### DEPARTMENT 22 MAJOR CONTESTS

# SECTION 1 Garden Tractor Pull

## Dirt Diggers Garden

#### **Tractors**

Tuesday 8/5/25 Start 7:00 PM Registration 4:30 – 6:30 PM Warren County Fair Motorsports Arena

#### **Co-Chairpersons**

Dean Kimmy (814) 663-1343 Tyler Lowe (814) 706-6354

#### **Rules and Regulations**

All contestants must pay regular gate admission.

- 1. All contestants must pay regular gate admission.
- 2. Pit gate opens at 3:30pm.
- 3. A tractor can enter only once in any one class. Any one driver can only enter one tractor in any one class. **Any driver can only register for 2 pulls.**
- 4. An entry fee of \$ 5.00 will be paid for each tractor per class.
- 5. All drivers in this contest under 18 years of age must have written permission from a parent or legal guardian. A waiver form must be filled out before the start of the pull.
- 6. Minimum age of pullers is 7 years old.
- 7. Drivers under the age of 18 must be able to demonstrate the ability to handle the tractor.
- 8. All tractors must be inspected before entering the contest. (see diagram)
- 9. Tractor and driver will be weighed together with helmet prior to contest and after each pull if so desired by the judges. Judges will also "tach" and inspect tractors if they desire.
- 10. All weights must be safely secured to the tractor. Any loss of weights will be a disqualification.
- 11. Helmets, long pants, and closed toe shoes are required for all pullers.
- 12. Only one pull allowed to each contestant unless

- a tie is declared. Pull is ended when tractor engine stalls or the forward motion of tractor stops. No jerking or hole digging is allowed.
- 13. Driver may stop only <u>once</u> in the first 25 foot to make gear changes and will restart from the starting line.
- 14. Driver must stop the tractor immediately upon signal from officials.
- 15. If tractor or sled touches boundary line, pull will be disqualified.
- 16. Drivers must always remain in a seated position with at least one hand on the steering wheel.
- 17. First driver in each class will have the choice of taking their first pull or drop back and repull in the third entry in the class.
- 18. If the tractor front rises to a point that the judges feel is unsafe, the judges may stop the pull.
- 19. Any operator operating in an unsafe manner will be disqualified.
- 20. Unless directed by an official, you and your tractor will leave the track once you have pulled.
- 21. No dual wheels, tire chains, studded tires, ATV tires, implements or 4wd will be permitted.
- 22. Front weight bar measured from center of rear axle forward may not exceed 84 inches.
- 23. All tractors must have wheelie bars and a break away switch.
- 24. Only the driver and one additional pit or crew member allowed on the track.

#### 25. DRIVERS MUST STAY WITH THE TRACTOR AT ALL TIMES ON THE TRACK.

- 26. Any deliberate violation of these rules will be cause to reject you and your equipment from the grounds and result in the forfeit of all prizes and trophies.
- 27. Decisions of judges will be FINAL in all cases.

#### Classes

- 1. Modified TWIN Class: 1050 lbs 25 hp and under
- 2. Modified SINGLE Class: 1050 lbs Up to 16 hp
- 3. Stock TWIN Class: 1050 lbs 25hp and under
- 4. Stock Class: 1000 lbs 14-16 hp
- 5. Stock Class: 1000 lbs 13hp and under
- 6. Youth Stock Class: 900 lbs 13hp and under
- 7. Youth Stock Class: 950 lbs 13hp and under
- 8. Stock Class: 1050 lbs 13hp and under
- 9. Stock Class: 1050 lbs 14-16 hp
- 10. Stock TWIN Class: 1100 lbs 25 hp and under
- 11. Modified SINGLE Class: 1100 lbs Up to 16 hp
- 12. Modified TWIN Class: 1100 lbs 25 hp and under

DESCRIPTION	STOCK	MODIFIED
RPM	4200	UNLIMITED
TIRE SIZE	23x10.5x12 Max	12x12x26 Max
TIRE TYPE	Turf or Bar, UNCUT	Turf or Bar may be cut
WHEELS	Alum. Permitted	Alum. Permitted
HOUSING	No Alum. Unless factory	No Alum. Unless factory
FRAMES	No Alum. Unless factory	No Alum. Unless factory
WHEELBASE	Up to 6" Modified	Up to 6" Modified
CARBURETOR	Stock 1" venturi max	Stock 1" venturi max
IGNITION	Stock	Trigger Type allowed
REAR ENDS	Tractor Type	Tractor Type
EXHAUST	Straight pipe 90 degrees	Straight pipe 90 degrees
KILL SWITCH	YES	YES
WHEELIE BARS	YES	YES
THROTTLE	ANY	ANY
HEADS	Stock	Billet Permitted
HEAD PLATES	No	YES
SHEILDS	YES	YES
FENDERS	YES	YES
CRANKS	Stock	Stock, Balanced
BLOCKS	Stock	Stock port and polish
FLYWHEELS	Stock	Billet
WORKING BRAKES	YES	YES
REVERSE	YES	OPTIONAL
ELECTRIC FUEL PUMPS	NO	YES
EXTERNAL CRANKSHAFT WEIGHTS	NO	YES
HITCH HEIGHT	13"	13"

# ANTIQUE TRACTOR PULL

Wednesday, August 6 at 6:30 PM Registration 3-6 PM Warren County Fair Motorsports Arena

#### **Co-Chairpersons**

John Ward (814) 688-8796 Curt Nyweide (814) 664-0506

WAREN COUNTY FAIR ANTIQUE TRACTOR PULLING RULES

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

All contestants must pay regular gate admission. An entry fee of \$10.00 will be paid for each tractor per class.

