

# FLOWERS

## 2017 Department G

**FAIRGROUNDS ENTRY ONLY – Farm Exhibits**

1st entry: Wednesday, August 23, noon - 9 p.m.

2nd entry: Wednesday, August 30, noon - 9 p.m.

The Flowers Department will be closing at 6:00 pm Tuesday, August 29 for First Entry removal. It will remain closed to the fairgoers all day, Wednesday, August 30 and will reopen to the general public at noon on Thursday, August 31.

Note: First Entry ribbons may be claimed during Second Entry intake. All First Entry container plants entered in Divisions 11 and 12 (all classes), and all First Entry design containers in Divisions 13 through 15, must be claimed during Second Entry.

Free Second Entry parking vouchers will be available at First Entry.

Entries without entrant contact/ mailing information will be automatically disqualified and not judged.

**FAIRGROUNDS Pick-up – Farm Exhibits:**

Tuesday, September 5, 2 - 8 p.m.

**FAIRGROUNDS Pick-up – Hoskins Exhibits:**

Saturday, September 9, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Enter only once per class per week and conform to instructions. All entries must be grown by exhibitor unless otherwise noted. Refer to "Judging Criteria" and "Definitions" for guidelines. Fair supplies containers for cut flowers. Only entries in Divisions 11-13 and Divisions 14 and 15 classes 07-10 are returned.

### JUDGING CRITERIA:

Entries with insects or diseases will not be accepted. Groom entries to remove dirt, spray residue, and dead foliage. Attached self-foliage required on all horticulture entries, except when noted "NFR" (No Foliage Required). Follow specific directions for each "Division" and "Class."

### SCALE OF POINTS

HORTICULTURE		Conformance (to class)	
Cultural perfection	60	Design (elements/principals)	42
Condition & grooming	25	Artistic concept	12
Distinction	10	Expression	10
Correct/complete name	<u>5</u>	Distinction	<u>16</u>
Total	100	Total	100

### ARTISTIC DESIGN

### PREMIUM POINTS

Blue Ribbon  
Red Ribbon  
White Ribbon

### REGULAR PREMIUMS

1<sup>st</sup> \$7.00  
2<sup>nd</sup> \$5.00  
3<sup>rd</sup> \$3.00

**SPECIAL FLOWER CONTESTS AND AWARDS** are listed on last page of Flower Exhibitor Guide.

### DEFINITIONS:

**Annual:** plant that completes its lifecycle in one growing season.

**Biennial:** plant that completes its life cycle in 2 years. Growing the 1<sup>st</sup> year and flowering the 2<sup>nd</sup> year.

**Perennial:** Plant that lives for more than 2 growing seasons in the ground.

**Single:** A flower with the normal number of petals or tepals for the species, arranged in a single whorl.

**Double:** A flower with more petals than in normal wild state, with few, if any, stamens.

**Crested:** Tufts of hairs, soft bristles, raised ridge on surface.

**Blooms:** Flower or Blossom

**Disbud:** To remove surplus buds

**Inflorescence:** Arrangement of flowers on a single axis.

**NFR:** No Foliage Required

**Spike:** Inflorescence in which stalkless flowers occur on an unbranched axis.

**Spray:** Cluster of flowers or flowerheads arranged on a single branched stem.

**Stalk:** Stem-like organ joining a leaf, flower, flowerhead or inflorescence to the stem of a plant.

**Stem:** Main axis of a plant, usually above ground, that supports structures, such as branches, leaves, flowers and fruit.



