## Plants \& Flowers Schedule

|  | Drop Off | Judging | Pickup |
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| First Show | Thursday $-7 / 18-7: 30-10: 30 \mathrm{am}$ | Thursday $-7 / 18$ | Tuesday $-7 / 23-7-9 \mathrm{am}$ |
| Second Show | Tuesday $-7 / 23-7: 30-10: 30 \mathrm{am}$ | Tuesday $-7 / 23$ | Saturday $-7 / 27-6-8 \mathrm{pm}$ |
|  |  |  | Sunday $-7 / 28-10 \mathrm{am}-2 \mathrm{pm}$ |

Deadline for entry form is July 6, 2024. Open Class Plants \& Flowers may be brought to 4-H Hall in the ND State Fair Center. There are two shows, beginning Friday, July 19 and Tuesday, July 23, to ensure fresh displays.

## ENTRY FEE: None

## RULES ON ENTERING:

- Entries must be listed on an official entry form by July 6. Due to our computer entry program, we encourage you to mail your entry form in early. There is also an online entry option that can be found on ndstatefair.com.
- Please clearly print name, address, department, division, and class on the entry form, as well as on the sample being exhibited. Exhibits cannot be accepted unless an entry blank is properly filled out and on file with the Fair Office prior to the closing date for entries.
- Only one entry may be made in any one class from any one family except for Any Other class, where exhibitors may enter three varieties or pots in this class.
- List variety and name. For size of planters, measure pot diameter at the top, edge to edge.
- Class numbers 1-102 are for the first show, class numbers 101-202 are for the second show.
- Blue ribbon winners of the First Show or members of the same farm or household may not re-enter that a same class for the Second Show. Also, if first show results in a ribbon, the same plant cannot be re-entered in the second show
- The superintendent in charge will see that all plants on exhibition are properly cared for during the time of the Fair, but will not be responsible for loss or injury.


## RULES ON DROPPING OFF:

- Entry tags will be mailed in advance of the first show so exhibitor can tag their own exhibits.
- The Fair management is not bound to take entries made after 10:30am Thursday, July 18 for the first show and after 10:30am on Tuesday, July 23 for the second show.
- A gate pass for an auto, driver and one passenger, good for the necessary times and dates of entry and change-over only, will be provided. Abuse of this pass will result in discontinuation for 2024. Entries must be received by entry deadline to qualify for this pass.
- Please enter the gate at the northwest end of the Fairgrounds; you may deliver and pick-up your entries through the FFA Hall.


## JUDGING CRITERIA:

- Exhibitors must provide their own vases or other receptacles and place their exhibits in water or otherwise ensure their preservation. Foam only allowed in arrangements.
- No exhibitors allowed in the hall during judging.
- Authorized judges shall award ribbons and the decisions of these judges shall be final. Regardless of the number of entries in a division, prizes and ribbons will not be awarded to unworthy exhibits.
- One Best of Show ribbon will be awarded for each of the two shows.


## RULES ON PICKING UP:

- All exhibits will become the property of the Fair unless claimed by 9 p.m. Saturday, July 27.
- Exhibitors are required to collect their own containers at the end of each show period in which they have exhibited.
- All exhibits must remain in place for each show period. Ribbons must remain on exhibits during the entire show period


## SUGGESTIONS FOR DISPLAYING:

o Remove buds
o May have attached foliage and sufficient stems
o Count the flowers, and do not crowd the flowers
o Keep petals out of water
o Use the right height and width of container for the arrangement.
o Lythrum is illegal: do not use in arrangements.
o Outdoor planters may have other plants Lot 96-99 \& 196-199 only.

# Enter online at: $w w w . n d s t a t e f a i r . c o m ~$ <br> You may make your entry on this page for Department 110, Division A Annuals, Division B Perennials/Biennials, Division C Artistic Arrangements, and Division D Potted Plants. Please keep a copy for your records. 

Return completed entry to: North Dakota State Fair, PO Box 1796, Minot, ND 58702
Name of Exhibitor


Signature of Exhibitor $\qquad$ Date $\qquad$
Check here if under 21 years of age.

## Division A - Annuals

Premiums: \$14.50•\$13.50•\$12.50

| 1st Show | 2nd Show <br> Class | 1st Show <br> Class | 2nd Show <br> Class |
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| $\square$ | $\square 1$. | $\square$ | 101. Bachelor Buttons, 8-12 blooms |
| $\square$ | $\square$. | $\square$ | 102. Bells of Ireland, 3 to 5 stems (Leave leaves on) |

## Division B - Perennials/Biennials

Premiums: \$14.50•\$13.50•\$12.50

| 1st Show | 2nd Show |
| :--- | :--- |
| Class | Class |
| $\square 38$. | $\square$ 138. Carnations, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 39$. | $\square$ 139. Daisy, Shasta, 3-5 blooms |
| $\square 40$. | $\square$ 140. Daisy, (Any other Daisy), 3-5 blooms |
| $\square 41$. | $\square$ 141. Delphinium, large, 3 spikes, 3 ft. and higher |
| $\square 42$. | $\square$ 142. Delphinium, small 3 spikes, up to 3 ft. |
| $\square 43$. | $\square$ 143. Gaillardia, singles or doubles, 3-5 blooms |
| $\square 44$. | $\square$ 144. Liatris or Shooting Star, 3 spikes |
| $\square 45$. | $\square$ 145. Lilies, Day, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 46$. | $\square$ 146. Lilies, Asiatic type, 3-5 stems (remove pollen by hand) |
| $\square 47$. | $\square$ 147. Lilies, Oriental type, 3-5 stems (remove pollen by hand) |
| $\square 48$. | $\square$ 148. Lilies, any other type, 3-5 stems (remove pollen by hand) |
| $\square 49$. | $\square$ 149. Mums, 3-5 sprays |
| $\square 50$. | $\square$ 150. Phlox, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 51$. | $\square$ 151. Ornamental Grass Cut (3-7 stems) |


