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FLORAL EXHIBITS

You are encouraged to make your entries in advance; however, entries will be accepted from **1 until 8p.m. Sunday** of Fair Week. For faster check-in, pre-register your articles by sending your entry blank to **Sykesville Ag and Youth Fair, P.O. Box 71, Sykesville, PA 15865**. Prior to June 2, 2023 -OR- we encourage you to pre-enter your items online at www.sykesvillefair.com.

Exhibit areas will be open to accept entries Sunday, June 18 from 1-8 p.m. No entries will be accepted after 8 p.m. on Sunday.

Exhibits must be on display for entire run of Fair and will be released on Sunday, from noon til 3 p.m. Judging 9:00 a.m. Monday, June 19, 2023.

1. The use or display of artificial flowers is prohibited, and no premiums will be paid on them.
2. Plants will not be accepted for exhibition unless they have been growing in containers for two months
3. The management will not undertake or be responsible for the task of returning exhibits. Baskets or containers must be supplied by the exhibitors and will be given every possible care, but the management cannot assume responsibility for their safety.
4. Flowers or plants entered for competition must be of more than ordinary standard and quality to be entitled to an award.
5. All entries must have been grown by exhibitors, except for those in arrangement classes.
6. There is a limit of two entries per exhibitor in each category.

Section 1

Flowering House Plants Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

- CLASS1. African violets - single, any color
2. African violets - double, any color
 3. Wax Begonias, fibrous-rooted - single, any color
 4. Wax Begonias, fibrous-rooted - double, any color
 5. Begonias, tuberous-rooted - single, any color
 6. Begonias, tuberous-rooted - double, any color
 7. Impatiens - single, any color
 8. Impatiens - double, any color
 9. Geranium - variegated foliage, any color
 10. Geranium - green foliage, any color
 11. New Guinea Impatien, any color
 12. Mixed pot - 3 or more different flowering plants
 13. Any other meritorious flowering plant not mentioned above

Section 2

Foliage Potted Plants Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

1. Only one species per pot except in collection class.
Pots are not to exceed 10" in width.

- CLASS1. Begonia, foliage type - large leaf, any variety
2. Begonia, foliage type - small leaf, any variety
 3. Begonia, foliage type - Joseph's coat
 4. Cacti - Christmas
 5. Cacti - one pot, one cactus
 6. Cacti - group of several pots, mixed varieties (3 or more pots)
 7. Cacti - garden, mixed varieties (3 or more plants)
 8. Cacti - succulent
 9. Coleus - large leaf
 10. Coleus - small leaf
 11. Coleus - fancy leaf
 12. Fern - Boston
 13. Fern - rabbit foot
 14. Fern - asparagus
 15. Fern - other
 16. Geranium - scented
 17. Ivy - English
 18. Ivy - grape
 19. Ivy - any other potted
 20. Philodendron - heart shaped green leaves
 21. Pothos - green and white leaves

22. Pothos - green and yellow leaves
23. Dish garden of foliage plants consisting of three or more varieties (no flowering)
24. Terrarium
25. Strawberry Jar - foliage and/or succulent
26. Jade plant
27. Most unusual/novelty container
28. Any other meritorious house plant not mentioned above

Section 3

Hanging Basket Flowering Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

- CLASS 1. Begonia - fibrous rooted - single - any color
2. Begonia - fibrous rooted - double - any color
 3. Begonia - tuberous rooted - any color
 4. Begonia - angel wing
 5. Impatiens - single - any color
 6. Impatiens - double - any color
 7. Impatiens - New Guinea - any color
 8. Ivy Geranium - any color
 9. Any other flowering hanging basket

Section 4

Hanging Basket Foliage Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

- CLASS 1. Cacti - Christmas
2. Fern - Boston
 3. Fern - Asparagus
 4. Any other fern - hanging
 5. Ivy - English
 6. Ivy - Grape
 7. Ivy - Swedish
 8. Any other Ivy - hanging
 9. Philodendron
 10. Pothos
 11. Spider
 12. Wandering Jew
 13. Any other foliage or vining hanging basket not mentioned above (no flowering)

Section 5

Specimen Flowers - Annuals Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

1. Exhibits in this division must be of cut flowers grown by the exhibitor and must conform to the number of blooms, spikes or stems specified in each class.
2. The uniformity of height, color or size is an important factor in evaluating entries.
3. Flowers in each entry must be of one color and variety unless otherwise stated.

- CLASS 1. Ageratum, 1 stem - pink
2. Ageratum, 1 stem - blue
 3. Ageratum, 1 stem - other
 4. Asters, 1 bloom - any color
 5. Bachelor's button, 1 bloom
 6. Bells of Ireland, 1 stem
 7. Calendula, 1 bloom - any color
 8. Celosia, crested - over 10" spread - any color
 9. Celosia, crested - under 10" - any color
 10. Celosia, plume - any other color, 5 stems
 11. Cleome, 1 stem
 12. Cosmos, 1 bloom - any color
 13. Marigold, 5 bloom - African lemon color, large
 14. Marigold, 5 bloom - African orange color, large
 15. Marigold, 5 bloom - small flowering lemon
 16. Marigold, 5 bloom - small flowering orange
 17. Marigold, 5 bloom - small flowering 2-tone flat type
 18. Marigold, 5 bloom - small flowering 2-tone ball type
 19. Nasturtium, 5 bloom
 20. Pansy, 5 bloom
 21. Petunia - single - any color
 22. Petunias - double - any color

