

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR

2025

Moovin' n' Groovin'



JUNE 12-15

Placerville, California

COMPETITION HANDBOOK



EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR & EVENT CENTER

a 501 c 3 nonprofit organization
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville CA 95667

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Thank you for picking up your Fair Competition Handbook, formerly referred to as the “Entry Guide” and “Premium Book.” Entering your hobbies, passions, and projects in the fair is the heart of the fair. People have been striving for that Blue Ribbon for hundreds of years, and it’s a tradition that we have no intention of giving up on. Since we began printing the guide in 2023, we have seen an increase in fair entries, and we hope to see entries continue to grow.

We hope you will find it easy to use and inspiring. We print as early as we can, giving you plenty of time to look at all of the options for entering and giving yourself enough time to complete your project. We look forward to seeing all of your creations.

Almost all of the youth entries are free to enter, except Livestock. We love to see the kids bring in their entry forms, and then see them during the fair with excited faces and their blue ribbons! It is a great opportunity to get your children involved in a hobby and watch them improve each year.

Please look through our Competition Handbook and be inspired!

Here is the disclaimer, the book was created by humans and published in January. If we catch an error, or one is pointed out to us, we will update the Competition Handbook on our website, eldoradocountyfair.org.

Here’s to another great year at the El Dorado County Fair!

Kathy Dunkak
CEO



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THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION INVITES YOU TO JOIN US!

We would like to hear your ideas for the fair!

As a member of the El Dorado County Fair Association, members receive agendas for the Board meetings. Association members are eligible to serve on the Fair Board, or vote for a prospective board member when there is an opening. Members also receive one free four-day pass to the 2025 Fair for a single membership and two for a family membership. The annual meeting of the association is held every January. Annual membership dues are \$35-\$60. Contact the Fair Office for more information at 530-621-5860.

FAIRGROUNDS ARE CLOSED, SUNDAY, JUNE 8

2025 HOURS OF OPERATION & FEES

Thursday, June 12	Gates Open	Noon – Midnight	Carnival Opens	Noon – Midnight
Friday, June 13	Gates Open	Noon – Midnight	Carnival Opens	Noon – Midnight
Saturday, June 14	Gates Open	10:00 am – Midnight	Carnival Opens	Noon – Midnight
Sunday, June 15	Gates Open	Noon – 10:00 pm	Carnival Opens	Noon – 10:00 pm

Daily Tickets / Per Person	PRE-SALE! by June 11	During Fair
General Admission (13+ yrs.)	\$ 10.00	\$ 13.00
Junior Admission (7 - 12 yrs.)	\$ 8.00	\$ 11.00
Senior Admission (60+ yrs.)	\$ 8.00	\$ 11.00
Season Passes / Per Person		
General Admission (13+ yrs.)	\$25.00	Pre-sale only!
Senior Admission (60+ yrs.)	\$20.00	Pre-sale only!
Junior Admission (7 – 12 yrs.)	\$20.00	Pre-sale only!
Special Packages		
Father's Day Package - Valid Sunday Only Includes: Two general admission tickets, one youth ticket, and one unlimited ride wristband.	\$45.00	Pre-sale only!
Grandstand Event		
Grandstand Event General (fair entry not included) Includes: One ticket to the Friday Night Grandstand Event.	\$10.00	\$15.00
Carnival Ride Tickets Each ride requires 4 - 8 tickets.		
Single (1) Tickets	N/A	\$2.00
Sheet of 24 Tickets	N/A	\$25.00
Sheet of 40 Tickets	N/A	\$35.00
Unlimited Carnival Rides - Valid any 1 day of Fair	\$35.00	\$45.00
Golden Ticket 4-Day Unlimited Carnival Pass	\$85.00	N/A

SPECIAL DAYS

Kid's Day (12 & Under)	Thursday	Free until 6:30 PM
Senior Day (60+)	Thursday	Free until 6:30 PM
Teen Day	Friday	Free until 4:00 PM
Mutton Bustin'	Friday	TBD
Truck & Steamer Tractor Pulls	Additional ticket required	7:00 PM
Livestock Auction	Saturday Free to buyers	8:00 – 10:00 AM
John M. Studebaker Wheelbarrow Races	Saturday Free with Fair Admission	5:00 PM
Rubicon Jeep Jamboree Challenge	Sunday Free with Fair Admission	2:00 PM
Father's Day Special	Sunday + pre-sale only	

Carnival Ride Disclaimer: Children must be **3 years** old or at least **36 - 48" tall** to ride mechanical rides depending on the ride. Exception: Carousel (parents may ride carousel with under 36"). Carnival Ride Limits: Access to some carnival rides may be denied for safety reasons for visitors with physical disabilities such as casts.



El Dorado County Fair & Event Center

a 501 c 3 nonprofit organization dedicated to maintaining a vital year-round facility
benefiting the people of El Dorado County.

JOIN FRIENDS OF THE FAIR!

Bronze Level	\$200 - 499	1 four-day season passes to the fair.
Silver Level	\$500 - 749	3 four-day season passes to the fair.
Gold Level	\$750 - 999	4 four-day season passes to the fair plus 2 single-day carnival ride passes.
Platinum Level	\$1,000 – 1,499	4 four-day season passes to the fair plus an exclusive invitation to our 2025 Fair VIP/Media Preview Party held the night before Fair opens to the public, VIP Parking privileges and Voice of the Fair announcements.
Double Platinum	\$1500 & up	All the great benefits of Platinum Level + On-Grounds Parking! Be the envy of all your friends and neighbors.

All contributions to “Friends of the Fair” may be tax deductible. “Friends of Fair” funds help finance capital improvement projects on the fairgrounds and help sustain the Jr. Livestock program. All “Friends of the Fair” members will receive recognition in the Annual Fair Guide and on our website.

*Detach, complete bottom portion and return to 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville CA 95667
Make check payable to: El Dorado County Fair Association (EDCFA) or Venmo @EDCFair*

2025 Friends of the Fair Sponsorship Levels

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze - \$200-\$499 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver - \$500-\$749 | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold - \$750-\$999 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum \$1000 - \$1499: \$_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Double Platinum \$1500 & up: \$_____ | |

Name: _____

Company, if applicable: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

For Office Use Only

Receipt #: _____

Date: _____

Initials: _____

Thank you: _____

Website: _____

Tickets: _____

LOCAL FAIR RULES & REGULATIONS

Please read all rules & regulations.

