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ENTRIES ACCEPTED:

There is no entry fee to enter in this Department.

Arts & Crafts, Clothing & Textiles, Creative Writing & Preserved Foods Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Special Exhibits

Thursday, July 21, 2022 - 10 AM to 3:00 PM Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Bring in <u>ALL</u> entries including those entered online.

Baked Foods Entries Accepted Monday, August 1, 2022 - 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM

HOW TO ENTER - June 6 - July 18, 2022 only

ONLINE - <u>www.venturacountyfair.org</u>

Entries <u>must</u> be submitted <u>online</u> only. <u>Except</u> for Pre-made Contests, On Stage Timed Cooking Contests, King Arthur Flour Baking Contest, Table Settings Contests, & other special Class/Division entry requirements. See <u>each</u> Class/Division for entry instructions. <u>Online Entries close at 11:59 PM on July 18, 2022</u>.

Do not bring your entries at this time.

ENTRY PICK-UP DAY:

Monday, August 15, 2022 - 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM

<u>Claim checks must be presented</u>. No entry pick-up prior to August 15, 2022. Items unclaimed on August 15, 2022, become the property of the Fair and will be discarded. <u>Vouchers</u> will be issued for Premium winnings of less than \$20 and are redeemed on Monday, August 15, 2022, between 12:00 PM and 7:00 PM at the Fair Administration Office Ticket Window. *Vouchers expire on October 28, 2022, and <u>will not</u> be redeemed after this date.*

DEPARTMENT RULES

- 1. All Exhibitors in this Department must be 18 years of age or older and be a resident of Ventura County, Santa Clarita area, as far south into Los Angeles County as the 405 Freeway and to the coast of Malibu, and North to Goleta. If you are unsure if you are eligible to enter, please call the Home Arts Office (805) 648-3376 extension 167 after July 4, 2022 or call the Fair Administration Office ext. 100 for help.
- 2. All Divisions are Amateur unless stated Professional. An <u>amateur</u> is defined as a person who engages in an event or activity as a pastime rather than a profession. A <u>professional</u> is a person who operates a sales outlet, receives compensation for teaching (or those who receive payment over and above the cost of producing their product), or works in the profession of division of interest. Once you become a professional you cannot go back to an amateur status. Exhibitor <u>MUST NOT</u> have their Art listed For Sale on any social medium (i.e., websites, Facebook, etc.)
- 3. Limit: one (1) Entry per Exhibitor per Class in all Divisions.
- 4. Entries will be accepted in Classes for "All others" only when the item represents a substantial difference from entries for which separate Classes are offered.
- 5. All entries must be home produced and completed by the Exhibitor between 2019 and of the opening date of the Fair, except for Baked & Preserved Foods must have been made within the last year. Exhibitor must not have any item (i.e., artwork, craft, quilt, clothing, etc.) listed for sale on any social medium (i.e., Facebook, websites, etc.)
- 6. Items entered in any previous Ventura County Fair are not eligible for competition.
- 7. As an Exhibitor, you hereby agree that your name, city, photograph, and recipe may be used for publicity.
- Exhibitors with 20 items or more, and persons going for sweepstakes, please call ahead (805) 648-3376 extension 167 or allow enough time to enter (1/2 hour to 1 hour). Late comers may not be able to enter all items.
- 9. We reserve the right to refuse or pull any entry for content or subject matter.

SPECIAL AWARDS OFFERED

- 1. Sweepstakes shall be awarded to the Exhibitor scoring the highest total number of points as per the point system below:
 - a. First Award = 5 points
 Second Award = 3 points
 Third Award = 1 point
 - b. Sweepstakes shall be awarded only when at least three separate Exhibitors have achieved at least a combined point total of at least 30 points.
 - c. To receive Sweepstakes Award, an Exhibitor must have a minimum of 10 points.
 - d. Sweepstakes points will be credited only to the Exhibitor whose name appears on the entry form.
 - e. Sweepstakes winners will be announced as soon as paperwork is completed.
- 2. 2019 First place Sweepstakes winners are ineligible for any 2022 Sweepstakes Awards.
- 3. 1, 2 & 3 Sweepstakes Awards are offered in the following Divisions except Creative Writing (special ribbons will be awarded in these divisions): Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits.
- 4. Best of Show is considered in the following Divisions: Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits. Department Spotlight Awards for the following Divisions: Arts & Crafts, Baked Foods, Clothing & Textiles, Preserved Foods, and Special Exhibits. Prize: Ribbon & Plaque.



Welcome back

to the 2022

Ventura County Fair

The Ventura County Fair Rides Again!

CONTESTS

For all contests, your entry is your admittance to the Fair (only one person per entry). <u>Pre-made</u> contests are brought in already prepared, ready to serve. <u>On Stage Timed Cooking</u> Contests require a letter of intent (see rule #7) or telephone (805) 648-3376 ext. 167 to be placed on list as space is limited. Entries must be accompanied with a typed or printed copy of your recipe on a sheet of 8-1/2" x 11" plain paper. NO EXCEPTIONS. (Points will be deducted if in any other form.)

CONTEST RULES

- 1. The Local and State Rules found elsewhere in this book, apply to this Department. Please read them carefully.
- 2. ELIGIBILITY: Open to amateurs only, unless otherwise stated. Teams of two people are allowed and can be a child to help parent. Adult contests are open to individuals 18 and over, unless it is a Parent and Child contest.
- 3. LIMIT OF ENTRIES: ONE entry per Exhibitor per Class.
- 4. No entry fees.

- 5. Contest time for "ready-made" contests are the same, check-in 12:15 PM to 12:55 PM, judging begins after check-in is completed.
- Contest time for "on stage" cooking contests is 2:30 PM. Check-in 2:00 PM, timed, usually 1-1 ½ hours.
- 7. Letter of Intent or telephone call to the Home Arts Department Office for onstage cooking contests is required. The letter must contain: name, address, daytime telephone number, email and which Class or Classes you wish to enter. We will accept as many participants as can be fit on the stage.

Mail letter of intent to:

Ventura County Fair Home Arts Department 10 W. Harbor Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001 Phone – (805) 648-3376 ext. 167

8. Judging based on: Taste (50%); Originality/Creativity (30%); Appearance of Food (10%); User Friendly Recipe (10%); Total 100%. This criteria applies except where otherwise noted by Sponsor request.

DIVISION 501 – BEST BARS Saturday, August 6, 2022

(This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind of Bars

DIVISION 502 – BEST CHEESEBURGER Saturday, August 6, 2022

(On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

1. Any kind of Cheeseburger

DIVISION 503 – BEST SALSA

Sunday, August 7, 2022

(This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind - Mild to Medium (No Hot)

DIVISION 504 – BEST TACOS

Sunday, August 7, 2022

(On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

1. Any kind of Tacos

DIVISION 505 – BEST LEMON DESSERT Saturday, August 13, 2022

(This is a ready-made item brought in for judging)

Class

1. Any kind of Lemon Dessert

DIVISION 506 – BEST ASIAN STIR FRY Saturday, August 13, 2022

(On stage timed cooking contest)

Class

1. Any kind of Asian Stir Fry

TABLE SETTING CONTEST

TABLE SETTING RULES

1. Letter of Intent or email must be received no later than July 27, 2022. The letter must contain: Name, address, daytime telephone number, email and which Class or Classes you wish to enter. **Mail or email letter of intent to:**

> Ventura County Fair Home Arts Department 10 W. Harbor Blvd. Ventura, CA 93001 Email: <u>homearts@venturacountyfair.org</u>

- Confirmations will be made by telephone call or email beginning July 15, 2022. Only 10 tables available per Class on first-come-first-serve basis. A waiting list will be established in the event of cancellations.
 - Note: Table Size 48"x 48"
- 3. Rules will be mailed (via email) to Exhibitors that have been called and confirmed. **Please call if** you must cancel, in enough time to call the next in line on the waiting list.
- 4. Exhibitors may be an individual or a team of two. Due to limited space only one team member at a time will be allowed in the Table Setting area.
- 5. Please no eucalyptus or strong scents, they bother people with allergies.
- 6. Table settings will be judged by Judges picked by the Home Arts Department. Fairgoers will be able to vote for People's Choice. Judge's Awards will be placed the day of judging. People's Choice awards will be placed the following day to allow for voting by public.
- 7. The criteria for Table Setting rules will be the same as 2019, and will be sent to confirmed Exhibitors by email.
- 8. Check-in for Table Setting Competitions is 8:00 AM 8:30 AM with setting beginning at 8:30 AM.
- 9. Office Phone 648-3376 x 167 after July 4, 2022.
- <u>Vouchers</u> will be issued for Premium winnings of less than \$20 and are redeemed on Monday, August 15, 2022, between 12:00 PM and 7:00 PM at the Fair Administration Office Ticket Window. *Vouchers expire October 28, 2022 and <u>will not</u> be redeemed after this date.*

Premiums Offered per Class

1st2nd3rd\$20\$15\$10

DIVISION 507 – TABLE SETTING COMPETITION

Class

- 1. Stars and Stripes
- 2. Memories
- 3. Cherry Blossom Time

Tuesday, August 2, 2022 Sunday, August 7, 2022 Thursday, August 11, 2022

THANK YOU to our 2019 Ventura County Fair Sponsors:



Reid's Appliance Discount Warehouse 3991 E. Main Street, Ventura The Berryman, Inc. Jersey Mike's Subs 1145 S. Victoria Ave, Ventura 370 N. Lantana, Camarillo Pacific View Mall, Ventura Five Star Culinary Connection



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All collages and drawings not to exceed 12" x 14" including framed or unframed and have enough of a border to make holes for hanging. Paintings not to exceed 24" x 36" including frame and must be ready for hanging with screw eyes and picture wire for hanging and be made within the last year. Any box canvas must have screw eyes and picture wire. <u>Vouchers</u> will be issued for

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Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 508 – SUPER SENIORS (Over 75 years) DIVISION 509 – PROJECTS BY LEGALLY BLIND DIVISION 510 – PROJECTS BY PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, WITH NO ASSISTANCE DIVISION 511 – PROJECTS BY PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, WITH ASSISTANCE

- 1. Art from recycled materials
- 2. Basketry, any
- 3. Beading, any item
- 4. Cards, any type
- 5. Ceramics, cast, any item
- 6. Ceramics, thrown
- 7. Collage
- 8. Creative Writing, any style
- 9. Crochet, any item
- 10. Cross Stitch, stamped
- 11. Cross Stitch, counted
- 12. Doll, handmade, 24" or under
- 13. Doll, purchased, hand decorated
- 14. Drawing, colored
- 15. Drawing, crayon
- 16. Drawing, marker
- 17. Drawing, pencil
- 18. Drawing, pen & ink
- 19. Embroidery/Crewel, any item
- 20. Fair Theme
- 21. Gourds, any medium
- 22. Holiday Items, Christmas
- 23. Holiday Items, Halloween
- 24. Holiday Items, Patriotic
- 25. Holiday Items, Thanksgiving
- 26. Holiday Items, all others
- 27. Jewelry
- 28. Knitting, any item
- 29. Latch Hook, any item
- 30. Leather Work
- 31. Mosaic or Tile

- 32. Needlepoint, any item
- 33. Novelty Craft
- 34. Original Design, any item
- 35. Painted items, acrylic
- 36. Painted Items, bird house
- 37. Painted Items, figures
- 38. Painted Items, mask
- 39. Painting, acrylic
- 40. Painting, finger
- 41. Painting, mixed media
- 42. Painting, oil
- 43. Painting, pastels
- 44. Painting, 2-dimensional art
- 45. Painting, watercolor
- 46. Painted Items, other
- 47. Paper Machè
- 48. Pillow, hand sewn or decorated
- 49. Plastic Canvas, any item
- 50. Pottery, any item
- 51 Quilt, any item
- 52. Rubber Stamp Art
- 53. Rugs
- 54. Scrapbook, any item
- 55. Sculpture, any medium
- 56. Sewn Clothing, by hand
- 57. Sewn Clothing, by machine
- 58. Sewn Household Item
- 59. Stuffed Animals
- 60. Weaving
- 61. Woodwork, any kind
- 62. All others

ARTS & CRAFTS ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM –5:00 PM

No fee to enter in this Department

ARTS & CRAFTS RULES

- 1. Pictures must be ready for hanging, equipped with screw eyes and picture wire (no alligator hangers). No larger than 24" X 36".
- 2. Decisions relating to size and weight of entry are based upon available space and may not be accepted.
- 3. Exhibitors with 10 or more items, please call to make an appointment (805) 648-3376 ext. 167.
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DIVISION 512 – BASKETRY

Class

1. Handmade, any

2. Purchased, decorated, any

3. Gift Basket (no perishables)

6. Wood and natural items

4. All other

5. Paper

7. All Other

DIVISION 513 – COLLAGE

- Class
- 1. Fabric
- 2. Fair Theme
- 3. Framed
- 4. Mixed Media

DIVISION 514 – DECORATIVE EGG ART

(Must be real eggshell – no plastic)

- 1. Animal
- 2. Beaded
- 3. Carving and/or Cutting
- 4. Decoupage
- 5. Diorama
- 6. Glitter
- 7. Holiday

- 8. Jeweled
 9. Ornaments
- 10. Painted
- 11. Pysanka
- 12. Washi
- 13. Zentangle
- 14. All other

DIVISION 515 – DECORATED ITEMS

(Purchased not handmade)

Class

- 1. Bag
- 2. Box
- 3. Ceramic
- 4. Child's item
- 5. Clothing
- 6. Decoupage
- 7. Envelope
- 8. Fair Theme
- 9. Flower Pot
- 10. Footwear

- 11. Frame
- 12. Garden Item
- 13. Glass
- 14. Headwear
- 15. Household item
- 16. Mask
- 17. School item
- 18. Scrapbook Album Cover
- 19. Wood
- 20. All Other

DIVISION 516 – FLOWER ARRANGING

(No eucalyptus or strong scents) - Non-Holiday

Class – Manmade &/or Natural Materials

- 1. Bridal Bouquet
- 2. Centerpiece
- 3. Corsage
- 4. Wall Décor
- 5. All other

Class – Pressed Flowers

- 6. Bookmark
- 7. Table Decoration
- 8. All other

DIVISION 517 – GOURDS, CARVED DIVISION 518 – GOURDS, DECORATIVE PAINTED DIVISION 519 – GOURDS, MIXED MEDIA DIVISION 520 – GOURDS, PYROGRAPHY BURNED

Class

- 1. Animal
- 2. Basket/Bowl
- 3. Bird Feeder/Bird House
- 4. Dyed/Painted
- 5. Fair Theme
- 6. Figurine
- 7. Holiday Items

- 8. Lidded Container
- 9. Mask
- 10. Musical Instruments
- 11. Native American Design
- 12. Original Design
- 13. Professional, any item
- 14. All other

DIVISION 521 – HOLIDAY CRAFTS, CHRISTMAS DIVISION 522 – HOLIDAY CRAFTS, HALLOWEEN DIVISION 523 – HOLIDAY CRAFTS, ALL OTHERS

Class

- 1. Centerpiece
- 2. Door Decoration
- 3. Garland
- 4. Magnet
- 5. Original Design
- Class
- 1. Belt
- 2. Case/Cover
- 3. Checkbook/Wallet
- 4. Fair Theme
- 5. Foot Wear
- 6. Horse Tack

- 6. Ornaments (3 pieces)
- 7. Party favors (3 pieces)
- 8. Wall Décor
- 9. Wreath
- 10. All other

DIVISION 524 – LEATHER

- 7. Knife Sheath/Holster
- 8. Picture
- 9. Picture Frame
- 10. Professional, any item
- 11. Purse/Clutch
- 12. All other

DIVISION 525 – METAL CRAFT

Class

- 1. Animal
- 2. Fair Theme
- 3. Figure
- 4. Garage Item

- 5. Garden Item
- 6. Household Item
- 7. Wall Hanging

6. Mixed Media

7. Stone

9. All other

8. Tile

8. All other

DIVISION 526 – MOSAIC

Class

- 1. Fair Theme
- 2. Garage item
- 3. Garden item
- 4. Glass
- 5. Household item

DIVISION 527 – NOVELTY CRAFT

(Non-Holiday)

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Beading (no jewelry)
- 3. Ceramics, glazed
- 4. Ceramics, painted
- 5. Clay, any item, not fired
- 6. Decoupage
- 7. Doll, porcelain

- 14. Glass, fused
- 15. Glass, stained
- 16. Head Gear
- 17. Household item
- 18. Lathe Turned (non-wood), any item
- 19. Miniatures, set (no more than 6 pieces)
- 20. Native American Art

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- 21. Original design
- 22. Papier Mache
- 23. Shells
- 24. Soap (unscented)
- 25. Wall hanging
- 26. All other

DIVISION 528 – PAPER CRAFT

Class

- 1. Banner
- 2. Bookmark

8. Doll, other

9. Driftwood

12. Garden item

13. Glass, etched

10. Etching 11. Fair Theme

- 3. Card, Birthday (adult)
- 4. Card, Birthday (child)
- 5. Card, Christmas
- 6. Card, Fancy fold
- 7. Card, Holiday (no Christmas)
- 8. Card, Sentiments
- 9. Card, Special occasion
- 10. Card, other
- 11. Covered journal
- 12. Die Cutting/Embossing

- 13. Envelope
- 14. Fair Theme
- 15. Gift card holder
- 16. Hand coloring
- 17. Iris Fold
- 18. Mixed Media
- 19. Original design
- 20. Professional, any item
- 21. Quilling
- 22. Stamping
- 23. Tag
- 24. All other

DIVISION 529 – RECYCLED MATERIALS/CRAFT ITEMS

(No crochet, knitted or sewn items - they are entered in Clothing & Textiles, Recycled)

- Class
- 1. Cans
- 2. Cork
- 3. Glass
- 4. Horse Shoes
- 5. Metal
- 6. Paper/Cardboard

DIVISION 530 – SCRAPBOOK PAGE, SINGLE OR DOUBLE

(Judged on design only, **must** include photos - All pages must be submitted in a 3-holed protector sheet 12"x 12")