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# HORTICULTURE

## DIVISION 01: PERENNIALS AND BIENNIALS - Alaska hardy plant that has lived in the ground for 2 years.

### Name variety/species.

01	<i>Achillea ptarmica</i> , double, Sneezewort 1 spray 12-16"	39	<i>Leucanthemum x superbum</i> , Shasta daisy, double, 3 blooms, stems to 20"
02	<i>Achillea ptarmica</i> , single, Sneezewort 1 spray 12-16"P	40	<i>Leucanthemum x superbum</i> , Shasta daisy, single, 3 blooms, stems to 20"
03	<i>Achillea</i> , Yarrow and other, 1 spray 12-16",	41	<i>Lewisia</i> , Cliff maids, Bitterroot, 3 sprays
04	<i>Aconitum</i> , Monkshood 1 stem over 10"	42	<i>Liatris</i> , Blazing star, Gayfeather, 3 spikes
05	<i>Alcea rosea</i> , Hollyhock, 1 spike	43	<i>Ligularia</i> , Leopard plant, 2 spikes/sprays
06	<i>Allium</i> , Flowering Onion, single stem or spray, length in proportion to bloom	44	<i>Lupinus</i> , Lupine, 1 spike
07	<i>Anemone</i> , double, Windflower, 3 blooms, NFR	45	<i>Lychnis</i> , Campion, Catchfly 3 stems over 6"
08	<i>Anemone</i> , single, Windflower, 3 blooms, NFR	46	<i>Malva</i> , mallow, 2 spikes to 30"
09	<i>Angelica</i> , 1 stems to 30"	47	<i>Meconopsis</i> , Himalayan poppy (blue) or Welsh poppy (yellow), 2 stems
10	<i>Aquilegia</i> , Columbine, 3 sprays	48	<i>Monarda</i> , Bee Balm, 3 stems
11	<i>Aster</i> , perennial, 3 sprays	49	<i>Myosotis</i> , Forget-me-not, 3 stems over 4"
12	<i>Astilbe</i> , 3 sprays NFR	50	Ornamental Foliage, perennial, (e.g. Hosta, caladium, etc.) 3 stems to 20"
13	<i>Bellis perennis</i> , English daisy, 6 blooms, stems to 6"	51	Ornamental Grass, 3 stems over 10", one variet
14	<i>Campanula</i> , Bell Flower, 3 sprays	52	<i>Paeonia</i> , Peony, bomb type, one bloom, stem proportionate to bloom
15	<i>Centaurea macrocephala</i> , Giant Knapweed, 2 stems over 16"	53	<i>Paeonia</i> , Peony, double, one bloom, stem proportionate to bloom
16	<i>Centaurea montana</i> , Mountain Bluet, 2 stems to 20"	54	<i>Paeonia</i> , Peony, single, one bloom, stem proportionate to bloom
17	<i>Coreopsis</i> , tickseed, 3 stems	55	<i>Papaver croceum syn. P naudicale</i> , Iceland Poppy, 6 blooms, stems over 6", NFR
18	<i>Delphinium</i> , giant, 1 spike	56	<i>Papaver orientale</i> , Oriental Poppy
19	<i>Delphinium</i> , other, 1 spike	57	<i>Papaver</i> , Poppy, other
20	<i>Dianthus barbatus</i> , Sweet William, 3 stems over 6"	58	<i>Penstemon</i> , 2 stems to 18
21	<i>Dianthus</i> , Carnation and other, 3 stems over 6"	59	<i>Phlox</i> , 1 stem over 10"
22	<i>Dianthus</i> , miniature, 3 sprays	60	<i>Physostegia</i> , Obedient Plant, 3 stems/sprays over 10"
23	<i>Digitalis</i> , Foxglove, 1 spike	61	<i>Primula</i> , Primrose, 1 stem to 20"
24	<i>Echinacea</i> , Coneflower, 3 blooms, stems to 20"	62	<i>Pulsatilla</i> , Pasque flower, 2 blooms
25	<i>Echinops</i> , Globe Thistle, 2 blooms	63	<i>Salvia</i> , perennial, Flowering Sage, 2 stems over 6"
26	<i>Eryngium</i> , Sea Holly, 2 stems/sprays to 24"	64	<i>Scabiosa</i> , perennial, Pincushion Flower, 2 blooms
27	<i>Filipendula</i> , Meadowsweet, Queen of the Prairie, and Dropwort, 2 stems/sprays to 30"	65	<i>Sedum</i> , Stonecrop, 3 stems to 20"
28	<i>Gaillardia</i> , Blanket flower, double, 3 blooms, stems to 20"	66	<i>Solidago</i> , Goldenrod, 1 stem over 10"
29	<i>Gaillardia</i> , Blanket flower, single, 3 blooms, stems to 20"	67	<i>Thalictrum</i> , Meadow Rue, one spray to 30"
30	<i>Gentiana</i> , Gentian, 1 stem or spray	68	<i>Trollius</i> , Globeflower, 3 stems
31	<i>Geranium</i> , Cranesbill 2 stems/sprays	69	<i>Verbascum</i> , Mullein, 1 stem over 12"
32	<i>Gypsophila</i> , Baby's breath, 1 spray to 24"	70	<i>Veronica</i> , Speedwell, 3 stems
33	<i>Helenium</i> , Sneezeweed, 3 blooms NFR	71	Vine, flowering, Clematis, 1 stem to 30"
34	<i>Helianthus</i> , Perennial Sunflower, 3 blooms, stems to 20"	72	Vine, flowering, other, 1 stem to 30"
35	<i>Heliopsis</i> , Ox-eye daisy, 3 blooms	73	<i>Zantedeschia</i> , Calla Lily, 1 stem, length in proportion to bloom
36	<i>Hosta</i> , 3 blooms, stems to 20:	74	Most unusual, proper I.D., 1 to 3 blooms/sprays stems
37	<i>Inula</i> , Elecampane, 1 stem/spray to 36"	75	Other, properly identified, 1 to 3 blooms/sprays/stems
38	<i>Leontopodium Edelweiss</i> , 3 stems over 4"		