#### General:

- 1. All rules are subject to interpretation and/or change by the designated Pulling/Safety Committee consisting of at least 3 designees. Participants can be disqualified for being discourteous to others.
- 2. All entrants to participate at their own risk.

- 3. Open to all 2-wheel drive, rubber tired, stock, antique tractors that are gas, diesel, or propane powered and were manufactured in 1965 or prior.
- 4. All pulls will utilize a maximum of 3.5MPH ground speed.
- 5. All tractors must not exceed factory RPMs.
- 6. All tractors to be in stock condition as they came from the factory with no pulling enhancement modifications. Alternators, electronic distributors, hitch adjusters, and straight pipes are permitted.
- 7. Tractor owner provided reference documents must be published by the same manufacturer as tractor.
- 8. No shifting of gears or power shifts during the pull.
- 9. No racing fuel, aviation fuel, or octane boosters will be permitted.
- 10. The width of the entire machine must not exceed 8'6".
- 11. The minimum age of the driver is 16 yrs. with the Pulling/Safety Committee approval.
- 12. Suspected influence of drugs or alcohol will result in immediate disqualification.
- 13. Driver to remain seated during the pull. Any loss of parts during pull will result in disqualification.
- 14. Track officials may stop a pull at any time for safety reasons including a front end height that exceeds 16".

#### Inspection:

- 1. All tractors will be subject to inspection by the Pulling/Safety Committee at time of weigh in and as deemed necessary at any time during the contest. All decisions are final.
- 2. Any tractors found to be unsafe or not meeting the rules, will have the opportunity for the driver to correct infraction(s).

#### Drawbar:

- 1. Tractors will pull from factory original drawbar or a drawbar that matches the factory original specifications.
- 2. Drawbar must be stationary in all directions.
- 3. For 6500lb. classes and under, the maximum drawbar height is 17" with a minimum length of 22" from the center of the axle.
- 4. For 7000lb. classes and over, the maximum drawbar height is 20" with a minimum length of 25" from the center of the axle.

- 5. A clevis, shackle, or pulling ring that utilizes 3/4" to 1-1/4" thick material while providing a 2-1/2" hole is required. All pulling rings must be secured with at least 2 bolts.
- 6. If hitch adjusters are used, the drawbar must be lowered to the height of the hook. No downward shimming will be permitted.
- 7. Tractors not having a factory stationary drawbar or having a non-adjustable stationary drawbar with a height of less than 14", will be permitted to pull from a stationary 3ph drawbar with straps or hitch adjusters.

#### Weights:

- 1. No barbell weights or weight brackets will be permitted.
- 2. Weights of the bolt on type must be securely fastened in the manufacturer's intended position for that design of weight/tractor. Suitcase weights are permitted if original equipment for the make and model of machine.
- 3. Custom weight added for what is presumed to be for the purpose of pulling enhancements will not be permitted.

#### Tires:

- 1. All tires must be within one size over or under the factory original size.
- 2. No cut tires, radial tires, or chains.

#### WEIGHT CLASSES

2500 lb and under	9000 lb and under
6500 lb and under	5000 lb and under
3000 lb and under	10000 lb and under
7000 lb and under	5500 lb and under
3500 lb and under	12000 lb and under
7500 lb and under	6000 lb and under
4000 lb and under	8000 lb and under
4500 lb and under	

# SECTION 2 BEST DECORATED BALE CONTEST

**Co-Chairpersons** 

Tony & Judy Cerra (814) 723-5668

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Open to: Any family (one entry per residence) in Warren County Fair Area.

Open to groups (one entry per group), either junior or adult. Open to businesses (one entry per business). Rules:	1st 2nd 3rd 4th	\$50 + 4 day passes to the Fair \$40 + 2 day passes to the Fair \$30 + 2 day passes to the Fair \$20 + 2 day passes to the Fair
1. Bales must be registered with the Fair no later than July 1, 2025.	=	ries will receive 2 day passes to the
<ul><li>2. Any size of round or square bales of straw or hay may be used. Wrapped, painted or natural bales may be used.</li><li>3. Display must be on private property or land</li></ul>	-	Junior - all members under age 18 Girl/Boy Scouts, church groups, etc.)
owned by the group and 10 feet away from fence line.	$1^{\rm st} \\ 2^{\rm nd}$	\$50 \$40
4. Bale(s) to be decorated to represent something you would see at the Fair (i.e., fruit, vegetable, animals, etc.) or our 2025 Theme: "PA Fairs	3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	\$30 \$20
Cultivating the Future Generations".  5. Bale to be accompanied by a sign clearly stating "See You at the Warren County Fair, August <b>4-9</b> ."	over. (Churc nursing hom	oups – all members 18 years of age & ch groups, organizations, senior centers, es, etc.)
<ul> <li>SIGN MUST BE VISABLE FROM THE ROAD.</li> <li>6. Display must be in place July 11 – August 10.</li> <li>7. The committee will judge entries on site.</li> </ul>	Prizes:  1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup>	\$50 \$40
Judging score:  Overall Appearance = 20%	4 <sup>th</sup>	\$20
Originality = 50% Visibility of Fair dates = 30% 8. All entries will receive an 8X10 inch picture to		<ul> <li>Open to any business within the nty area. One entry per business.</li> </ul>
be displayed at the Fair in the back of red display building.	1 <sup>st</sup>	10 day passes to the Fair
CLASS 1. Individual/Family Prizes:	business ente	County Fair day passes for each ered.
APPLICATION FOR FAMILY NAME OR GROUP NAME	R BALE CONT	EST
GROUP CONTACT PERSON		
ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE ZIP		
TELEPHONE #		
DIRECTIONS TO HOUSE		