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Fair Theme
- 3. Family
- 4. Holiday
- 5. Outdoors
- 6. Pocket Page

- 7. School Days
- 8. Special Occasion
- 9. Sports
- 10. Theme Park/Zoo
- 11. Vacation
- 12. All other

- 7. Plastic 8. Rock
 - 9. Rope
- 10. Wood
- 11. All other

DIVISION 531 – TOLE & DECORATIVE PAINTING

Class

- 1. Animal
- 2. Birds
- 3. Bird House
- 4. Christmas
- 5. Fall
- 6. Fair Theme
- 7. Figure, any
- 8. Flowers, mixed
- 9. Flowers, no roses
- 10. Flower pot
- 11. Folk Art
- 12. Furniture
- 13. Garden
- 14. Glass
- 15. Halloween
- 16. Holiday (no Christmas or Halloween)
- 17. Jewelry Box

- 18. Landscape/Seascape
- 19. Mixed Media
- 20. One Stroke
- 21. Original design
- 22. Patriotic
- 23. Professional, any item
- 24. Rock
- 25. Rosemaling, any type
- 26. Roses
- 27. Santa
- 28. Snowman
- 29. Spring
- 30. Still Life
- 31. Summer
- 32. Winter
- 33. All other

DIVISION 532 – WOOD CARVING

(Size limit 36" X 36" – except furniture)

- 1. Animal, caricature
- 2. Animal, realistic
- 3. Animal, stylized, any finish as long as grain is visible
- 4. Bark Carving
- 5. Bird, caricature
- 6. Bird, realistic
- 7. Bird, stylized
- 8. Bowl/Cup/Goblet/Vase, if turned must be less than 50% carved or burned
- 9. Box
- 10. Cane
- 11. Fair Theme
- 12. Fantasy
- 13. Fish/Reptile/Amphibian, caricature
- 14. Fish/Reptile/Amphibian, realistic
- 15. Fish/Reptile/Amphibian, stylized
- 16. Holiday, any
- 17. Lovespoon
- 18. Ornamental
- 19. People/Figure, caricature
- 20. People/Figure, realistic
- 21. People/Figure, stylized
- 22. Professional, any item
- 23. Pyrography
- 24. Relief Carving

- 25. Walking Stick
- 26. Whimsical
- 27. Whittling
- 28. Wood crafting with Carving
- 29. All other

DIVISION 533 – WOOD CRAFT

(Size limit 36" X 36" - except furniture)

Class

- 1. Fair Theme
- 2. Farm Animals, cutout
- 3. Fret work/Scroll Saw Work, no kits
- 4. Furniture
- 5. House & Garden Accessories
- 6. Intarsia
- 7. Musical Instrument
- 8. Professional, any item
- 9. Toys
- 10. Wood crafting with turning
- 11. All other

DIVISION 534 – WOOD TURNING

Class

- 1. Artistic, includes mixed media, carved or decorated
- 2. Bowl, decorative
- 3. Collection, 3 to 5 pieces
- 4. Functional, everyday use
- 5. Goblet
- 6. Hollow Form
- 7. Lidded box
- 8. Miniature, under 3"
- 9. Natural Edge, includes bowl, closed form, vase
- 10. Pen
- 11. Professional, any item
- 12. Segmented
- 13. Spindle Turning, includes wine stoppers
- 14. Vase
- 15. All other

DIVISION 535 – WREATHS & SWAGS

Not in any other Division (i.e. Division 517 Flower Arrangements). Size is not to exceed 20". Please do not use spray scents or perfumes.

- Class
- 1. All Natural
- 2. Floral, any
- 3. Mixed Media
- 4. Original Design
- 5. All other

Judging Criteria for Crafts

Appearance-total effect, Overall design and proportion (25%); Workmanship- How well was it made? (35%); Utilities and Difficulty Factor- Does what it should, how usable, effort to make (20%); Originality-Creativity (20%); Total 100%

CREATIVE WRITING ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM –5:00 PM

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Creative Writing Rules

- Entries must be typed on plain 8-1/2"x11" paper, one sided only. Handwritten entries will not be judged. 10 or 12 point type size, double spaced, with 1" margins. No single spacing! The only exception is prose that is written in design, but no illustrations, only words. Entry not to exceed 4 pages (cover page not needed).
- 2. Insert each page in a three holed protector sheet or the entry will not be accepted.
- 3. The author's name MUST NOT APPEAR anywhere on the entry. No byline or identification.
- 4. Poem is described as composition in verse. Short Story is defined as a piece of fiction or nonfiction with character, setting, and sequence of events. Essay is prose (defined as ordinary language without meter or rhyme) on a single theme or event without plot.
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DIVISION 536 – POEM DIVISION 537 – SHORT STORY, NON-FICTION DIVISION 538 - SHORT STORY, FICTION DIVISION 539 - ESSAY

Class

Animal/Pet
 Children

7. Inspirational
 8. Love

- 3. Comedy
- 4. Cowboy/Western
- 5. Fair Theme
- 6. Holiday

9. Nature 10. Person 11. All other

BAKED FOODS & CONFECTIONS

ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Monday, August 1, 2022 - 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

No entry fee to enter in this department

BAKED FOODS RULES

- 1. With the exception of the Professional Division all Exhibitors must be amateurs.
- 2. All entries **must** be on a disposable plate or pan.
- 3. No mixes allowed in any Division, except Decorated Cakes, as they are judged only on decoration.
- 4. Baked Foods will remain on display as long as possible and discarded only as necessary.
- 5. Recipe must be provided upon request.
- Exhibitors with 10 or more entries, please allow enough time to enter. Exhibitors going for Sweepstakes, please call (805) 648-3376 ext. 167 at least two days ahead for appointment. Exhibitors with large number of entries will not be accepted after 12:00 PM (NOON) unless arrangements have been made and approved by Chairman.
- 7. Small loaf sizes are welcome.
- 8. Wrapped items must be in clear wrap.
- 9. All cakes not to exceed 1/2 sheet (13" x 18") and no more than 3 tiers high.
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King Arthur Flour Baking Contest

Ventura County Fair and King Arthur Flour presents the 2022 Bread Made from Yeast

King Arthur Flour and the Ventura County Fair are looking for your best homemade bread.

Entry Deadline: Thursday, August 4, 2022, 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Home Arts Building

Date of Contest: Thursday, August 4, 2020 Judging – 2:15 PM

PRIZES

- 1st \$75 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com
- 2nd \$50 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com
- 3rd \$25 Gift Card to the Baker's Catalogue / kingarthurflour.com * Winners will also receive a 1st. 2nd or 3rd place ribbon

CONTEST RULES

- 1. Recipe must use at least 1 cup of King Arthur Flour and be made from scratch. No mixes or prepared frostings.
- 2. Judging will be based on: Taste (50%), Overall Appearance and Creativity (25%), and Texture (25%).
- 3. Entrant must bring the open bag of King Arthur Flour or submit the UPC label from the flour bag when the prepared entry is brought the Fair contest.
- 4. Directions for preparing the recipe must be clear; measurements should be in level cups, tablespoons, teaspoons or fractions thereof; also include pan size, cooking temperature, number of servings and any pertinent information.
- 5. Use ingredients that are readily available in grocery stores.
- 6. Type or legibly write recipe on 8-1/2 x 11 sheet of paper with name, address, daytime and evening phone number, email address (if available) in the upper right hand corner. Entries must be legible and include a phone number or they will be disqualified.
- 7. Contestants may submit one (1) entry per person.
- 8. This contest is open to adults, amateur only.
- 9. Upon submission, recipes will become the property of the Ventura County Fair and King Arthur Flour, which reserves the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish and use for publicity, promotion, or advertising without compensation.
- 10. Fair Staff selects Judges; Judges' decisions are final.
- 11. King Arthur Flour is widely available in local grocery stores. For product information, recipe ideas, and or store location go to: www.kingarthurflour.com.

DAY OF CONTEST – Thursday, August 4, 2022

- 1. Entries will be received from 1:00 PM-2:00 PM in the Home Arts Building.
- 2. Judging will begin at 2:15 pm.
- 3. Prizes will be awarded when judging is completed.
- 4. Your Entry is your admission to the Fair (only 1 entry per person). Only the contestant is admitted free with entry.
- 5. Bring **1 loaf of bread** to the Fair in any type container (preferably disposable). It will not be the responsibility of the Fair to return any dishes or containers.
- 6. Entries must be prepared at home and presented at the Fair ready for judging. Insulated containers are encouraged for transportation to keep foods hot or cold.
- 7. If you have any questions, please contact the Home Arts Department at (805) 648-3376 ext. 167.

DIVISION 540- KING ARTHUR FLOUR CONTEST, BREAD MADE WITH YEAST

Class

1. Bread made with yeast, any type (no mixes)

Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 541 – BISCUITS AND ROLLS

(6 biscuits or rolls, 2 of the 6 wrapped separate) Standard size only

Class

- 1. Baking Powder Biscuits
- 2. Buttermilk Biscuits
- 3. Butter Horns
- 4. Caramel
- 5. Cheese Rolls
- 6. Cinnamon Rolls
- 7. Fruit Rolls
- 8. Novelty Rolls

- 9. Potato Rolls
- 10. Savory, any
- 11. Scones
- 12. Sourdough Rolls
- 13. Yeast Rolls, any type
- 14. All other, non-sweet
- 15. All other, sweet

HOW TO ENTER - <u>June 6 -July 18, 2022</u> only

ONLINE - www.venturacountyfair.org

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Online Entries close at 11:59 PM on July 18, 2022.