## DIVISION 02: ANNUALS – A THRU M

Includes plants grown as annuals in this region. Class blends of petunias or sweet peas under major color.

### Name species/variety.

- 01 *Ageratum*, Floss flower, 3 sprays over 4"
- 02 *Amaranthus*, Love-lies-bleeding, 1 stem
- 03 *Amaranthus*, Other, 1 stem
- 04 *Argyranthemum*, 3 blooms, stems to 16", NFR
- 05 *Aster*, ball, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 06 *Aster*, cactus or shaggy, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 07 *Aster*, pincushion or crested, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 08 *Aster*, single, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 09 *Calceolaria*, Slipperwort, 2 stems/sprays
- 10 *Calendula*, English or Pot Marigold, crested, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 11 *Calendula*, English or Pot Marigold, double, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 12 *Calendula*, s English or Pot Marigold, single, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
- 13 *Iberis*, Candytuft, 3 stems
- 14 *Celosia*, cockscomb, 1 Stem or spray
- 15 *Centaurea cyanus*, bachelor's button, 6 blooms, stem 6-14"
- 16 *Cerithe*, Blue Shrimp plant, 2 Stems to 30"
- 17 *Chrysanthemum*, Summer, Single, 3 sprays to 16"
- 18 *Chrysanthemum*, Summer, Double, 3 sprays to 16"
- 19 *Clarkia*, 3 sprays to 20"
- 20 *Cleome*, spider flower, 1 stem
- 21 *Cosmos*, single, 3 sprays to 18"
- 22 *Cosmos*, double, 3 sprays to 18"
- 23 *Cosmos*, involuted, 3 sprays to 18"
- 24 *Dianthus*, single, 3 sprays 6-15"
- 25 *Dianthus*, double, 3 sprays 6-15"
- 26 Everlasting, *Acroclinium*, 6 blooms, stems 8-16" NFR
- 27 Everlasting, *Helichrysum*, 6 blooms, stems 8-16" NFR
- 28 Everlasting, other, 3 sprays/blooms to 16" NFR
- 29 Everlasting, *Statice*, *Limonium sinuatum*, 3 spr. to 16" NFR
- 30 Everlasting, *Statice*, *Limonium suworowii*, 1-3 spr. to 30" NFR
- 31 *Flax*, *Linum*, 3 stems
- 32 *Godetia*, Satin Flower, 3 sprays to 20"
- 33 *Gypsophila*, Baby's breath, 3 sprays to 16"
- 34 *Helianthus*, Sunflower, 3 blooms under 6", stems to 16"
- 35 *Helianthus*, Sunflower, 3 blooms to 6-8", stems to 16"
- 36 *Helianthus*, Sunflower, 2 blooms over 8", stems to 24"
- 37 *Larkspur*, *Delphinium ajacis*, 2 spikes
- 38 *Lavatera trimestris*, rose mallow, 2 sprays to 24"
- 39 *Linaria*, Toadflax, 3 sprays/stems
- 40 *Malope*, annual Mallow, 2 sprays to 24"
- 41 *Malva sylvestris*, 2 spikes to 36"
- 42 *Marigold*, 3 blooms under 2", stems proportionate to bloom
- 43 *Marigold*, 3 blooms 2-4", stems proportionate to bloom
- 44 *Marigold*, 3 blooms over 4", stems proportionate to bloom
- 45 *Marigold*, signet, 2 sprays, 10-12"
- 46 *Matricaria*, Feverfew, double white, 1 spray to 14"
- 47 *Matricaria*, Feverfew, single white, 1 spray to 14"
- 48 *Matricaria*, Feverfew, yellow, 1 spray to 14"
- 49 *Mignonette*, *Reseda*, 2 stems
- 50 *Mimulus*, Monkey flower, 3 stems 6-8"
- 51 *Moluccella laevis*, Bells of Ireland, 2 stems to 28" NFR