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

# Fairy Garden, Christmas Tree, Painted Rock Crocheted or Knitted Scene PSACF Apron Contest

Exhibits received - Sun, Aug 3, 1-7 PM.
Entries in place - Sun, Aug 3, 7 PM.
Event judged - Mon, Aug 4, 9 AM. Entries
Released - Sunday after fair, 11 AM-2 PM
Pre-Entry-Compulsory - due by July 30
One entry per class

#### Premiums

A	\$10.00 \$ 9.00 \$ 8.00 \$ 7.00 \$6.00
В	\$20.00 \$18.00 \$15.00 \$10.00 \$5.00
C	\$20.00 \$15.00 \$10.00

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#### FAIRY GARDEN CONTEST

A Fairy Garden is a miniature landscape where a tiny fairy could dwell. It 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".

Please take Fairy Gardens to Sewing

**Department in back of the Red Still Exhibit Building to enter.** Do not take Fairy Gardens to the Floral Department.

For more information contact Linda at 814-730-6401.

Premium A Class

- 5. Ages 17 and under as of January 1 of current year.
- 6. Ages 18 and up as of January 1 of current year.

#### CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATING CONTEST

Christmas trees must be artificial and 3 to 4 feet high with no lights (Do not include electric or battery-operated lights on tree.) Trees may be displayed on floor. Take Christmas Trees to Sewing Department in back of the Red Still Exhibit Building to enter.

For more information contact Linda at (814) 730-6401.

Premium A

Class

7. Creative Christmas Tree

#### PAINTED ROCK CONTEST

One entry per exhibitor. Rock size must not exceed 4" length x 4" width x 2" high. River rocks can be used since they are smooth and work best for painting. Colored pencils, oil pastels, chalk, acrylic paint, or Posca paint pens can be used to make the design and the rocks can be painted prior to making the design. Nothing can be added to the rock that is non-biodegradable such as stickers, gems or decoupage. After painting seal the rocks with clear spray paint, gloss or matte. Painted rocks will be judged on visual appearance and creativity. Ages are as of January 1 of current year.

Premium A

Class

- 8. Age 5 years & younger
- 9. Age 6-8
- 10. Age 9-12
- 11. Age 13-16
- 12. Age 17 years & older

# CROCHETED OR KNITTED SCENE

Size limit 2' X 2'

Scenes will be displayed on a table. Examples: Aquarium, Nativity, etc.

В

Premium

Class

13. Crocheted or Knitted Scene

# PENNSYLVANIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY FAIRS SPECIAL APRON CONTEST CELEBRATING 250 YEARS OF AMERICA



Warren County Fair is participating in the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs Apron Contest. First place winner from our fair will be eligible to enter their apron in the 2026 PA State Farm Show Contest. For more information contact Linda at 814-730-6401.

#### Exhibitor must be a resident of Pennsylvania – one entry per person.

Colors: combinations of red, white, blue only

Type: Half Apron Bib Apron

Printed Apron

Apron must have been made in 2025.

Premium B

Class

14. PSACF Apron Contest

#### **SECTION 3**

#### MARY BENEDICT MEMORIAL AWARD PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

The annual Mary Benedict Memorial Award will be given to one exhibitor of the judge's choice in either flowering plants, foliage plants, annuals, or perennials. A \$30.00 cash award will be given by Mary's family in her memory.

**CLASS** 

1. Mary Benedict Memorial Award
MARGE TAYDUS MEMORIAL AWARD

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The annual Marge Taydus Memorial Award will be given to two exhibitors, one from the junior division and one from the senior division, during the Warren County Fair. Marge's family has arranged for two cash awards of \$50.00 each to be given each year in her memory. Marge loved the fair and entered many items in many departments for as long as she was able. Marge's family would like to honor her by encouraging youth and adults to enter in the fair. The award will be given after judging and tallying of ribbons has been completed and will be based on the total number of ribbons won by an individual competitor in the junior division and in the senior division of still exhibits (departments 11 through 23).

**CLASS** 

- 2. Junior Division
- 3. Senior Division

#### DOMESTIC EXHIBITOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

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

The Warren County Fair will give a "Domestic Exhibitor of the Year" award. This award will be given after judging and tallying of ribbons has been completed. To qualify for this award, an individual must have received at least one blue ribbon in at least four of the following departments:

Department 12 - Hay and Grain

Department 13 – Vegetables

Department 14 - Fruits and Nuts

Department 15 - Home and Dairy Products

Department 17 - Floral Exhibits

Department 18 - Needlecraft

Department 19 - Fine Arts and Crafts

Department 22 – Contests Section 2

Department 23 - Apiary and Maple Products

Point scores will be tallied for each qualifying person through the place ribbons they receive. Points will be given as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> Place - 3 points

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - 2 points

3<sup>rd</sup> Place - 1 point

Points will be tallied after all judging results have been processed by the Secretary of Entries. There is no entry required. All qualified will automatically be entered. No person can be named Domestic Exhibitor of the Year in two consecutive years.