| 1st Show | 2nd Show |
| :---: | :---: |
| Class | Class |
| $\square 52$. | $\square$ 152. Roses, Floribunda, 3-5 stems (multiple large flowers on stems) |
| $\square 53$. | $\square$ 153. Roses, Miniature, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 54$. | $\square$ 154. Roses, Tea Rose, 3 blooms |
| $\square 55$. | $\square$ 155. Roses, Shrub, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 56$. | $\square$ 156. Statice, German, 3-5 stems |
| $\square 57$. | $\square$ 157. Yarrow, 5-7 stems |
| $\square 58$. | 158. Any Other Perennials/Biennials (name \& variety), 1-3 stems, 12 " tall or less Category will be added if there are more than five entries of the same species. May enter 3 different varieties of flowers. |
| $\square 59$. | 159. Any Other Perennials/Biennials (name \& variety) 1-3 stems, greater than 12 " tall. May enter 3 different varieties of flowers. |

## Division C - Artistic Arrangements

Premiums: \$14.50•\$13.50•\$12.50

| 1st Show Class | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2nd Show } \\ & \text { Class } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\square 60$. | - 160. All Greens and/or Green arrangement |
| - 61. | - 161. "Autumn Harvest" (using grain and fresh flowers) |
| $\square 62$. | $\square$ 162. Bouquet of Fragrant Flowers |
| $\square 63$. | - 163. Buffet Arrangement |
| $\square 64$. | $\square$ 164. Dinner Centerpiece, large |
| - 65. | - 165. Dinner Centerpiece, small |
| $\square 66$. | $\square$ 166. Floating Flowers |
| - 67. | $\square$ 167. "Garden Flowers in a Basket" |
| $\square 68$. | - 168. Garden Harvest (using flowers and garden vegetables) |
| $\square 69$. | - 169. Miniature Arrangement, less than 5 " $\times 5$ " |
| $\square 70$. | $\square$ 170. Mixed Bouquet Arrangement |
| $\square 71$. | $\square$ 171. Mixed Bouquet Bud Vase |
| $\square 72$. | - 172. Monochromatic (shades of one color) |
| $\square 73$. | $\square$ 173. "North Dakota" (wild flowers and grasses) |
| $\square 74$. | - 174. Rose Bud Vase, one bloom with greens and/or fills |
| $\square 75$. | $\square$ 175. Single Stem with greens and/or fills |
| $\square 76$. | $\square$ 176. "The Desert Song" (all dried arrangement) |
| $\square 77$. | $\square$ 177. Tuberous Begonia, 1 stem |
| $\square 78$. | - 178. Theme of the Display, "Up,Up,\&Away" (your own creation) |
| $\square 79$. | $\square$ 179. Bouquet for Church Altar |



Best of Division:
One Best of Division Rosette will be awarded in each division of this department as deemed appropriate by the judge.

## Division D - Potted Plants

Premiums: \$14.50•\$13.50•\$12.50

| 1st Show | 2nd Show |
| :---: | :---: |
| Class | Class |
| $\square 80$. | - 180. African Violets |
| $\square 81$. | - 181. Aloe Vera |
| - 82. | - 182. Begonia |
| $\square 83$. | - 183.Succulents |
| $\square 84$. | - 184. Cactus, Flowering and Non-Flowering |
| $\square 85$. | $\square$ 185. Coleus |
| $\square 86$. | - 186. Dish or Bowl Garden, less than 6" deep |
| $\square 87$. | - 187. Fairy Garden |
| $\square 88$. | $\square$ 188.Fern |
| $\square 89$. | $\square$ 189. Foliage, Potted |
| $\square 90$. | - 190. Foliage, Hanging Basket |
| $\square 91$. | $\square$ 191.Fuschia, Flowering |
| $\square 92$. | - 192. Geranium, Flowering |
| $\square 93$. | $\square$ 193. Indoor, Flowering |
| $\square 94$. | $\square$ 194.Ivy Plant |
| $\square 95$. | $\square$ 195. Million Bells (Callibrachoa) |
| $\square 96$. | $\square$ 196. Outdoor Hanging, Flowering |
| $\square 97$. | - 197. Outdoor Planter (less than 10" pot) |
| $\square 98$. | - 198. Outdoor Planter (10" to $14^{\prime \prime}$ pot) |
| $\square 99$. | - 199. Outdoor Planter, greater than 14" |
| $\square 100$. | - 200. Petunias Potted (just petunias) |
| $\square 101$. | $\square$ 201. Herb Garden (any size) with or without flowers |
| $\square 102$. | - 202. Specimen, other than mentioned (name \& variety) | Category will be added if there are more than five entries of the same species. May enter 3 different potted plants. (Please label).



Best of Show:
Best of Show Award will be awarded to one exhibit in this department as deemed appropriate by the judge.