## DIVISION 03: ANNUALS – N THRU Z

Includes plants grown as annuals in this region. Class blends of petunias or sweet peas under major color.

**Name species/variety.**

01	Nasturtium, double, <i>Tropaeolum majus</i> , 6 blooms, stems 4-10", NFR	30	Poppy, other, 3 blooms, stems to 16", NFR
02	Nasturtium, single, <i>Tropaeolum majus</i> , 6 blooms, stems 4-10", NFR	31	Poppy, Flanders, <i>Papaver rhoeas</i> , 3 blooms, stems to 16" NFR
03	<i>Nemesia</i> , large-flowered, 3 sprays 8-10"	32	Poppy, Shirley, series, <i>Papaver rhoeas</i> , double, 3 blooms, stems to 16", NFR
04	<i>Nemesia</i> , miniature, 3 sprays 6-10"	33	Rudbeckia, double, Gloriosa daisy, Black-eyed Susan, 3 blooms, stems to 18", NFR
05	<i>Nemophila</i> , baby blue-eyes, 4 stems to 6"	34	Rudbeckia, single, Gloriosa daisy, Black-eyed Susan, 3 blooms, stems to 18", NFR
06	<i>Nicandra</i> , Shoo-fly, Apple of Peru, 1 stem/spray to 30"	35	Salpiglossis, Painted tongue, 3 sprays 12-15"
07	<i>Nicotiana</i> , Flowering tobacco, 2 sprays 10-14"	36	Salvia, Flowering sage, 3 stalks 6-24"
08	Ornamental foliage, annual, (e.g., coleus), 3 stems to 20"	37	Scabiosa, Pincushion flower, 3 blooms, stems to 16", NFR
09	Ornamental Grass, 3 stems 6-20"	38	Schizanthus, Poor man's orchid, 2 sprays to 24"
10	<i>Osteospermum</i> , South African Daisy, to 15", 3 blooms, NFR	39	Snapdragon, butterfly, <i>Antirrhinum majus</i> , 2 spikes over 12"
11	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms over 1", no blotches solid, NFR	40	Snapdragon, tetra, <i>Antirrhinum majus</i> , 2 spikes over 12"
12	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms over 1", with blotches, NFR	41	Stock, <i>Matthiola</i> , double, 2 stems over 10"
13	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms over 1", multicolored, NFR		<b>60% of Sweet pea spray should be single stem florets and buds, NOT vine.</b>
14	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms under 1", no blotches solid, NFR	42	Sweet pea, blue, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
15	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms under 1", with blotches, NFR	43	Sweet pea, cream/white, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
16	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms under 1", multicolored, NFR	44	Sweet pea, pink, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
17	Pansy, Viola, 5 blooms, other/ruffled NFR	45	Sweet pea, red, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
18	Pelargonium, (zonal, ivy, regal, scented) name variety, 1 stem/spray	46	Sweet pea, purple/ lavender, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
	<b>Petunias, 1-3 sprays/stems, with 3 open blooms total, stems 6 – 14"</b>	47	Sweet pea, heirloom, any color, identify variety, <i>Lathyrus odoratus</i> , 3 sprays over 7"
19	Petunia, double, blue/mauve	48	Venidium, Cape Daisy, 3 blooms, stems to 16"
20	Petunia, double pink/red	49	Verbena, 3 stems to 16"
21	Petunia, double white	50	Vine, Canary Bird, <i>Tropaeolum peregrinum</i> , 1 stem to 36"
22	Petunia, other, (e.g., milliflora)	51	Vine, other flowering, 1 stem to 36"
23	Petunia, single, blue/mauve	52	Zinnia, 3 blooms over 2", stems to 16"
24	Petunia, single, pink/red	53	Zinnia, 3 blooms to 2", stems to 16"
25	Petunia, single, white	54	Most Unusual, Proper I.D., 1-3 blooms, stems, or sprays
26	Phlox, Giant Tetra, 3 sprays to 18"	55	Other, properly identified, 1 to 3 blooms, stems, or sprays
27	Phlox, Star/Twinkle, 3 sprays to 10"		
28	Poppy, California, <i>Eschscholzia</i> , 6 blooms, stems to 16" NFR		
29	Poppy, Carnation/peony flowered, <i>Papaver somniferum</i> , 3 blooms, stems to 16" NFR		