#### **CLASS**

4. Domestic Exhibitor

#### JANICE REDDICK MEMORIAL AWARD

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

The annual Janice Redick Memorial Award will be a Best in Show in Dahlia Classes 15-24. Janice always entered various items in the Floral Department each year and was especially known for her beautiful dahlias. A \$10.00 cash award is being sponsored by Janice's family in her memory. The award will be determined by the flower judges.

#### **CLASS**

5. Janice Reddick Memorial Award

#### SPECIAL BAKING CONTESTS

Marita Jespersen (814)757-8035 Marcia Harrington (814)757-8687

The Special Baking Contests will be entered, judged, and displayed in the back of the Red Domestic Building (near sewing department). Please do not take the entries for this contest to the

baked goods department.

NOTE: All ingredients and decorations must be edible. Entry must be submitted for judging on a food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)

Premium C
(Both Pre-Teen & Teen judged together)

### 6. PA Preferred™ Junior Baking Contest Cookies, Brownies, or Bars

Two or more PA Preferred<sup>TM</sup> products must be used and <u>product labels attached</u> to the recipe. (See rules printed in this book.) To find PA Preferred<sup>TM</sup> products go to <u>www.papreferred.com</u> NOTE: Hershey chocolate is not a PA Preferred ingredient (cocoa beans/cocoa are not grown/processed in PA) however it may be used in the recipe, but it can't be used as one of the PA Preferred ingredients.

See PA Preferred Junior Baking Contest ad in this book.

Premium D Class

#### 7. Blue Ribbon Apple Pie Contest

At least 60% apples in filling. Recipe must be included on 8 ½" X 11" paper, one side. First place winner may enter The Blue-Ribbon Apple Pie Contest at the PA Farm Show. Details will be mailed. See Blue Ribbon Apple Pie Contest ad in this book.

#### 8. Homemade Chocolate Cake Contest

See Homemade Chocolate Cake Contest ad. First Place Winner is eligible for the PA Farm Show.

#### 9. PA Incredible Angel Food Cake Contest

See Incredible Angel Food Cake Contest ad. First Place Winner is eligible for the PA Farm Show.

#### **SECTION 4**

#### PEDAL POWER PULL

KeyBank Pavilion SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 1 PM REGISTRATION 12:30 PM

#### Chairperson

Jessica Lachner (716) 720-0660

- 1. Classes are by weight, ages 7 years and younger on day of pull.
- 2. Weight will be on child as he/she enters the pulling area. No removing of clothes or shoes to change weight classes.
- 3. Distance will be measured when forward motion of tractor stops. No jerking on sled.

**CLASS** 

18. Up to 30 lbs.

19. 31 to 40 lbs.

20. 41 to 48 lbs.

21. 49 to 54 lbs.

22. 55 to 60 lbs.

Ribbons (5 places)

#### WARREN COUNTY FAIR WOODSMANS CONTEST

THURSDAY, AUGUST 7 6:30 PM

#### **CHAIRPERSON**

Conrad Hultman (814) 757-8609

For Questions and pre-registration contact:

Tim Benedict (814)706-2105 timbenedict1970@gmail.com Alan R. Smith (814) 730-2531 John Dailey (814) 706-1398 Larry Upton (814) 563-7074

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

- 1. Contestants must be familiar with the general rules of the Warren County Fair.
  - 2. Contestants must pay regular gate admission.
  - 3. Contestants must register to compete.
  - 4. Competition to start at 6 PM.
  - 5. Registration will be from 5-6 PM.
  - 6. An entry fee of \$5.00 PLUS a fee of \$1.00 per class.
  - 7. Contestants will strive to project a professional atmosphere at all times.
  - 8. Decisions of the Head judge are FINAL.
- 9. Any contestant who does not conduct himself in a sportsmanlike manner, will be disqualified by the Head judge.
- 10. The Head judge will have the right to stop any contestant operating in an unsafe manner.
- 11. Chaps, ear, and eye protection MUST be worn during all chain saw events.
- 12. Contestants can enter more than once in a sawing class; however the saw may only be entered once per class.
- 13. Chain saws must be stock appearing and covers must be in place.
- 14. Shin guards will be required for the chopping events.
- 15. Only those competing will be allowed in the arena.
- 16. The specific rules of each event will be explained at the competitors meeting to be held at 5:45 PM. ANY QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED AT THIS TIME.
- 17. Attendance at the competitors meeting is REOUIRED.
- 18. All wood and starting positions will be drawn at random.

Premium \$45 \$30 \$20 \$15 \$10

#### WARREN COUNTY FAIR QUEEN CONTEST

**MONDAY AUGUST 4, 6 PM** 

#### **Co-Chairpersons**

Laura (814) 730-8336 Jeanette (814) 730-0125 Jessica (716) 720-0660 Cassie (814) 489-7791

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

Application deadlines are at the beginning of May of the year of the contest. Be sure to "like" the "Warren County PA Fair Queen Pageant" on Facebook or check the Warren County Fair website at <a href="https://www.warrencountyfair.net">www.warrencountyfair.net</a> for information and applications or contact a Fair Queen committee member in the winter of the year leading up to the Fair Queen Contest.