ALL THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

PRIZE MONEY MAY BE WITHHELD IF COMPLIANCE WITH PRINTED STATE AND LOCAL RULES IS NOT FULLY MET.

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITOR FAIR ADMISSION | \$20.00 – Will Call must be picked up by Friday, June 6, 2025 at the Fair Office.

A \$20.00 four-day gate admission wristband is available for all livestock exhibitors and immediate family. All wristbands must be purchased at the time of entry form submission and no later than May 7. There are no unpaid or free passes for exhibiting in the Fair. **Only those with livestock wristbands will be admitted in and out of the livestock gate. Fair tickets will not be accepted at Livestock gate.**

DEFINITIONS

American Judging System: A judging process where each exhibit is not only judged on its own merit, but in comparison to other exhibits.

Danish Judging System: A judging process ranking each exhibit according to how well it meets that standard, rather than how it compares with other exhibits.

Judging Scale: 1st Group being "Superior" receiving a Blue Ribbon, 2nd Group being "Good," receiving a Red Ribbon and 3rd Group being "Average" receiving a White Ribbon. Youth, ages through 12 are judged using the Danish System of Judging. Exhibitors, 13 through 18 years of age are judged using American System of judging. Adults are judged using the American System. Some categories may use one or the other and not be based on age, adult or junior.

Junior: Exhibitors ages 18 and under. The departments are divided into: *Youth* (5 years and under), (6 thru 10), (11 thru 13) and *Teen* (14-18 years of age) in most cases. Please see the individual category for detailed information and differences.

Best of Show: There must be at least 3 entries in a division to award a Best of Show Ribbon. If not, no award will be given.

PRIZE MONEY

The El Dorado County Fair Board of Directors may prorate prize money paid if the total amount to be paid exceeds budgeted amount. Judging Sheets will be used as evidence for payment of Awards. Ribbons and tags are not acceptable as evidence.

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours through October 1st of the current fair year or will be considered a donation to the El Dorado County Fair Association.

Prize money will be combined into one check.

Prize money will not be awarded if there are less than three exhibits in a class.

- A. Entries must be entered online at eldoradocountyfair.org, mailed to El Dorado County Fair, 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667, or presented in person at the Fair Entry Office, El Dorado County Fairgrounds, 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville 95667. All entries must be postmarked or in the possession of the El Dorado County Fair no later than the dates and times indicated in the Competition Handbook. Entries should be made as early as possible. Entry fees and other required documents must accompany entry forms at the time of entry and will be accepted anytime following distribution of the Competition Handbook. Checks should be payable to "EDCFA" or "El Dorado County Fair Association".
- B. All classes are open to the world, except Junior Livestock.
- C. The theme of this year's Fair is: **"Moovin' n' Groovin' "**
- D. The fair management shall reserve the right to limit entries in ALL classes to facilities available and may limit the number of entries made by an exhibitor. Any return of entries under this rule will be done generally and without discrimination.
- E. Checks for awards in all classes will be made out in the name and address appearing on the entry form.
- F. **ALL AWARD CHECKS ARE VALID UNTIL OCTOBER 1, 2025. Requests for checks to be reissued will be subject to a \$20 handling fee. All unclaimed and unpaid award checks as of October 1 will be considered donations to the El Dorado County Fair Association.**
- G. All discrepancies in payment of award checks must be reported to Fair Management in writing, no later than 30 days after the close of the fair or they will not be considered. Ribbons will not be replaced by the fair after they have been awarded.
- H. All booths and exhibits will be constructed with the use of **non-flammable** material or material treated with flame retardant chemical.
- I. No person or exhibitor will be permitted to distribute printed or advertising material or put up signs on the grounds without written permission of fair manager.
- J. Any display or exhibit not in keeping with the standards for division or class entered will not be allowed to remain on display after judging. Fair Management, who will be the sole judge of these standards, will make this decision. No refund of entry fees will be made for exhibits eliminated under this rule.
- K. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to correctly fill out his own entry forms and thereby accepts responsibility for all errors thereon. Office personnel assist and answer questions but under no circumstances will complete entry forms for exhibitors. Judges may move items to classes that they feel more appropriate for an exhibit. Entering classes correctly is sole responsibility of exhibitor. Exhibits entered incorrectly may be deemed ineligible during judging.
- L. The Board of Directors may extend a grace period after any and all deadlines, to accept late submissions with a \$25.00 penalty.
- M. Request for refunds must be formally written and presented to the fair manager for consideration. Refunds may be granted within the limits of the State Rules: Refunds may be made only because of sickness, accident or death, cancellations of a class or return of entries for lack of exhibit space. For animal classes, request must be made prior to Fair week or event, whichever comes first and MUST be accompanied by a veterinarian's certificate.
- N. Overpayment of entry fees totaling \$10.00 or less will not be refunded.
- O. No entries will be released without the official tag or ID proving ownership.
- P. Each exhibitor shall be solely responsible for any direct or consequential loss, injury or damage done to or occasioned by and rising from animals or articles exhibited by him and shall indemnify the Association against any legal proceedings in regard thereto. All property of every kind entered for competition or display or for any purpose being on the fairgrounds shall be subject to the control of this Association. The Association will exercise care and precaution for its safe preservation, but in no case will this association or its officers or agents be liable for damages or injury to a person or property of any exhibitor or patron of the fair, or be responsible for any accident, loss or damage of whatsoever nature that may occur on the fairgrounds or at any other place or time. Should property owners desire protection against loss or damage or injury from fire or other causes, they must make their own arrangements.
- Q. No entries may be nude studies or "non-family friendly."
- R. No food and beverage entries may contain cannabis or cannabis related ingredients.
- S. ALL Livestock exhibitors (exception, Primary members) MUST attend and present at registration, a certificate of completion of the Certified Quality Assurance Program pertaining to their age. This is an annual requirement.

By entering my exhibit into the El Dorado County Fair, I am accepting the local and California State Fair Rules as listed.

ART SALES:

If professional or semi-professional artwork is for sale entries must be labeled "FOR SALE" and the price indicated on the entry form. If it is not listed for sale on the entry form and price, it will not be listed. El Dorado County Fair will retain a 20% commission. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Sales must occur during Fair & the purchaser must pick up the item on the release date, Monday following the close of Fair. Artists will be paid by check approximately two weeks following the Fair. **NOTE:** *Sales price may not be changed after the entry form is submitted.*

DISPUTES

THE MANAGEMENT RESERVES THE FINAL AND ABSOLUTE RIGHT TO INTERPRET THE RULES AND REGULATIONS, AND TO ARBITRARILY SETTLE QUESTIONS OR DIFFERENCES.

