

Appalachian Fair
August 18th-23rd
2025 Farm & Home Catalog



August Appalachian Fair Event Calendar

2025



99th Year of the Appalachian Fair – August 18-23, 2025 | www.appalachianfair.com

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
July 27	July 28	July 29	July 30	July 31	1	2
				Entry Deadline: Youth & Livestock		Entry Deadline: Farm & Home
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
				Entry Deadline: Little Miss & Fairest of the Fair Fairest of the Fair Rehearsal @ 6pm	Non-Perishable Entries: 4-H Agent Drop-offs: 10am-2pm CTE: 1-5pm Entry Deadline: Dance Competition, Got Talent, Youth Talent Show	Non-Perishable Entries: F&H: 11am-6pm 4-H: 1-6pm FCCLA: 11am-2pm CTE: 11am-5pm Little Miss Rehearsals
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Non-Perishable Entries: CTE: 12-5pm 4-H Ed Set-ups: 2-6pm	4-H Ed Set-ups: 2-5pm			CTE School Booth Set-up: 9am-5pm Fairest of the Fair Rehearsal @ 6pm	Perishable Entries: CTE Cullinary: 3-5pm SAR Entry Drop-offs: 9am-5pm	Perishable Entries: F&H: 12Noon-5pm Little Miss Rehearsals
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Perishable Entries: 4-H: 1-6pm 4-H Ed Set-ups: 2-6pm FFA Drop-offs: 1-4pm Fairest of the Fair Interviews: 2pm Check-In Jr Beef & Steer Shows: 1-5pm Jr Beef Weigh-In: 2-4pm Jr Steer Show: 5:30pm	Jr Beef Show: 9am F&H Cakes: 1:30-4:30pm / Judging: 5:30pm FCCLA Food Prep/Cullinary Arts: 4-6pm Open Beef Show: Check-in before 12Noon 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm FFA Beef Judging: 5pm Little Cowbuddles after 6pm Bart Long Clydesdales: 7pm Fairest of the Fair Pageant: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm	School Day! Open Beef Show: 10:30am Charolais / Simmental / SimAngus / Limousin / Angus F&H Comfort Foods & Salads: 1:30-4:30pm / Judging: 5pm 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm Little Miss Pageant: 6pm Bart Long Clydesdales: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm	Open Beef Show: 9am Shorthorn / Other Breeds / Hereford / Supreme Awards F&H Cut Flowers: 9am-12Noon / Judging: 1pm 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm Museum Stage: ? : 7pm Monster Trucks: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm	Senior Day! 4-H Day! Livestock Check-In: Dairy prior to 12Noon Sheep: 3-6pm 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm Wash Co Dairy Show: 4pm Youth Talent Contest: 7pm 4-H Awards: 7pm Monster Trucks: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm	FFA Day! Open Sheep Show: 9am FFA Dairy Judging & Dairy Handler Contest: 9am FFA Public Speaking: 11am F&H Pies: 1:30-4:30pm / Judging: 5pm 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm Jr Dairy Showmanship: 5pm Little Britches after 6pm followed by: Cow Costume Contest followed by: Jr Dairy Commercial Helper Show Wool & Woolies: 7pm Dance Competition: 7pm Demo Derby: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm	Jr Sheep Show, and Jr Sheep Showmanship: 9am Baby Show: 9am F&H: 'Taste of TN': 9-11am / Judging: 1pm Youth Cook: 9-11am / Judging: 11:30am Dairy Heifers Show: 10am Dairy Cows: 1pm followed by Sr Dairy Showmanship 4-H: Bread Baking: 4-8pm Little Shepherds: 6pm followed by Sr Sheep Showmanship F&H Awards Presentation: 7pm Got Talent: 7pm Demo Derby: 7pm Main Stage: 8pm
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Entry Removal: FFA: 1-4pm FCCLA: 2-4pm CTE: 1-4pm		Entry Removal: F&H: 3-6pm 4-H: 2-6pm				

Pre-Sale Entrance & Ride Tickets available online or at the Ticket Office

Daily Ride Specials!!

Main Stage Entertainment:
Free with Gate Admission and/or Reserved Seating available for purchase online or from the Ticket Office

Join us next year for the 100th Year of the Appalachian Fair: August 24-29, 2026

APPALACHIAN FAIR ASSOCIATION

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ESTABLISHED in 1926

Welcome to the 2025 Appalachian Fair August 18-23, 2025

The Appalachian Fair Association, Inc. is a non-profit, agricultural, educational organization and sponsors the fair for the sole purpose of creating a greater interest in a better agricultural and richer rural life in the Appalachian Highlands region.

Our area schools and local extension offices contribute much to the success of the fair and all regional schools are urged to support the fair in every way possible.

The premium list is very attractive, and it is hoped that full entries will be made in all departments. All citizens of the entire region are cordially invited to exhibit and attend the fair each year.

ADMISSION FEES

GENERAL ADMISSION: \$10

Children 11 and under are FREE when accompanied by an adult.

***Buildings & exhibits open Monday-Friday at 3pm and Saturday at 10am.**

All Buildings and Exhibits close at 10pm daily. *

Single visit parking in fair owned lots will be **\$5 per car**, payable at the lot –**cash only**.

Senior Day: (60 and over) Thursday, August 21: \$5

School Day: Tuesday, August 19:

All students in grades K-12 will be admitted FREE until 5pm

6-Day (\$50) & 3-Day (\$25) Season Passes, full week **Parking Passes** (\$20) along with **Discounted Ride Tickets** (Sheet of 21 tickets for \$12) are available for purchase prior to opening day in the Office and through our website: www.appalachianfair.com.

****NO RETURN ADMISSIONS** or handstamps will be issued. Once you have exited the fairgrounds you **will be** required to purchase a ticket to re-enter. Close-toed shoes are **required** for most rides. **NO Rain Checks** will be issued for gate or reserved seat ticket purchases.

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*From the funds appropriated by the **General Assembly of the State of Tennessee** for the purpose of aiding agricultural fairs in the payment of agricultural premiums, the **Appalachian Fair Association** has been allotted monies by the **Tennessee Department of Agriculture**. *

The officers and directors of the Appalachian Fair wish to express their sincere appreciation to **Governor Bill Lee, Dr. Charles Hatcher, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Lynne Williams, Fair Administrator**, for their part in the allocation of these funds.

Farm & Home 2025 Schedule

- April 1-August 2 Pre-Registration online or by mail
(Catalog & Entry forms available for download on our website or may be picked-up in the Fair Office)
- Saturday, August 9
- Non-Perishables Entry Day 11am-6pm
(Departments 340, 350, 355, 360, 370, & 380)
- Saturday, August 16
- Perishables Entry Day 12Noon-5pm
(Departments 310, 315, 320, 325, 330-Classes A, B, K, L, M & N, & 345-Classes A, B, & C)
 - Department 330, Class N – Wheelbarrow Decorating Contest – Drop-off12Noon-5pm
- Monday, August 18
- Department 345, Classes D & E – Cakes..... ** 1:30pm-4:30pm
 - Cake Competition Judging..... 5:30pm
- Tuesday, August 19
- Department 345, Class G – Comfort Food and Class H– Salads..... ** 1:30pm-4:30pm
 - Comfort Food and Salad Competition Judging 5pm
- Wednesday, August 20
- Department 330, Classes C, D, E, F, G, H, I, & J – Cut Flowers..... 9am-12Noon
 - Cut Flower Competition Judging 1pm
- Thursday, August 21
- FCE Events.....beginning at 3pm
- Friday, August 22
- FFA Prepared Public Speaking Contest 11am
 - Department 345, Class F – Pies..... ** 1:30pm-4:30pm
 - Pie Competition Judging 5pm
- Saturday, August 23
- Department 345, Class J – Youth Cook **9am-11am
 - Youth Cook Competition Judging 11:30am
 - Department 345, Class I – ‘Taste of Tennessee’ Competition **9am-11am
 - ‘Taste of Tennessee’ Competition Judging 1pm
 - Farm & Home Awards Presentation 7pm
- Tuesday, August 26
- Pick-up Day & Premium Check Distribution 3pm-6pm

****During the fair NO vehicles will be allowed to drop off exhibits after 2pm weekdays or 10am on Saturday ***

Any walk-through gate may be used to bring in entries during the fair. Exhibitors with multiple entries may drive through Gate 6 to the back of the Farm & Home Building prior to 2pm weekdays or 10am on Saturday. If assistance is needed after this time, contact the fair office at 423.477.3211.

Non-registered entries will be accepted on the day of entry; however, pre-registration is encouraged and recommended.



Appalachian Fair's General Rules & Regulations

To ensure a safe, fun, family-friendly environment, the Appalachian Fair implements these rules and regulations for having the best experience possible!

1. All items brought onto the fairgrounds are subject to search by security.
2. Prohibited Items: Selfie sticks – Backpacks are discouraged – Firearms or weapons of any kind – Outside food & beverages. Coolers are not allowed to be brought into the fair. Exceptions may be made for guests with special dietary needs, including but not limited to baby food/formula. – **NO** alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs are allowed – Tobacco products are discouraged and **NOT** allowed in the seating areas or barns – Umbrellas are **NOT** allowed in the seating areas – Camping or tailgating chairs are **NOT** allowed at the concert area – **NO PETS ALLOWED**. Animals are not permitted on the grounds at any time unless they are a part of an authorized show or exhibit. Only trained service dogs assisting the handicapped are allowed on the fairgrounds. We know you love your pets, and we love animals too, but they are not allowed in the fair. This is for their safety as well as the safety of all guests. Guests who use service animals **MUST present the animals with their service vests on**, always retain control of their animals, provide legal papers on the animal, and should keep them on a leash or harness while visiting. – Drones are NOT allowed – Any other item deemed unsafe by the Appalachian Fair Security Officials and the Washington County Sheriff's Department.
3. In accordance with FAA regulations and for the safety of our fairgoers, drones and other motorized aircraft systems are prohibited from flying above or near the fairgrounds without prior permission from fair management.
4. The Appalachian Fair is a rain or shine event including all events and concerts taking place. NO rainchecks or refunds will be issued. The Appalachian Fair monitors all potentially hazardous weather conditions. In the event the National Weather Service announces a severe weather warning within a 5-mile radius of the fairgrounds, weather advisories will be announced immediately on the public address system and our social media outlets directing guests to seek shelter. Designated severe weather shelters are located in the Farm & Home Building, Building 1, Building 3, the Appalachian Heritage Museum, and the Show Barn. If a concert or special event is taking place, the event will be delayed, postponed, or canceled depending on the severity and duration of the weather event. Fairgoers will be notified of any weather-related announcements via social media and our website – www.appalachianfair.com
5. Soliciting, selling items, promoting other events, organizations, etc. are strictly prohibited without prior approval from the Appalachian Fair. Unauthorized signs, banners, or posting handbills are not allowed and are strictly prohibited anywhere on the grounds, including the parking fields and surrounding fence areas. All promotions and sales of any kind in and around the fairgrounds must be registered and pre-approved by fair management. Please contact our office for more information at 423.477.3211 or appalachianfair@gmail.com
6. Shirt & Shoes are REQUIRED. Appropriate attire is always required for a family-friendly atmosphere. Open-toed shoes are not permitted on some rides. See the list of ride requirements on the Drew Exposition page or our website under Entertainment.
7. Appropriate conduct should be maintained for a family-friendly atmosphere. Those displaying inappropriate conduct will be asked to leave the grounds or removed from the grounds by security.
8. All property of every character, whether entered for exhibition, display, sale, or any other purpose and brought onto the grounds or into the buildings, will be kept entirely at risk of the owner, who assumes all responsibility for any loss, damage, theft, or accident that may occur. Neither the Appalachian Fair Association, its officers, or agents, will be responsible for any such loss, damage, or theft and it is distinctly understood that exhibitors, concessionaires, and all other persons, firms, or corporations having property on the grounds and desiring protection from such loss or damage must make their own arrangements, therefore. The Appalachian Fair is not responsible for lost or stolen items left in cars or on people attending the fair. Lost & found items may be reported and turned in at the fair office.
9. Tickets purchased through a third-party provider are NOT authentic and cannot be guaranteed. All tickets MUST and may only be purchased through the Appalachian Fair website: www.appalachianfair.com – or in person at our Box Office. Lost or stolen tickets are the responsibility of the purchaser. All tickets, coupons, etc. become void after the last day of the event.
10. Smile! Photos, video, and audio may be taken for promotional purposes. By entering the Appalachian Fair, you consent, waive all rights to royalties and release the Appalachian Fair of any liability. You agree to your likeness being used, published, or reproduced in any and all media which can be used now or in the future, for any purpose by or in connection with the Appalachian Fair.
11. Handicap parking is available in Lot 5 on a first-come basis, just outside of Gate 5, for those with valid handicap tags.
12. Washington County EMS will provide emergency medical services. For all first aid and medical emergencies go to the First Aid Station located next to the Appalachian Heritage Museum and the Appalachian Arena or contact fair personnel.
13. Security is directed by the Washington County Sheriff's Office. As a safety precaution, the Appalachian Fair along with the WCSO encourages parents to take a photo of their child/children just before entering the fairgrounds. In the event that you become separated, this will allow fair personnel and the WCSO to quickly share a photo of the missing child/children around the grounds with other officers and staff to bring about a quick reunion. Traffic assistance is also provided by the WCSO.