#### Qualifications:

- 1. Must be a US citizen, and a resident of Warren County and have participated in or attended the Warren County Fair.
- 2. Must be at least age 16 but no older than 20 years of age by June 1<sup>st</sup> of present year.
- 3. Must be single, never married, have no children and must not marry nor get pregnant during her reign.
- 4. Must have never committed or have been arrested or convicted of a crime.
  - 5. Have parent or guardian's consent.
- 6. Must complete an application and participate in orientation and judging activities.
- 7. Prepare a 2-minute persuasive speech, "Why you should come to my Fair."
  - 8. Judges will interview each contestant.
  - 9. Poise and appearance will be considered.
- 10. Each contestant will be asked an impromptu question on stage.
- 11. Must have and demonstrate a personal knowledge of the Warren County Fair and agriculture.
- 12. Must follow all rules as set forth by the PA State Fair Queen program, including dress code.

#### **Qualifications for PA State Fair Queen Contest:**

- 1. Be female who is a US citizen and a resident of Pennsylvania.
- 2. Be at least age 16, but no older than 20 years of age as of June 1 of the year entering the local contest.
- 3. Be certified as the winner by the local fair where she was crowned.
- 4. Have not been a former local Fair Queen winner, nor a former State Fair Queen Contestant.
  - 5. Not hold any other state title for any other

commodity group or pageant during her reign.

- 6. Have her parent(s)' or guardian(s)' consent to enter the competition.
- 7. Be single, have never been married, have not been pregnant nor given birth to a child.
- 8. Act in accordance with the PA Fair Queen "Behavior Policy."
- 9. Meet all time commitments, Queen Obligations and Dress Codes as set forth by the PA Fair Queen Program.

#### WARREN COUNTY FAIR JR. MISS

- 1. Must be a US citizen, **and** a resident of Warren County **and** have participated in or attended the Warren County Fair
- 2. Must be at least age 12 but no older than 15 years of age by June 1st of present year.
- 3. Must be single, never married, have no children, and must not marry, nor get pregnant during her reign.
- 4. Must have never committed or have been arrested or convicted of a crime.
  - 5. Have parent or guardian's consent.
- 6. Must complete an application and participate in orientation and judging activities.
- 7. Prepare a 2 minute speech on "Why you should come to the Warren County Fair"
  - 8. Judges will interview each contestant.
  - 9. Poise and appearance will be considered.
- 10. Each contestant will be asked an impromptu question.
- 11. Must have and demonstrate a personal knowledge of the Warren County Fair and agriculture.
- 12. Must follow all rules as set forth by the PA State Fair Queen program, including dress code.

#### LITTLE PRINCESS PROGRAM (AGES 6 – 8)

The Warren County Fair Little Princess Program is a *non-competitive* program designed to get young girls introduced and interested in the Warren County Fair and Fair Queen contest.

Girls who live in Warren County, ages 6 - 8 (Age as of August 1 of present year) are invited to sign up for the Little Princess Program. All little princesses will be introduced by the emcee and

given a tiara on stage by a member of the current Fair Queen Court. There will also be one day where the little princess participants will get to interact with the queen contestants and rehearse where they will stand on stage.

There is a cost of \$20 per participant and includes a rhinestone tiara, T-shirt, and participation in the program.

Little princesses will perform a short dance routine and be asked an on-stage question.

All little princess participants will be required to attend two rehearsals, one the week prior to the fair and the second the day before the contest in the KeyBank Pavilion (Princess must attend to participate). Rehearsals will be for participants only. Parents can pick their princess up at the end of practice.

Little princesses will be required to wear one *age-appropriate* party dress for the entire event (dance, introduction, and question). Shoes can be by preference (sandals, dress shoes, cowboy boots, etc.). Only princess participants will be allowed backstage. Please, <u>no</u> makeup!

There are no requirements or obligations for the little princess participants after they receive their tiara.

People's Choice Little Princess category: People's Choice is voted for by the audience, by placing tickets (can be purchased before and during the contest) in the box of the little princess you wish to vote for. A plaque for the People's Choice Little Princess will be awarded on stage. Little princesses will decorate their box (boxes and decorations will be provided) during practice.

Questions: Please email

warrencountypafairqueenprogram@yahoo.com

#### PRINCESS PROGRAM (AGES 9 – 11)

The Warren County Fair Princess Program is a program designed to get young girls introduced and interested in the Warren County Fair and Fair Queen contest. The 9-11 age group will compete

and one will be crowned as the Warren County Fair Princess!

Girls who live in Warren County, ages 9 - 11 (Age as of August 1 of present year) are invited to sign up for the Princess Program.

There is a cost of \$20 per participant and includes a rhinestone tiara, T-shirt, and participation in the program.

All little princess participants will be required to attend two rehearsals, one the week prior to the fair and the second the day before the contest in the KeyBank Pavilion (Princess must attend to participate). Rehearsals will be for participants only. Parents can pick their princess up at the end of practice.

Princesses will be required to wear one ageappropriate party dress for the entire event. Shoes can be by preference (sandals, dress shoes, cowboy boots, etc.) Only princess participants will be allowed backstage. Please, no makeup!

A dance routine for this age group will be determined based on the number of contestants signed up and will be determined once all applications have been received.