Do not bring your entries at this time.

DIVISION 542 – VENTURA COUNTY GROWN VEGETABLE QUICK BREAD

<u>RULES</u>

- 1. One-half loaf plus 1 slice wrapped of quick (non-yeast) bread baked in a 9" x 5" pan and displayed on a paper plate.
- Recipe must include at least one cup or more of one or more of the following Ventura County Grown vegetable(s): artichokes, asparagus, beets, broccoli, carrots, cauliflower, celery, chard, corn, cucumber, eggplant, garlic, greens (cilantro, endive, parsley), kale, kohlrabi, leeks, mushrooms, onions, peas, peppers, pumpkin, radicchio, radishes, spinach, sprouts, squash, tomatillos, tomatoes, turnips, or watercress.
- 3. Judging criteria: Overall appearance 25%; Inside characteristics (texture/doneness) 25%; Flavor 25% and Creativity 25%.
- 4. Recipe must accompany the entry.

Class

1. Vegetable Quick Bread

DIVISION 543 – BREADS

(1/2 loaf plus 1 slice wrapped)

- 1. Beer
- 2. Boston Brown
- 3. Challah
- 4. Cheese

- 14. Monkey
- 15. Onion
- 16. Olive 17. Potato
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- 5. Cinnamon
- 6. Cinnamon Raisin
- 7. Corn
- 8. Focaccia
- 9. Foreign
- 10. French
- 11. Herb
- 12. Irish Soda
- 13. Leavened

- 18. Raisin
- 19. Rye
- 20. Savory
- 21. Sourdough
- 22. Wheat
- 23. White
- 24. All other, non-yeast
- 25. All other, yeast

DIVISION 544 – BREADS, SWEET

(1/2 loaf plus 1 slice wrapped)

Class

- 1. Apple
- 2. Banana
- 3. Banana Mixture
- 4. Banana Nut
- 5. Date
- 6. Fruit

- 7. Pumpkin
- 8. Spice
- 9. Zucchini
- 10. Zucchini, mixture
- 11. All other
- **DIVISION 545 CAKES, DECORATED DIVISION 546 – CAKES, DECORATED, PROFESSIONAL** (Dummy bases optional)

Premiums Offered per Class (Divisions 545-546 only)

1st 2nd 3rd

\$7.50 \$5 \$10

Additional awards sponsored by:

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Class – Layer Cakes/Sheet Cakes, any size

- 1. Anniversary
- 2. Baby
- 3. Birthday, adult
- 4. Birthday, child
- 5. Bridal Shower
- 6. Fair Theme
- 7. Fondant Covered

- 8. Gingerbread House
- 9. Holiday
- 10. Sculpted or 3-Dimensional
- 11. Special Occasion
- 12. Wedding
- 13. All other
- **DIVISION 547 DECORATED CUPCAKES** (6 cupcakes)

Premiums Offered per Class (Divisi

(Divis	ion 547	only)
et	2nd	3rd

1st	2nd	3rd
\$6	\$4	\$2

- 1. Baby Shower
- 2. Birthday, adult
- 3. Birthday, child

- 4. Holiday
- 5. Wedding
- 6. All other

DIVISION 548 – CAKES, LAYERED, ICED

(1/2 cake plus 1 wrapped slice - Filling optional)

- Class
- 1. Carrot
- 2. Chocolate
- 3. Filled
- 4. German Chocolate

5. Red Velvet

7. Pineapple Upside Down

10. Upside Down, any other

- 6. Spice
- 7. White
- 8. All other

DIVISION 549 – CAKES, OTHER THAN LAYER

Loaf, tube or sheet, frosted or unfrosted (1/2 cake plus 1 slice wrapped)

Class

- 1. Angel Food
- 2. Banana
- 3. Bundt, any form
- 4. Carrot
- 5. Chocolate
- 6. Orange

8. Pound

9. Spice

11. All other

DIVISION 550 – COFFEE CAKES

(Submit in a disposable 8" x 8" pan)

Class

- 1. Cinnamon
- 2. Crumb
- 3. Fruit
- 4. Nut
- 5. All other

DIVISION 551 – CRISPS AND COBBLERS

(Submit in a disposable 8" x 8" pan)

Class – Fruit Crisp 1. Apple 2. Berry 3. Cherry Class – Fruit Cobblers 6. Apple 7. Berry 8. Cherry 4. Peach

5. All other fruit crisps

9. Peach

10. All other fruit cobblers

DIVISION 552 – CUPCAKES

Frosted or unfrosted (6 cupcakes with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

- 1. Carrot
- 2. Chocolate
- 3. Custard filled
- 4. Fruit filled

DIVISION 553 – CONFECTIONS

(6 pieces with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

- 1. Cake Pops
- 2. Caramel
- 3. Caramel covered item (i.e. caramel corn)
- 4. Cheesecake Pops
- 5. Chocolate
- 6. Coconut
- 7. Divinity
- 8. Fudge, with nuts
- 9. Fudge, without nuts
- 10. Fudge, peanut butter
- 11. Fudge, vanilla

- 12. Lollipops
- 13. Mints
- 14. Novelty
- 15. Nut Brittle
- 16. Panocha
- 17. Peanut Brittle
- 18. Petit Fours
- 19. Toffee
- 20. Truffles
- 21. All other

DIVISION 554 – BARS

(6 bars with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

Class

- 1. Brownies, with nuts
- 2. Brownies, without nuts
- 3. Brownies, frosted
- 4. Chocolate Chip Bars
- 5. Fancy Bars
- 6. Fruit Bars, with nuts

- 7. Fruit Bars, without nuts
- 8. Lemon Bars
- 9. Nut Bars
- 10. Oatmeal
- 11. All other bars

DIVISION 555 – COOKIES

(6 cookies with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

- Class
 - 1. Biscotti
- 2. Butter
- 3. Chocolate, with nuts
- 4. Chocolate, without nuts
- 5. Chocolate with chocolate chips

- 17. Ginger Snaps
- 18. Hermits
- 19. Ice Box
- 20. Macaroons
- 21. Oatmeal, mixture (3 or more items)

- 5. Red Velvet
- 6. Spice
- 7. White
- 8. All other

- 6. Chocolate Chip, traditional, no nuts
- 7. Chocolate Chip, with nuts
- 8. Chocolate Chip, mixture (3 or more items)
- 9. Citrus Flavored Cookie
- 10. Coconut
- 11. Cookie, molded in a press
- 12. Cookie, pressed
- 13. Dropped
- 14. Filled
- 15. Fancy Pressed
- 16. Foreign

- 22. Oatmeal, plain
- 23. Oatmeal, with chocolate chips
- 24. Oatmeal, with raisins &/or nuts
- 25. Peanut Butter
- 26. Peanut Butter, mixture
- 27. Snickerdoodles
- 28. Spiced
- 29. Sugar
- 30. Thumbprint
- 31. All other cookies

DIVISON 556 – CUSTARD

(2 Individual servings)

Class

- 1. Flan
- 2. All other

DIVISION 557 – GLUTEN-FREE

(Bars - 6 bars with 2 wrapped; Bread - ½ loaf plus 1 slice wrapped Cake - ½ cake plus 1 wrapped slice; Cookies – 6 cookies with 2 wrapped)

Class

- 1. Bars
- 2. Bread, savory
- 3. Cakes
- 4. Cookies
- 5. Cobbler/Crisp

- 6. Flourless Cake
- 7. Pie, any
- 8. Sweet Breads
- 9. Yeast Breads
- 10. All other

8. Cinnamon

10. Cranberry

12. Poppy Seed 13. All other

9. Corn

11. Lemon

DIVISION 558 – MUFFINS

(6 each with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate) Standard size only, no extra large

Class

- 1. Apple Nut
- 2. Banana Nut
- 3. Blueberry
- 4. Bran, any
- 5. Carrot
- 6. Cherry
- 7. Chocolate Chip

DIVISION 559 – PASTRIES/TURNOVERS

(6 each with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

- 1. Baklava
- 2. Cream Puff

- 6. Éclair
- 7. Fruit, single

- 3. Croissant
- 4. Custard
- 5. Danish

- 8. Tarts
- 9. Turnovers
- 10. All other

DIVISION 560 – PIES

(1 Pie) (Disposable foil pans only. No glass or metal)

Class – Single Crust

- 1. Cheesecake
- 2. Cheesecake, chocolate
- 3. Cheesecake, with fruit
- 4. Cheesecake, flavored
- 5. Cheesecake, non-baked
- 6. Cheesecake, original recipe
- 7. Chocolate
- 8. Coconut
- 9. Cream
- 10. Custard
- 11. Dutch Apple
- 12. Fruit Tart, large
- 13. Lemon Chiffon
- 14. Meringue, lemon
- 15. Meringue, all other
- 16. Pecan
- 17. Pumpkin
- 18. Raisin
- 19. Strawberry
- 20. All other, single