Appalachian Fair's General Rules & Regulations (Cont.)

14. Fair re-entry is not permitted. Handstamps are not used. You will be required to purchase a ticket to re-enter the fairgrounds once you leave the gate, so make sure you bring everything you will need inside the fairgrounds with you.
15. E-coli/Salmonella exposure is an inherent risk in any location where food and animals are present. Hand-washing stations and hand sanitizer dispensers have been placed around the grounds and should be used after petting animals or before eating. Guests should take every precaution and evaluate their own health risks. Purchase of a ticket and entry onto the fairgrounds constitutes your understanding of these risks and your willingness to undertake the risk of exposure.
16. COVID exposure is an inherent risk in any public location where people are present. Guests should only attend after evaluating their own health risks. Purchase of a ticket and entry onto the fairgrounds constitutes your understanding of these risks and your willingness to undertake the risk of exposure.
17. All property, fixtures, merchandise, etc. of every character, whether entered for exhibition, display, sale, or any other purpose and brought into the grounds or buildings will be kept entirely at risk of the owner, who assumes all responsibility for any loss, damage, theft, or accident that may occur. Neither the Appalachian Fair Association, its officers, or agents, will be responsible for any such loss, damage, theft, or seizure by law enforcement and it is distinctly understood that exhibitors, concessionaires, and all other persons, firms, or corporations having property on the grounds and desiring protection from such loss or damage must make their own arrangements, therefore.
18. The Secretary/Manager of the Appalachian Fair Association shall have supervision and control of all exhibitors, whether in the buildings, arena, or grounds and reserves the right to prescribe the dimensions and regulate the position of all signs, control the distribution of advertising matter, and direct the arrangements of articles on exhibition so far as same may be necessary to secure harmony and attractive appearance. All instructions shall come from him through authorized officials.
19. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to display any item considered unsuitable for a fair exhibit.
20. Commercial Vendors & Concessionaires: All Commercial Vendors and Concessionaires, together with their employees, assistants, and helpers, must obey the rules, or any other special regulations of the Appalachian Fair Association they have been notified of, and any refusal or neglect to do so will forfeit any rights they may have had by virtue of such privilege or concessions. The Appalachian Fair Association reserves the right to refund in whole or in part, money paid for commercial vendors or concessions space and refuse to allow any party, or article to operate or do business should they or it become objectionable.
21. Special rules governing each department are in addition to the General Rules and are listed in the department's respective catalogue following the list of Appalachian Fair General Rules and Regulations.
22. Competition is open to the world, unless otherwise stated.

****Catalog & Entry Forms are available for download on our website or may be picked up in the fair office****

Appalachian Fair Youth Scholarship Program

The Appalachian Fair awards two \$1,000 scholarships annually to qualified applicants selected by the Scholarship Committee. The applicant must be a permanent resident of the area of Tennessee served by the Appalachian Fair and either a high school senior or currently enrolled in a college, university, or accredited vocational school. Applicants must have a 2.5 GPA. Applicants must have participated in the Appalachian Fair within the past two years. For an application and a copy of requirements, please contact the Appalachian Fair Office at 423.477.3211. Entry deadline is April 10 of each year.



Appalachian Fair's Rules & Regulations for Farm & Home Exhibitors

1. Entry pre-registration will be accepted from April 1 – August 2. The online entry link can be found on the Farm & Home page under Departments on our website. Entry forms are available in the fair office, or on our website: www.appalachianfair.com. Completed entry forms may be submitted in person at the fair office, emailed to: appalachianfair@gmail.com, or mailed to: Appalachian Fair, PO Box 8218, Johnson City, TN 37615. Questions? Call us at 423.477.3211 during normal business hours.
2. Entry removal will be held ***ONE DAY ONLY* - Tuesday, August 26** from 3pm-6pm. Exhibitors will forfeit premium monies awarded on any exhibit removed before this time unless otherwise stated. Items not picked up from the fair office within 30 days will become the property of the Appalachian Fair.
3. **Entry tags may be picked up in the fair office prior to drop-off dates** for items that have been pre-registered. This will allow you to pre-tag your items prior to the drop-off day for your entry. Place the entry tag in the upper right-hand corner of the item. This will speed up your entry process. Non-registered entries will be accepted on the day of entry for the respected department without pre-registration, however, pre-registration is recommended.
4. Those engaged in any line of work as a profession or business, or as a teacher of the same, are considered professional and are not eligible to exhibit for competition.
5. All entries must be original and must be entered under the name of the person who did the work.
6. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to disqualify ALL entries of any person interfering with the judges, clerks, or the placing of ribbons. Only staff will be allowed in the building during judging of non-perishables; or on the stage/backstage area before or during the perishable judging contests.
7. Premium checks will be distributed on pick-up day if possible; otherwise, they will be mailed to the address on file for the exhibitor. **Please make sure that the address, phone, & email information is filled out correctly** at the time of entry.
8. Refer to the Appalachian Fair General Rules and Regulations on pages 7-8 of this catalog for more information.
9. Items entered should be in NEW condition; made/created/completed within the last 12 months (unless otherwise stated in the item description); not soiled or damaged. **Exhibitors may enter only one article in each lot.** It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to properly select the correct lot for entry of your item. Items previously entered are not eligible for re-entry in any lot. Question? Call the office!
10. Items containing flammable liquids will not be accepted.
11. For Horticulture, Field Crops, & Floral exhibits all items must be grown by the exhibitor and produced in the current year.
12. Judges are instructed not to award premiums unless the items are deemed worthy of the award.
13. Items which cannot be appropriately displayed will not be accepted unless approved by the department manager. Maximum size may be limited to 60" in any direction.

HOW TO SUBMIT AN ONLINE ENTRY

1. Visit our website: www.appalachianfair.com
2. Go to the Department page and scroll down to select 'Submit On-line Entries Here'
3. Choose the type of entry you are submitting - Farm & Home, Livestock, or Youth
4. Log-in and create a username and password by following these steps:
 - a. Click the register button
 - b. Create your exhibitor ID or username – must be 6-20 characters
 - c. Create your password – must be 3-15 characters
 - d. Enter a security word to help you remember your log-in ID
 - e. Enter your name, address, phone number, & email address – please fill out everything! – then click the register button.
5. Submit your entries
6. Click 'Add New Exhibit' link
7. Choose the department you are entering and then the class.
8. For Livestock entries, you will be asked to enter additional information about your entries such as breed, birthdate, animal name, registration number, etc. For other types of entries, simply choose the lot that you are entering.
9. You will be asked to confirm that your entry is correct
10. You can then submit any additional entries. A list of your entries will be displayed.
11. Once all of your entries have been submitted, click on the 'checkout' link.
12. If an entry fee is required – Livestock entry fees – you will receive an online payable invoice after your entries have been accepted. Livestock exhibitors may request to purchase exhibitor passes as well.
13. You will get an email confirming the receipt of your entries withing 48 hours. If you have any remaining questions or issues, please contact the Appalachian Fair office at 423.477.3211.

Department 310: Animal Products

Perishable Drop-off Item: August 16 from 12noon-5pm
 Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm
 Premiums offered: \$233

Department 310: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. Animal Products entries must have been made/produced by the exhibitor.
2. Eggs should be clean and fresh on entry day and should be displayed in a container that will keep the eggs safe. All exhibitors must submit a half (6) dozen eggs for judging purposes.
3. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.

Class A – Eggs

Premiums:
\$10 \$8 \$5

- Lot 01 White Chicken Eggs (6)
- Lot 02 Brown Chicken Eggs (6)
- Lot 03 Other Color Chicken Eggs (6)
- Lot 04 Any Color Chicken Eggs (6) / Youth (2-13)
- Lot 05 Eggs / Other than Chicken

Class C – Miscellaneous Animal Products

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Goat Milk Soap
- Lot 02 Any handmade Leather item
- Lot 03 Any handmade Wool product
- Lot 04 Any other non-edible Animal Product

Class B – Meats

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Canned Chicken
- Lot 02 Canned Sausage
- Lot 03 Canned Beef
- Lot 04 Canned Pork
- Lot 05 Any other Canned Meat not listed
- Lot 06 Meat Jerky / Dried
- Lot 07 Any other Preserved Meat Product



Department 315: Bees & Honey

Perishable Drop-off Item: August 16 from 12noon-5pm
 Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm
 Premiums offered: \$330

Department 315: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. Extracted honey will be accepted in regulation one pound ‘Queenline’ jars. Comb honey will be accepted in a pint-size wide-mouth canning jar. All jars must be unlabeled. Frames of honey should be packed in a sanitary, bee-proof container. Leaking frames of honey will be disqualified.
2. Honey must come from your aviary between September 2024 to present.
3. Observation hives must have screen wire over the air vents mounted on the inside of the hive.
4. No more than 2 people will be allowed to assist the judges with their hives.
5. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
6. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Class A – Honey

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Extra White Extracted Honey
- Lot 02 White Extracted Honey
- Lot 03 Light Amber Extracted Honey ♦
- Lot 04 Dark Amber Extracted Honey ♦
- Lot 05 Amber Extracted Honey
- Lot 06 Dark Extracted Honey
- Lot 07 Creamed Extracted Honey
- Lot 08 Comb Honey / Any Color
- Lot 09 Small Frame Dark Honey
- Lot 10 Small Frame Light Honey
- Lot 11 Medium Frame Dark Honey
- Lot 12 Medium Frame Light Honey
- Lot 13 Large Frame Honey / Any Color



Class B – Beeswax & Honey Products

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Beeswax / 1lb or more ♦
- Lot 02 Candles ♦
- Lot 03 Lip Balm ♦
- Lot 04 Lotions & Creams ♦
- Lot 05 Honey Meade
- Lot 06 Any other item made from Beeswax ♦
- Lot 07 Any other item made from Honey

****BEST OF SHOW Classes: A & B
 Rosette & \$20**

Class C – Bees

Premiums:
\$35 \$20 \$15

- Lot 01 Exhibit of Bees with marked Queen



Department 320: Field Crops

Perishable Drop-off Item: August 16 from 12noon-5pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$395

Department 320: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All products **MUST** be grown by the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Product items should be displayed on a white paper plate. Name and address may be written on the bottom of the plate to help with identification.
3. **Class E:** Use your imagination to decorate an ear of corn or a family of corn. Go crazy and use anything you like: glitter, fabric, tree limbs, flowers, etc. Limit of 5 ears may be used in each entry.
4. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.

Class A – Hay

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Alfalfa
- Lot 02 Red Clover or Lespedeza
- Lot 03 Mixed Grass & Clover
- Lot 04 Mixed Grass
- Lot 05 Timothy Grass
- Lot 06 Orchard Grass
- Lot 07 Oat
- Lot 08 Wheat/Rye Grass
- Lot 09 Fescue
- Lot 10 Any other Grass not listed

Class C – Stalks

Premiums:
\$6 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Green Tobacco (3 stalks)
- Lot 02 Corn Silage (3 stalks)
- Lot 03 Sorghum Cane (5 stalks)
- Lot 04 Any other stalk item

Class D – Miscellaneous Field Crops

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Grain Bundle (2 ½" diameter)
- Lot 02 Grass Seeds (pint jar)
- Lot 03 Walnuts (10)
- Lot 04 Any other Miscellaneous Field Crop

Class B – Corn (3 ears)

Premiums:
\$6 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Corn, Dry White
- Lot 02 Corn, Dry Yellow
- Lot 03 Corn, Ornamental
- Lot 04 Corn, Broom
- Lot 05 Popcorn, White
- Lot 06 Popcorn, Red
- Lot 07 Popcorn, Yellow
- Lot 08 Any other Corn



Class E – Corn Decorating Contest

Premiums:
\$15 \$10 \$8

- Lot 01 Exhibitors Ages 10 and younger
- Lot 02 Exhibitors Ages 11-15
- Lot 03 Exhibitors Ages 16 and older



Department 325: Horticulture

Perishable Drop-off Item: August 16 from 12noon-5pm
 Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm
 Premiums offered: \$1,257

Department 325: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All products **MUST** be grown by the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Produce items should be displayed on a white paper plate. Name and address may be written on the bottom of the plate to help with identification.
3. Judging is based on the following: required quantity for exhibit; cleanliness and disease/blemish free; uniformity in size, shape, and color; maturity level; variety characteristics.
4. Quantity needed for exhibit will be designated in (parenthesis) beside each item.
5. **Class E:** See how creative you can be! The sky is the limit. Do not cut or damage the pumpkin or gourd. No size restrictions on any entry. You may use any decorating medium: fabric, beads, glitter, fruit, veggies, etc. Your item must be ready to display when it is brought to the fair.
6. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
7. ♦Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Class A – Fruits & Melons