Princesses will be judged on:

**Stage presence** 10 points

**Introduction** 20 points (Princess will introduce herself and will include *at least* name, age, parent names & which school she attends)

**Final question** 20 points (Emcee will ask princess a final question)

In addition to the tiara & t-shirt, the winner will receive a crown & sash, 2 season fair passes, various other gifts, and \$50 from the Warren County Fair Board awarded at the successful completion of her reign.

The crowned Warren County Fair Princess will participate in one day Fair week (parent choice of day) in events with the Fair Queen, 1<sup>st</sup> Runner-Up, and Junior Miss. Parent or parent-appointed adult must be with princess at the events on the chosen day. Off-season events are optional. Attendance on

the float at the Warren 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade is strongly encouraged. Princess would be expected to return to the following year's Queen contest to crown the next princess.

People's Choice Princess category: People's Choice is voted for by the audience, by placing tickets (can be purchased before and during the contest) in the box of the princess you wish to vote for. A plaque for the People's Choice Princess will be awarded on stage. Princesses will decorate their box (boxes and decorations will be provided) during practice.

Questions: Please email

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#### WARREN COUNTY FAIR 46<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SILVER CUP HORSE SHOW

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 2025 9:00 A.M. – ELLWOOD NATIONAL FORGE SHOW RING

#### HORSE SHOW PARKING IN PIT AREA

Co- CHAIRPERSONS Jackie Barnett (814) 730-8186 Judy Yaegle (814) 730-8589

Judge: Larry Thurber, East Concord, New York

Performance Classes: Hunt Seat/Saddle Seat, Western, Hunters, Lead-Line, Walk-Trot, Quarter Horses, Ranch Horses, Draft Horses, Draft Ponies, & Miniature Horses

**Jackpot Classes** 

# RULES AND REGULATIONS PREMIUM CHECKS WILL BE VOIDED 90 DAYS AFTER THEY ARE PRINTED

1. WARREN COUNTY FAIR ANIMAL HEALTH RULES ARE TO BE FOLLOWED IN ALL ANIMAL DEPARTMENTS AND CONTESTS. DOCUMENTATION OF NECESSARY IMMUNIZATIONS MUST BE PRESENTED UPON ARRIVAL AT THE FAIRGROUNDS FOR ALL ANIMALS. THESE HEALTH RULES ARE PRINTED IN THE OFFICAL PREMIUM BOOK. PA horses and ponies must have: Certificate of Veterinary Inspection dated after May 2025, and negative Coggins test within 12 months of show date. Out of State horses and ponies must have: Certificate of Veterinary Inspection within 30 days of show and negative Coggins test within 12 months of show.

- 2. All contestants must pay regular gate fee.
- 3. All entry fees: \$10.00 Per Class. NO REFUNDS on classes scratched.
- 4. Performance Class Awards: Cup, Ribbons and Money pay back through 5 places. Reduced payback when less than 5 entries in class.
- 5. Questions? Call Judy Yaegle: (814) 723-4236 or (814) 730-8589 email: foxrunstable@verizon.net
- 6. All riders 12 years and UNDER, while mounted on a horse, must wear ASTM F1163-04a/SEI Certified approved helmets.
- 7. All riders in Lead Line, 4-H and Jumping Classes must wear approved helmets.
- 8. Age exhibitor is as of January 1 of current year.
- 9. Exhibitors may not show the same animal in both horse and pony classes, or in both pony and miniature horse classes.

#### **CLASS**

- 1. Stock Seat Equitation Rider 18 years and over
- 2. Hunt Seat Equitation Under Saddle Rider 17 years and under
  - 3. Warren County Open Pleasure Horse
- 4. Beginners Equitation Rider 12 years and under. Walk-Trot rider not eligible for any other class under saddle except #'s 7, 9 & 28
- 5. Open 4-H Pleasure Horse or Pony
- 6. Registered Quarter Horse Western Pleasure
- 7. Beginner Pleasure Rider 12 years and under Walk-Trot, rider not eligible for any other class except #'s 4, 9 & 28
- 8. Stock Seat Equitation Rider 17 years and under
- 9. Beginners Jackpot Pleasure Rider 12 years and under Walk-Trot rider not eligible for any other class except #'s 4, 7, & 28
- 10. Open Lead Line Costume Class Rider 6 years and under, must wear approved helmets, and feet

must reach stirrups.

- 11. Open Bridle Path Hack Horse or Pony Hunt Seat or Saddle Seat
- 12. Open Lead Line Rider 6 years and under: English, Western or Draft judged separately. Riders must wear approved helmets, and feet must reach the stirrups.
- 13. Warren County Open Equitation Rider 17 years and under, must be a resident of Warren County.
- 14. Open Lead Line Walk-Trot Rider 6 and under: English, Western, or Draft (pattern posted), judged separately. Rider must wear approved helmet, and feet must reach the stirrups.
- 15. 4-H Equitation Jr. 13 and under as of January 1 of current year.
- 16. Open Lead Line Jackpot, Rider 6 and under. Rider must wear approved helmet, and feet must reach the stirrups.