## DIVISION 04: GLADIOLI

Gladiolus spike should be 60% florets and buds and 40% stem. Size is the diameter of the fully opened blossom at the base of the flower head. One spike.

01	Giant, over 5"	04	Small, 2 - 3"
02	Large, 4 - 5"	05	Miniature, under 2"
03	Medium, 3 - 4"	06	Hardy, nanus, any size

## DIVISION 05: TREES & SHRUBS

One fresh cut branch, 14-30", measured from cut end to tip of branch. Apex or apical tip should be intact. Branch should show symmetry and have several nodes. Name species/variety.

01	Flowering, in bloom, <i>Hydrangea</i>	06	Fruiting, with fruit, currant
02	Flowering, in bloom, <i>Potentilla</i>	07	Fruiting, with fruit, other
03	Flowering, in bloom, other	08	Foliage, evergreen
04	Fruiting, with fruit, apple or crabapple	09	Foliage, deciduous
05	Fruiting, with fruit, cherry or chokecherry	10	Foliage, fall color

## DIVISION 06: ROSES

Species or variety name required. Class color blends under major color. Class climbing sports of Hybrid Teas, Floribundas, and Grandifloras in classes 02-13.

01 Large-flowered Climbers/Ramblers any color, 1 lateral

### Floribundas, 1 spray

02 Red/russet

03 White

04 Pink

05 Other

### Grandifloras, 1 spray/bloom

06 Red/russet

07 White

08 Pink

09 Other

### Hybrid Teas, disbudded, 1 bloom

10 Red/russet

11 White

12 Pink

13 Mauve/Lavender

14 Bicolored

15 Other

### Hardy Shrub roses, 1 bloom/spray, (shiny leaf)

16 Red/russet

17 White

18 Pink

19 Other

### Rugosas and Hybrid Rugosas, 1 bloom/spray, (wrinkled leaf)

20 Red/pink/mauve

21 White

22 Other

### Old Garden Roses, 1 bloom/spray (scotch rose)

23 Red/russet

24 White

25 Pink

26 Other

### Miniature Roses, 1 bloom/spray

27 Red/russet

28 White

39 Pink

30 Other

31 Mini Climber, any color, 1 bloom/spray

## DIVISION 07: TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

Foliage not required. Unnamed okay. 1 bloom, disbudded.