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Apples (3)
- Lot 02 Berry / Any variety (10)
- Lot 03 Cantaloupe (1)
- Lot 04 Cherries (10)
- Lot 05 Figs, Plums (3)
- Lot 06 Grapes, Concord (1 bunch)
- Lot 07 Grapes, White (1 bunch)
- Lot 08 Grapes, Muscadine (1 bunch)
- Lot 09 Grapes, Any other variety (1 bunch)
- Lot 10 Any other Melon (1)
- Lot 11 Peach, Apricot, Nectarine (3)
- Lot 12 Pears (3)
- Lot 13 Watermelon (1)
- Lot 14 Watermelon, Icebox (1)
- Lot 15 Any other Fruit (3-10)

Class B – Best of Harvest

Premiums:
\$15 \$12 \$10

- Lot 01 Farm Basket Exhibit:
 12 or more Fruits & Vegetables
- Lot 02 Novelty Vegetable Exhibit:
 4 or more Vegetables
- Lot 03 Heirloom or Native Vegetables or Fruits:
 7 or more
- Lot 04 Fair Basket: 7 or more Fruits or Vegetables
 promoting the 2025 fair theme



Class C – Novelty Class

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Largest Gourd ♦
- Lot 02 Longest Handled Gourd ♦
- Lot 03 Most Artistic Gourd ♦
- Lot 04 Ornamental Gourd (3-small) ♦
- Lot 05 Ornamental Gourd (1-large) ♦
- Lot 06 Largest Dried Gourd ♦
- Lot 07 Dried Artistic Designed Gourd, any size ♦
- Lot 08 Most unusual Vegetable (1-3)
- Lot 09 Largest Squash or Zucchini
- Lot 10 Best Formed Sunflower
- Lot 11 Largest Sunflower
- Lot 12 Largest Tomato
- Lot 13 Largest Watermelon
- Lot 14 Longest Watermelon
- Lot 15 Largest Pumpkin
- Lot 16 Best Formed Pumpkin
- Lot 17 Novelty Field Display (5 or more collection)



Class D – Vegetables

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Asparagus (6 stalks)
- Lot 02 Beans, Green Pole (8)
- Lot 03 Beans, Shelly (8)
- Lot 04 Beans, Tender October (8)
- Lot 05 Beans, Bunch (8)
- Lot 06 Beans, Wax (8)
- Lot 07 Beans, Lima (8)
- Lot 08 Beets (4)
- Lot 09 Cabbage, Green (1)
- Lot 10 Cabbage, Red (1)
- Lot 11 Carrots (4)
- Lot 12 Corn, White (3 shucked)
- Lot 13 Corn, Yellow (3 shucked)
- Lot 14 Cucumber, English (1)
- Lot 15 Cucumber, Pickling (3)
- Lot 16 Cucumber, Slicing (3)

- Lot 17 Eggplant (1)
- Lot 18 Garlic (3)
- Lot 19 Okra, Green (5)
- Lot 20 Okra, Red (4)
- Lot 21 Onions, Green (3)
- Lot 22 Onions, Red (3)
- Lot 23 Onions, White (3)
- Lot 24 Onions, Yellow (3)
- Lot 25 Peas, Purple Hull (10)
- Lot 26 Peas, all other Field (10)
- Lot 27 Pepper, Cayenne (3)
- Lot 28 Pepper, Banana (3)
- Lot 29 Pepper, Green Bell (3)
- Lot 30 Pepper, Red Bell (3)
- Lot 31 Pepper, Yellow Bell (3)
- Lot 32 Pepper, Habanero (3)
- Lot 33 Pepper, Jalapeno (3)
- Lot 34 Pepper, Red Hot (3)
- Lot 35 Pepper, Green Hot (3)
- Lot 36 Pepper, Yellow/Orange Hot (3)
- Lot 37 Pepper, Pimento (3)
- Lot 38 Pepper, Sweet Green (3)
- Lot 39 Pepper, Sweet Red (3)
- Lot 40 Potato, Boone (3)
- Lot 41 Potato, Irish Cobbler (3)
- Lot 42 Potato, Kennebec (3)
- Lot 43 Potato, Red Triumph or Red Bliss (3)
- Lot 44 Potato, any other (3)
- Lot 45 Potato, Sweet (3)
- Lot 46 Potato, White Sweet (3)
- Lot 47 Potato, any other Sweet (3)

- Lot 48 Radish (6)
- Lot 49 Rhubarb (3 stalks)
- Lot 50 Squash, Acorn (3)
- Lot 51 Squash, Butternut (3)
- Lot 52 Squash, Spaghetti (1)
- Lot 53 Squash, Summer (3)
- Lot 54 Squash, Zucchini (3)
- Lot 55 Tomato, Cherry (10)
- Lot 56 Tomato, Grape, Pear, or other less than 2",
Pink (10)
- Lot 57 Tomato, Grape, Pear, or other less than 2",
Yellow (10)
- Lot 58 Tomato, Grape, Pear, or other less than 2",
Orange (10)
- Lot 59 Tomato, Grape, Pear, or other less than 2",
Stripped (10)
- Lot 60 Tomato, Green (3)
- Lot 61 Tomato, Heirloom (3)
- Lot 62 Tomato, Orange (3)
- Lot 63 Tomato, Red (3)
- Lot 64 Tomato, Roma (3)
- Lot 65 Tomato, Tommy Toe (10)
- Lot 66 Tomato, Yellow (3)
- Lot 67 Tomato, any other (3 or 10)
- Lot 68 Turnips (3)
- Lot 69 Any other Vegetable not listed

****BEST of SHOW Department 325
Rosette**



Class E – Pumpkin & Gourd Decorating Contest

		Premiums:		
		\$15	\$10	\$8
Lot 01	Pumpkin & Gourd Decorating: Exhibitors 10 and younger ♦			
Lot 02	Pumpkin & Gourd Decorating: Exhibitors 11-15 ♦			
Lot 03	Pumpkin & Gourd Decorating: Exhibitors 16 and older ♦			

Department 330: Flowers & Houseplants

Perishable Drop-off Item, Classes A, B, K, L, M, N, & O: August 16 from 12noon-5pm

Drop-off Item, Classes C, D, E, F, G, H, I, & J: Wednesday, Aug 20 from 9am-12Noon

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$1,491

Department 330: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All products **MUST** be grown by the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Flowers must be arranged and ready for display when they are brought to the fair. Unusual plants or specimens should be identified.
3. All containers must have the name of the exhibitor on masking tape on the bottom of the container.
4. Unless otherwise specified, only fresh and dried plant materials may be used. Fresh material should not be dyed or treated by the application of any substance, including plant shine. Dried materials may be treated to change texture or color. Accessories are allowed if they are not free-standing.
5. Wilted arrangements will be removed from the exhibits.
6. All potted plants should show no evidence of recent repotting or being freshly dug. They must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least three (3) months prior to the competition.
7. Potted combinations and arrangement entries may include other accessories in their display.
8. **Class M:** All items must be in an individual container of choice with full recipe and instructions included.
9. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.



Class A – Potted Plant

One-plant in an 18” or smaller pot

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 African Violet
- Lot 02 Any Begonia
- Lot 03 Any Impatiens
- Lot 04 Caladium
- Lot 05 Coleus
- Lot 06 Geranium
- Lot 07 Orchid
- Lot 08 Succulent
- Lot 09 Unusual Blooming Plant
- Lot 10 Any other Potted Single Plant

Class B – Non-Blooming Potted Plant

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Philodendron
- Lot 02 Wandering Jew
- Lot 03 Any other Vine not listed
- Lot 04 Asparagus Fern
- Lot 05 Boston Fern
- Lot 06 Any other Fern not listed
- Lot 07 Spider Plant
- Lot 08 Ivy Plant
- Lot 09 Shamrock
- Lot 10 Any other Non-Blooming plant

****BEST of SHOW Classes A & B:
Rosette & \$20**

Class C – Rose

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Climbing Rose (1 stem or spray)
- Lot 02 Floribunda Rose (1 stem or spray)
- Lot 03 Hybrid Tea Rose, Red (1 bloom)
- Lot 04 Hybrid Tea Rose, Pink (1 bloom)
- Lot 05 Hybrid Tea Rose, Yellow (1 bloom)
- Lot 06 Hybrid Tea Rose, White (1 bloom)
- Lot 07 Hybrid Tea Rose, Multi or mix (1 bloom)
- Lot 08 Miniature Rose (1 stem)
- Lot 09 Any other Rose (1 bloom or 1 stem)

****BEST of SHOW Class C:
Rosette & \$20**

Class D – Annual Grown for Bloom

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Begonia (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Cosmos (1 stem)
- Lot 03 Cockscomb, crested (1 stem)
- Lot 04 Cockscomb, plumed (1 stem)
- Lot 05 Geranium (1 stem)
- Lot 06 Impatiens (1 stem)
- Lot 07 Marigold, White (1 stem)
- Lot 08 Marigold, Yellow/Orange (1 stem)
- Lot 09 Marigold, Red/Bronze (1 stem)
- Lot 10 Mandevilla (1 stem)
- Lot 11 Petunia (1 stem)
- Lot 12 Salvia (1 stem)
- Lot 13 Snapdragon (1 stem)
- Lot 14 Sunflower, Red or Mexican (1 bloom)
- Lot 15 Sunflower, Pink or Orange (1 bloom)
- Lot 16 Sunflower, Multiple Stem/Branch (1 stem)
- Lot 17 Vinca (1 stem)
- Lot 18 Zinnia, Single (1 stem)
- Lot 19 Zinnia, Semi-double (1 stem)
- Lot 20 Zinnia, Double (1 stem)
- Lot 21 Zinnia, Cactus or Spider (1 stem)
- Lot 22 Any other Annual bloom (1 stem)

Class E – Annual Grown for Foliage

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Coleus (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Dusty Miller (1 stem)
- Lot 03 Any other Annual Foliage plant (1 stem)



Class F – Flower Grown from Bulb

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Dahlia, Cactus/Semi-Cactus (1 bloom)
- Lot 02 Dahlia, Pompom/Ball (1 bloom)
- Lot 03 Dahlia, Waterlily (1 bloom)
- Lot 04 Dahlia, Anemone/Collarette (1 bloom)
- Lot 05 Dahlia, Peony/Orchid (1 bloom)
- Lot 06 Dahlia, Single (1 bloom)
- Lot 07 Dahlia, 7" & under (1 bloom)
- Lot 08 Dahlia, 8" & over/Dinnerplate (1 bloom)
- Lot 09 Daylily (1 stem)
- Lot 10 Gladiola (1 stem)
- Lot 11 Oriental Lily (1 stem)
- Lot 12 Any other Flower Grown from Bulb

Class G – Foliage Grown from Bulb

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Caladium (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Elephant Ear (1 stem)
- Lot 03 Hosta (1 leaf)
- Lot 04 Any other Foliage Grown from Bulb

Class H – Herb

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Basil, Green (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Basil, Purple (1 stem)
- Lot 03 Calendula (1 stem)
- Lot 04 Chamomile (1 stem)
- Lot 05 Chive (1-3 stems)
- Lot 06 Cilantro (1 stem)
- Lot 07 Dill (1 stem)
- Lot 08 Echinacea (1 stem)
- Lot 09 Lavender (1 stem)
- Lot 10 Mint (1 stem)
- Lot 11 Oregano (1 stem)
- Lot 12 Parsley (1 stem)
- Lot 13 Rosemary (1 stem)
- Lot 14 Sage (1 stem)
- Lot 15 Sage, Pineapple (1 stem)
- Lot 16 Any other Herb (1 stem)



Class I – Perennial Grown for Bloom

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Aster (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Clematis (1 bloom)
- Lot 03 Coneflower (1 stem)
- Lot 04 Gerbera Daisy (1 bloom)
- Lot 05 Hydrangea (1 bloom)
- Lot 06 Rudbeckia, Black-eyed Susan (1 stem)
- Lot 07 Verbena (1 stem)
- Lot 08 Any other Perennial Grown for Bloom

Class J – Perennial Grown for Foliage

Cut Specimen

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Ornamental Grass (1 stem)
- Lot 02 Fern (2 fronds)
- Lot 03 Sedum (1 stem)
- Lot 04 Vinca Major (1 stem)
- Lot 05 Vinca Minor (1 stem)
- Lot 06 Any other Perennial Grown for Foliage

****BEST of SHOW Classes D-J
Rosette & \$20**

Class K – Combination Planter

3 or more plants

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Grown for Bloom
- Lot 02 Grown for Foliage
- Lot 03 Indoor Dish Garden
- Lot 04 Outdoor Container
- Lot 05 Terrarium
- Lot 06 Collection of Herbs
- Lot 07 Salute to the Military
- Lot 08 Salute to the Appalachian Fair



Class L – Arrangements

Fresh-cut or Dried, NO Silk

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Arrangement in a Junk Container
- Lot 02 Arrangement in Red, White, & Blue
- Lot 03 Salute to the Appalachian Fair
- Lot 04 Arrangement using only Fresh Material
- Lot 05 Arrangement using only Dried Material
- Lot 06 Edible Arrangement using Fruits & Vegetables
- Lot 07 Miniature Arrangement / under 8"
- Lot 08 Holiday Arrangement

****BEST of SHOW Classes K & L
Rosette & \$20**

Class M – Plant-Based Products

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Lip Balm/Gloss
- Lot 02 Hand Cream/Balm
- Lot 03 Body Butter/Balm
- Lot 04 Soap (Bar or Liquid)
- Lot 05 Bath Salts or Bomb
- Lot 06 Healing Balm/Salve
- Lot 07 Any item not listed

**Class N – ‘Wheel on into the Fair’
Wheelbarrow Contest**

- Get your gardening gloves and that old or new wheelbarrow (any size) out! The wheelbarrow must be easy to move. New or old, any shape or size, as long as it is a wheelbarrow. Plant it with your favorite combination of live plants (at least 6) and throw in, if you wish, a few accessories (fairies, gloves, garden tools, etc.) and bring it to the fair on Saturday, August 17th between 12Noon and 5pm. Each wheelbarrow will be judged on the following: Arrangement, Use of Accessories, Colors & Adaptation of the Fair Theme, and Overall Appeal!