- Class Double Crust
- 21. Apple
- 22. Apricot
- 23. Berry
- 24. Boysenberry
- 25. Cherry
- 26. Fruit Mixture
- 27. Peach
- 28. Strawberry Mixture
- 29. All other, double

DIVISION 561 – PUDDINGS

(2 Individual servings) (No packages, no glass, disposable only)

Class

- 1. Bread
- 2. Chocolate
- 3. Chocolate Mousse
- 4. All other

DIVISION 562 – TRICKS WITH A MIX

(1/2 loaf/cake plus 1 slice wrapped) (6 bars/cookies with 2 of the 6 wrapped separate)

- 1. Bread
- 2. Cake
- 3. Cookie
- 4. Bars
- 5. All other

DIVISION 563 – SUGAR FREE

- Class
 - 1. Bar
 - 2. Cake
 - 3. Candy
 - 4. Cookie
 - 5. Crisp or Cobbler
 - 6. Cupcake

- 7. Gluten Free, any item
- 8. Muffin
- 9. Pie
- 10. Pudding or Custard
- 11. All other

Judging Criteria for Pies, Pastries & Quiches

<u>One Crust</u>-Color (10%); Shape (10%); Crust-texture–flaky/tender (25%), flavor agreeable, no pronounced taste (15%); Filling-Flavor-natural/well blended (15%); Consistency-fruit moist but not syrupy, well cooked; filling should hold shape (15%); Meringue-light, tender, evenly browned, no shrinking from sides, no weeping, at least ½" (10%); Total 100% <u>Two Crusts</u>-Color (10%); Shape (10%); Crust-texture-flaky/tender (25%), flavor agreeable, no pronounced taste (15%); Filling-Flavor-natural/well blended (20%), Consistency- fruit moist but not syrupy, well cooked; filling should hold shape (20%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Cakes and Cakes without Fat

Appearance-Surface-crust and frosting, Crust color, texture, depth, Frosting-glossy, not granular, soft not sticky, suitable flavor (30%); Texture-Butter cake-tender, fine, even grain, moist but elastic, Fruit cake-not sticky or gummy, dry or crumbly (35%); Flavor-Delicate & pleasing, natural flavor or ingredients (35%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Decorated Cakes

Overall Appearance-Balance (15%), Color Harmony (15%), Consistency of Pattern (15%); Neatness- Texture of Icing (10%), Uniformity of Repeat Pattern (15%); Artistic Quality (30%); Overall Eye Appeal (15%); Originality (15%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Cookies and Bars

Appearance-Outside – uniform, not too thick, size not over 3 inches (except monster cookies), Surface color and texture (30%); Texture-Characteristic of type (35%); Flavor-Natural flavor of ingredients, no off flavor (35%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Baked Foods, Biscuit, Breads and Rolls

General Appearance-Shape (proper dome), smoothness, crust color (10%); Lightness (10%); Crust-Thickness, quality, crispness, tenderness (10%); Crumb-Color and texture (15%); Texture-No streaks or close grain, size & uniformity of cell walls, elasticity (25%); Flavor-Taste & odor-sweet, nutty, blended (30%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Confections

Appearance-Color, size, and shape of pieces (15%); Texture-Crystalline-velvety, creamy, Non-crystalline should hold shape, no crystals (30%); Consistency-Crystalline-firm, not hard or soft, No-crystalline-should hold shape, no crystals (25%); Flavor-Blended, high quality, pleasing (30%); Total 100%

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CLOTHING & TEXTILES ENTRIES ACCEPTED

Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM –5:00 PM

No entry fee to enter in this Department

CLOTHING & TEXTILES RULES

- 1. All Exhibitors must be amateurs.
- 2. Only one Entry per Class accepted.
- 3. All pictures must be ready for hanging and must be equipped with screw eye and picture wires (no alligator hangers). Picture not to exceed 30" X 30" or 20" x 40", including frame.
- 4. Exhibits must be clean and pressed (if item requires pressing) and free of any pet hair.
- 5. Picture size refers to the width of stitched design.
- 6. Single items only, unless otherwise indicated.
- 7. Exhibitors with 10 or more items, please allow enough time to enter.
- 8. <u>Vouchers</u> will be issued for Premium winnings of less than \$20 and are redeemed on Monday, August 15, 2022 between 12:00 PM and 7:00 PM at the Fair Administration Office Ticket Window. *Vouchers expire on October 28, 2022 and <u>will not</u> be redeemed after this date.*

Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 564 – AFGHANS, CROCHET, UNDER 45" DIVISION 565 – AFGHANS, CROCHET, 45" & OVER

Class

- 1. Basket Weave
- 2. Cable Stitch
- 3. Cluster Stitch
- 4. Double Stitch
- 5. Flower Stitch
- 6. Granny Stitch
- 7. Granny Stitch, variation
- 8. Half Double Stitch
- 9. Mile-A-Minute

- 10. Motif
- 11. Popcorn
- 12. Quilt Design Pattern
- 13. Ripple Stitch
- 14. Shell Stitch
- 15. Single Stitch
- 16. Variety of 3 or more stitch patterns
- 17. All other

DIVISION 566 – FELTED – CROCHET, KNIT OR WOVEN

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Clothing
- 3. Household item
- 4. Toy
- 5. All other

DIVISION 567 – CROCHET, THREAD

Class

- 1. Accessories, any item
- 2. Bedspread
- 3. Centerpiece, 3 dimensional
- 4. Clothing, adult
- 5. Clothing, infant/child
- 6. Collar
- 7. Dishcloth, edging
- 8. Doily, up to 8"
- 9. Doily, 8" 12"
- 10. Doily, 13" 18"
- 11. Doily, any other size
- 12. Doll Clothes (1-5 pieces)
- 13. Dresser scarf
- 14. Filet, identify item
- 15. Guest Towel, edging

- 16. Handkerchief, edging
- 17. Infant item (other than clothing)
- 18. Insertion Lace, 1 yard
- 19. Market bag
- 20. Novelty Item, holiday (1-2 pieces)
- 21. Novelty Item, other (1-2 pieces)
- 22. Ornament (1-3 pieces)
- 23. Pillow
- 24. Pillow Slip, edging
- 25. Pot Holder
- 26. Purse
- 27. Shawl/Stole
- 28. Tablecloth
- 29. All other

DIVISION 568 – CROCHET, TUNISIAN

Class

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Afghan/Blanket
- 3. Clothing

- 4. Shawl/Wrap
- 5. Toy
- 6. All other

DIVISION 569 – CROCHET, YARN

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Bib
- 3. Booties
- 4. Cap, infant/child
- 5. Cape/Poncho
- 6. Centerpiece
- 7. Clothing, adult
- 8. Clothing, child/infant
- 9. Clothing Set, child/infant (2-4 pieces)
- 10. Cowl
- 11. Dishcloth/Washcloth
- 12. Doll (body must be crocheted)
- 13. Doll Clothes (1-5 pieces)
- 14. Gloves/Mittens
- 15. Hat
- 16. Holiday item (no ornaments)
- 17. Household Item
- 18. Market Bag
- 19. Novelty Item, Christmas

- 20. Novelty Item, other
- 21. Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 22. Pillow
- 23. Placemats (1-4 pieces)
- 24. Pot Holder/Hot Dish Pad (1-3 pieces)
- 25. Purse/Handbag
- 26. Rug
- 27. Scarf
- 28. Shrug
- 29. Shawl/Stole
- 30. Shell
- 31. Slippers/Socks
- 32. Sweater/Coat, adult
- 33. Sweater/Coat, infant/child
- 34. Towel edging
- 35. Toy/Toy Set (1-3 pieces)
- 36. Vest
- 37. All other

DIVISION 570 – CROCHET, OTHER MATERIALS

Class

- 1. Fabric, any item
- 2. Plastic, any item
- 3. Ribbon, any item
- 4. All other

DIVISION 571 – COUNTED CROSS STITCH

Class

- 1. Bib
- 2. Bookmark
- 3. Christmas Item (no stocking)
- 4. Christmas Stocking
- 5. Holiday Item, other than picture
- 6. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 7. Household Item
- 8. Original Design, any item
- 9. Picture, under 6"

- 10. Picture, 6" 9"
- 11. Picture, 10" 14"
- 12. Picture, 15" 18"
- 13. Picture, 19" & up
- 14. Pillow
- 15. Sampler, any size
- 16. Stamped Cross Stitch
- 17. All other

The Channel Islands Chapter of the Embroiders Guild of America is pleased to offer a Special Award to a piece of embroidery that displays excellence in workmanship and design. This piece must be worked with needle and thread and be entered into one of the embroidery divisions listed in the fair entry guide. The winner will receive a certificate and a membership in the chapter for the 2022-2023 year.

