants, 2 or More Varieties - Container 12" or Smaller
- 351. Mixed Plants, 2 or More Varieties - Container 13" or Larger
- 352. Mixed Plants, 1 Variety, 2 or More Colors
- 353. Two Identical Containers
- 354. Water Garden - Any Size Container

CLASS 33 - MISCELLANEOUS PLANTS

(1 PLANT)

LOT NUMBER

- | | |
|---|--|
| 360. Amaryllis | 371. Geranium, Scented |
| 361. Begonia, Fibrous | 372. Geranium, Miniature
(Zonal) |
| 362. Begonia, Tuberous, Upright | 373. Heliotrope |
| 363. Bonsai | 374. Herb, Any Variety |
| 364. Coleus | 375. Impatiens |
| 365. Fuchsia | 376. Rose, Miniature |
| 366. Fuchsia, Upright | 377. Vegetable |
| 367. Geranium, Common (Zonal) | 378. Any other Not Listed,
Specify |
| 368. Geranium, Fancy Leaf | 379. Identical Plants, 2
Containers, Please Specify |
| 369. Geranium, Ivy | 380. Hanging Plant One
Variety |
| 370. Geranium, Martha
Washington (Pelargonium) | |

CLASS 34 - MISCELLANEOUS PLANTS

(MOVEABLE CONTAINERS, 2 OR MORE PLANTS)

LOT NUMBER

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|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 390. Begonia, Fibrous | 401. Hanging Plant Mix Variety |
| 391. Begonia, Tuberous, Upright | 402. Terrariums - must have lid |
| 392. Bougainvillea | |
| 393. Coleus | |
| 394. Fuchsia | |
| 395. Geranium, (Not Specific) | |
| 396. Heliotrope | |
| 397. Herbs, Any Variety | |
| 398. Impatient | |
| 399. Rose, Miniature | |
| 400. Any other not listed Specify | |



CLASS 35 - ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS & BOUQUETS

Exhibitor must contact Superintendent of Floriculture or Fair office staff
To reserve display space for Class 35 Artistic Arrangements and
Bouquets at least 3 days in advance of entry date

(All arrangements must have fresh foliage or flowers unless
otherwise noted)

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Arrangements MUST be made by exhibitor.
2. Arrangements and Bouquets MUST be in **MOVEABLE LEAK-PROOF** containers.
3. Artistic Arrangements should be made with floral foam base.
4. Bouquets are made without the use of floral foam.

SECTION 35A - ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS - NOVICE

LOT NUMBER

420. "Rural Romance"- Symmetrical Mass Arrangement
421. "Summer's Beauty"- Centerpiece
422. "Picnic in the Pasture"- Mixed Flowers and Wild Material from the Field
423. "Farm Fresh" - Flower Arrangement with Fruits and/or Veggies
424. "Do it Again" - Two Identical Arrangements
425. "Small Spread" - Not Over 12" High or Wide
426. **"Fun for the Whole Herd"** - Arrangement Using Fair Theme

SECTION 35B - ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS-AMATEUR

LOT NUMBER

430. "Rural Romance"- Symmetrical Mass Arrangement
431. "Summer's Beauty"- Centerpiece
432. "Picnic in the Pasture"- Mixed Flowers and Wild Material from the Field
433. "Farm Fresh" - Flower Arrangement with Fruits and/or Veggies
434. "Do it Again" - Two Identical Arrangements
435. "Small Spread" - Not Over 12" High or Wide
436. **"Fun for the Whole Herd"** - Arrangement Using Fair Theme

SECTION 35C - ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS - PROFESSIONAL & ADVANCED AMATEUR

LOT NUMBER

437. "Rural Romance"- Symmetrical Mass Arrangement
438. "Summer's Beauty"- Centerpiece
439. "Picnic in the Pasture"- Mixed Flowers and Wild Material from the Field
440. "Farm Fresh" - Flower Arrangement with Fruits and/or Veggies
441. "Do it Again" - Two Identical Arrangements
442. "Small Spread" - Not Over 12" High or Wide
443. **"Fun for the Whole Herd"** - Arrangement Using Fair Theme

SECTION 35D - BOUQUET

LOT NUMBER

450. Small Bouquet - Less Than 12" High or Wide (Including the container)
451. Large Bouquet - Over 12" High or Wide (Including the container)
452. Wildflower Bouquet

CLASS 36 - JUNIOR DIVISION (5-17 YEARS OF AGE)

SECTION 36A - ANNUAL CUT FLOWERS

LOT NUMBER

(1 Stem)

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|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 460. Bachelor's Button | 467. Strawflower |
| 461. Celosia | 468. Sunflower |
| 462. Cosmos | 469. Sweet Pea |
| 463. Marigold | 470. Zinnia |
| 464. Petunia | 471. Any other Not Listed, Specify |
| 465. Snapdragon | |
| 466. Statice 3 or More Stems | |

SECTION 36B CUT FLOWERS PERENNIALS/BIENNIALS

LOT NUMBER

(1 Stem or Spray)

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| 490. Aster | 499. Pink (Dianthus: (Carnation, Sweet William |
| | 500. Rose |
| 491. Calendula | 501. Shrub, Flowering |
| 492. Chrysanthemum | 502. Vine, Flowering |
| 493. Coneflower | 503. Yarrow |
| 494. Dahlia | 504. Any other Not Listed, Specify |
| 495. Gladiolus | 505. Any Perennial/Biennial |
| 496. Herb, Please Specify | 1 Variety – 3 or More Stems |
| 497. Hydrangea | 506. Lily |
| 498. Pansy or Viola | |

SECTION 36C PLANTS

LOT NUMBER

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|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 520. African Violet | 533. Philodendron |
| 521. Baby Tears | 534. Prayer Plant |
| 522. Begonia | 535. Rose, Miniature |
| 523. Cactus | 536. Spider Plant |
| 524. Dish Garden | 537. Succulent |
| 525. Fern, Any Variety | 538. Terrarium - must have lid |
| 526. Fuchsia | 539. Wandering Jew |
| 527. Geranium, Ivy | 540. Water Garden |
| 528. Geranium, Upright | 541. Mixed Planter |
| 529. Herb, Any Variety | 542. Hanging Plant |
| 530. Ivy, Please Specify | 543. Impatiens |
| 531. Jade Plant | 544. Petunia |
| 532. Peperomia | 545. Fairy Gardens |

SECTION 36D—ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

(Arrangements must be made by exhibitor)

LOT NUMBER

560. "Picnic in the Pasture" - Mixed Flowers and Wild Material from the Field
561. "Enchanted Forest" - Mixed Evergreen Plant Varieties
562. "Small Spread" - Not Over 12" High or Wide.
563. **"Fun for the Whole Herd"** - Symmetrical Mass Arrangement

SECTION 36E—BOUQUETS

LOT NUMBER

566. Small Bouquet - Less than 12" High or Wide (Including the container)
567. Large Bouquet - Over 12" High or Wide Including the container)
568. Wildflower Bouquet