Premiums:
\$20 \$10 \$5

- Lot 01 Wheelbarrow decorating / ages 16 and older
- Lot 02 Wheelbarrow decorating / ages 11-15
- Lot 03 Wheelbarrow decorating / ages 10 and younger



**Class O – Youth – Zinnia
Competition**

Sponsored by the TN Extension Service –
Seeds supplied through the Extension Office.

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Best Zinnia, any color – Grades K-3rd
- Lot 02 Best Zinnia, any color – Grades 4th-6th
- Lot 03 Best Zinnia, any color – Grades 7th-9th



Department 340: Canning

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$980

Department 340: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All products **MUST** be prepared by the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. All Canned entries must be in standard canning jars, have standard canning lids & rings, and must be properly sealed. Exhibitor’s name and address must be on the bottom of the jar. Dried items may be in a zip-close 1-quart bag. The Appalachian Fair is not responsible for breakage, spoilage, or theft. All entries not claimed by the release date will become the property of the Appalachian Fair. **No decorated jars will be accepted.**
3. Scoring for Canned goods: product color, quality & uniformity of pieces – 60 points; liquid and pack clarity – 30 points; general appearance of exhibit and appearance of jar – 10 points.
4. Definitions:
 - a. Jam – A thick, cooked mixture of fruit, sugar, and pectin, usually containing pieces of fruit.
 - b. Preserve – A thick, cooked mixture of whole or cut-up fruit, sugar, and pectin, usually containing pieces of fruit and its seeds.
 - c. Jelly – A clear, cooked mixture of fruit juice, sugar, and usually pectin.
 - d. Marmalade – a jellied fruit preserve that contains pieces of rind, usually citrus fruit.
 - e. Butter – A thick, dark preserve made by slowly cooking fruit, sugar, spices, and cider together.
5. Scoring for Jam & Jelly: appearance, natural color of fruit, clean sparkling, transparent, free from sediment – 50 points; consistency, firm enough to hold shape, yet tender and quivery – 40 points; containers – 10 points.
6. Classes B, C, & D should be presented in a pint or jelly-size glass jar. All other classes will be accepted in either a quart or a pint-size glass jar.
7. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 6-8.

Class A – Fruits

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Apples
- Lot 02 Applesauce
- Lot 03 Blackberries
- Lot 04 Blueberries
- Lot 05 Cherries
- Lot 06 Grapes
- Lot 07 Peaches
- Lot 08 Pears
- Lot 09 Any other Unusual Fruit
- Lot 10 Pie Filling, any Fruit

Class B – Fruit Butters

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Apple Butter
- Lot 02 Peach Butter
- Lot 03 Plum Butter
- Lot 04 Any other Fruit Butter

Class C – Jams, Marmalade, Preserves, etc.

- Lot 01 Blackberry
- Lot 02 Blueberry
- Lot 03 Cherry
- Lot 04 Grape
- Lot 05 Peach
- Lot 06 Pear
- Lot 07 Plum
- Lot 08 Raspberry
- Lot 09 Strawberry
- Lot 10 Marmalade, any variety
- Lot 11 Any other Jam or Preserve

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 05 Chutney
- Lot 06 Dill Pickles
- Lot 07 Fruit Pickles
- Lot 08 Okra, Pickled
- Lot 09 Onions, Pickled
- Lot 10 Peppers, Pickled
- Lot 11 Sour Pickles
- Lot 12 Squash Pickles
- Lot 13 Sweet Pickles
- Lot 14 Zucchini Pickles
- Lot 15 Any other Pickled Item

Class G – Relishes

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Corn Relish
- Lot 02 Cucumber/Pickle Relish
- Lot 03 Pepper Relish
- Lot 04 Any other Relish

Class D – Jellies

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Apple
- Lot 02 Blackberry
- Lot 03 Blueberry
- Lot 04 Fruit Combinations
- Lot 05 Grape
- Lot 06 Peach
- Lot 07 Pepper
- Lot 08 Pepper, with Fruit added
- Lot 09 Plum
- Lot 10 Raspberry
- Lot 11 Strawberry
- Lot 12 Any other Jelly

Class H – Sauces, Condiments & Vinegars

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Salsa, Red
- Lot 02 Salsa, Green
- Lot 03 Tomato Sauce
- Lot 04 Hot Sauce
- Lot 05 Any other Sauce not listed
- Lot 06 Any Condiment
- Lot 07 Vinegar, Homemade

Class E – Juices

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Apple
- Lot 02 Grape
- Lot 03 Most Unusual Juice
- Lot 04 Tomato
- Lot 05 Any other Juice not listed

Class I – Vegetables

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Beets, not pickled
- Lot 02 Carrots
- Lot 03 Corn or Hominy
- Lot 04 Green Beans, cut or broken
- Lot 05 Green Beans, French style
- Lot 06 Green Beans, whole
- Lot 07 Green Beans, with Shellies
- Lot 08 Okra, not pickled
- Lot 09 Peas
- Lot 10 Peppers, Hot
- Lot 11 Peppers, Sweet
- Lot 12 Soup Mixture
- Lot 13 Tomatoes
- Lot 14 Any other Vegetable not listed

Class F – Pickles

**Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2**

- Lot 01 Beans, Pickled
- Lot 02 Beets, Pickled
- Lot 03 Bread & Butter Pickles
- Lot 04 Chow-Chow

Class J – Dried Items

(Other than meat)

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Apples
- Lot 02 Bananas
- Lot 03 Any other Dried Fruit
- Lot 04 Dried Trail Mix
- Lot 05 Basil
- Lot 06 Mint
- Lot 07 Oregano
- Lot 08 Thyme
- Lot 09 Any other Dried Herb
- Lot 10 Any Freeze-Dried Item
- Lot 11 Any Dried Vegetable

Class K – Canning Displays

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Best 5 Jars of Fruit Items
- Lot 02 Best 5 Jars of Pickled Items
- Lot 03 Best 5 Jars of Vegetable Items
- Lot 04 Best 5 Jars - Mixed
- Lot 05 Best 3 Dried Items – Herbs, Fruits, or Vegetables



Department 345: Culinary Arts

Perishable Drop-off Item: See Times under each Lot

Premium Check, Ribbons, & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$3,223

Department 345: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All products **MUST** be prepared by the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. If feasible, samples of the winning exhibits will be displayed. All entries must include the complete recipe on plain white paper, typed or printed, with the exhibitor's name, address, email address, phone number, and age (if a youth), on the back. Non-winning entries may be picked up after the judging period. Recipes become the property of the Appalachian Fair. The fair reserves the right to publish winning recipes in an award-winning cookbook.
3. **Breads:** Entries will consist of one (1) loaf or three (3) pieces. Exhibits should be presented on a 10" white disposable plate and covered with plastic wrap.
4. **Candy:** Entries will consist of three (3) pieces. Exhibits should be presented on 6" white disposable plate and covered with plastic wrap.
5. **Cookies:** Entries will consist of three (3) pieces. Exhibits should be presented on a 6" white disposable plate and covered with plastic wrap.
6. **Cakes:** Entries will consist of one (1) whole cake or three (3) cupcakes. Cakes should be displayed on cardboard, bakers' disk, or disposable plate.
7. **Pies:** Entries will consist of one (1) whole pie. Pies must have a homemade crust and use no packaged pie fillings or puddings.
8. **Comfort Foods:** Entries should be large enough to serve two (2) or more people. Container and presentation will be considered in judging. Dishes may be claimed between 4-8pm on August 19.
9. **Salads:** Entries should be large enough to serve two (2) or more people. Container & presentation will be considered in the judging. Dishes may be claimed between 4-8pm on August 19.
10. **'Taste of Tennessee' Competition:** Products used must be locally grown, manufactured and/or sourced in Tennessee. Visit picktnproducts.org for a plethora of info, resources, and places to find all the fabulous things Tennessee has to offer. Dishes may be claimed between 4-8pm, August 23.
11. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.



Class A – Breads

Drop-off day: August 16 from 12Noon-5pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of one (1) loaf or three (3) pieces, as specified. Items should be displayed on a 9-10" white disposable plate covered in plastic wrap.

Premiums:
\$8 \$6 \$4

- Lot 01 Biscuits (3)
- Lot 02 Cornbread (1 pan)
- Lot 03 Gluten-free Bread (whole loaf)
- Lot 04 Muffins, Fruit added/flavored (3)
- Lot 05 Muffins, Sweet (3)
- Lot 06 Muffins, Healthy/Energy (3)

- Lot 07 Muffins, any other (3)
- Lot 08 Quick Bread, Fruit added/flavored (whole loaf)
- Lot 09 Quick Bread, Sweet (whole loaf)
- Lot 10 Quick Bread, any other (whole loaf)
- Lot 11 Sourdough Bread (whole loaf)
- Lot 12 Yeast Loaf (whole loaf)
- Lot 13 Yeast Rolls (3)
- Lot 14 Any Gluten-free Bread (whole loaf or 3)
- Lot 15 Any other Bread (whole loaf or 3)

MASTER BREAD BAKER
Rosette & \$25

Class B – Candy

Drop-off day: August 16 from 12Noon-5pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of three (3) pieces. Items should be displayed on a 6" white disposable plate covered in plastic wrap.

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Fudge, Chocolate – Plain (3)
- Lot 02 Fudge, Chocolate – Mixed (3)
- Lot 03 Fudge, Peanut Butter (3)
- Lot 04 Fudge, any fruit flavor (3)
- Lot 05 Fudge, Boutique; Rocky Road, Turtle, Truffle, White Chocolate, etc. (3)
- Lot 06 Any Shaped or Dipped Candy; Peanut-Butter Balls, Mounds, Turtles, Almond Joys, etc. (3)
- Lot 07 Any Hard Candy (3)
- Lot 08 Any Party Mint (3)
- Lot 09 Any Bark; broken in pieces (3)
- Lot 10 Any other Candy not listed (3)

MASTER CANDY MAKER
Rosette & \$20

Class C – Cookies

Drop-off day: August 16 from 12Noon-5pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of three (3) pieces. Items should be displayed on a 6" white disposable plate covered in plastic wrap.

Premiums:
\$5 \$4 \$3

- Lot 01 Bar Cookies (3)
- Lot 02 Brownies (3)
- Lot 03 Chocolate Chip Cookies (3)
- Lot 04 Cookies with Fruit or Nuts (3)
- Lot 05 Healthy/Energy Cookies or Bars (3)
- Lot 06 Oatmeal Cookies (3)
- Lot 07 Peanut Butter Cookies (3)
- Lot 08 Pressed or Cake Mix Cookies (3)
- Lot 09 Other Rolled, Shaped, or Refrigerated Sliced Cookies, any flavor (3)
- Lot 10 Tea Cake Cookies (3)
- Lot 11 Any Gluten-free Cookie (3)
- Lot 12 Any other Cookies not listed (3)

MASTER COOKIE MAKER
Rosette & \$20

Class D – Cakes, Decorated

Drop-off day: August 18 from 1:30-4:30pm
 Judging: August 18 at 5:30pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of one (1) whole cake or three (3) cupcakes. Items should be displayed on cardboard, bakers' disk, or a disposable white plate.

- Lot 01 Decorated Cake Pops (3)
- Lot 02 Decorated Character Form
- Lot 03 Decorated Cupcakes (3)
- Lot 04 Decorated Layer Cake
- Lot 05 Decorated Sheet Cake
- Lot 06 Decorated Special Occasion Cake
- Lot 07 Decorated Wedding Cake

Premiums:
\$20 \$15 \$10

BEST of SHOW Decorated Cakes
Rosette & \$25

Class E – Cakes

Drop-off day: August 18 from 1:30-4:30pm
 Judging: August 18 at 5:30pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of one (1) whole cake or three (3) cupcakes. Items should be displayed on cardboard, bakers' disk, or a disposable white plate.