DIVISION 572 – EMBROIDERY, COUNTED THREAD ON FABRIC

Class

- 1. Household item
- 2. Mixed Media, any item
- 3. Original Design, any item
- 4. Picture
- 5. Sampler
- 6. All other

DIVISION 573 – EMBROIDERY, OPENWORK

- 1. Cutwork, any item
- 2. Drawn Thread, any item
- 3. Hardanger, any item
- 4. Original Design, any item
- 5. Pulled Thread, any item
- 6. Whitework, any item
- 7. All other

Class

- 1. Clothing
- 2. Holiday Item
- 3. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 4. Household Item

- 5. Original Design, any item
- 6. Pillow
- 7. Wall Hanging
- 8. All other

DIVISION 575 – EMBROIDERY, SURFACE ON FABRIC

Class

- 1. Bead work, any item
- 2. Brazilian, any item
- 3. Clothing, any item
- 4. Crewel, any item
- 5. Goldwork, any item
- 6. Household Item
- 7. Huck, any item (Swedish weaving)
- 8. Original Design, any item
- 9. Picture

- 10. Pillow
- 11. Sashiko, any item
- 12. Shadow work, any item
- 13. Silk and Metal, any item
- 14. Silk Ribbon, any item
- 15. Stamped Embroidery, any item
- 16. Stumpwork, any item
- 17. Table Linens
- 18. All other

DIVISION 576 – FAIR THEME

Class

- 1. Crochet, any item
- 2. Cross Stitch, any item
- 3. Embroidery, any item
- 4. Knit, any item
- 5. Needlepoint, any item
- 6. Plastic Canvas or Perforated Paper, any item

DIVISION 577 – LACEWORK

Class

- 1. Filet Netting/Darning
- 2. Needle Lace
- 3. Original Design, any item
- 4. Tape Lace

DIVISION 578 – NEEDLEPOINT

(Textured stitch, combination of stitches/threads)

Class

- 1. Bargello, any item
- 2. Bookmark
- 3. Holiday Item
- 4. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 5. Household Item
- 6. Long Stitch
- 7. Mixed Media

8. Original Design, any item

5. Tatting, any item (other than collar)

9. Petit point, any item

6. Tatting, collar

7. All other

- 10. Picture
- 11. Pillow
- 12. Silk Gauze
- 13. Tent Stitch
- 14. All other

DIVISION 579 – PUNCH NEEDLE

(Includes Bunka and Needle Felting)

Class

- 1. Original, any item
- 2. Picture

DIVISION 580 – LATCH HOOK

Class

- 1. Christmas Stocking
- 2. Original, any item
- 3. Picture
- 4. Pillow

DIVISION 581 – PLASTIC CANVAS OR PERFORATED PAPER

(Sets limited to 5 pieces)

DIVISION 582 – KNITTED, HAND

Class

- 1. Accessories, any item
- 2. Bookmark
- 3. Centerpiece
- 4. Holiday Item
- 5. Holiday Ornament (1-5 pieces)
- 6. Household Item

7. Novelty Item (1-3 pieces)

- 8. Original Design
- 9. Toy Set (2-5 pieces)
- 10. Wall Decoration (1-3 pieces)
- 11. All other, limit 5 pieces

- Class
 - 1. Afghan/Bedspread, adult
 - 2. Afghan/Bedspread, child
 - 3. Afghan, infant
 - 4. Bib
 - 5. Booties
 - 6. Cap, infant/child
 - 7. Cape/Poncho
 - 8. Cardigan, adult
- 9. Cardigan, Aran stitch
- 10. Cardigan, child
- 11. Clothing, child
- 12. Coat/Jacket, adult
- 13. Cowl
- 14. Dishcloth/Washcloth
- 15. Dress/Skirt, adult
- 16. Gloves/Mittens
- 17. Hat, adult
- 18. Hat and Scarf Set
- 19. Holidav Item
- 20. Household Item
- 21. Infant Clothing (2-5 pieces)

- 22. Pillow
- 23. Pot Holder/Hot Dish Pad (1-3 items)
- 24. Pullover, adult
- 25. Pullover, Aran stitch
- 26. Pullover, infant/child
- 27. Purse
- 28. Scarf
- 29. Scarf, mobius/infinity
- 30. Shawl/Stole, lace
- 31. Shawl/Stole, other than lace
- 32. Shell
- 33. Shruq
- 34. Slippers
- 35. Socks/Legwarmers, adult
- 36. Socks/Legwarmers, child
- 37. Sweater/Coat. adult
- 38. Sweater/Coat, infant/child
- 39. Tablecloth
- 40. Toys
- 41. Vest
- 42. All other

- 5. Rug
- 6. Toy

3. All other

- 7. All other

<u>QUILTS</u>

Approximate Guideline for Quilt Sizes / Max Length 98"

King: 90" x 98" Twin: 59" x 85" Queen: 80" x 90" Lap: 54" x 72" Baby: 36" x 54"

Double: 74" x 95 Child: 40" x 60"

NOTE: Quilts 72" to 86" must have a sleeve to be hung from ceiling or fully displayed.

DIVISION 583 – QUILT CHALLENGE Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$20	\$15	\$10

RULES

- 1. All quilts must be cloth, consisting of three layers (top, batting and backing) and must be hand and/or machine quilted. Only finished projects will be accepted.
- 2. The design of the quilt must be an original design. Quilts can be pieced, appliquéd or a combination of both and may be embellished.
- 3. Size must be at least 24" x 24" and no larger than 48" x 48" and may be any shape.
- 4. An identification label must be sewn to the bottom back corner of the quilt,
- 5. You may use any fabric(s) of your choice. The choices should reflect the theme "BEE HAPPY"
- 6. Judging emphasizes originality and creativity, visual impact, workmanship, and adherence to theme.

Class

- 1. Quilt made by Amateur
- 2. Quilt made by Group

DIVISION 584 – QUILT-ON-A-STICK Premiums Offered per Class

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1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$15	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

Theme: "BUGS"

RULES

- 1. Maximum Size 8 inches x 9 inches.
- 2. Any Construction method(s), hand or machine quilted by Exhibitor.
- 3. Quilt backing must include a centered, vertical sleeve in which a paint stick has been inserted. Exhibitor must provide paint stick.

Class

1. Quilt-On-A-Stick

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 585 – QUILTS, NOVICE

(First-time quilter may enter beginning project)

Class

- 1. Appliqué
- 2. Art Quilt
- 3. Hand Pieced, hand quilted
- 4. Machine Pieced, hand quilted
- 5. Machine Pieced, machine quilted

- 6. Modern
- 7. Patchwork, tied
- 8. Whole Cloth/Panel
- 9. All other

DIVISION 586 – QUILTS, CONTAINS PATCHWORK AND APPLIQUE

Class – Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap Size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall
- 6. All other, hand quilted

- Class Machine Quilted
 - 7. Baby
 - 8. Child
 - 9. Double/Twin
 - 10. King/Queen
 - 11. Lap Size
 - 12. Miniature, under 18"
 - 13. Wall
 - 14. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 587 – QUILTS, ALL PIECED

Class – Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap Size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall
- 6. All other, hand quilted

Class – Machine Quilted

- 7. Baby
- 8. Child
- 9. Double
- 10. King/Queen
- 11. Lap Size
- 12. Miniature, under 18"
- 13. Twin
- 14. Wall
- 15. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 588 – QUILTS, ALL APPLIQUE'

Class – Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap size
- 4. Miniature, under 18"

- Class Machine Quilted
 - 7. Baby
 - 8. Child
 - 9. Double/Twin
 - 10. King/Queen

5. Wall

6. All other, hand quilted

11. Lap Size

- 12. Miniature, under 18"
- 13. Wall
- 14. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 589 – QUILTS, EMBROIDERED

Class – Hand Embroidered

- 1. Appliqué
- 2. Pieced
- 3. Whole Cloth

Class – Machine Embroidered 4. Appliqué

- 5. Pieced
- 6. Whole Cloth

DIVISION 590 – QUILTS, GROUP ENTRY

(More than one person's work)

Class

- 1. Appliqué
- 2. Art Quilt
- 3. Embroidered
- 4. Memory/Friendship
- 5. Mixed Ages (under18 years and over 18 years)
- 6. Mixed Technique
- 7. Modern
- 8. Patchwork
- 9. All other

DIVISION 591 – QUILTS, MODERN

Class – Hand Quilted

- 1. Baby/Child
- 2. Bed Size
- 3. Lap
- 4. Miniature, under 18"
- 5. Wall
- 6. All other, hand quilted

- Class Machine Quilted
 - 7. Applique
 - 8. Baby/Child
- 9. Double/Twin
- 10. King/Queen
- 11. Lap
- 12. Miniature, under 18"
- 13. Wall
- 14. All other, machine quilted

DIVISION 592 – QUILTS, PROFESSIONALLY QUILTED

- 1. Appliqué
- 2. Embroidered
- 3. Group Quilt (more than 1 person's work)
- 4. Memory/Friendship
- 5. Mixed Technique
- 6. Modern

- 9. Patchwork, infant/child
- 10. Patchwork, King/Queen
- 11. Patchwork, lap size
- 12. Patchwork, Table runner
- 13. Patchwork, Twin
- 14. Wall