Protests/Disputes will only be considered if there has been a violation of State or Local Rules. Decisions of judges, veterinarians, weigh masters, tail dock officials and timers cannot be disputed and are final.

Protests (must be in writing) must be accompanied by a deposit of \$100 or \$200 if the protest relates to violations of State Rules X-XA (Animal Health Rules). The deposit will only be returned if the protest is upheld. Protest must be filed within 24 hours of the time of the cause of the protest. For more complete Protest Rules see "State Rules for California Fairs" online at www.cdfa.ca.gov.

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Fair and Exhibit Fire Marshall Requirements

The following provisions **SHALL BE** applicable to all shows and exhibits:

- All decorative materials, including, drapes, signs, banners, overhanging table cloths/coverings, hay, straw, moss, plastic cloth, canvas, cloth, cardboard, leaves and similar combustible materials, **SHALL BE** made from non-flammable material or treated and maintained in a flame-retardant condition by means of a flame-retardant solution or process approved by the Fire Marshall.
- Materials that cannot be made flame-retardant are **PROHIBITED**.
- Aisles and exits **SHALL BE** maintained clean, clear and free of obstructions.
- Fire Extinguishers, hose cabinets, fire hose connections, exit signs and Other, not listed above fire appliances **SHALL BE** maintained clearly visible and unobstructed at all times.
- Booths, stands and Other, not listed above like construction shall be substantial and fixed in position in specified areas (according to approved plans) for the duration of the exhibit/show.
- Electrical extension cords **SHALL BE** approved three wire grounded type capable of carrying the intended ampacity of the combined appliances, and shall not be affixed to structures; extend through walls, ceilings, floors, under doors or floor coverings; or be subject to environmental or physical damage.
- **SMOKING IS PROHIBITED** in all buildings, public display areas, stages, restrooms, assembly areas and where posted "No Smoking".
- Exhibitors shall maintain their respective areas clean of combustible rubbish.
- All tents, awnings and fabric enclosures shall be labeled flame-resistant or flame-resistant treated as approved by the Fire Marshall.
- Heating and cooking equipment shall not be located within 10 feet of exits, aisles, passageways or combustible rubbish. Outdoor cooking that produces sparks or grease-laden vapors shall not be within 20' of tents or canopies.
- All compressed gas cylinders shall be secured in the upright position (chained).

Special notes:

*The Fire Chief (or his authorized representative) upon finding any overcrowded conditions; or obstruction in aisles, passageways or Other, not listed above means of egress (exiting); or upon finding any condition which constitutes a serious threat to life, **SHALL** cause the performance, presentation, or entertainment to be stopped until such conditions or obstruction is corrected.*

*Any automobile, truck motorcycle or other, not listed above motorized vehicle displayed, **SHALL** have its batteries removed (or battery cables disconnected) and its fuel supplies reduced to not more than one quarter tank full. All motor vehicle tanks, which have ever contained fuel, **SHALL BE** furnished with a locking type cap or sealed with tape. Garden tractor's chain saws, power plants and Other, not listed above gasoline-powered equipment **SHALL BE** safeguarded in a similar manner.*

Exhibit Inspections

Periodic fire and life safety inspections **SHALL BE** conducted by the El Dorado County Fire Protection District and may include:

- Inspections with the "Show Manager" or authorized representative prior to move in/set-up period to insure fire hydrant and emergency vehicle access and egress.
- Familiarization and pre-incident planning.
- On-going site and vendor inspections to insure compliance of fire and life safety requirements of Titles 19 and 24 of the California Code of Regulations, National Fire Protection Association and California edition of the Uniform Fire Code.
- During closing and removal of exhibits to insure emergency access and egress.

Any problems or violations **SHALL BE** corrected immediately. Non-compliance **SHALL BE** grounds for possible citation and/or removal. The show or exhibit manager may be notified to assist in obtaining compliance. Fire and life safety **SHALL BE** the basis for any alternatives in conformity with applicable laws and ordinances. Direct any questions or comments to the Fire Protection Bureau or the Administrative Office at (530) 644-9630.

Your cooperation is greatly appreciated in anticipation of a successful, fire safe event.

2025 ENTRY DUE DATE SCHEDULE

Subject to change - verify dates & times on website or call the Fair Office.

CHECK THE ENTRY GUIDE FOR ENTRY FORM DUE DATES.

LIVESTOCK DEADLINES

Cattle - Market

Ownership deadline February 13
Ownership Documents due February 19
(Photo, Ear Tag Form, YQCA, and Bill of Sale)

Goats - Market

Ownership deadline – April 14
Ownership Documents due April 23
(Photo, Ear Tag Form, YQCA, and Bill of Sale copy)

Horse Documents

Ownership/Leasing deadline February 13
Ownership Documents due February 19

Llama/Alpaca Documents

Ownership deadline February 13
Ownership Documents due February 19

Sheep – Market Lamb

Ownership deadline – April 14
Ownership Documents due – April 23
(Photo, Ear Tag Form, YQCA, and Bill of Sale copy)

Swine - Market

Ownership deadline – April 14
Ownership Documents due – April 23
(Photo, Ear Tag Form, YQCA, Bill of Sale copy, and Prop 12 form)

All Livestock - Including Dog Projects – Entry Form Deadline Due through May 7

STILL EXHIBIT DEADLINES

Adopt-a-Spot

Entry Forms due June 6
Gardens completion by June 9 at 8:00 pm
Gardens Judged June 10 (closed)

Monday, March 10

Commercial Wine Entries Due
Competition, March 21

Tuesday, April 1

RV Camping Applications due (no late exceptions)

Monday, April 14

Homemade Wine Entries Due
Competition, April 26

Wednesday, May 21, 4:00 pm, Fair Office

Most Still Entry Forms Due (Check Competition Handbook)

Ag Mechanics/Technology & Industry
Clothing & Sewing
Fiber Arts
Fine Arts
Food Items (Baking/sweets/cakes/cookies/pies/fiery
fare/canned/dried/cheese/eggs)
Handicrafts Adult and Youth/Teen/Birdhouses
Literary Arts

Minerals & Mining

Needle Art

Photography

Plein Air - for free admission (can be turned in on June 16 and must pay to enter fair)