- Lot 05 Cupcakes, any flavor (3)
- Lot 06 Fruit-flavored or Fruit-added Cake
- Lot 07 Glazed Cake
- Lot 08 Holiday Cake (family favorite or holiday themed)
- Lot 09 Pineapple Upside Down Cake
- Lot 10 Pound Cake
- Lot 11 Spice or Carrot Cake
- Lot 12 White Cake, layered & iced
- Lot 13 Creative Mix Tricks Cake, layered & iced
- Lot 14 Creative Mix Tricks Cupcakes (3)
- Lot 15 Creative Mix Tricks, Combo or Bundt
- Lot 16 Any Gluten-free Cake or Cupcake
- Lot 17 Any other Cake not listed
- Lot 18 Any other Cupcake not listed (3)

Premiums:
\$20 \$15 \$10

- Lot 01 Cake Pops, any flavor (3)
- Lot 02 Cheesecake
- Lot 03 Chocolate Cake, layered & iced
- Lot 04 Coconut Cake, layered & iced

MASTER CAKE BAKER
Rosette & \$25



Class F – Pies & Cobblers

**Premiums:
\$15 \$10 \$8**

Drop-off day: August 22 from 1:30-4:30pm
Judging: August 22 at 5pm
Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should consist of one (1) whole pie. Pies must have a homemade crust and use no packaged pie fillings or puddings.

- Lot 01 Chess or Nut Pie, any
- Lot 02 Chocolate Pie, any
- Lot 03 Crème Pie, any
- Lot 04 Custard Pie, any
- Lot 05 Fried Pie, any
- Lot 06 Fruit Pie or Cobbler, any
- Lot 07 Pumpkin or Sweet Potato Pie, any
- Lot 08 Refrigerator Pie, any
- Lot 09 Savory Pie, any
- Lot 10 Any Gluten-free Pie
- Lot 11 Any other Pie not listed

***MASTER PIE BAKER*
Rosette & \$25**

Class G – Comfort Food

**Premiums:
\$10 \$8 \$5**

Drop-off day: August 19 from 1:30-4:30pm
Judging: August 19 at 5pm
Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should be large enough to serve two (2) or more people. Container and presentation will be considered in judging. Dishes may be claimed between 6-8pm after judging has been completed.

- Lot 01 Appetizer
- Lot 02 Burger or Sandwich
- Lot 03 Casserole
- Lot 04 Crockpot© Dish
- Lot 05 Pizza
- Lot 06 Any other Comfort Food not listed

***BEST of SHOW Comfort Food*
Rosette & \$15**



Class H – Salads

**Premiums:
\$10 \$8 \$5**

Drop-off day: August 19 from 1:30-4:30pm
 Judging: August 19 at 5pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

- Lot 01 Any Fruit Salad
- Lot 02 Any Meat Salad
- Lot 03 Any Pasta Salad
- Lot 04 Any Potato Salad
- Lot 05 Any Vegetable Salad
- Lot 06 Any other Salad not listed

*Exhibit should be large enough to serve two (2) or more people. Container and presentation will be considered in judging. Dishes may be claimed between 6-8pm after judging has been completed.

***BEST of SHOW Salad*
Rosette & \$15**

**Class I – “TASTE OF TENNESSEE” -
Pick Tennessee Products**

**Premiums:
\$10 \$8 \$5**

Drop-off day: August 23 from 9am-11am
 Judging: August 23 at 1pm
 Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

- Lot 01 Best Sweet Tea
- Lot 02 Any Dish made with Tennessee Country Ham
- Lot 03 Biscuit & Gravy;
Red Eye, Sausage, White, Brown, etc.
- Lot 04 Baked Beans
- Lot 05 Any Dish (Sweet or Savory) made with Home-Grown Tennessee Tomatoes – the TN State Fruit
- Lot 06 Any Dish (Sweet or Savory) made with Dr. Enuf©
- Lot 07 Stack Cake, any flavor
- Lot 08 Any Dessert that makes you think of a Moon Pie©

*Exhibit should include products that have been locally grown, manufactured, and/or sourced in Tennessee. Visit picktnproducts.org for a plethora of info, resources, and places to find all the fabulous things Tennessee has to offer. Dishes may be claimed between 4-8pm after judging has been completed.



Class J – Youth Chefs

Ages 17 & under

Drop-off day: August 23 from 9-11am

Judging: August 23 at 11:30am

Premium pick-up day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

*Exhibit should be large enough to serve two (2) or more people; or include the quantities required in the adult divisions. Container and presentation consideration will be the same as the adult divisions. Non-disposable dishes may be claimed between 4-8pm after judging has been completed.

***A minimum of three (3) Lots should be entered in this class to be eligible for the *Youth Master Cook* award.**

Premiums:
\$15 \$12 \$8

- Lot 01 Any Bread
- Lot 02 Any Cake
- Lot 03 Any Candy
- Lot 04 Any Cookie
- Lot 05 Any Main Dish
- Lot 06 Any Pie
- Lot 07 Any Salad
- Lot 08 Any Sandwich or Burger
- Lot 09 Any Side Dish Group (2)
- Lot 10 Any Gluten-free Dish
- Lot 11 Any other item not listed

***YOUTH MASTER COOK*
Rosette & \$25**



Department 350: Fine Arts

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$1,827

Department 350: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All exhibits **MUST** be the original work of the exhibitor and produced in the current year. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. All Oils, Acrylics, Watercolors, Drawings, & Mixed Media pieces must be framed and wired with no glass. All other items may be mounted on mat board.
3. All frames **MUST BE WIRED** adequately to support the item's weight and ready to be hung on pegboard hooks. Maximum size will be 48" in any direction.
4. Matted pieces may use an EYELET stick-on hanger, sturdy enough to withstand the heat and support the weight of the piece.
5. Only one item per lot may be entered. Items previously entered may not be re-submitted.
6. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any item deemed not suitable for public viewing; or disqualify any exhibitor that interferes with judging.
7. Items are judged by the quality of workmanship and originality of the design. Judges are not required to award all placings if items are not deemed worthy of the award.
8. Best of Show winners will be chosen from the 1st place winners in each lot.
9. All entries **not claimed** on the pick-up day, or claimed within 30 days, **will become the property of the Appalachian Fair Association.**
10. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
11. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Fine Arts PREMIUMS – Classes A-F:

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$16	\$12	\$8

Class A – Fine Art - Oil

- Lot 01 Landscape, Buildings ♦
- Lot 02 Still Life & Flowers ♦
- Lot 03 Portrait & Character Sketch ♦
- Lot 04 Domestic & Wildlife ♦
- Lot 05 Seascape, Marine, & Maritime ♦
- Lot 06 Abstract ♦
- Lot 07 Any other not listed ♦

Class B – Fine Art - Acrylic

- Lot 01 Landscape, Buildings ♦
- Lot 02 Still Life & Flowers ♦
- Lot 03 Portrait & Character Sketch ♦

- Lot 04 Domestic & Wildlife ♦
- Lot 05 Seascape, Marine, & Maritime ♦
- Lot 06 Abstract ♦
- Lot 07 Any other not listed ♦

Class C – Fine Art - Watercolor

- Lot 01 Landscape, Buildings
- Lot 02 Still Life & Flowers
- Lot 03 Portrait & Character Sketch
- Lot 04 Domestic & Wildlife
- Lot 05 Seascape, Marine, & Maritime
- Lot 06 Abstract
- Lot 07 Any other not listed

Class D – Fine Art – Drawings –
Ink, Pencil, Charcoal, or Pastels

- Lot 01 Landscape, Buildings ♦
- Lot 02 Still Life & Flowers ♦
- Lot 03 Portrait & Character Sketch ♦
- Lot 04 Domestic & Wildlife ♦
- Lot 05 Seascape, Marine, & Maritime ♦
- Lot 06 Abstract ♦
- Lot 07 Any other not listed ♦

Class E – Fine Art – Mixed Media –
2 or more mediums used

- Lot 01 Landscape, Buildings
- Lot 02 Still Life & Flowers
- Lot 03 Portrait & Character Sketch
- Lot 04 Domestic & Wildlife
- Lot 05 Seascape, Marine, & Maritime
- Lot 06 Abstract
- Lot 07 Any other not listed

Class F – Fine Art – Miscellaneous

- Lot 01 Any Coloring Page
- Lot 02 Any Digital Design piece ♦

***BEST of SHOW - Art*: Classes A-F**
Rosette & \$25

Fine Arts PREMIUMS – Classes G-J:

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
\$5	\$4	\$3	\$2	\$1

Class G – Youth
5 years & younger

- Lot 01 Any Oil
- Lot 02 Any Acrylic
- Lot 03 Any Watercolor ♦
- Lot 04 Any Pen & Ink or Pencil ♦
- Lot 05 Any Crayon Drawing ♦
- Lot 06 Any Coloring Page
- Lot 07 Any other Fine Art piece

Class H – Youth
6-8 years old

- Lot 01 Any Oil
- Lot 02 Any Acrylic
- Lot 03 Any Watercolor ♦
- Lot 04 Any Pen & Ink or Pencil ♦
- Lot 05 Any Crayon Drawing ♦
- Lot 06 Any Coloring Page
- Lot 07 Any other Fine Art piece

***BEST of SHOW - Art*: Classes G-H**
Rosette & \$25

Class I – Youth
9-12 years old

- Lot 01 Any Oil
- Lot 02 Any Acrylic
- Lot 03 Any Watercolor ♦
- Lot 04 Any Pen & Ink or Pencil ♦
- Lot 05 Any Crayon Drawing ♦
- Lot 06 Any Coloring Page
- Lot 07 Any other Fine Art piece

Class J – Youth
13-18 years old

- Lot 01 Any Oil
- Lot 02 Any Acrylic
- Lot 03 Any Watercolor ♦
- Lot 04 Any Pen & Ink or Pencil ♦
- Lot 05 Any Crayon Drawing ♦
- Lot 06 Any Coloring Page
- Lot 07 Any other Fine Art piece

***BEST of SHOW - Art*: Classes I-J**
Rosette & \$25



Department 355: Photography

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$722

Department 355: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All exhibits **MUST** be the original work of the exhibitor and produced in the last 12 months. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Photography is open to exhibitors of all ages.
3. Competition is reserved for amateur photographers **ONLY!**
4. All exhibitors are limited to a **total of 15 entries** in this department with only **one entry per lot**.
5. Lot 1 – Action: photo should clearly depict movement or movement that has been arrested in an interesting way.
6. Lot 11 – Smartphone Photo: must have been taken with a smartphone.
7. Lot 15 – Sequential Photo Series: should include 4-12 photos taken in immediate sequence to tell a story, action, etc.
8. Lot 18 – Still Life: Photo should depict a group of items.
9. All entries must be matted on an 11”x14” white mat **ONLY**; with a print size of 8”x10” ; no frames or glass will be accepted. Lot 12 entries will be limited to a size of 6”x20”.
10. Name, address, and phone number must be on the back of each item at drop-off.
11. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any item deemed not suitable for public display.
12. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
13. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Photography PREMIUMS:

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$8	\$5	\$3



Class A – Black & White

- Lot 01 Action – depicts movement ♦
- Lot 02 Agriculture ♦
- Lot 03 Animal – pets, farm, wildlife ♦
- Lot 04 Architecture ♦
- Lot 05 Close-up & Macro ♦
- Lot 06 Collage/Montage
- Lot 07 Computer Imaging/Special Effects ♦
- Lot 08 Flowers, Plants ♦
- Lot 09 Landscape ♦
- Lot 10 People, Portrait ♦
- Lot 11 Smartphone Photo ♦
- Lot 12 Panoramic ♦
- Lot 13 ‘Appy’ Fair Theme ♦
- Lot 14 ‘Appalachian Highlands’ subject ♦
- Lot 15 Sequential Photo Series
- Lot 16 Skyscape – the sky is the focus ♦
- Lot 17 Sports ♦
- Lot 18 Still Life ♦
- Lot 19 Sunrise/Sunset ♦
- Lot 20 Waterscape / Water focus ♦
- Lot 21 Any other not listed

Class B – Color

- Lot 01 Action – depicts movement ♦
- Lot 02 Agriculture ♦
- Lot 03 Animal – pets, farm, wildlife ♦
- Lot 04 Architecture ♦
- Lot 05 Close-up & Macro ♦
- Lot 06 Collage/Montage
- Lot 07 Computer Imaging/Special Effects ♦
- Lot 08 Flowers, Plants ♦
- Lot 09 Landscape ♦
- Lot 10 People, Portrait ♦
- Lot 11 Smartphone Photo ♦
- Lot 12 Panoramic ♦
- Lot 13 ‘Appy’ Fair Theme ♦
- Lot 14 ‘Appalachian Highlands’ subject ♦
- Lot 15 Sequential Photo Series
- Lot 16 Skyscape – the sky is the focus ♦
- Lot 17 Sports ♦
- Lot 18 Still Life ♦
- Lot 19 Sunrise/Sunset ♦
- Lot 20 Waterscape / Water focus ♦
- Lot 21 Any other not listed