7. Novice

8. Patchwork, Double

DIVISION 593 – QUILTS, MISCELLANEOUS

Class

- 1. Art Quilt
- 2. Boutis/Trapunto
- 3. Crazy
- 4. Embroidered, hand guilted
- 5. Hand pieced, hand quilted
- 6. Landscape
- 7. Memory
- 8. Paper Pieced/Foundation

- 9. Patchwork/Embroidery
- 10. Rag

15. All other

- 11. T-Shirt
- 12. Tied
- 13. Whole Cloth/Panel, hand quilted
- 14. Whole Cloth/Panel, machine quilted
- 15. Yo-Yo
- 16. All other

DIVISION 594 – QUILTED ITEMS

Class

- 1. Boutis/Trapunto, any item
- 2. Christmas Stocking
- 3. Christmas Tree Skirt
- 4. Holiday Item, any other
- 5. Household Item (1-3 pieces)
- 6. Pillow, appliqué
- 7. Pillow, mixed technique
- 8. Pillow, patchwork

- 9. Pillow Sham (1-2 items)
- 10. Placemats (set of 4)
- 11. Purse/Handbag
- 12. Table Runner
- 13. Tote
- 14. Wearable Art, jacket/vest
- 15. All other



DIVISION 595 – APPLIQUED ITEMS

Class

- 1. Christmas Stocking
- 2. Clothing
- 3. Holiday item
- 4. Holiday Ornament Set (2-5 pieces)
- 5. Household Item (1-3 pieces)

- 6. Original Design
- 7. Pillow
- 8. Wall Hanging
- 9. All other

DIVISION 596 – BRIDAL

- 1. Bride's Head Covering
- 2. Dress, adult
- 3. Dress, child
- 4. Garter

- 5. Ring Pillow
- 6. Wedding Gown
- 7. All other

DIVISION 597 – CLOTHING

Class

- 1. Apron, adult
- 2. Apron, child
- 3. Blouse
- 4. Children, playwear
- 5. Children, special occasion
- 6. Christening Ensemble, infant
- 7. Coordinated Outfit, adult/adult
- 8. Coordinated Outfits, adult/child
- 9. Coordinated Outfits, siblings (2-4 pieces)
- 10. Dress, formal/cocktail
- 11. Girl's Dress/Jumper, casual
- 12. Lingerie

- 13. Outerwear/Coat
- 14. Robe/Bed Jacket
- 15. Shirt
- 16. Skirt/Skort
- 17. Slacks/Pants
- 18. Tailored Suit
- 19. Toddler, clothing
- 20. Vest
- 21. Wearable Art, clothing
- 22. Woman's Dress/Jumper, casual
- 23. All other

DIVISION 598 – COSTUMES

Class

- 1. Dance (ballet, square, etc.)
- 2. Halloween, adult
- 3. Halloween, child
- 4. Period (colonial, renaissance)
- 5. Ethnic
- 6. All other

DIVISION 599 – RECYCLED ARTICLES

(Must be sewn, knitted and/or crocheted)

Class

- 1. Clothing
- 2. Household Item
- 3. Rug

- 4. Tote
- 5. Toy
- 6. All other

DIVISION 600 – MISCELLANEOUS SEWN ITEMS

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Bib
- 3. Christmas Stocking
- 4. Christmas Tree Skirt
- 5. Dolls
- 6. Doll Clothes (2-5 pieces)
- 7. Embroidery, hand
- 8. Embroidery, machine
- 9. Handbag/Purse

- 10. Holiday Decoration
- 11. Household Item
- 12. Pillow
- 13. Pillow Slip/Sham (1-2 Items)
- 14. Smocking, any item
- 15. Stuffed Animal
- 16. Stuffed Toy/Mobile
- 17. Tote Bag
- 18. All other

Class

- 1. Blouse/Shirt
- 2. Coat
- 3. Dress
- 4. Pants
- 5. Skirts
- 6. All other

DIVISION 602 – WEAVING/SPINNING

Class - Handwoven

- 1. Accessories
- 2. Blankets/Coverlets
- 3. Household item
- 4. Clothing

5. Rugs

- 6. Table Accessory
- 7. Tapestry/Wall Hanging
- 8. Towels

Class - Handspun/Handwoven

- 9. Accessories
- 10. Blankets/Coverlets
- 11. Clothing
- 12. Household item
- 13. Rugs
- 14. Table Accessory
- 15. Tapestry/Wall Hanging
- 16. Towels
- Class Handspun-Knitted
- 17. Accessories
- 18. Blankets/Coverlets
- 19. Clothing
- 20. Household item
- 21. Placemats/Towels
- Class Handspun-Crocheted
- 22. Accessories
- 23. Blankets/Coverlets
- 24. Clothing
- 25. Household item
- 26. Placemats/Towels
- Class Bobbin Lace
- 27. Any item
- Class Felting/Wet
- 28. Accessories
- 29. Clothing
- 30. Household item
- 31. Rugs

Class - Off-loom Weaving 32. Any item Class – Yarn, no less than 1 ounce; identify intended use for each class 33. Animal Hair 34. Art Yarn 35. Blends, identify 36. Recycled Material 37. Silk 38. Vegetable 39. Wool 40. All other Class - All other 41. Any item

DIVISION 603 – HOOK RUG

Class

- 1. Hooked Pillow
- 2. Kit
- 3. Original Design
- 4. Rug
- 5. All other

Judging Criteria for Clothing & Textiles

Workmanship (40%); Suitability (20%); Beauty and Originality (20%); Harmony of Color and Materials (20%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Quilts/Quilted Items

<u>Visual Statement</u>-Visual Impact. Outstanding or special qualities, clean & ready for judging. No thread, knots, markings, or smudges (will not be marked down for being laundered) (50%)

Pattern Use & Design-Traditional, contemporary, or original. Unique use of pattern or design. Has old pattern been varied or a new pattern created? Are design elements in good proportion? Balance, rhythm, design flow? Is use of fabric distinctive or unusual? (10%)

<u>Color</u>-Color harmonious. Accent color(s) added for interest & movement. Do colors used enhance design or pattern? (10%)

<u>Construction</u>-Points & corners meet precisely. Curves are smooth. Stitches visible (or do they enhance design?) Cross stitches going same way. Backing as flat as front, free of tucks, puckers. (10%)

<u>Quilting/Ties</u> (technique & pattern)-Evenly spaced stitches of uniform length. Stitches go through to back and are pleasing and symmetrical on back. Straight lines are straight and curved lines are curved. Ties are even and secured, and go through item. Knots are creatively and evenly placed. Should work with surface design, fill spaces properly, enhance or become design. (10%)

<u>Binding or edge</u>-Both sides are even length. Both ends are even length. Corners neat and even. Scallop or prairie points even. Binding evenly filled with filler. Does binding enhance appearance? Stitches hidden. (10%) Total 100%

PRESERVED FOODS ENTRIES ACCEPTED Friday, July 22, Saturday, July 23 & Sunday, July 24, 2022 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM

HOW TO ENTER - June 6 - July 18, 2022 only

ONLINE - <u>www.venturacountyfair.org</u>

Entries <u>must</u> be submitted <u>online</u> only. <u>Except</u> for Pre-made Contests, On Stage Timed Cooking Contests, King Arthur Flour Baking Contest, Table Settings Contests, & other special Class/Division entry requirements. See <u>each</u> Class/Division for entry instructions. <u>Online Entries close at 11:59 PM on July 18, 2022</u>. Do not bring your entries at this time.

No fee to enter in this Department

PRESERVED FOODS RULES

- 1. For all Divisions use clear glass, wide or narrow mouth Mason, Kerr or Ball jars that use screw down rings and lids. Refer to each Division for jar size.
- 2. No paraffin seals accepted. No jars without a sealed lid and ring will be accepted.
- 3. No freezer or refrigerator packed item will be accepted.
- 4. Label jars with the contents, method of canning (i.e. pressure canning or water bath) and the date canned. **DO NOT** put label on lid.
- 5. Non-acid foods that include vegetables must be pressure canned. Low-acid fruit such as figs should be made more acidic by adding lemon juice. Tomatoes and all fruits must be processed in a boiling water bath.
- 6. All opened jars must be picked up the day following judging, or contents and jars will be disposed of. Check with the Preserved Foods Chairman for date and time on the day you bring in your entries. (Home Arts Department phone number is 805-648-3376 ext. 167.)
- 7. Any Exhibitor with 20 or more entries, please call the Chairman for entry appointment time.
- 8. No group entry will be accepted.
- 9. All jars must be picked up on the Monday following the last day of Fair by 7:00 PM. Those not picked up that day will be discarded.
- <u>Vouchers</u> will be issued for Premium winnings of less than \$20 and are redeemed on Monday, August 15, 2022, between 12:00 PM and 7:00 PM at the Fair Administration Office Ticket Window. *Vouchers expire on October 28, 2022, and <u>will not</u> be redeemed after this date.*

Premiums Offered per Class

1st	2nd	3rd
\$4	\$2	\$1

DIVISION 604 – BUTTERS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed for entry.

Class	
1. Apple	7. Peach
2. Apricot	8. Pear
3. Banana	9. Plum
4. Loquat	10. Sugarless Butter
5. Mixture	11. All other
6. Nectarine	

Pint or quart jars only; water bath procedure. Two jars need; one for judging and one for display.