Quilting

Table Settings

Technology & Industrial/Ag Mechanics

Monday, June 2

10:00 am - 6:00 pm - Drop Off Entries

Fine Arts (Adult, Teen, Middle School) – Organ Room
Arts (Youth) – Green Room
Crafts (Teens/Youth) – Green Room
Literary Arts – Green Room
Photography – Organ Room

Wednesday, June 4

10:00 am - 6:00 pm - Drop Off Entries

Ag Mechanics/Technology & Industry – Corker Building
Canned & Dried Foods – Marshall Building
Crafts (Adults)/Table Settings – Marshall Building
Crafts – Table Settings – Marshall Building
Fiber Arts – Corker Building
Clothing & Sewing – Marshall Building
Needle Art – Marshall Building
Quilting – Marshall Building

Friday, June 6

Entry Forms due by 4:00 pm in Fair Office

Flowers & Plants/Fruits & Vegetable Entries Forms due

Monday, June 9

2:00 - 6:00 pm - Drop Off Entries

Fiery Fare – Marshall Building
Breads – Marshall Building
Cakes & Cookies – Marshall Building
Pies, Sweets – Marshall Building
Cheese Products – Marshall Building
Eggs – Marshall Building
Pee Wee Rodeo Entries - Office

Tuesday, June 10

2:00 – 7:00 pm - Drop Off Entries - Floriculture

Flowers, Plants & Potted Plants
Birdhouses, Garden Stakes & Garden Art

Wednesday, June 11

2:00 - 6:00 pm - Drop Off Entries – Organ Room

Minerals & Mining

2:00 - 7:00 pm - Drop Off Entries – Floriculture Building

Flowers & Plants All Other Entries
Fresh Flower Table Settings
Fruits & Vegetables/Feature Booths/Teen/Youth

2025 TENTATIVE STILL EXHIBIT JUDGING SCHEDULE

Subject to change - verify dates & times on website or call the Fair Office.
CHECK THE COMPETITION HANDBOOK FOR ENTRY FORM DUE DATES.

Saturday, February 15

All Day - Microbrew Competition (closed judging)
Entries due January 6 – February 3, 2025 in office
Alternate locations due January 6 – February 1, 2025

Friday, March 21

9:00 am – Commercial Wine Competition (closed judging)
Entries due Now – March 10, 2025

Saturday, April 26

9:00 am - Homemade Wine Competition (closed judging)
Entries due March 10 – April 14, 2025

Sunday, June 1

9:00 am 4-H/FFA/Grange English & Western Horse Show

Thursday, June 5

9:00 am Needle Arts (Adult/Teen/Youth)
9:00 am Fleeces
9:00 am Spun Fiber/Hand-woven

Friday, June 6

9:00 am Quilting (Adult/Teen/Youth)
12:00 pm Basketry
TBD Knitting & Crocheting (following Basketry)

Saturday, June 7

9:00 am Canned Goods & Dried Foods
9:00 am Clothing & Sewing
10:00 am Table Settings
10:00 am Ag Mechanics/Technology & Industry
10:00 am Fine Arts - Youth (after Table Settings)
10:30 am Handicrafts – Adult
TBD Handicrafts - Teen/Youth (following adult)
10:00 am Technology & Industrial/Ag Mechanics

Monday, June 9

10:00 am Fine Arts – Adults
11:00 pm Fine Arts – Grades 9 – 12,
Followed by Grades 6 - 8
1:00 pm Photography - Adults (closed judging) followed
by Teen & Youth
11:00 am Literary Arts

Tuesday, June 10

9:00 am Adopt-a-Spot (closed)
9:00 am Fiery Fair
10:00 am Breads
12:00 pm Baking & Sweets - Teen/Youth
2:00 pm Cakes/Cookies
Followed by Pies, Sweets
TBD Cheese Products
TBD Eggs (following Poultry Show)

Thursday, June 12

9:00 am Flowers & Plants – Adults
10:00 am Flower Table Settings - Adult/Teen/Youth
Garden Stakes, Birdhouses
10:00 am Flowers & Plants - Teen/Youth
10:00 am Minerals & Mining
10:30 am Fruits & Veggies - Adult/Teen/Youth
TBD Miss El Dorado Pageant

Friday, June 13

2:00 pm Pee Wee Rodeo
Mutton Bustin' follows Pee Wee Rodeo
6:00 pm Plein Air Painting

Saturday, June 14

2:00 pm Ranch & Gymkhana Horse Show
Following Goat Shows



NOTE TO EXHIBITORS: All rules contained in "State Rules for California Fairs" as established by the California Department of Food & Agriculture, Division of Fairs & Expositions apply to this Fair. A copy may be obtained at the local fair office or from the Division of Fairs & Expositions by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to 1220 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

2025 EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR

STILL EXHIBIT CASH & GIFT CERTIFICATES AWARDS

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show and/or Prize Money.)

Checks not picked up on June 16 after the fair must be picked up in the Fair Office by October 1st of the current fair year.

FINE ARTS

Award Sponsored by Placerville Art Association

People's Choice Adult - \$50 Award

Awards sponsored by Marshall Grange

Best of Show Teen (each Div 8–9) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Youth (Div 6) - \$25 Award

Scholarships Sponsored by Kathy Dunkak

Lorna Dillon Memorial Best Fine Art Scholarship (Div 9) - \$500

Lorna Dillon Memorial Best Fine Art Scholarship (Div 8) - \$250

BAKING & SWEETS

Awards sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

Ugliest Decorated Cake (Best of Div 241–243) - \$25 Award

Award sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

Fiery Fare (Div 244) - \$25 Award

CANNING & DRIED FOODS

Award Sponsored by Apple Hill® Growers Association

Apple Butter (Div 269) - \$25 Award

Award Sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

Best of Show Dried Foods (Div 274–276, combined) - \$25 Award

Awards Sponsored by UC Master Food Preservers

Paul Pecota Memorial Best Salsa (Div 270) - \$25 Award

Gloria Herbert Best Mustard (Div 270) - \$25 Award

Ginger Brooks Memorial Best Jam (Div 266) - \$25 Award

Jane Stanley Memorial Best Dessert Sauce (Div 271) - \$25 Award

Bernie & Evelyn Ritscher Best Pickle (Div 265) - \$25 Award

Pauline Keehn Memorial Best Pickled Asparagus (Div 265) - \$25 Award

Best Chili or Hot Sauce (Div 270) - \$25 Award

CLOTHING & SEWING

Award sponsored anonymously

Sweepstakes Awards (1st - \$13, 2nd - \$7, 3rd - \$5)