***BEST of SHOW – Photography / B&W*:
Rosette & \$25**



***BEST of SHOW – Photography / Color*:
Rosette & \$25**



Department 360: Recycling

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$385

Department 360: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All exhibits **MUST** be the original work of the exhibitor and produced in the last 12 months. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Only new and reclaimed clothing items that have been transformed into something entirely different from their original purpose will be accepted.
3. Any previously purchased items must be completely transformed into another item to be eligible for this category.
4. All entries in this category must be 90% recycled, reclaimed, or upcycled.
5. AICF = Any Item Created From
6. Lot 09 – Recycled Yard/Garden Art: Two- or three-dimensional art and kinetic sculptures will be accepted. All work must stand alone and be ready for installation including display bases and/or mounts as required for each piece. Entries must be easily moved by one person and weigh no more than 40lbs.
7. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any item deemed not suitable for public display.
8. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
9. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Recycling PREMIUMS:

<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
\$15	\$10	\$5

Class A – Recycling

- Lot 01 AICF reclaimed wood
- Lot 02 AICF paper (newspaper, old cards, cardboard, etc.)
- Lot 03 AICF plastics (milk jugs, drink bottles, plastic bags, trash bags, etc.)
- Lot 04 AICF aluminum (cans, bottle caps, etc.)
- Lot 05 AICF metal and wire (electrical wire, metal clothes hangers, wire, etc.)
- Lot 06 Home Décor created from old or upcycled clothing
- Lot 07 Wearable Clothing (repurposed or restyled)
- Lot 08 AICF old tire (flowerpot, yard art, etc.)
- Lot 09 Recycled Yard/Garden Art (see above rule 6) ♦
- Lot 10 Painted or decorated litter container, any size – 13 years & over
- Lot 11 Painted or decorated litter container, any size – 12 years & under
- Lot 12 Any recycled, reclaimed, or upcycled item – 12 years & under
- Lot 13 Any other Recycled Item not listed

***BEST of SHOW – Recycling*:
Rosette & \$25**

Department 370: Hobbies, Crafts, & Collectibles

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$2,147

Department 370: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All exhibits **MUST** be the original work of the exhibitor; not ‘purchased’ for the sole purpose of exhibiting at the fair; and should have been produced in the last 12 months. Please select the appropriate lot for your entry.
2. Only new, clean items will be accepted. Soiled or damaged items will not be judged.
3. Entries may not have been exhibited at the Appalachian Fair in the past.
4. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any item deemed not suitable for public display.
5. Birdhouses may be entered in Class B, only.
6. All exhibits that have been created to be ‘hung’ should be able to hang on pegboard displays.
7. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
8. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Class A – Wooden Crafts

	Premiums:
Lot 01 Hand-Tooled Wood Carving ♦	\$8 \$6 \$4
Lot 02 Wood Carving ♦	8 6 4
Lot 03 Wood Construction / Container ♦	8 6 4
Lot 04 Wood Toy, Animal, or Novelty ♦	8 6 4
Lot 05 Wood Turning ♦	8 6 4
Lot 06 Wooden Walking Staff or Cane ♦	8 6 4
Lot 07 Wooden Tree Ornament ♦	8 6 4
Lot 08 Wooden Furniture Item ♦	15 10 5
Lot 09 Any other Wooden item, under 12” ♦	8 6 4
Lot 10 Any other Wooden item, 12” & over ♦	8 6 4
Lot 11 Wooden Dollhouse ♦	15 10 5

****BEST of SHOW – Class A** ♦:**
Rosette & \$25

Class B – Creative Birdhouse Contest

	Premiums:
	\$25 \$15 \$10
Lot 01 Creative Birdhouse / Ages 18 & older	
Lot 02 Creative Birdhouse / Ages 13-17	
Lot 03 Creative Birdhouse / Ages 12 & younger	

Class C – Basketry

	Premiums:
	\$5 \$3 \$2
Lot 01 Egg Basket ♦	
Lot 02 Tray Basket ♦	
Lot 03 Breadbasket - Small / 16” diameter or smaller ♦	
Lot 04 Breadbasket - Large / 17” diameter or larger ♦	
Lot 05 Small Basket / 12” diameter or smaller ♦	
Lot 06 Medium Basket / 13”-20” ♦	
Lot 07 Large Basket / 21” diameter or larger ♦	
Lot 08 Any other Basket item ♦	

****BEST of SHOW Class C** ♦:**
Rosette & \$25



Class D – Tole & Decorative Painting

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Painted Wooden item
 - Lot 02 Painted Tin item
 - Lot 03 Fruit, Vegetable, Flower, or Plant Painting
 - Lot 04 Painted Holiday item
 - Lot 05 Animal Painting
 - Lot 06 People Painting
 - Lot 07 Fabric Painting
 - Lot 08 Any other Tole & Decorative Painting item not listed
 - Lot 09 Painted Rock, under 3"
 - Lot 10 Painted Rock, 3" to 6"
 - Lot 11 Painted Rock, over 6"
 - Lot 12 Painted Rock, ages 2-8
 - Lot 13 Painted Rock, ages 9-16
 - Lot 14 Painted Rock, Fair themed
 - Lot 15 Painted Rock, Collection of 4 or more
- **BEST of SHOW Class D**:**
Rosette & \$25

Class E – Ceramics & Stained Glass

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Stained Ceramic item
- Lot 02 Glazed Ceramic item
- Lot 03 Ceramic Tree Ornament
- Lot 04 Any other Ceramic Holiday item
- Lot 05 Any other Ceramic item not listed
- Lot 06 Stained Glass – Small / 12" & smaller ♦
- Lot 07 Stained Glass – Medium / 13" – 21" ♦
- Lot 08 Stained Glass – Large / 22" & larger ♦

Class F – Jewelry

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Jewelry made from Fabric
- Lot 02 Rhinestone Jewelry
- Lot 03 Beaded Jewelry
- Lot 04 Wire Wrap or Silversmith piece
- Lot 05 Mixed Media piece
- Lot 06 Any other Jewelry item not listed

Class G – Wearable Accessories

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Ribbon Hair Accessory
- Lot 02 Fabric, Yarn, or other Fiber Hair Accessory
- Lot 03 Hair Fascinator with Feathers, Stones, or any other non-traditional items
- Lot 04 Belt
- Lot 05 Purse under 18" & smaller
- Lot 06 Purse or Tote 18" & larger
- Lot 07 Any other Wearable Accessory item

Class H – Paper Crafts

Scrapbook, Cards, & Stationary

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Handmade Birthday page
- Lot 02 Handmade Wedding/Anniversary page
- Lot 03 Handmade Family page
- Lot 04 Handmade Vacation page
- Lot 05 Handmade Pet page
- Lot 06 Handmade Christmas page
- Lot 07 Handmade Easter page
- Lot 08 Handmade any other Holiday page
- Lot 09 Handmade any other page
- Lot 10 Handmade Birthday card
- Lot 11 Handmade Wedding/Anniversary card
- Lot 12 Handmade any Holiday card
- Lot 13 Handmade Specialty card
- Lot 14 Handmade any other card
- Lot 15 Holiday Digital page
- Lot 16 Birthday Digital page
- Lot 17 Wedding/Anniversary Digital page
- Lot 18 Any other Digital page
- Lot 19 Any full-size Scrapbook 12" or larger
- Lot 20 Any mini-size Scrapbook less than 12"
- Lot 21 Any Stationary set

****BEST of SHOW Class H**:**
Rosette & \$20



Class I - Wreaths

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Grapevine Wreath
- Lot 02 Fabric Wreath
- Lot 03 Fabric Holiday Wreath ♦
- Lot 04 All-natural Holiday Wreath ♦
- Lot 05 Easter Wreath ♦
- Lot 06 Halloween Wreath ♦
- Lot 07 Thanksgiving Wreath ♦
- Lot 08 Any other Holiday Wreath ♦
- Lot 09 Bought & Decorated Wreath
- Lot 10 Appy Fair Theme Wreath
- Lot 11 Any other Wreath



- Lot 23 Christmas Gift Wrap 5 3 2
- Lot 24 Any other Holiday Gift Wrap 5 3 2
- Lot 25 Any other Christmas Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 26 Any other Easter Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 27 Any Valentine Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 28 Any Patriotic Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 29 Any other Halloween Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 30 Any other Thanksgiving Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 31 Any other Holiday Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 32 Collection of Santas / 5 or more 15 10 5
- Lot 33 Any Decorated Tree / 4' or less 15 10 5

****BEST OF SHOW Classes J**:**
Rosette & \$20



Class J - Holiday Crafts

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Fabric Tree Ornament ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 02 Beaded Tree Ornament ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 03 Felt Tree Ornament ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 04 Plastic Canvas Tree Ornament ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 05 Any other Tree Ornament ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 06 Christmas Door Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 07 Easter Door Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 08 Halloween Door Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 09 Thanksgiving Door Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 10 Any other Holiday Door Decoration ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 11 Christmas Wall Hanging ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 12 Any other Holiday Wall Hanging ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 13 Handmade Nativity Scene ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 14 Any other Christmas Handmade Figurines ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 15 Any other Holiday Figurines ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 16 Christmas Centerpiece ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 17 Easter Centerpiece ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 18 Halloween Centerpiece ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 19 Thanksgiving Centerpiece ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 20 Any other Holiday Centerpiece ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 21 Christmas Mantle Décor ♦ 5 3 2
- Lot 22 Any other Holiday Mantle Décor ♦ 5 3 2

Class K - Miscellaneous Hobbies & Crafts

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Stained Glass Yard Art ♦
- Lot 02 Wood or Plastic Yard Art
- Lot 03 Metal or Wire Yard Art
- Lot 04 Diamond Dot Art / 12" & smaller
- Lot 05 Diamond Dot Art / 13" - 20"
- Lot 06 Diamond Dot Art / 21" & larger
- Lot 07 Any other Craft item not listed



Class L – Hobbies & Crafts Children

(ages 2-7)

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Any Clay item
- Lot 02 Any Wooden item
- Lot 03 Anything made with Rubber Bands
- Lot 04 Decorated Wreath
- Lot 05 Any Christmas item
- Lot 06 Any other Holiday item
- Lot 07 Diamond Dot Art
- Lot 08 Lego© Sculpture
- Lot 09 VBS or Camp craft item
- Lot 10 Friendship Bracelet
- Lot 11 Any Jewelry item
- Lot 12 Any Hair Accessory
- Lot 13 Any other item not listed

****BEST of SHOW Class L****
Rosette & \$20
Judges Choice - Class L
Rosette & \$10

Class M – Hobbies & Crafts Tweens

(ages 8-12)

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Any Clay item
- Lot 02 Any Wooden item
- Lot 03 Anything made with Rubber Bands
- Lot 04 Decorated Wreath
- Lot 05 Any Christmas item



- Lot 06 Any other Holiday item
- Lot 07 Diamond Dot Art
- Lot 08 Lego© Sculpture
- Lot 09 VBS or Camp craft item
- Lot 10 Friendship Bracelet
- Lot 11 Any Jewelry item
- Lot 12 Any Hair Accessory
- Lot 13 Any other item not listed

****BEST of SHOW Class M****
Rosette & \$20
Judges Choice - Class M
Rosette & \$10

Class N – Hobbies & Crafts Teens

(ages 13-17)

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Any Clay item
- Lot 02 Any Wooden item
- Lot 03 Anything made with Rubber Bands
- Lot 04 Decorated Wreath
- Lot 05 Any Christmas item
- Lot 06 Any other Holiday item
- Lot 07 Diamond Dot Art
- Lot 08 Friendship Bracelet
- Lot 09 Any Jewelry item
- Lot 10 Any Hair Accessory
- Lot 11 Any other item not listed

****BEST of SHOW Class N****
Rosette & \$20
Judges Choice - Class N
Rosette & \$10



Department 380: Textiles & Needlework

Non-Perishable Drop-off Item: August 9 from 11am-6pm

Premium & Item Pick-up Day: August 26 from 3pm-6pm

Premiums offered: \$2,612

Department 380: Exhibitor Rules & Information:

1. All exhibits **MUST** be strictly the handiwork of the exhibitor.
2. Only new, clean items will be accepted. Soiled or damaged items will not be judged.
3. Entries may not have been exhibited at the Appalachian Fair in the past.
4. Picture items should be framed with screw eyes and wire for hanging on pegboard.
5. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any item deemed not suitable for public display.
6. Judges' scorecard: Workmanship= 45%; Design= 40%; & Overall Appearance= 15%.
7. The Appalachian Fair does not assume responsibility for returning entries. Items left for more than 30 days will become the property of the Appalachian Fair.
8. Exhibitors are subject to all rules and health regulations of the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, and the Appalachian Fair as set forth in this catalog. See pages 7-9.
9. ♦ Items eligible for State Fair Competition – you will be notified if selected for state entry.