### Double-flowered carnation/ruffled

01 White

02 Red

03 Yellow/gold

04 Picotee/variegated, any color

05 Pink/rose

06 Salmon

07 Apricot/orange

08 Other

### Rose or camellia-flowered

09 White

10 Red

11 Yellow/gold

12 Picotee/variegated, any color

13 Pink/rose

14 Salmon

15 Apricot/orange

16 Other

### Other types

17 Single-flowered, not a side flower, any color

18 Other, identify type/variety, any color

## DIVISION 08: LILIES

Enter one stem. Length should be in proportion to blooms. Anthers should be present, pollen may be removed.

01 Asiatic hybrid, upfacing [Ia]

02 Asiatic hybrid, outfacing [Ib]

03 Asiatic hybrid, pendant [Ic]

04 Oriental hybrid, trumpet-shaped [VIIa]

05 Oriental hybrid, bowl-shaped [VIIb]

06 Oriental hybrid, flat-faced [VIIc]

07 Oriental hybrid, recurved [VIId]

08 Other hybrids (e.g., *Candidum*, American, *Longiflorum*, etc.) [III-VI, VIII]

09 Species (e.g., *Lilium canadense*) [IX]

## DIVISION 09: DAHLIAS

No foliage is required, but recommended manner is to disbud and exhibit with attached foliage, preferably two complete leaves. Ideal bloom position is at a 45° angle to stem. Pompom and Ball types may be top-facing. Stem and stalk length should be in proportion to size of bloom.

### Fully double, closed-center types

01	Straight cactus, 1 bloom over 8"	19	Waterlily, 1 bloom
02	Straight cactus, 1 bloom 6 - 8"	20	Ball, 1 bloom over 3 "
03	Straight cactus, 1 bloom 4 - 6"	21	Miniature ball, 1 bloom 2-3"
04	Straight cactus, lacinated, 1 bloom over 8"	22	Pompon, 3 blooms under 2"
05	Straight cactus, lacinated, 1 bloom 6-8"	23	Miniature cactus, 1 bloom under 4"
06	Straight cactus, lacinated, 1 bloom 4-6"	24	Miniature decorative, 1 bloom under 4"
07	Incurved cactus, 1 bloom over 8"	<b>Single and semi-double, open-center types</b>	
08	Incurved cactus, 1 bloom 6 - 8"	25	Anemone-flowered, 1 bloom
09	Incurved cactus, 1 bloom 4 - 6"	26	Collarette, 1 bloom
10	Semi-cactus, 1 bloom over 8"	27	Single, 1 bloom over 2"
11	Semi-cactus, 1 bloom 6 - 8"	28	Mignon single, 3 blooms under 2"
12	Semi-cactus, 1 bloom 4 - 6"	29	Orchid-flowered, 1 bloom
13	Formal decorative, 1 bloom over 8"	30	Orchid-flowered collarette, 1 bloom
14	Formal decorative, 1 bloom 6-8"	31	Peony-flowered, (including bedding dahlias, e.g., Red-Skin varieties), 1 bloom
15	Formal decorative, 1 bloom 4-6"	32	Novelty, 1 bloom
16	Informal decorative, 1 bloom over 8"	33	Mega Dahlia, 1 bloom in good condition, 12" or over (judged on size)
17	Informal decorative, 1 bloom 6-8"		
18	Informal decorative, 1 bloom 4-6"		

## DIVISION 10: COLLECTIONS

Five cut specimens of a common theme, each of a different variety/species. Name variety/species. Attached self-foliage. Enter in one container.

