## DEPARTMENT 17 FLORAL EXHIBITS

#### Chairperson

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Exhibits Received - Sun, Aug 6, 1-7 PM
Entries in Place - Sun, Aug 6, 7 PM
Event Judged - Mon, Aug 7, 9 AM
Entries Released - Sun, Aug 13, 11 AM-2 PM
Pre-Entry-Compulsory – due by Aug 2
Due to state regulations – no early removal of
entries

NOTE: If there is a question whether a certain item will be ready at fair time, pre-enter anyway. The Fair is not responsible for exhibits which are not removed during the stipulated time frame or the wellbeing of the exhibits. Exhibits remaining after the allotted removal time will be considered abandoned and discarded.

PRE-ENTER BY PROPER CLASS AND DESCRIPTION. EXHIBITS MUST BE PROPERLY NAMED AND ARE LIMITED TO ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER EXHIBITOR.

## Rules and Regulations PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

No entry may be removed before 11AM on Sunday, August 13. No exceptions. All specimens must be grown by the exhibitor AND MUST BE NAMED.

- 1. All specimens must be grown by the exhibitor AND MUST BE NAMED.
- 2. House plants must be in possession of the owners and growing in the container for two months.
- 3. Dish gardens must have been grown together by exhibitors at least six weeks.
- 4. **CLEAN** baskets, hangers and containers must be supplied by the exhibitors. Pots are not to exceed 10 inches. Plant shine is not permitted.
- 5. Only one plant per pot except in collection class.
- 6. Cut flowers must conform to the number of

blooms, spikes or stem specified in each class.

- 7. The uniformity or height, color and size are an important factor in evaluating entries. Grooming is also very important so disbud and include foliage on flower stem, but not below water line.
- 8. Flowers in each entry should be of one color and variety unless otherwise stated.
- 9. Exhibits not removed during the specified time will be discarded.
- 10. Containers for horticulture must be supplied by exhibitor and should be of clear glass.
- 11. "Any Other Color" or "Any Other Category" means that the specimen IS NOT LISTED in an existing class. No repeated specimen can be entered either by color or by type.

#### Glossary of Terms

- $1. \, Bloom 1$  individual flower on separate stem with foliage attached to stem.
- 2. Spray a main stem with side Branches and blooms on all sides with attached foliage.
- 3. Spike a lengthened flower cluster in which the flowers are practically stemless. Ex.- gladiolus
- 4. Stem the leaf & flower bearing support structure of a plant.

#### Premiums

| A | \$ 3.50 \$ 3.00 | \$ 2.50 | \$ 2.00 | \$1.50 |
|---|-----------------|---------|---------|--------|
| В | \$ 3.00 \$ 2.50 | \$ 2.00 | \$ 1.50 | \$1.00 |
| C | \$ 2.50 \$ 2.40 | \$ 2.30 | \$ 2.20 | \$2.10 |
| D | \$ 5.00 \$ 4.00 | \$ 3.00 | \$ 2.00 | \$1.00 |
| E | \$25.00 \$20.00 | \$15.00 | \$10.00 | \$5.00 |
| F | \$ 4.00 \$ 3.00 | \$ 2.00 | \$ 1.50 | \$1.00 |

#### SECTION 1 FLOWERING PLANTS

NOTE: Refer to Department 17 for General Rules

Premium

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Class

African Violets (Single or double)

- 1. Pink
- 2. Purple
- 3. White
- 4. Any other color or variegated

Begonias, in bloom

5. Single or Double, wax or fibrous, any color

6. Any other flowering plant (not hanging), must be named.

Hanging Baskets 3 FEET MAXIMUM FROM TOP OF POT (Bring own hanger)

- 7. Geranium (any kind)
- 8. Begonia, single or double
- 9. Impatiens, single or double
- 10. Impatiens New Guinea, double or single
- 11. Any other flowering hanging basket, must be named

#### SECTION 2 FOLIAGE PLANTS

Plants with blooms accepted. Only foliage will be judged. Non-hanging baskets only for classes 1-20. Hanging baskets only for classes 21-28.