Class A – Garment Sewing

Premiums:
\$6 \$4 \$2

- Lot 01 Homemade Apron; any style – full or half
- Lot 02 Homemade Apron; Embellished – monogrammed, appliqued, painted, decorated, etc.
- Lot 03 Homemade Apron; Garden or Gathering Apron
- Lot 04 Homemade Apron; Grilling or 'Man in the Kitchen'
- Lot 05 Infant accessory (Bib, etc.)
- Lot 06 Costume or Uniform
- Lot 07 Child's Dress ♦
- Lot 08 Sewn Outfit ♦
- Lot 09 Any Heirloom Style Sewn Garment ♦
- Lot 10 Any other Sewn Wearable Item ♦

Class B – Non-Wearable Sewn Items

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Napkin Set (set of 4+) ♦
- Lot 02 Tablecloth, Runner, or Table Topper ♦
- Lot 03 Pillowcases or Shams (set of 2) ♦
- Lot 04 Placemats (set of 2+) ♦
- Lot 05 Pillow ♦
- Lot 06 Mixed Technique Pillow ♦
- Lot 07 Any other Home Accessory not listed ♦
- Lot 08 Handmade Stuffed Fabric Animal
- Lot 09 Handmade Doll or Character
- Lot 10 Any other Stuffed Sewn Item
- Lot 11 Any other Sewn Non-Wearable Item



****BEST of SHOW Classes A & B**:
Rosette & \$25**

Class C – Crocheted Items

	Premiums:
	\$6 \$4 \$2
Lot 01 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw – crib, lap, or toddler size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 02 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw – larger than a crib, lap, or toddler size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 03 Bedspread, any size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 04 Baby or Infant item, clothing, or outfit ♦	5 3 2
Lot 05 Child’s clothing ♦	5 3 2
Lot 06 Dishcloth or Scrubby	5 3 2
Lot 07 Doily	5 3 2
Lot 08 Doll Clothing or Accessory	5 3 2
Lot 09 Toy or Animal	5 3 2
Lot 10 Hat, Headband, or Ear Warmer	5 3 2
Lot 11 Scarf or Cowl ♦	5 3 2
Lot 12 Adult Clothing item ♦	5 3 2
Lot 13 Home Décor / Pillow or Rug ♦	5 3 2
Lot 14 Home Décor / Table Runner or Tablecloth ♦	5 3 2
Lot 15 Tote, Purse, or Bag ♦	5 3 2
Lot 16 Crocheted Rag Basket ♦	5 3 2
Lot 17 Holiday or Seasonal item ♦	5 3 2
Lot 18 Any other Crocheted item not listed ♦	5 3 2

Class D – Knitted Items

	Premiums:
	\$6 \$4 \$2
Lot 01 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw – crib, lap, or toddler size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 02 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw – larger than a crib, lap, or toddler size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 03 Bedspread, any size ♦	6 4 2
Lot 04 Baby or Infant item, clothing, or outfit ♦	5 3 2
Lot 05 Child’s clothing ♦	5 3 2
Lot 06 Dishcloth or Scrubby	5 3 2
Lot 07 Doily	5 3 2
Lot 08 Doll Clothing or Accessory	5 3 2
Lot 09 Toy or Animal	5 3 2
Lot 10 Hat, Headband, or Ear Warmer	5 3 2
Lot 11 Scarf or Cowl ♦	5 3 2
Lot 12 Adult Clothing item ♦	5 3 2
Lot 13 Home Décor / Pillow or Rug ♦	5 3 2
Lot 14 Home Décor / Table Runner or Tablecloth ♦	5 3 2
Lot 15 Tote, Purse, or Bag ♦	5 3 2
Lot 16 Holiday or Seasonal item ♦	5 3 2
Lot 17 Any other Knitted item not listed ♦	5 3 2

Class E – Cross-Stitched Items

	Premiums:
	\$15 \$10 \$5
Lot 01 Mini – 8” and under – Kit ♦	
Lot 02 Mini – 8” and under – Picture ♦	
Lot 03 Mini – 8” and under – Sampler ♦	
Lot 04 8” and under – Seasonal or Holiday item ♦	
Lot 05 8” and under – any other item not listed ♦	
Lot 06 Over 8” – Kit ♦	
Lot 07 Over 8” – Picture ♦	
Lot 08 Over 8” – Sampler ♦	
Lot 09 Over 8” – Seasonal or Holiday item ♦	
Lot 10 Over 8” – any other item not listed ♦	
Lot 11 Table Topper or Doily ♦	
Lot 12 Decorated Towels, set of 2 ♦	
Lot 13 Pillow ♦	
Lot 14 Pillowcases, set of 2 ♦	
Lot 15 Blanket or Throw ♦	
Lot 16 Wall Hanging or Bell Pull ♦	
Lot 17 Any other Cross-stitched item not listed ♦	

Class F – Hand Embroidered, Needlepoint, & Miscellaneous Handwork Items

	Premiums:
	\$5 \$3 \$2
Lot 01 Picture ♦	
Lot 02 Holiday or Seasonal Ornament ♦	
Lot 03 Home Décor / Pillow or Pillowcase ♦	
Lot 04 Home Décor / Napkins, Placemats, or Table Runner ♦	
Lot 05 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw ♦	
Lot 06 Wall Hanging ♦	
Lot 07 Any Smocked item ♦	
Lot 08 Any Plastic Canvas item under 12”	
Lot 09 Any Plastic Canvas item 12” & over	
Lot 10 Any other Needlepoint item ♦	
Lot 11 Any other Hand-embroidered item ♦	
Lot 12 Any Mixed Technique item ♦	
Lot 13 Any other Needlework item not listed ♦	



Class G – Machine Embroidered Items

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Picture ♦
- Lot 02 Holiday or Seasonal item ♦
- Lot 03 Home Décor / Pillow or Pillowcase ♦
- Lot 04 Home Décor / Napkins, Placemats,
or Table Runner ♦
- Lot 05 Afghan, Blanket, or Throw ♦
- Lot 06 Wall Hanging ♦
- Lot 07 Any Clothing item ♦
- Lot 08 Any other Machine Embroidered item ♦

Class H – Holiday & Seasonal Items

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Christmas Tree Skirt ♦
- Lot 02 Christmas Tablecloth or Runner ♦
- Lot 03 Christmas Placemats ♦
- Lot 04 Christmas Stocking ♦

****BEST of SHOW Classes C-H:
Rosette & \$25**

Class I – Textiles - Youth (Ages 5-18)

Premiums:
\$5 \$3 \$2

- Lot 01 Any Sewn Apron ♦
- Lot 02 Any Sewn Tote Bag ♦
- Lot 03 Any Sewn Pillow ♦
- Lot 04 Any Crocheted Blanket ♦
- Lot 05 Any Crocheted Item ♦
- Lot 06 Any Knitted Scarf ♦
- Lot 07 Any Knitted Blanket ♦
- Lot 08 Any Knitted Item ♦
- Lot 09 Any Needlework Item under 15" ♦
- Lot 10 Any Needlework Item 15" & larger ♦
- Lot 11 Any Counted Cross-Stitch Item ♦
- Lot 12 Any Hand-Embroidered Item ♦
- Lot 13 Any Wall Hanging ♦
- Lot 14 Any Machine Embroidered Item ♦

Class J – Quilting

Premiums:

Lot 01 Hand Appliqued Quilt ♦	\$20	\$15	\$12
Lot 02 Machine Appliqued Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 03 Hand Embroidered Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 04 Machine Embroidered Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 05 Hand-pieced & Hand-quilted ♦	20	15	12
Lot 06 Hand-pieced & Machine-quilted ♦	20	15	12
Lot 07 Machine-pieced & Hand-quilted ♦	20	15	12
Lot 08 Machine-pieced & Machine-quilted ♦	20	15	12
Lot 09 Paper-pieced or Foundation-pieced Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 10 'Pre-cut' Pieced Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 11 Crazy/Crumb/Scrap Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 12 T-Shirt Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 13 Memory Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 14 Seasonal or Holiday Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 15 Pre-printed Panel Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 16 Baby or Toddler Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 17 Lap Quilt ♦	20	15	12
Lot 18 Mixed Techniques / piecing, applique, embroidery, embellished ♦	20	15	12
Lot 19 Miniature Quilt (24" maximum)	12	10	8
Lot 20 Wall Hanging	12	10	8
Lot 21 Quilted Garment	12	10	8
Lot 22 Quilted Home Décor piece	12	10	8
Lot 23 Quilted Purse, Tote, or Bag	12	10	8
Lot 24 Quilted Potholder or Hot Pad	6	4	2
Lot 25 Any other Quilted item not listed	6	4	2

***BEST of SHOW Class J*
Rosette & \$50**



SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS

Presentation to be made August 23 at 7pm on the Farm & Home Stage

EXHIBITOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Farm & Home Exhibitor earning the most overall points.

Exhibitor of the Year: Rosette & \$50
 Runner-Up: Rosette & \$25
 2024 Winner: Marlene Carr
 2024 Runner-Up: Megan Southerland

ARTISAN AWARD

The Farm & Home Exhibitor earning the most points in the following departments:
 350-Fine Arts, 355-Photography, 360-Recycling,
 370-Hobbies Crafts & Collectibles, & 380-Textiles & Needlework.

Artisan of the Year: Rosette & \$25
 2024 Winner: Megan Hensley

PIONEER AWARD

The Farm & Home Exhibitor earning the most points in the following departments:
 310-Animal Products, 315-Bees & Honey, 320-Field Crops, 325-Horticulture,
 330-Flowers & Houseplants, & 340-Canning.

Pioneer of the Year: Rosette & \$25
 2024 Winner: Eric Southerland

CLAUDINE DIXON AWARD

The Farm & Home Exhibitor earning the most points in 345-Culinary Arts. This award honors Ms. Claudine Dixon for all her years of participation at the Appalachian Fair. Her ideas and hard work have led the Appalachian Fair to become one of the largest fairs in the state of Tennessee. She worked tirelessly to make the Culinary/Cooking Department a highlight of the Farm & Home Building.

Claudine Dixon Award: Rosette & \$50
 2024 Winner: Donna Lemmons

Special Recognition Awards Exhibitor Rules and Information:

- Exhibitors may only win the SAME award 2 consecutive years.
- All Award Winners will receive a special gift and Rosette.
- Points System: Rosette = 10 points; Judges Choice = 8 points; Blue Ribbon = 5 points; Red Ribbon = 3 points; White Ribbon = 1 point



Fairest of the Fair Contest

**“Tennessee’s Fairest of the Fair”
Monday, August 18th at 7pm
on the Museum Stage
Entry Deadline: August 7th**

This contest is held in conjunction with “Tennessee’s Fairest of the Fair” Contest, which is sponsored by the Tennessee Association of Fairs.



RULES

1. A \$50 NON-REFUNDABLE ENTRY FEE is REQUIRED for each Contestant. Contestants must be sponsored by a civic organization, business firm, or family member. Entry may be made by completing an entry form obtained from the Appalachian Fair office or downloaded from www.appalachianfair.com and delivered to the Appalachian Fair office **no later than August 7th**. The number of contestants will be limited to 30. Refer to the entry form for the rehearsal schedule. Checks may be made payable to the Appalachian Fair.
2. Contestant **must have reached her 16th birthday, but not her 21st birthday** on/or before December 31st of the current year and must be a resident of Tennessee. Original birth certificate must be presented at the first rehearsal.
3. Contestants will be judged on beauty, poise, and personality.
4. Contest will be held at the Appalachian Fair grounds, Monday, August 18 at 7pm on the Museum Stage. Contestant **must be available** to reign during the **entire week** of August 18-23, 2025 to assist at all pageant competitions as well as other events as requested by fair management. Additional rules and stipulations are address on the application form.
5. Contestant cannot qualify if she has ever been married, had a child, competed in a prior TAF State Fair contest, or found guilty of a felony. She must be of good moral character, and is now, and has always been of the female gender.
6. Contestant must wear formal floor length attire. The dress may be a two-piece, but cannot be a wrap skirt worn over a bodysuit. Midriff may be exposed but bralettes are not appropriate. Be mindful of the age group of 16 thru 20 and dress accordingly.
7. Other rules apply as set forth by the TN Association of Fairs Pageant Committee regarding the TN Association of Fairs Fairest of the Fair Winner. Please refer to the official application form for a complete listing of the rules.

AWARD

1. The young lady who receives the title of Appalachian Fair’s ‘Fairest of the Fair’ will receive a \$2,500 scholarship award the following year upon crowning of the new 2026 Fairest of the Fair. Proof of school registration must be submitted. The Fairest of the Fair will represent the Appalachian Fair in Tennessee’s Fairest of the Fair contest in Murfreesboro in January 2026. The Appalachian Fair will pay the incurred travel expenses of the queen and her chaperone to the contest.
2. The winner of the state contest will receive the title of ‘Tennessee’s Fairest of the Fair’ and such prizes as approved by the Tennessee Association of Fairs.