#### 30-minute lunch break

- 17. Draft Horse Driving 6 Horse Hitch (show teams and farm teams judge separately)
- 18. Mini Driving Class
- 19. Draft Horse Driving 4 Horse Hitch (show teams and farm teams judge separately)
- 20. Mini Jumping in Hand (pattern posted)
- 21. Ranch Rail Pleasure, Junior Rider, 17 years and under.
- 22. Matched Pair Draft Horse or Draft Pony Driving (show teams and farm teams judge separately)
- 23. Open Western Pleasure Horse
- 24. Ranch Rail Pleasure, 18 years and over.
- 25. Open Jackpot Pleasure Horse
- 26. Open Hunter Hack to Jump Fences 2' maximum
- 27. Open Pleasure Non-Warren County Resident
- 28. Open Costume Class (Header required for each entry)
- 29. Ranch Rail Equitation, Junior rider, and 17 years and under
- 30. Registered Quarter Horse Hunt Seat Pleasure

- 31. Open Draft Horse or Draft Pony Driving Single Hitch, Gentleman Driver
- 32.. Ranch Rail Equitation, Senior Rider, 18 years and over
- 33. Open English Pleasure Horse or Pony
- 34. Open Draft Horse or Draft Pony Single Hitch, Lady Driver
- 35. 4-H Equitation Senior 14 years and over by January 1 of current year
- 36. Hunt Seat Equitation Under Saddle Rider 18 years and over
- 37. Junior Exhibitor English Pleasure Hunt or Saddle Seat Rider 17 years and under
- 38. Draft Horse or Draft Pony Walk Trot Pleasure
- 39. Open Jackpot Equitation Jr. 17 and under
- 40. Open Ranch Rail Jackpot
- 41. Open Pleasure Pony 14.2 hands and under
- 42.. Walk Trot Equitation Rider 13 and over Rider not eligible in any other class except #'s 28, 47, 49
- 43. Draft Horse or Draft Pony Walk Trot Equitation
- 44. Open Equitation Non-Warren County Resident
- 45. Draft Horse or Draft Pony Walk-Trot Jackpot
- 46. Warren County Open Equitation Rider 18 years and over Rider must be resident of Warren County.
- 47. Walk Trot Pleasure Rider 13 years and over Rider not eligible in any other class except #'s 28,42, 49
- 48. Open Jackpot Equitation Sr. 18 and older
- 49. Walk-Trot Pleasure Jackpot 13 years and over Rider not eligible in any other class except #'s 28, 42, 47
- 50. Open Green Horse or Pony Pleasure (Limited show ring experience.)
- 51. Open Green Horse or Pony Jackpot Pleasure (Limited show ring experience)



#### 2024 HOMEMADE CHOCOLATE CAKE CONTEST

#### **RULES:**

- 1. Open to any individual amateur baker who is a Pennsylvania resident. One entry per person.
- 2. Entrants may <u>NOT</u> have won 1<sup>st</sup> place in this Homemade Chocolate Cake contest at any other fair in 2024.
- The Cake and any Fillings and Frostings must be made from scratch with edible ingredients. No prepackaged ingredients may be used (ex: no pre-made mixes, cookie dough, pie crust, frosting, etc.).
   Any decorations must just be edible.
- 4. Cake recipe must feature chocolate or cocoa as a main ingredient.
- 5. Entry must be a layered chocolate cake.
- 6. Entry must be frosted and frosting must also be made from "scratch" (no pre-packaged frosting).
- The entire cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard or other food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)
- 8. Recipes must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2" x 11" sheets of paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions. Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the <u>back</u> side of all the pages. (All recipes and cakes will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will <u>not</u> be returned.)
- Refrigeration is <u>not</u> available at the fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking
  must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for
  consumption after judging for food safety reasons.

#### 10. Judging Criteria:

Flavor	30 points
Texture	25 points
Inside Characteristics	20 points
Outside Characteristics	15 points
(consistent shape/size/surface; overall appeal)  Frosting	10 points
TOTAL	100 points

First Place Winner is eligible for the 2025 PA Farm Show competition.

Premiums for the 2025 PA FARM SHOW competition

First Place - \$500.00 Second Place - \$250.00 Third Place - \$100.00

Fourth Place - Rosette Ribbon Fifth Place - Rosette Ribbon

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# 2024 PA Preferred® Junior Baking Contest Cookies, Brownies and Bars

The goal of the PA Preferred® Baking Contest is to encourage young people across the Commonwealth to participate in Pennsylvania's agricultural fairs by showcasing Pennsylvania grown and produced products in their contest entries.

#### **RULES:**

- Open to any individual amateur baker (ages 8 through 18 at the time of the fair's contest) who is a Pennsylvania resident. One entry per person.
- 2. Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this PA Preferred® Junior Baking contest at any other fair in 2024.
- 3. Entry must be six (6) individual sized portions of the baked entry item (cookies, brownies or bars).
- The Cookies, Brownies or Bars, and any fillings and frostings, must be made from scratch with edible ingredients.
   No pre-packaged ingredients may be used (ex: no pre-made mixes, cookie dough, pie crust, frosting, etc.).

   Any decorations must just be edible.
- At least two (2) PA Preferred® or locally produced ingredients must be used in the recipe. Some examples of qualifying ingredients include grains (such as oats or flour), butter, milk, eggs, fruits and/or vegetables.
- A PA Preferred® logo is not required because not all PA Preferred® products carry the label. The name of the
  ingredient and the source is sufficient (see attached example). Contact RA-AGPAPreferred@pa.gov for any
  assistance with qualifying ingredients.
- Entry must be submitted for judging on a food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)
- 8. Recipe(s) must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2" x 11" sheets of paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions. The name of each PA Preferred® ingredient or locally produced ingredient must be clearly listed along with the name of the source that made/grew the product (ex: PA Preferred Milk Galliker's brand or Apples Smith Farm Orchard). Entrant's name, age, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. (All recipes and cookies-brownies-bars will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will not be returned.)
- Refrigeration is <u>not</u> available at the fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate
  so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for
  food safety reasons.