01	Annuals, identify common theme	08	Lilies
02	Perennials and biennials, identify common theme	09	Dahlias
03	Most unusual, annuals	10	Roses
04	Most unusual, perennials and biennials	11	Foliage
05	Ornamental grasses	12	Seed Pods/Heads
06	Begonias	13	Other, identify common theme
07	Gladioli, (giant, medium, etc.)		

## DIVISION 11: INDOOR CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS

### All First Entry container plants MUST be picked up on Second Entry day.

1. Diseased or insect-infested plants should not be entered and are subject to removal from the show.
2. Maximum container size is 15" in any direction, unless otherwise specified. Plants and containers should be in proportion to each other. All indoor plants should have appropriate pots or saucers to catch excess water when plants are watered. Double-potting (use of cachepots) is permitted.
3. Classes 1-19 are for indoor-grown potted plants grown by exhibitor for at least 3 months. Name variety.

#### Erect growth habit

##### single plant

01	Pot under 7"
02	Pot 7-15"

##### multiple plants

03	Pot under 7"
04	Pot 7-15"

#### Spreading growth habit

##### single plant

05	Pot under 7"
06	Pot 7-15"

##### multiple plants

07	Pot under 7"
08	Pot 7-15"

#### Vining, pendant, hanging, or trailing growth habit

##### single plant

09	Pot under 7"
10	Pot 7-15"

##### multiple plants

11	Pot under 7"
12	Pot 7-15"

#### Other indoor potted plants

13	African Violets
14	Bonsai
15	Cacti
16	Dish garden
17	Orchids
18	Succulents
19	Other



## DIVISION 12: OUTDOOR PLANTERS AND HANGING BASKETS

Entries must have been grown outdoors by exhibitor for at least the majority of the current growing season.

**All First Entry container plants MUST be picked up on Second Entry day.**

01	Hanging basket, begonia	05	Patio planter, begonia
02	Hanging basket, fuchsia	06	Patio planter, fuchsia
03	Hanging basket, petunia	07	Patio planter, geranium
04	Hanging basket, other	08	Patio planter, Other (single species)
		09	Patio planter, Other (mix of species)

## DIVISION 13: ARTISTIC DESIGN

**All First Entry container plants MUST be picked up on Second Entry day.**

1. Plant material need not be grown by exhibitor unless specified.
2. All designs must contain some plant material. The use of fresh material is encouraged. Dried and/or treated dried plant material permitted only when specified.
3. Do not use: artificial flowers, fruit, vegetables, or foliage; coloring of fresh material; cut fruit or vegetables, or prepared food; landscapes or scenes; US or other national flags.
4. Sea fans, coral, bones, antlers, moss, accessories and bases are acceptable, as is native plant material grown by exhibitor from non-endangered species.
5. Unless specified, maximum size is 30" wide by 20" deep; no height restriction.

Class:

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| 01 | Traditional mass design in a basket. Use all fresh material.   |
| 02 | Monochromatic design. Design must have a single color theme (e.g. pink, yellow, etc.) Use all fresh or all dried material.                           |
| 03 | Holiday or special occasion design. Use some fresh material. Use one or more accessories. Identify holiday/ occasion on entry form.                  |
| 04 | "Better Together!" theme design. Interpret this year's Fair theme. Use fresh and/or dried material. Feature or accessories allowed but not required. |
| 05 | "Grower's Choice" Use any combination of fresh and/or dried material. All plant materials used must be grown by entrant.                             |
| 06 | Bridal Bouquet. Create a bouquet suitable for carrying down the aisle.   |
| 07 | Small design, maximum 8" in any direction. Use all fresh material.   |
| 08 | Miniature design, maximum 5" in any direction. Use all fresh or all dried material.  |
| 09 | Linear Design. Create a line or line-mass design that expresses motion or movement.  |



## JUNIORS

### DIVISION 14: JUNIOR, AGES 12 & UNDER

### DIVISION 15: JUNIOR, AGES 13 THROUGH 17

**All First Entry container plants MUST be picked up on Second Entry day.**

#### RULES:

1. State age on entry form in "description" area.
2. Horticulture entries grown by the exhibitor; artistic design entries designed by the exhibitor.
3. Three entries per class per week allowed in 01, 02, and 06. Enter only once per week in all other classes.
4. Follow corresponding open horticulture classes for requirements such as size, bloom count, and foliage. Refer to Div. 13 for artistic design rules.
5. Kids must enter for themselves!