FIBER ARTS

Award sponsored by Hangtown Fibers Guild

The Jean Franklin Memorial—Best of Show Spun Fiber

(Div 92–93, combined) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Hand Spun (Div 94–95, combined) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Basketry (Div 6) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Crochet (Div 104–105, combined) - \$25 Award

Award sponsored by Lofty Lou's

Best of Show Knitting (Div 106–107, combined) - \$25 Award

FLOWERS & PLANTS

Awards Sponsored by Baker Logging

Best of Show Dried Arrangements (Div 177) - \$50 Award

Best of Show Fresh Arrangements (Div 181 - 183) - \$75 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers (Div 185 - 191) - \$75 Award

Awards Sponsored by Veerkamp Engineering

Best Boot Fresh or Dried: Adult - \$75 Award

Best of Show Cacti/Succulent (Div 171) - \$50 Award

Best of Show Table Setting (Div 457 - 458) - \$50 Award

Best of Division Roses: Adult \$25 Award

Awards Sponsored by Placerville Garden Club

Best of Show Potted Plants (Div 170 - 176) - \$50 Award

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Lavender (Div 184) - \$50 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers (Div 185 - 191) - \$50 Award

People's Choice Florals Niches: Silk, Dried or Fresh (Div 178) - \$100 Award

Best of Division 180 Fresh Arrangements (Div 180): Growers - \$100 Award

Best of Division 180 Fresh Arrangements (Div 180): Florists - \$100 Award

Teen Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Dried Flower Arrangements (Div 194) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Potted Plants (Div 195) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers (Div 197) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Fresh Flower Arrangement (Div 196) - \$25 Award

Youth Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Dried Flower Arrangements (Div 198 - 199) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Potted Plants (Div 200 - 202) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers (Div 206 - 207) - \$25 Award

Best of Show Fresh Flower Arrangement (Div 204 - 205) - \$25 Award

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Adult (Div 100–311, combined) - \$10 Award

Best of Show Adult (Div 323) - \$25 Award

Awards Sponsored by Gold Country Herb Society

Judge's Choice Adult (each Div 304–306) - \$10 Award

Awards Sponsored Fausel Ranch

Awards offered per class (Div 307–311 - 1st - \$3, 2nd - \$2, 3rd - \$1)

Best of Show Teen/Youth (Div 326–329, combined) \$30 Award

NEEDLE ARTS

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Sweepstakes Award (1st - \$13, 2nd - \$7, 3rd - \$5)

Award Sponsored Kelsey's Needle Crafts

Best of Division (Div 111–113) Gift Certificate

Award Sponsored by Hanging by a Thread

People's Choice (Div 111–116, Combined) - \$25 Award

Best Cross Stitch Sue Rees Memorial Award - \$25

Award Sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

Best Fair Theme - \$25 Award

PHOTOGRAPHY

Awards Sponsored El Dorado County Fair

Best of Show Adult - \$12 Award

Best of Show Teen/Youth - \$10 Award

Awards Sponsored by Placerville Art Association

People's Choice Adult - \$50 Award

QUILTS

Awards sponsored by Gold Bug Quilters

Best of Show Adult - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Appliqué Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Hand Quilted Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Machine Quilted Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Awards sponsored by High Sierra Quilters

Best Use of Color Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Specialty Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Miniature Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Best Pieced Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Award Sponsored by

Brothers Sewing and Vacuums, Cameron Park

Best Fair Theme Quilt / Judges Choice - \$25 + Ribbon

People's Choice - \$25.00

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

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Total Fees \$

Signature of Entrant

Fair Use Only

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Initials

EXHIBITOR'S CODE OF CONDUCT

While Participating in the El Dorado County Fair

As an exhibitor in the El Dorado County Fair:

I will ensure that I follow the competition rules, and do not use any questionable or unethical techniques in the creation of my entry.

I have read and understood all the rules and regulations found in the Entry Guide.

I will conduct myself at all times to be a credit to my community, and family.

I will follow proper procedures and the chain of command if there is a conflict.

I will not post negative comments or conflict on social media.

I am aware that **responsible alcohol use** is allowed on the fairgrounds and I will limit my use of alcohol so that I set a safe example for others around me.

I understand that direct criticism or **interference with the judge**, fair volunteers and staff, other exhibitors, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair volunteers and staff, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation, and respect. I will not allow any person connected with my project to direct abusive or threatening conduct toward any fair volunteer, staff or show official. Protest rules can be found in the Entry Guide.

I understand and agree that **if I** or any other person connected to my project **break the rules**, and/or violate the Code of Conduct, I will accept the final decision of the Fair Management regarding the disqualification of myself, the loss of prizes, the forfeiture of entry participation, loss of future eligibility, and forfeiture of any monetary or medals awarded.

I accept that **these entries are subject to the rules** and regulations as published in the official Entry Guide. I further declare that all statements made in connection with my entries are true.

Exhibitor's Name (Printed): _____

Exhibitor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Exhibitor's Name (Printed): _____

Exhibitor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Exhibitor's Name (Printed): _____

Exhibitor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

This document must be signed by: *All exhibitors participating in this entry/exhibit in the El Dorado County Fair Competition.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT ENTRY FORM
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Entrant's Name _____

_____/_____/_____
Date of birth Age Youth (13 & under) []
Teen (14-19) []

Phone (include area code) _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____

Do you prefer a ribbon if you place? YES [] NO [] Were you entered in Fair last year? YES [] NO [] Check here if your address has changed []

Division No.	Class No.	Please describe each entry. Use Entry Guide description if you don't have your own. Art and photo entries, please list title of work.	Entry Fees

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: Please accept the entries (property) described herein. I have read, understand and agree to abide by all the rules and regulations governing the Fair entries as published in the official Entry Guide. I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the El Dorado County Fair Association, the State of California, County of El Dorado, and each agencies, officers, agents, employees, volunteers and appointed and elected boards from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any and all persons in connection with my participation in the Fair and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged as a result of my participation.

I certify that I have read the statement listed above. I also certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Total Entry Fees \$ _____

TOTAL PAID \$ _____

Signature of Exhibitor OR Signature of Parent or Guardian of Exhibitor if under 18 years of age. _____

Date _____

Date _____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN & YOUTH EXHIBITOR'S CODE OF CONDUCT

While at El Dorado County Fair

As the exhibitor and/or parent guardian, leader or advisor of an exhibitor n the El Dorado County Fair:

I will ensure that myself and/or my child follows the competition rules, and does not use any questionable or unethical techniques in the creation of mine/their exhibit.