#### 10. Judging Criteria:

Flavor	30 points
Texture	25 points
(appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar) Inside Characteristics	20 points
(even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)  Outside Characteristics	15 points
(uniform size, shape, appearance; overall appeal)  Creativity	10 points
TOTAL	100 points

FAIR PRIZES: 1st = \$20 2nd = \$15 3rd = \$10

First Place Winner is eligible for the 2025 PA Farm Show competition.

Premiums for the 2025 PA FARM SHOW competition

First Place - \$500.00 Second Place - \$250.00 Third Place - \$100.00

Fourth Place - Rosette Ribbon Fifth Place - Rosette Ribbon

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#### ANGEL FOOD CAKE CONTEST RULES

- 1. Open to any individual amateur baker who is a Pennsylvania resident. One entry per person.
- 2. Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Angel Food Cake contest at any other fair in 2024.
- 3. The Cake and any Fillings and Frostings must be made from scratch with edible ingredients. No pre-packaged ingredients may be used (ex: no pre-made mixes, cookie dough, pie crust, frosting, etc.). Any decorations must just be edible.
- 4. The recipe shall include eggs that were produced in Pennsylvania, if possible.
- 5. The entire cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard or other food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be
- 6. Recipe(s) listing the ingredients and the preparation instructions must be submitted with the entry (printed on one-side of 8-1/2" x 11" size sheets of paper). Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the back of all the pages. (All recipes and cakes will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will not be returned.)
- 7. Refrigeration is NOT available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned, or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.
- 8. Judging will be based on the following criteria:

Flavor (smell, taste, flavoring) 30 points Inside Characteristics (texture & lightness) 25 points Overall Appearance (surface, size, color) 20 points Creativity 15 points Topping, Icing or Decoration 10 points

FAIR PRIZES:  $1^{st} = \$25$   $2^{nd} = \$15$   $3^{rd} = \$10$ 

First Place Winner is eligible for the 2025 PA Farm Show competition.

Premiums for the 2025 PA FARM SHOW competition First Place - \$500.00 Second Place - \$250.00 Third Place - \$100.00

Fourth Place - Rosette Ribbon

Fifth Place - Rosette Ribbon

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#### BLUE RIBBON APPLE PIE CONTEST



#### INSTRUCTIONS TO BE USED BY FAIRS AT THEIR 2024 EVENT

Each county/local fair is encouraged to conduct a 36th Annual Blue Ribbon Apple Pie Contest at their 2024 event. Listed below are the criteria which we would like each fair to use in their contest. The certified first place winner from each fair will then have the opportunity to enter an apple pie in the BLUE RIBBON APPLE PIE CONTEST at the 2025 PENNSYLVANIA FARM SHOW.

#### **RULES** for local Fair and the PA Farm Show contests are as follows:

- 1. Open to any individual amateur baker who is a Pennsylvania resident. One entry per person.
- 2. Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Blue Ribbon Apple Pie contest at any other fair in 2024.
- The Apple Pie, including fillings and crust, must be made from scratch with edible ingredients. No prepackaged ingredients may be used (ex: no pre-made mixes, cookie dough, pie crust, frosting, etc.)
   Any decorations must just be edible.
- Recipe must include at least 60% apples in the filling. It does not need to be a "traditional" two crusted apple
  pie and it can have a variety of fillings.
- The entire pie must be submitted for judging in a food safe disposable pie pan. (All pans, plates and dishes are
  considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)
- 6. The recipe for the pie and pie crust must be submitted with the entry. It should be submitted on one side of 8 ½" by 11" sheets of paper. The recipe must list all the ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions. Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. (All recipes and pies will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will not be returned.)
- Refrigeration is <u>not</u> available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must
  indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after
  judging for food safety reasons.
- 8. Judging will be based on the following criteria:

Flavor
Filling: consistency, doneness, moistness & flavor
Crust: color, flavor, texture doneness
Overall Appearance
Creativity
TOTAL
30 points
25 points
20 points
15 points
110 points
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Creativity is essential to a varied competition. Do not limit your contest to a "traditional" two-crusted apple pie. We are looking for a variety of fillings in the pies; the pie must include at least 60% apples in the filling.

Each Fair must submit the Contest Summary Report verifying the winning apple pie baker. This person will then be eligible to enter the state competition at the 2025 PA Farm Show and will receive the Official PA Farm Show Certification Entry Form directly from the PA Fairs Special Baking Contest Committee by December 2.

NOTE: If an individual has already won 1st place at another fair in 2024 for this Blue Ribbon Apple Pie contest, that individual is now considered qualified through that Fair to compete at the 2025 PA Farm Show and is no longer eligible to enter this contest at any upcoming Fairs.

First Place Winner is eligible for the 2025 PA Farm Show competition.

Premiums for the 2025 PA FARM SHOW competition

First Place - \$500.00 Second Place - \$250.00 Third Place - \$100.00

Fourth Place - Rosette Ribbon Fifth Place - Rosette Ribbon

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