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Class

- 1. Baby Tears
- 2. Coleus, any leaf color
- 3. Episcia, any leaf color
- 4. Peperomia
- 5. Piggy-back
- 6. Prayer plant
- 7. Begonias, small or large leaf
- 8. Philodendron or Pothos

Fern

- 9. Asparagus
- 10. Boston
- 11. Any other fern, must be named

Ivy

Solid or Variegated

- 12. English
- 13. Swedish

Succulents

Thornless Only

- 14. Jade
- 15. Aloe
- 16. Any other thornless succulent, must be named

Dish Garden

3 or more DIFFERENT PLANTS in a low

container. Must be named.

Dish Gardens: Containers (including foliage) MAY

NOT exceed: 12 inches width x 12 inches length x

10 inches in height

- 17. All Foliage
- 18. All Succulent (Thornless Only)
- 19. Foliage/Succulent Combination

20. Any other non-hanging, foliage plant, must be named

Foliage Hanging Basket

3 FEET MAXIMUM FROM TOP OF POT

- 21. Spider, green or variegated
- 22. English Ivy
- 23. Swedish Ivy, Green or Variegated
- 24. Philodendron or Pothos
- 25. Wandering Jew
- 26. Asparagus Fern
- 27. Boston Fern
- 28. Any other foliage hanging basket, must be named

#### SECTION 3 ANNUALS

NOTE: Refer to Department 17 for General Rules

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Premium

Class

(1-16 Any Color)

- 1. Ageratum, 1 spray
- 2. Asters, 1 bloom
- 3. Bachelor Buttons, 3 blooms
- 4. Cleome, one bloom
- 5. Gaillardia, 1 bloom
- 6. Geranium, 1 bloom
- 7. Pansy, 3 stems
- 8. Strawflowers, 3 stems
- 9. Sweet Peas, 6 stems
- 10. Verbena, 3 blooms

Celosia

1 stem

- 11. Crested
- 12. Plume

Cosmos

1 spray

- 13. Single
- 14. Double

**Dahlias** 

#### 1 Bloom with leaves

- 15. Cactus
- 16. Pompom
- 17. Any other dahlia, red
- 18. Any other dahlia, yellow
- 19. Any other dahlia, pink
- 20. Any other dahlia, purple or lavender
- 21. Any other dahlia, white
- 22. Any other dahlia, orange, peach, salmon
- 23. Any other dahlia, variegated
- 24. Any other dahlia, any color

Janice Reddick Best in Show Dahlia – See

Department 22 for more information

#### Gladiolus

- 1 large
- 25. Red
- 26. Yellow
- 27. Pink
- 28. Lavender or Purple
- 29. White
- 30. Orange, Peach, Salmon
- 31. Variegated
- 32. Any other color, large
- 33. Color assortment of large Gladiolus, 6 spikes only 3 different colors

#### Gladiolus

Miniature florets not to exceed 2 1/2 inches

34. Color assortment of miniature, 6 spikes only 3 different colors

#### Marigolds

Small Single or Small Double (1-2 inches) 3 blooms

- 35. Yellow
- 36. Orange
- 37. Multi-Color

#### Marigold, Large, 3 blooms

- 38. Yellow
- 39. Orange
- 40. Multi-Color

#### Nasturtium

- 3 blooms
- 41. Single
- 42. Double

#### Petunia

Any color 3 blooms

- 43. Single
- 44. Double

#### Snapdragons

- 3 stems any color
- 45. Standard
- 46. Carpet snapdragons

#### **Zinnias**

- 1 bloom any color
- 47. Cactus, any size
- 48. Pompom, any size
- 49. Any other Zinnia, any size

#### **Sunflowers**

- 50. Bloom 5" and over, 1 bloom
- 51. Bloom under 5"
- 52. Any other annual, 1 bloom, must be named

## SECTION 4 PERENNIALS

NOTE: Refer to Department 17 for General Rules

#### Premium

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#### Class

- 1. Calendula, 1 stem
- 2. Coneflower, 1 stem
- 3. Delphinium, 1 spike
- 4. Dianthus, 1 bloom
- 5. Fever few, 1 spray
- 6. Liatris, 1 stem
- 7. Rudbeckia, 3 blooms
- 8. Shasta Daisy, 3 stems
- 9. Tansy, 1 stem
- 10. Veronica, 1 stem
- 11. Yarrow, 1 stem

#### Chrysanthemums

- 1 spray, any color
- 12. Pompom
- 13. Cushion
- 14. Any other Chrysanthemum

#### Hydrangeas

- 1 stem
- 15. Purple/Lavender
- 16. Blue
- 17. Pink
- 18. White

#### Lilies

1 stalk NO DAY LILIES, remove all anthers

- 19. Yellow
- 20. Pink
- 21. Orange
- 22. White
- 23. Stargazer (special category)
- 24. Any other color Lily