2024 Fairest of the Fair Winners:

Miss Appalachian Fair:

Madison Metcalf

- 1st Runner Up: Kaitlyn Thacker
2nd Runner Up: Sally Anne Gregory
3rd Runner Up: Brenna Lawrence
4th Runner Up: Emily Makayla Anderson
Miss Congeniality: Alyssa Shelton



Appalachian Fair LITTLE MISS CONTEST

Tuesday, August 19th at 6pm on the Museum Stage

Chairperson: Kim Castle | 423.418.0808 | appfairlmp@gmail.com

Entry form and fee requested by **August 7th** but **MUST** be received by 12 Noon, August 16th or until the **maximum number of 25** contestants is reached in each division

Entries may be delivered, mailed, emailed, or faxed to: Appalachian Fair, PO Box 8218, Gray, TN 37615
appalachianfair@gmail.com 423.477.3211 Fax: 423.477.3853

Rehearsals: Saturday, August 9th and Saturday, August 16th – Times listed on the Entry Form

Forms available in the Fair Office or online at www.appalachianfair.com

RULES

1. Contestants must pay a non-refundable entry fee of \$50. Entry fee must accompany the registration form. Cash, checks, or credit cards will be accepted. Faxed and emailed forms will receive an online payable invoice for payment. Entry forms must be completed, and fees must be paid before the contestant may be added to the roster.
2. A Queen and four (4) runners-up will be chosen in each age division and will receive a beautiful trophy. All other contestants will receive a participation trophy. Divisions include:
 - Wee Miss – Division I / 2-3 years old (must be accompanied onstage by an adult)
 - Tiny Miss – Division II / 4-6 years old
 - Little Miss – Division III / 7-9 years old
 - Little Miss Pre-Teen – Division IV / 10-12 years old
 - Teen Miss – Division V / 13-15 years old
3. Contestants must wear a dress of their choice. No exposed midriffs please.
4. Contestants will be judged on beauty (75%) and personality (25%). Judges score sheets will not be available to the contestants or their family members.
5. The Appalachian Fair reserves the right to request proof of age.
6. All participants must abide by the guidelines set by the pageant committee.
7. First place winners will not be eligible to compete again in the Division in which they won.
8. 2025 Queens must be present to crown the 2026 winners. Therefore, the winners will not be able to compete the following year.
9. Placement of age groups will be made based on the age at the time of the contest.

Little Miss Photogenic Contest

Winners will be announced at the Little Miss Contest on Tuesday, August 19th at the Museum Stage. A Miss Photogenic Queen will be chosen in each of the five divisions.

1. Contestants must have entered the Little Miss Contest to be eligible to enter the Miss Photogenic contest.
2. Contestant must bring either a 5x7 or 8x10 photo to the fair office, or to one of the practices on or before the Little Miss practice on Saturday, August 16th. Framed photos will NOT be accepted.
3. Contestant's name, age, address, and phone number must be on the back of the photograph.
4. A non-refundable entry fee of \$10 must accompany the Little Miss entry form if the contestant wishes to participate. The deadline for entry is 12Noon on August 16th.

Little Miss 2024 Winners:

Teen Miss: Emmelia Grace Brown

Pre-Teen Miss: Brooklyn Renee Hendrix

Little Miss: Gia Tocci

Tiny Miss: Lakelee McDaniel

Wee Miss: Rowan Harlow Thacker



WOOL & WOOLIES REVUE

Department: 290

Friday, August 22nd at 7pm in the Sheep Show Pavilion

Premiums offered: \$850

Entry forms are available at the fair office or on our website at www.appalachianfair.com. Entry forms should be submitted by August 17th to the Appalachian Fair office.

Judging Objectives are:

1. Present sheep in the most attractive manner. The sheep must have been exhibited in either the Open or Junior show.
2. Give spectators an opportunity to view young people modeling wool garments while leading the wool producer.
3. The following standards will be used when judging the classes:
 - a. Contestant’s garment – suitable & practical for contestant’s maturity, etc.
 - b. Poise and appearance – accessories, make-up, etc. appropriate for contestant’s maturity and to style of garment. Contestants should appear to be at ease and wear the garment to its best advantage.
 - c. Control and presentation of lamb.
4. Entries should be completed with a brief biography of the contestant and a garment description.
5. Contestants should report to the Sheep Show Pavilion for rehearsal at 6pm, Friday, August 22nd.
 - Lot 1 – Wee Contestants: 4 years & younger (may be accompanied with an adult)
 - Lot 2 – Primary Contestants: 5-7 years old
 - Lot 3 – Junior Contestants: 8-11 years old
 - Lot 4 – Intermediate Contestants: 12-15 years old
 - Lot 5 – Senior Contestants: 16-20 years old
 - Lot 6 – Adult Contestants: 21 years and older

Premiums:				
1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th -10 th	11 th & above
\$40	\$35	\$25	\$10	\$5

**2024
Winners:**

- Wee Contestant:
Charlotte Malone
- Primary Contestant:
Mia Grace Harris
- Junior Contestant:
Eliza G Brooks
- Intermediate Contestant:
Maggie F Webb
- Senior Contestant:
Ava Collier
- Adult Contestant:
Hannah Malone-Holdway



YOUTH TALENT CONTEST
Thursday, August 21st at 7pm on the Museum Stage

Contest is open to amateurs only between the ages of 13-21 as of September 11, 2025. Previous winners are not eligible to win in the same category. Entry forms & a complete list of Rules & Regulations may be obtained from the Fair Office – (423) 477.3211 or online – www.appalachianfair.com **Entry deadline is August 8, 2025**

Appalachian Fair Youth Talent Winner Awards

- 1st place - \$500
- 2nd place - \$300
- 3rd place - \$200

2024 Winners:

- 1st Place: Truett Davis
- 2nd Place: Julia Martin
- 3rd Place: Lakely Asher



GOT TALENT CONTEST
Saturday, August 23rd at 7pm on the Museum Stage

Contest is open to amateurs of any age. A \$20 entry fee is required to be entered. Entry forms & a complete list of Rules & Regulations may be obtained from the Fair Office – (423) 477.3211 or online – www.appalachianfair.com **Entry deadline is August 8, 2025**

Appalachian Fair Got Talent Winner Awards

- 1st place - \$500
- 2nd place - \$250
- 3rd place - \$100

2024 Winners:

- 1st Place: Beard & Buffalo
- 2nd Place: Maggie Lamb
- 3rd Place: Josiah Ward



DANCE CONTEST
Friday, August 22nd at 7pm on the Museum Stage

Contest is open to dance companies or solo dancers. A \$20 entry fee is required to be entered. Entry forms & a complete list of Rules & Regulations may be obtained from the Fair Office – (423) 477.3211 or online – www.appalachianfair.com **Entry deadline is August 8, 2025**

Appalachian Fair Got Talent Winner Awards

- 1st place - \$500
- 2nd place - \$250
- 3rd place - \$100

2024 Winners:

- 1st Place: Appalachian Irish Dance Company
- 2nd Place: Rand & Ava Akers
- 3rd Place: Jewell Weatherford



BABY SHOW

Saturday, August 23rd on the Museum Stage

Premiums offered: \$650

\$10 Entry Fee

NO PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Arrive approximately 30-45 minutes before your scheduled time to complete your registration. In case of rain, we will be forced to cancel because we do not have an indoor facility capable of handling the size of the crowd.

Age 6 through 12 months

Girls Judging begins at 9am/

Boys Judging begins at 10:30am

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Best Developed Girl	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Best Developed Boy	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Prettiest Girl	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Most Handsome Boy	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Miss Personality	\$25				
Mr. Personality	\$25				



2024 / 6-12 Month Old
Girls / Best Developed &
Prettiest



Ages 13 through 24 months

Girls Judging begins at 12Noon/

Boys Judging begins at 1:30pm

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
Best Developed Girl	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Best Developed Boy	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Prettiest Girl	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Most Handsome Boy	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	Ribbon
Miss Personality	\$25				
Mr. Personality	\$25				



2024 / 6-12 Month Old
Boys / Best Developed
& Most Handsome

Twins

All Twins – 6-24 months – Judging begins at 2:30pm

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th
\$50	\$30	\$20	\$10	Ribbon



2024 / 13-24 Month Old
Girls / Best Developed &
Prettiest



2024 / 13-24 Month Old
Boys / Best Developed &
Most Handsome



2024 / 6-24 Month Old
Twins



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Farm & Home Entry Form

EXHIBITOR: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

ADULT/YOUTH: A / Y

IF YOUTH -- BIRTHDAY: _____

I hereby make an application to enter for premiums subject to the rules and regulations of the APPALACHIAN FAIR, as published in the catalog, which I have read and understand. I am leaving this item at my own risk. The APPALACHIAN FAIR will in no case be held responsible for any damage or loss. See page 7, rule 8.

Signature: _____

	ONE ENTRY IN EACH LOT ONLY!				DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE(S) IDENTIFY BY COLOR, SHAPE, ETC.	OFFICE USE ONLY
	DEPT NAME	DEPT NUMBER	CLASS LETTER	LOT NUMBER		
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	DEPT NAME	DEPT NUMBER	CLASS LETTER	LOT NUMBER		
Ex:	Fine Art	350	A	3	Oil Painting, Girl w/Blond Hair	
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Pre-Registration forms are due by August 2

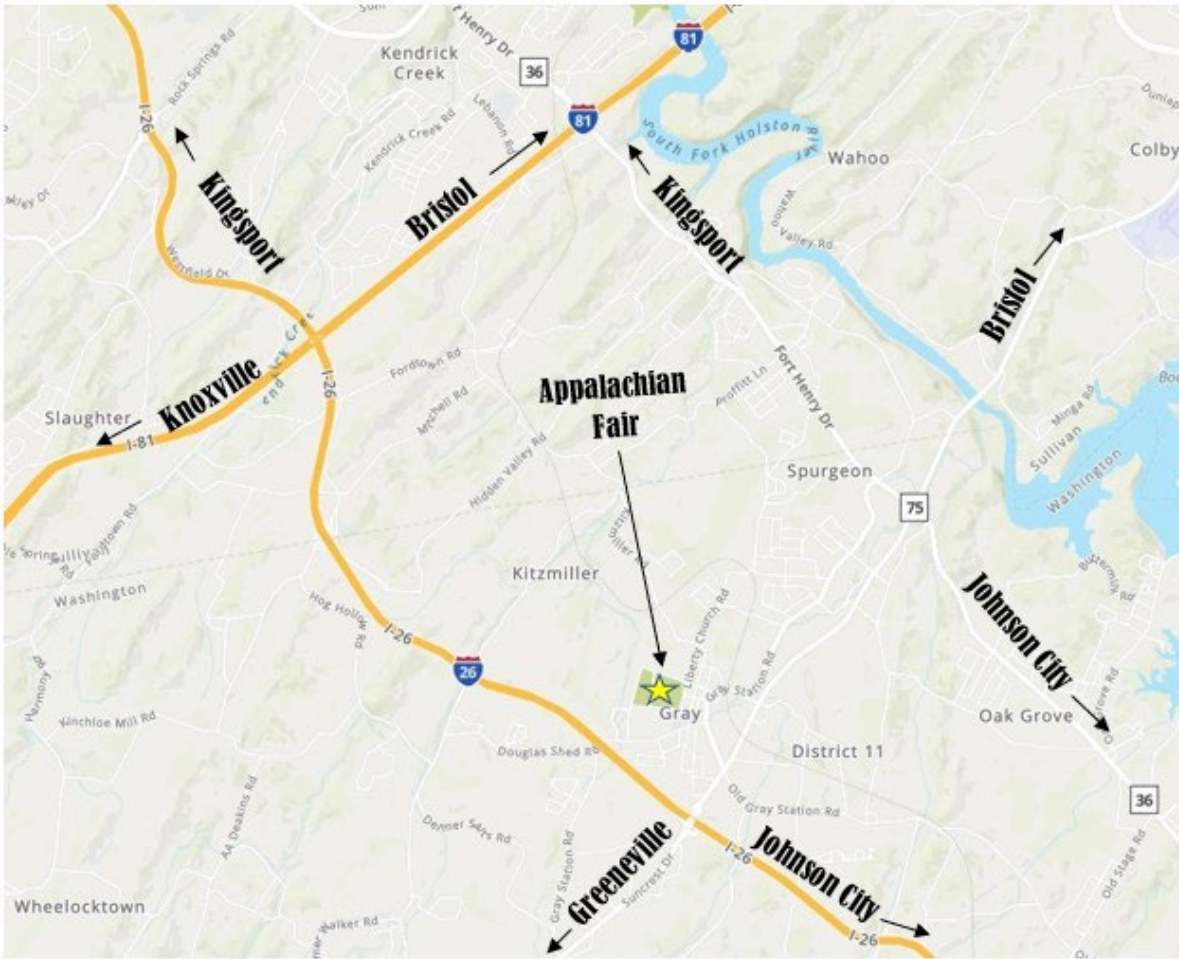
Non-Perishable Entry Day: August 9 from 11am-6pm (Entries in Departments 340, 350, 355, 360, 370, & 380)

Perishable Entry Day: August 16 from 12Noon-5pm

(Entries in Departments 310, 315, 320, 325, 330(Class A, B, K, L, & M), & 345-Class A, B, & C)

All others please see check-in times located on page 5 of the Farm & Home Catalog.

All entries and premium checks should be picked up on August 26 from 3-6pm



DIRECTIONS:

GPS Address location is: 100 Lakeview Street, Gray, TN

Located off Exit 13 – Bobby Hicks Hwy / Suncrest Drive / TN-75 in Gray, TN

From I-81 take Exit 57A towards Johnson City

to Exit 13 – Bobby Hicks Hwy/ Suncrest Drive / TN-75 on I-26

Follow the signs.



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