23. Scabiosa, 1 bloom
24. Salvia, 5 stem - blue
25. Salvia, 5 stem - red
26. Salvia, 5 stem - any other color
27. Snapdragons, 1 spike
28. Strawflowers, 3 blooms - all one color
29. Strawflowers, 3 blooms - mixed color
30. Zinnia, 1 bloom - giant - over 4"
31. Zinnia, 1 bloom - large - under 4"
32. Zinnia, 1 bloom - cactus
33. Zinnia, 1 bloom - pompom - ball type
34. Zinnia, 1 bloom - small - under 3"
35. Zinnia, 1 bloom - miniature - single - under 1" (1 row of petals)
36. Dusty Miller
37. Globe Amaranth, 1 bloom - any color
38. Sunflower, 1 bloom (hybrid) - any color under 6"
39. Sunflower (hybrid) - teddy bear
40. Any other annual not mentioned above

Section 6 - Perennials Premium \$4, \$3, \$2

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3. Flowers in each entry must be of one color and variety unless otherwise stated.
4. Flowers must be in vase.

- CLASS
1. Chrysanthemum, 5 stems (multi-blooms) - single
 2. Chrysanthemum, 5 stems (multi-blooms) - cushion
 3. Chrysanthemum, 5 stems (multi-blooms) - pompom
 4. Chrysanthemum, 5 stems (multi-blooms) - other
 5. Dianthus, 1 stem (multi-blooms)
 6. Aster, perennial - 1 spray
 7. Gaillardia, 2-tone - 1 bloom
 8. Gaillardia, other - 1 bloom
 9. Honesty, dried - 1 spray
 10. Roses, floribunda - 1 spray
 11. Roses, floribunda (miniature) - 1 spray
 12. Roses, grandiflora - 1 bloom
 13. Roses, hybrid tea - 1 bloom
 14. Roses, miniature - 1 bloom
 15. Roses, collection - 6 blooms
 16. Rudbeckia - single - bi-color - 1 bloom
 17. Rudbeckia - single - yellow - 1 bloom
 18. Rudbeckia - single - any color - 1 bloom
 19. Sweet William, 1 stem
 20. Echinacea (cone flower) - purple - 1 bloom
 21. Echinacea (cone flower) - white - 1 bloom
 22. Flowering Shrub (any variety) - 1 stem
 23. Sedum (any variety) - 1 stem
 24. Any other perennial not mentioned above - 1 stem or bloom

Section 7 - Bulbs, Tubers and Rhizomes

Premiums \$4, \$3, \$2

- CLASS
1. Dahlia - cactus - over 6" - 1 bloom
 2. Dahlia - cactus - under 6" - 1 bloom
 3. Dahlia - decorative - 6-8" - 1 bloom
 4. Dahlia - decorative - 4-6" - 1 bloom
 5. Dahlia - decorative - under 4" - 1 bloom
 6. Dahlia - dinner plate - over 8" - 1 bloom
 7. Dahlia - pompom (ball type) - 1 bloom

8. Dahlia - miniature (dwarf) under 3" - 1 bloom
9. Dahlia - single - 1 row of petals - 1 bloom
10. Gladiolus - large - spike
11. Gladiolus - small - spike
12. Lily - any type - 1 stem
13. Canna Lily - large flowering - 1 stem
14. Canna Lily - small flowering - 1 stem
15. Tuberous Rooted Begonia bloom (flower only)
16. Any other

Section 8 - Artistic Arrangements

Premiums \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2

Maximum care will be taken of the containers and accessories until they can be reclaimed by the exhibitors, but fair cannot be held responsible for damage or loss.

CLASS1. **"Afternoon Tea Party"** - Fresh flowers and ivy, in a tea pot.

2. **"Grandma's Herb Garden"** - Arrangement of fresh cut herbs, in a basket w/native flowers. ie. Clover-Daisies-Queen Anns Lace-Butter Cups etc.

3. **"Old Glory"** - Main colors in this arrangement should be RED, WHITE & BLUE. Fresh flowers and foliage should be in a cup and saucer. Patriotic accessories may be used.

4. **"Country Amish"** - A basket or wooden box may be used for this arrangement. The main colors & foliage should be shades of blues and purples-dried materials and/or fresh flowers & foliage and wooden accessories may be used.

5. **"Treasure Chest"** - Flowers in shades of yellow with green foliage.

6. **"Wilderness Thicket"** - Dried and/or fresh materials from the woods & meadows - ie. vines, branches, pods, leaves, etc. in a rustic container arranged.

7. **Arrangement of Wild Flowers** - No plants forbidden by the conservation rules may be used.

8. **Arrangement of Wild Flowers in an Antique Container**

9. **Live plant in an "Old Shoe"**

10. **Live plant in an unusual container**

11. **Miniature - small arrangement 3" to 5" in height**

12. **Arrangement in pedestal container**

Section 9

Fairy Garden Premiums \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2

Class 1. 12 inches wide or less 2. Larger than 12 inches wide

Section 10

Terrariums Premiums \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, \$2

Class 1. Any Size