I have read and understood al the rules and regulations found in the Entry Guide.

I will conduct myself at all times to be a credit to my or my child's organization, chapter, club, school. community, and family.
I will follow proper procedures and the chain of command if there is a conflict.

I will not post negative comments or conflict on social media.

I am aware that responsible alcohol use is allowed on the fairgrounds and I will limit my use of alcohol so that I set a proper example for my child and the children of others and adults around me.

I understand that direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair volunteers and staff, other exhibitors, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty all judges, fair volunteers and staff, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect. I will not allow any person connected with my or my child's project to direct abusive or threatening conduct toward any fair volunteer, staff or show official. Protest rules can be found the Entry Guide.

I understand and agree that if I, my child, my child's supervisor or leader or any other adult or minor connected with my or my child's project break the rules, and/or violate the Code of Conduct, I will accept the final decision of the Fair Management regarding the disqualification of myself and/or my child, the loss of prizes, the forfeiture of entry participation, loss of future eligibility and forfeiture of any monetary award(s).

I accept that these entries are subject to the rules and regulations as published in the official Entry Guide. I further declare that all statements made in connection with my or my child's entries are true.

I will remember that youth participate to have fun while learning and that the competition is for their benefit, not adults.

Exhibitor's Name (Printed): _____

Exhibitor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parents, Guardians:

_____ Date: _____

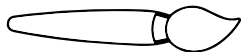
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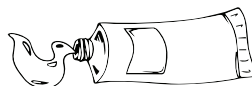
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This document must be signed by:

*All exhibitors participating in this entry/exhibit in the El Dorado County Fair Competition.



ARTS



FINE ARTS: PAINTING / DRAWINGS/ SCULPTURES & MORE PLEIN AIR PAINTING | FARM BUREAU PROJECT

ADULT DIVISION: FINE ARTS

Department Chair: Lynell Phillips

Entry forms due	Wednesday, May 21	4:00 pm	<i>At the fair office or midnight online</i>
Drop Off Entries	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am to 6:00 pm	<i>Fine Arts Department Organ Room</i>
Judged	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am	Judging is closed to the public.
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

PROFESSIONAL EXHIBITORS are for those professional artists who TEACH, SELL, or have gallery shows. If you are hired to create a piece of art for a client, you are considered a professional.

SEMI-PROFESSIONALS are for those who engage in arts and crafts work as a HOBBY or for the love of the work, they may sell some arts, however, do not make their living from the sales. If you have made \$1 or more in art, except for cash prizes, if you attend classes or clinics in art, you are no longer an amateur.

AMATEURS are those that treat art as a hobby only. They do not take professional classes; they have never made any money in art, except for cash prizes.

NOVICE artists have never won a blue ribbon in any show in art.

ADULT RULES

- Entries must be the original work of the exhibitor within two years of the opening date of the fair to be eligible for prize money.
- Entries shown in previous El Dorado County Fairs will not be accepted.
- Professional and Semi-Professional entries will be judged together as Division 3.
- Entries in any fine arts division may be framed.** All entries submitted on canvas or in frames must be ready for hanging with screw eyes and wire or they will not be hung. If no there isn't any backing on artwork (that can have Velcro attached) there must be a hanger attached.
- Size of entries is limited to no larger than 36"x48".
- All entries must have a title on the entry form.
- Copyright mark (©), the year of creation, and the author's name recommended for all creative works.
- Exhibitor's name shall be printed on the back of the entry. The exhibitor's name should not be exposed at the front of the picture. If a name is on the front, please cover it with tape.
- Nude studies or unpleasant, non-family-friendly pieces will not be accepted and/or displayed.
- Art Sales:** If professional or semi-professional artwork is for sale entries must be labeled "FOR SALE" and the price indicated on the entry form. If it is not listed for sale on the entry form and price, it will not be listed. El Dorado County Fair will retain a 20% commission. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Sales must occur during Fair & the purchaser must pick up the item on the release date, Monday following the close of Fair. Artists will be paid by check approximately two weeks following the Fair.
NOTE: Sales price may not be changed after the entry form is submitted. Amateur and Novice may not sell artwork.
- Insurance desired on any entry must be carried by the exhibitor. The fair will assume no responsibility for any article that is lost, stolen, or damaged.
- No entries will be released without a claim check or ID.
- No entries may be removed during the Fair.
- Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Prize money will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.**
- STATE RULES APPLY**
- Entries will not be accepted if the above rules are not followed.**

ENTRY FEES

NOVICE & AMATEUR: \$4 PER ENTRY

PROFESSIONAL & SEMI PROFESSIONAL: \$6 PER ENTRY

Best of Show ribbon will be awarded in each Division.

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Awards offered per class*

AMATEUR		
1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$10	\$6	\$4

PROFESSIONAL & SEMI PROFESSIONAL

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$25	\$15	\$10

People's Choice \$50.00

Sponsored by Placerville Art Association

***NOTE:** Award checks WILL NOT be mailed, checks not picked up with entries, must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

DIVISION 1 – FINE ARTS (Novice - never won blue ribbon before)

DIVISION 2 – FINE ARTS (Amateur)

DIVISION 3 – FINE ARTS (Semi-Professional & Professional)

CLASS # (2 dimensional)

1. Portraits – All Media
2. Landscape/Seascape – All Media
3. Still Life – All Media
4. Paint Your Pet – Any Media
5. Farm Art - Must feature crop, agriculture landscape – Any Media
6. El Dorado County Fair– All Media (other than the categories listed above)

7. Oil
8. Acrylic
9. Watercolor
10. Pastels
11. Mixed Media
12. Prints: Etchings, Lithograph, Silk Screen, Block Prints
13. Drawings: Pencil, Charcoal, Pen & Ink, Contemporary
14. Digital Art: created beginning with a blank digital canvas with a program such as Procreate
15. AI: created using a software program such as Midjourney
16. Any other Work of Art, not listed above, (specify)