#### Phlox

1 stem

- 25. Purple/Lavender
- 26. Pink
- 27. White
- 28. Any other color Phlox

#### Roses

Hybrid Tea, 1 stem

- 29. Bi-color/multi color
- 30. Orange
- 31. Pink
- 32. Red
- 33. White
- 34. Yellow
- 35. Any other Rose, 1 stem identify type (all colors)
- 36. Any other perennial, 1 spray, or 1 stem, must be named (no day lilies)

#### SECTION 5 ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

## Rules and Regulations PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

All fresh flowers permitted, but fresh plant materials may not be treated or painted.

- 1. No artificial flowers or foliage; fresh vegetables permitted only when specified.
  - 2. Dried materials may be treated or colored.
- 3. Accessories permitted in all classes.
- 4. Backgrounds, bases, and underlay may be used.
- 5. The Warren County Fair request that the names of plant materials used in the design be written on a 3X5 card.
- 6. Arrangement must fit within the size of triangular niche space provided. TRIANGLE NICHE DIMENSIONS 18" high X

20" deep and 28" wide.

7. The committee reserves the right to move the arrangements.

#### **Theme – "Creative Expressions"**

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CLASS – DESCRIPTION (Colors & Flowers of choice, unless otherwise specified)

- 1. Novice Creative Design: "Garden Flower Splendor" (for exhibitors who have never won a 1<sup>st</sup> place Artistic Design ribbon at the Warren Co. Fair).
- 2. Wreath Design: Wreath with dried materials only.
- 3. Oriental Design: utilize the principles of oriental floral design.
- 4. Creative Container: Wildflowers & weeds in a creative container.
- 5. Basket Design: Arrangement in a basket of choice.
- 6. Design of choice but MUST INCORPORATE a Garden Tool (or Garden tools).
- 7. Miniature Arrangement: Depicting a Holiday of choice (not to exceed 5" in any direction).
- 8. Miniature Arrangement: Design of choice (not to exceed 3" in any direction.

# SECTION 7 GARDEN CLUBS MASTER GARDENERS, & ANY OTHER ORGANIZED GARDENING GROUP

## Rules and Regulations PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

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- 1. All fresh flowers permitted, but fresh plant materials may not be treated or painted.
- 2. No artificial flowers or foliage, fresh vegetables permitted.
  - 3. Dried materials may be treated or colored.
- 4. Accessories permitted but may not be placed in the floral unit.
- 5. Backgrounds, bases, and underlay may be used.
- 6. The Warren County Fair requests that the names

of plant material used in the design be written on a 3" x 5" card.

- 7. Arrangements must conform to niche size: 32" high x 24" wide and 16" deep.
- 8. The committee reserves the right to move the arrangements.

#### **CLASS – DESCRIPTION**

#### 1. Fairy Gardens

May include miniature pathways, dwellings, furniture, etc. and must contain soil, real flowers and plants in a low-sided, shallow, waterproof container (no artificial/silk flowers/plants). The length or diameter of the container should be **no** bigger than 18" and **no** higher than 12".

## SECTION 8 YOUTH ARRANGEMENTS

## Rules and Regulations PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

- 1. Arrangements must be made by the registered youth and MAY NOT EXCEED 10" in any direction.
- 2. Only one entry allowed per youth, per Class.
- 3. Garden flowers, wildflowers, and fresh foliage only. Plant material may not be treated or painted.
- 4. Accessories permitted but may not be placed in the floral unit.
- 5. The committee reserves the right to move the arrangements.

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#### CLASS - DESCRIPTION

#### Kindergarten through 2nd grade completed

- 1. Favorite Holiday
- 2. Arrangement in a tin can (flowers & colors of choice).

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#### Third Grade through Fourth Grade completed

- 3. High School Colors
- 4. Arrangement in a tin can (flowers & colors of choice).

#### Fifth Grade through Sixth Grade completed

- 5. Favorite Sports Team
- 6. Arrangement in a tin can (flowers & colors of choice).

### Seventh Grade through Twelfth Grade Completed

- 7. Favorite Sports Team
- 8. Arrangement in a tin can (flowers & colors of choice).