Class

- 1. Apples
- 2. Applesauce
- 3. Applesauce, spiced
- 4. Apricot, halves
- 5. Blackberries
- 6. Blueberries
- 7. Boysenberries
- 8. Cherries
- 9. Cherry Filling
- 10. Citrus
- 11. Figs
- 12. Fruits, artificially colored
- 13. Fruits, mixed
- 14. Juice, apple
- 15. Juice, berry
- 16. Juice, any other fruit

- 17. Liqueur Added
- 18. Loquats
- 19. Mock Mincemeat
- 20. Nectarines
- 21. Peaches, Cling
- 22. Peaches, Freestone
- 23. Peaches, spiced
- 24. Peaches, all other
- 25. Pears, Bartlett
- 26. Pears, any other
- 27. Pear Sauce
- 28. Plums
- 29. Raspberries
- 30. Tropical Fruits
- 31. All other
- 32. All other, pie filling

DIVISION 606 – CANNED MEATS

Pint or quart jars only; pressure canned procedure only. Two jars needed; one for judging and one for display.

Class

- 1. Beef
- 2. Fish, any type
- 3. Mincemeat
- 4. Pork

- 5. Poultry
- 6. Soup, meat base
- 7. Spaghetti Sauce, w/meat
- 8. All other

DIVISION 607 – CANNED VEGETABLES

Pint or quart jars only; pressure canned procedure only. Two jars needed; one for judging and one for display.

Class

- 1. Asparagus
- 2. Beans, green cut
- 3. Beans, green whole
- 4. Beans, all other
- 5. Beets
- 6. Carrots
- 7. Corn
- 8. Juice, tomato
- 9. Peppers

- 10. Potatoes, sweet
- 11. Potatoes, white
- 12. Squash
- 13. Tomato
- 14. Tomato Sauce
- 15. Tomatoes, with vegetables
- 16. Vegetables, mixed
- 17. Yams
- 18. Vegetables, all other

DIVISION 608 – DRIED FOODS

Minimum of four pieces of product needed; must be in a clear glass jar with lid. Taster jars may be used in this Division.

- 1. Apples
- 2. Apricots
- 3. Bananas
- 4. Carrots
- 5. Dry Rub (no sugar)
- 6. Figs
- 7. Fruit Leather
- 8. Herbs
- 9. Jerky, hot
- 10. Jerky, marinated
- 11. Jerky, mild

DIVISION 609 – JAMS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division.

Class

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Apricot & Pineapple
- 3. Apricot, mixture
- 4. Blackberry
- 5. Blueberry
- 6. Boysenberry
- 7. Cherry
- 8. Citrus
- 9. Fig
- 10. Herb/Spice
- 11. Kiwi
- 12. Liqueur Added
- 13. Loquat
- 14. Mixed Berry
- 15. Mixtures
- 16. Nectarine
- 17. Olallie

18. Peach, mixture

12. Mixed Vegetables

13. Peaches
 14. Peppers

15. Pineapple

17. Prunes (plums)

20. Fruit, all other

21. Vegetable, all other

16. Potatoes

18. Raisins

19. Tomatoes

- 19. Peach, white
- 20. Peach, yellow
- 21. Pear
- 22. Pepper
- 23. Plum, dark
- 24. Plum, yellow
- 25. Pluot
- 26. Raspberry
- 27. Rhubarb
- 28. Strawberry, mixture
- 29. Strawberry, with pectin
- 30. Strawberry without pectin
- 31. Strawberry-Rhubarb
- 32. Tomato
- 33. Tropical Fruit
- 34. All other

DIVISION 610 – JAMS, SUGARLESS

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division.

Class

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Nectarine
- 3. Peach

- 4. Raspberry
- 5. Strawberry
- 6. All other

DIVISION 611 - JELLIES

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division.

- 1. Apple
- 2. Apple, mixture
- 3. Apricot

- 13. Mixtures
 14. Nectarine
- 15. Olallie

- 4. Blackberry
- 5. Boysenberry
- 6. Citrus
- 7. Cranberry
- 8. Grape
- 9. Herb
- 10. Kiwi
- 11. Liqueur added
- 12. Mint

- 16. Peach
- 17. Pepper Jelly
- 18. Plum, dark
- 19. Plum, yellow
- 20. Pomegranate
- 21. Raspberry
- 22. Strawberry
- 23. Wine
- 24. All other

DIVISION 612 – MARMALADES

Half-pint or pint jar only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division.

Class

- 1. Fruit
- 2. Grapefruit
- 3. Lemon
- 4. Mixture, all other

- 5. Orange
- 6. Orange & Lemon
- 7. All other

DIVISION 613 – PICKLES & RELISHES

All pickles us pint or quart jars. Relishes can be canned in half-pints or pints. No 4 oz. taster jars will be accepted; water bath procedure. Two jars needed; one for judging and one for display. No refrigerated entries will be accepted.

Class

- 1. Barbecue Sauce
- 2. Bean, string
- 3. Beet
- 4. Bread & Butter
- 5. Bread & Butter, zucchini
- 6. Chili Sauce
- 7. Chutney, English
- 8. Chutney, fruit
- 9. Condiments
- 10. Corn Relish
- 11. Cucumber, dill
- 12. Cucumber, Kosher dill
- 13. Cucumber, sweet
- 14. Cucumber Relish, sweet
- 15. Fig
- 16. Garden Mix
- 17. Mixed Pickles

18. Novelty Pickles

- 19. Pickled Carrots
- 20. Pickled Peppers
- 21. Pizza Sauce
- 22. Salsa, hot
- 23. Salsa, mild
- 24. Sauerkraut
- 25. Spaghetti Sauce, no meat
- 26. Spanish Relish
- 27. Squash Pickles, mixed
- 28. Tomato Pickle
- 29. Tomato Relish
- 30. Vegetable Relish
- 31. Watermelon Rind
- 32. Zucchini, dill pickle
- 33. All other, pickles
- 34. All other, relishes

DIVISION 614 – PRESERVES

Half-pint or pint jar only - no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. One jar only needed in this Division

- 1. Apricot
- 2. Berry, any (other than strawberry)
- 3. Cherry

- 6. Peach 7. Plum
- 8. Strawberry

Half-pint or pint jars only – no 4 oz. (taster jars) will be accepted; water bath procedure. Two jars needed in this Division; one for judging and one for display.

DIVISION 615 – SYRUPS AND TOPPINGS

Class

- 1. Curd, any
- 2. Fruit Syrup
- 3. All Other Syrups
- 4. Fruit Topping, any

- 5. Meat Topping, spicy
- 6. Meat Topping, sweet
- 7. Strawberry Topping
- 8. Toppings, all other

Judging Criteria for Jellies, Jams, Preserves & Marmalades

<u>Appearance</u>-Color-characteristic of fruit, clearness - jellies, translucent, container-glass, practical, clean sealed lids no paraffin seals, neatly labeled, specific size. (30%)

<u>Texture</u>-Jelly-tender, should quiver, cut easily and retain shape, no crystals. Preserves-pieces firm and whole. Clear, thick syrup. Marmalades-small, thin pieces. Clear, thick syrup. Butters-fruit that has been pressed through sieve. Jams-crushed fruit, no separation of fruit and juice. (35%)

<u>Flavor</u>-Characteristic, without excessive sweetness or overcooked flavor. (35%) Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Dried Foods

Attractiveness and container (if applicable) (30%); Color (20%); Texture (20%); Aroma (30%); Total (100%)

Judging Criteria for Preserved Foods, Juices and Syrups

Container and label (20%); Appearance, particularly color (25%); Texture, right thickness, no pieces (15%); Taste, natural flavor (40%); Total 100%

Judging Criteria for Pickles and Relishes

<u>Container</u>-Tightly sealed, clean jars designed for canning of specific size, neatly and properly labeled. Label: name of product, date of pack, method used. (10%)

<u>Appearance</u>-Color-uniform, attractive, characteristic of kind with no darkening on the top or discoloration of ingredients (15%), Size-whole or pieces suitable, uniform size (15%), Liquid-clear with no scum on top (15%); <u>Texture</u>-Pickled fruits-tender, plump, unbroken skins or flesh. Firm, not shriveled or overcooked. Vegetable pickles or relishes-uniformly firm & crisp, not shriveled from excess salt, acid or sugar. (20%);

<u>Safety & Suitability</u>-Choice of fruits and/or vegetables that is safe and suitable for home pickling. (25%); Total 100%

Canned Fruits and Vegetables

Note: Do not taste non-acid fruit. Should be opened by judge for inspection. Do not taste meats.

Container-Tightly sealed containers of specified size, clean, neatly and properly labeled. (10%)

<u>Pack-Fullness</u> – all space except proper headspace filled. Neatness and uniformity. Liquid to just cover product with no excess, clear with little or no cloudiness or small particles, free from gas bubbles. Fruit syrups have suitable portions of sugar. (25%)

Product-Absence of defects. Original food high quality, free from indicated spoilage. Color as nearly that of standard cooked products as possible. Free from foreign matter and undue discoloration. Consistency, tender without over cooking. (65%); Total 100%

9. All other

5. Nectarine