THREE-DIMENSIONAL ART

ENTRY FEE: \$4 PER ENTRY

BEST OF SHOW \$25

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

RIBBONS ONLY

1st 2nd 3rd

DIVISION 895 – ADULT 3 DIMENSIONAL

CLASS #

1. Clay Sculpture

2. Glass Blown or Sculpted
3. Metal Sculpture
4. Wood Sculpture

5. Assemblage (more than one type of component)
6. Any 3-D work not included above.

TEEN & TWEEN DIVISION: FINE ART

Grades 6 - 12 Divisions Department Chair: Lynell Phillips

Entry forms due	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or by midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Fine Arts Department Organ Room
Judged	Monday, June 9	11:00 am (following Adult)	Judging is closed to the public.
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Organ Room</i>
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

RULES

- A. Exhibitors in Teen Division are limited to a total of five entries.
- B. Grades 9 - 12 Art entries must be mounted on matte board or construction paper. The fair reserves the right to reject any entry that cannot be hung.
- C. All entries must be the original work of the exhibitor.
- D. **Exhibits must be adequately and correctly labeled on the back of work (including name, age & title, if available).**
- E. Exhibitors wishing for insurance coverage must arrange for their own insurance.
- F. Overall **dimensions** must not exceed **20" x 24" for Teen Art**.
- G. Entries will be disqualified if the size is too large.
- H. Entries may be wrapped in plastic.
- I. The fair will use every precaution within its power for the safe preservation of all exhibits but will not be responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit.
- J. **Parent, Guardian, or Teacher signature is required on the entry form.**
- K. Division 8 and 9 judging will be done by the American Standards.

FREE TO ENTER

RIBBONS ONLY

1st 2nd 3rd

BEST OF SHOW EACH DIVISION 8 & 9

\$25 Award sponsored by Marshall Grange

Lorna Dillon Memorial \$250 Scholarship Division 8

Lorna Dillon Memorial \$500 Scholarship Division 9

DIVISION 8 – GRADES 6 - 8 - Maximum size: 20" x 24"

DIVISION 9 – GRADES 9 - 12 - Maximum size: 20" x 24"

CLASS # (Two Dimensional)

1. Drawings – crayon, pencil, charcoal, felt tip pen, pen & ink, colored pencil, pastels

2. Oil and Acrylic - Canvas Okay.
3. Watercolor
4. Mixed Media
5. Finger Paints (open only to Division 5)
6. Print making – block, stamp, thumb, any other, (specify)
7. Cartoon or Anime drawings/sketches.
8. Group Project (involves 3 or more students)
9. Animal Made Art
10. Paint Your Pet - any media
11. Digital Art: created beginning with a blank digital canvas with a program such as Procreate
12. AI: created using a software program such as Midjourney
13. Any other, not listed above, (specify)

YOUTH DIVISION: FINE ART

Youth Division Department Chair: Caroline Mueller

Entry forms due	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or by midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Youth Arts Department Green Room
Judged	Saturday, June 7,	10:00 am	Judging is closed to the public.
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Youth Arts Department Green Room
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

RULES

- A. Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class and a total of five entries.
- B. The fair reserves the right to reject any entry that cannot be hung.
- C. All entries must be the original work of the exhibitor.
- D. Exhibits must be adequately and correctly labeled on the back of work (including name, age & title, if available).**
- E. Exhibitors wishing for insurance coverage must arrange for their own insurance.
- F. Overall **dimensions** must not exceed **12" x 18" for Youth Art**.
- G. Entries will be disqualified if the size is too large.
- H. Entries may be wrapped in plastic.
- I. The fair will use every precaution within its power for the safe preservation of all exhibits but will not be responsible for loss or damage to any exhibit.
- J. Parent, Guardian, or Teacher signature is required on the entry form.**
- L. Youth Art judging will be done by the Danish Standards.

FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – in each DIVISION

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

BEST OF SHOW DIVISION 6

\$25 Award sponsored by Marshall Grange

DIVISION 5 – 5 years and under - Maximum size: 12" x 18"

DIVISION 6 – 6 through 10 years - Maximum size: 12" x 18"

CLASS # (Two Dimensional)

- 14. Drawings – crayon, pencil, charcoal, felt tip pen, pen & ink, colored pencil, pastels
- 15. Oil and Acrylic - Canvas Okay.
- 16. Watercolor

- 17. Mixed Media
- 18. Finger Paints (open only to Division 5)
- 19. Print making – block, stamp, thumb, any other, (specify)
- 20. Cartoon or Anime drawings/sketches.
- 21. Group Project (involves 3 or more students)
- 22. Animal Made Art
- 23. Paint Your Pet - any media
- 24. Any other, not listed above, (specify)

COLORING CONTEST: Coloring sheets can be picked up at Fair Office. Due dates to be determined.

PLEIN AIR PAINTING

What is Plein Air Painting you ask? Plein Air translates to “open air.” This term is used to describe paintings that have been created outdoors, rather than in the studio. Photo references are not used. So come to the Fair and capture the fun and excitement of fair time on your canvas!

Entry forms due by:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office (Free Fair Admission)</i>
OR	Friday, June 13,	12:00 pm	<i>At the Fair (Pay Admission)</i>
Check-In:	Friday, June 13,	12:00 – 2:00 pm	Fine Arts Department (Organ Room)
Judged:	Friday, June 13,	6:00 pm	
Pick Up Entry:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Fine Arts Building (Organ Room)

- Who:** Adults aged 18 or over. Pre-registration is not required, you may enter on the day of the competition. However, all pre-registered exhibitors will be given an entry ticket when they turn in their entry form.
- Where:** Check-in at the Fine Arts Department located in the Organ Room between Noon and 2:00 PM, on **Friday of the Fair**. The artist's canvas, paper, board, etc. must be stamped by the art exhibit staff upon check and they can begin painting immediately.
- What:** Bring your own art supplies and something to transport them; be ready to paint on location, within the Fairgrounds. Size limited to 36x36. Artwork must be affixed to a firm support board for display on an easel. No matting or framing of art is allowed.
- Judging:** Artwork to be completed and in the Organ Room by 6 PM for judging.

ARTWORK TO BE DISPLAYED THROUGH FAIR

ENTRY FEE: \$10

LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER EXHIBITOR

DIVISION 10 Class # 1

Prize Money

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$100	\$75	\$25

Awards will only be paid if there are 5 exhibitors or more.

