

# DEPARTMENT K1 - YOUTH AGRICULTURE & FLORICULTURE

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## **ENTRY FEES: \$2.00 per exhibitor for every 5 items entered.**

As many entries as desired - no restrictions. Entries may be combined with all other Veteran's Building Youth Departments except Baking and Food Preservation.

**ENTRIES TAKEN: Agriculture: Monday, September 25, 2017 10:00am - 6:30pm**  
**Floriculture: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 noon-6:30pm**

Note: Adult Agriculture Entries are taken separately. Please check their pages for more info.

**EXHIBITS RELEASED: Sunday, October 1, 2017 4:00 - 6:00pm**

Those who wish to pick up their entries early will forfeit their ribbons and cash prizes.

## **AWARDS:**

**\*\*\*ANY CASH PRIZE MAY BE REPLACED WITH A GIFT CERTIFICATE OF EQUAL OR GREATER VALUE AT THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DISCRETION\*\*\***

\* Note: Only one rosette will be awarded, and this will be the highest rosette earned.

1. BEST OF SHOW (Section 1 Agriculture) Rosette & Additional \$30.00
  2. 2nd BEST OF SHOW (Section 1 Agriculture) Rosette & Additional \$20.00
  3. BEST OF SHOW (Section 2 Floriculture) Rosette & Additional \$30.00
  4. 2nd BEST OF SHOW (Section 2 Floriculture) Rosette & Additional \$20.00
  5. BEST OF LOT (Lots 1 - 9) \$20.00 & Rosette
  6. SECOND BEST OF LOT (Lots 1 - 9) \$10.00 & Rosette
  7. GENERAL AWARDS No Cash Award
- 1st through 6th place and honorable mention ribbons will be given in each class.  
VARIOUS MISCELLANEOUS AWARDS

## **YOUTH AGRICULTURE/FLORICULTURE GENERAL RULES:**

1. Exhibitors must live in Doña Ana, Bernalillo, Catron, Grant, Hidalgo, Luna, Otero, Sierra, Socorro, Valencia and El Paso Counties and must be 18 years of age or under to participate.
2. All entries must be the work of the exhibitor and must have been grown or canned after the close of last year's Fair. Only Lot 4 Classes 402 and 403 may be purchased produce.
3. Any item that is entered and deemed by the Superintendent to be in bad taste, will not be accepted.
4. All entries will be judged according to age group. The age of the exhibitor must be on the entry form. IF THE AGE IS NOT ON THE ENTRY FORM, THE ENTRY WILL BE JUDGED IN THE SENIOR CLASS.
  - a. Senior Class - 14 - 18 years old
  - b. Junior Class - 9 - 13 years old
  - c. Beginners Class - 0 - 8 years old
  - d. Special Needs / Handicapped Class
5. The Superintendent may at his or her discretion, declare a new class in miscellaneous to aid the judges in the separation of entries.
6. Every precaution will be taken to protect exhibits, but the fair will not be responsible for loss or damage. The owner's themselves must take the risk of exhibiting them. Exhibits which spoil excessively may be discarded if necessary to prevent damage to other exhibits.
7. The Superintendent may at his or her discretion replace any cash prize with a gift certificate of equal or greater value.

Please note changes in **quantities** required for submittal to better align with Adult division rules  
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# YOUTH AGRICULTURE/HORTICULTURE -- SECTION ONE

## LOT 1 - GARDEN PRODUCTS

Exhibitor must furnish disposable plate(s) for each entry. Know your squash variety.

Pumpkins have been given their own lot, Lot 2.