#### HORTICULTURE

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| 01 | Annual, 1 to 6 blooms/sprays/stems, one variety                         |
| 02 | Perennial or biennial, 1 to 6 blooms/sprays/stems, one variety          |
| 03 | Collection; annuals, 5 specimens (Div. 10 rules apply.)                 |
| 04 | Collection; perennials or biennials, 5 specimens (Div. 10 rules apply.) |
| 05 | Most unusual, 1 bloom/spray/stem  |
| 06 | Other, cut specimen (e.g., dahlia, rose, gladiolus, begonia or lily)    |
| 07 | Indoor potted plant, maximum pot size 10"                               |
| 08 | Outdoor container planting, maximum 15" container                       |

#### ARTISTIC DESIGN

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| 09 | "Better Together!" interpret Fair theme using fresh and/or dried material. Features or accessories are allowed, but not required. |
| 10 | <b>Grower's Choice</b> – Use any combination of fresh and/or dried material. All plant materials used must be grown by entrant    |



# Special Flower Contests

## **“Whitest White Flower” contest:**

**1st entry only - Wednesday, August 24, from noon - 9 p.m.**

Bring in your whitest white flower. There is no minimum or maximum number of stems. Flower(s) will be judged solely on how close its color is to Crayola white.

## **“Bouquet for Grandma” contest:**

**2nd entry only - Wednesday, August 31, from noon - 9 p.m.** This contest is especially for our youngest fairgoers. (ages 5 and under). Children should bring an arrangement made from common roadside flowers, (e.g. dandelions, butter and eggs, daisies, etc.) Grandmas love flowers and entries in this contest will be judged based on their appeal to a panel of genuine grandmas!

## **“Crazy Cacti” contest:**

**1st entry only - Wednesday, August 24, from noon - 9 p.m.**

**Must be entered in Division 11, Class 15.** Cacti come in so many crazy forms! Bring us your best crazy cactus. It can be a single plant, or multiple specimens in one container.

## **“Super Succulent” contest:**

**2nd entry only - Wednesday, August 31, from noon - 9 p.m.**

**Must be entered in Division 11, Class 18.** There are so many varieties of superlative succulents. Bring us your best. It can be a single plant, or multiple specimens in a single container.

## SPECIAL AWARDS - FLOWERS

Outstanding entries will be recognized by these generous donors

### ***Bushes Bunches Gardens***

Division 2 Champion (1st entry)

Division 3 Champion (2nd entry)

### ***Mat-Su Master Gardeners***

Division 05 Champion (both entries)

Division 13, Class 4, Outstanding entry, (both entries)

### ***Pat Tremaine***

Division 6 Champion (both entries)

### ***HeartReach Center***

Division 9 Champion (both entries)

### ***Gray Owl Farm***

Division 12 Champion (both entries)

### ***Colony Greenhouse***

Division 14 Juniors Champion (both entries)

Division 15 Juniors Champion (both entries)

### ***Bering Sea Traders***

Division 15, Class 10 winners (both entries)

### ***Alpine Nursery***

Most Unusual Perennial (both entries)

### ***Valley Garden Club***

Pat Newcomb Award - Judges Choice (both entries)

### ***Mary Ann Boyd***

“Whitest White Flower” Contest (1<sup>st</sup> entry)

“Bouquet for Grandma” Contest

### ***Julia Milam***

“Crazy Cacti” (1st entry)

“Super Succulent” (2nd entry)