- Y 101. Beans, green garden variety (5 pods)
- Y 102. Beans, yellow wax, lima, other (5 pods)
- Y 103. Beans, dry pinto (1 quart)
- Y 104. Beet, table (3 roots without tops)
- Y 105. Cabbage, (1 head)
- Y 106. Carrot, (2 roots without tops)
- Y 107. Cauliflower, (3 heads with wrapper leaves)
- Y 108. Corn, sweet (3 ears in husks)
- Y 109. Cucumber, slicing (3 fruits, 4" minimum)
- Y 110. Cucumber, pickling (3 fruits, 6" maximum)
- Y 111. Cucumber, other type (3 fruits)
- Y 112. Eggplant, (3 medium size fruit)
- Y 113. Garlic, (3 bulbs)
- Y 114. Lettuce, head (1 head with wrapper leaves)
- Y 115. Cantaloupe, (1 fruit)
- Y 116. Honeydew, (1 fruits)
- Y 117. Melon, other (1 fruits)
- Y 118. Okra (3 pods)
- Y 119. Onion, dry white (3 mature bulbs)
- Y 120. Onion, dry red (3 mature bulbs)
- Y 121. Onion, dry yellow (3 mature bulbs)
- Y 122. Onion, green (bunch of 12)
- Y 123. Peas, green or English (5 pods)
- Y 124. Peas, black-eyed (5 pods)
- Y 125. Peas, any other variety (5 pods)
- Y 126. Peas, dry southern, crowder, other (1 quart, shelled)
- Y 127. Pepper, red bell (3 fruits)
- Y 128. Pepper, green bell (3 fruits)
- Y 129. Pepper, green chile commercial (3 fruits)
- Y 130. Pepper, red chile (3 fruits)
- Y 131. Red chile ristra
- Y 132. Red chile ornamental ristra (wreaths, etc.)
- Y 133. Potato, red (3 tubers)
- Y 134. Potato, white (3 tubers)
- Y 135. Potato, sweet (3 roots)
- Y 136. Radish, (bunch of 5 roots with tops)
- Y 137. Squash, summer - 3 fruit (e.g. zucchini, yellow, etc.)
- Y 138. Squash, winter - 1 fruit (e.g. banana, cushaw, etc.)
- Y 139. Squash, other (1 fruit)
- Y 140. Sunflower head, (1 head)
- Y 141. Tomato, red slicing (3 ripe fruits)
- Y 142. Tomato, cherry (12 ripe fruits)
- Y 143. Tomato, miniature (12 ripe fruits)
- Y 144. Tomato, green, large variety (3 fruits)
- Y 145. Turnip (5 roots)
- Y 146. Watermelon, long type (1)



- Y 147. Watermelon, small round (1) (10-20 lbs.)
- Y 148. Watermelon, large round (1) (over 20 lbs.)
- Y 149. Watermelon, largest (1)
- Y 150. Field Crops (Corn, Cotton, Milo, etc.)
- Y 151. Miscellaneous

### **LOT 2 - PUMPKINS**

- Y 201. Pumpkin, large field type (1)
- Y 202. Pumpkin, Halloween type (medium round-1)
- Y 203. Pumpkin, small to medium pie (round-1)

### **LOT 3 - FRUITS, NUTS & MISCELLANEOUS**

Exhibitor must furnish disposable plate with each entry.

- Y 301. Apples (3)
- Y 302. Peaches (3)
- Y 303. Pears (3)
- Y 304. Grapes (1 bunches)
- Y 305. Plums (3)
- Y 306. Pecans, Western Schley (10)
- Y 307. Pecans, Wichita (10)
- Y 308. Pecans, Burkett (10)
- Y 309. Pecans, any other variety (10)
- Y 310. Figs (5)
- Y 311. Quince (3)
- Y 312. Pomegranates (3)
- Y 313. Peanut (1 quart in hull)
- Y 314. Gourds, ornamental (1)
- Y 315. Honey (1 pint)
- Y 316. Comb Honey (1 lb.)
- Y 317. Bees Wax (1 lb.)
- Y 318. Miscellaneous

### **LOT 4 - GARDEN EXHIBIT and ODDITIES**

A collection of 5 or more different products, creatively displayed in a basket, tray or crate. Be original.

Do not mix home grown and purchased products.

- Y 401. Home Grown Produce
- Y 402. Purchased Produce
- Y 403. Decorated Pumpkin  
(Can be a purchased pumpkin, cannot be cut)



### **LOT 5 - HAY BALES**

Hay entries will be judged visually.

Visual Judging criteria will consist of: 1. Leafiness 2. Green Color 3. Fineness of stems 4. Absence of mold 5. Absence of foreign material, including weeds.

- Y 501. Hay Bale, Alfalfa (1 - standard two or three tie bale)
- Y 502. Hay Bale, Miscellaneous

## YOUTH FLORICULTURE -- SECTION TWO

(\*Note- silk flower arrangements are entered into Youth Fiber Arts under Home Improvements)

### **LOT 6 – Cut Flowers**

**Cut Flowers** (one specimen per container entry. Entrants must provide their own container – NO CONTAINERS will be provided at the fairgrounds))

Y- 601 Roses

Y- 602 Annuals

Y -603 Biennials & Perennials

Y- 604 Miscellaneous

### **LOT 7 Containers** (no container larger than 26 inches wide)

Y 701 Foliage Plant

Y 702 Cacti & Succulents

Y 703 Bulbs, Corms, Rhizomes, Tubers or Tuberous Roots

Y 704 Herbs

Y 705 More than one plant in container (must have been combined for at least 6 weeks)

Y 706 Bonsai

Y 707 Miscellaneous

### **LOT 8 - Fresh Flower Arrangements**

Y 801 Small

Y 802 Medium

Y 803 Large

### **LOT 9 Dried Flower Arrangements**

Y 901 Small

Y 902 Medium

Y 903 Large