Questions? Call the Fairgrounds at 530-621-5860

2025 Plein Air Contest | ENTRY FORM at the El Dorado County Fair

Mail your entry form and \$10.00 fee to: El Dorado County Fair, 100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

You may enter by Monday, June 9 to receive free admission into the fair; however, you may enter on the day of the competition but will not receive free admission into the fair.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

The exhibitor agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Fair, El Dorado County, and the State of California from and against any liability, claim, loss or expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) arising out of any injury or damage which is caused by, arises from or is in any way connected with participation in this program or event, excepting only that caused by the sole active negligence of the Fair. The Fair management shall not be responsible for accidents or losses that may occur to any of the exhibitors or exhibits at the Fair. The exhibitor is responsible for any injury or damage resulting from the exhibitor's participation in the program or event. This includes any injury to others or to the exhibitor or to the exhibitor's property.

I certify this entry will be my own work. I acknowledge that I enter at my own risk and that these entries do not violate copyright or trademark laws. I certify that I have read the statement listed above.

Signature: _____
(Original signature is mandatory)



BAKING & SWEETS

Department Head: to be determined



Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or by midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 9,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
Judged:			<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
* Fiery Fare	Tuesday, June 10,	9:00 am	
* Breads	Tuesday, June 10,	10:00 am	
* Youth, Teen	Tuesday, June 10,	12:00 pm	
* Cakes & Cookies	Tuesday, June 10,	2:00 pm	
Pies, Sweets	After Cakes & Cookies		
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

RULES

- All baked goods become the property of the fair.
- The following QUANTITIES are REQUIRED:
 - Muffins, Cookies, Brownies, Candies; ½ dozen (6)
 - Cakes, Bread; ½ loaf or ½ cake
- IF THE AMOUNT TO BE TURNED IN FOR JUDGING IS LESS THAN THE REQUIRED AMOUNT, THE ENTRY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED.
- Entry form must list the type of food.
- All food entries must be displayed in zip lock bags; DISHES WILL NOT BE RETURNED TO EXHIBITOR.**
- DO NOT put the exhibitor's name on the entry (do NOT label the zip lock bag). The name will be on the entry tag.

ADULT DIVISIONS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY	<i>award Best of Show.)</i>	
LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS	DIVISIONS 230 - 238	
PER PERSON	Awards Offered per Class	BEST UGLIEST DECROATED CAKE
BEST OF SHOW RIBBON	1 st 2 nd 3 rd	DIVISIONS 241 – 243 - \$25 Award
Division 230 - 237	\$ 5 \$ 3 \$ 1	Sponsored by El Dorado Disposal
<i>(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to</i>		

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

BREADS

(1/2 LOAF Only)

DIVISION 230	3. Raisin	6. Sweet Bread
CLASS #	4. White	7. Other, not listed above, (specify)
1. Buttermilk or Sourdough	5. Whole Wheat (more than ½ whole wheat flour)	
2. French		

QUICK BREADS

1/2 LOAF, APPROX. 1/3 POUND

DIVISION 231	1. Banana Nut	3. Zucchini
CLASS #	2. Pumpkin	4. Cornbread
		5. Other, not listed above, (specify)

BISCUITS, MUFFINS & ROLLS

HALF-DOZEN (6)

DIVISION 232

CLASS #

1. Baking Powder Biscuits

2. Cinnamon Rolls or Pastries

3. Yeast Rolls

4. Muffins, (specify)

5. Gluten Free

6. Low Sugar

7. Other, not listed above, (specify)

LAYER CAKES

1/2 CAKE

DIVISION 233

CLASS #

1. Layer, (specify) – *Filling may be the same as frosting or different*

CAKES

1/2 CAKE

DIVISION 234

CLASS #

1. Bundt Cake

2. Cake with Fruit/Vegetables

3. Pound Cake

4. Coffee Cake

5. Cheesecake

6. Cup cakes

7. Cake Pops

8. Gluten Free

9. Other, not listed above, (specify)

COOKIES

MINIMUM: 6 COOKIES

Each cookie must be uniform in shape and size. No matter the size or shape, they must be uniform.

DIVISION 235

CLASS #

1. Bar Cookies

2. Brownies

3. Chocolate Chip Cookies

4. Drop Cookies

5. Oatmeal Cookies

6. Peanut Butter Cookies

7. Rolled Cookies

8. Gluten Free

9. Snickerdoodle

10. Other, not listed above, (specify)

PIES & PASTRIES

SUGGESTED SIZE: 6-INCH PIES

DIVISION 236

CLASS #

1. Apple

2. Berry

3. Other Fruit Pies

4. Lemon Meringue

5. Chocolate Cream

6. Éclairs

7. Other, not listed above, (specify)

CONFECTIONS *SWEETS*

MINIMUM: 1/3 POUND OR 10 PIECES

DIVISION 237

CLASS #

1. Fudge

2. Candied Nuts

3. Peanut Brittle

4. Toffee

5. Other, not listed above, (specify)

DECORATED BAKED GOODS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON

RULES

- A. Decorated cakes of any type, including layer or loaf, that are suitable for special occasions or seasons are eligible.
- B. Decorations must be edible, except for candleholders and figurines. A mix of Styrofoam or cardboard form may be used, provided the shape is one that could reasonably be achieved through baking.

SCORE CARD

Execution of frosting technique

30%

Decoration (Exhibitor's choice of theme)

70%

TOTAL 100%

Awards Offered per Class

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

DIVISION 240 – DECORATED BAKED GOODS

CLASS #

1. Wedding
2. Birthday
3. Fair Theme
4. Cupcake
5. Cookie
6. Holiday Theme
7. Other, not listed above, (specify)

UGLIEST DECORATED CAKES

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY
Ribbons Only

RULES

- Cakes should be decorated as ugly as can be.
- No cakes decorated in bad taste or that are not family-friendly, will be accepted and/or displayed.
- Entries will be judged on looks only, however, may be tasted by a judge.
- No live animals, such as bugs and worms, may be used.

DIVISION 241: Youth (12 years of age and under)
DIVISION 242: Teen (13 – 17 years of age)
DIVISION 243: Adult (18 years of age and over)
CLASS #

- Ugliest decorated cake

FIERY FARE

Baked goods must be made with chili peppers and other hot spices. Fiery Fare in memory of Ned Heaney

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
PRIZE MONEY & BEST OF SHOW RIBBON
(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Best of Show Award - \$25
Sponsored by: **El Dorado Disposal**

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

DIVISION 244 – FIERY FARE

CLASS

- Breads – Minimum 1/3 loaf, and Muffins – ½ dozen

- Pies – Minimum 6"
- Cookies – Minimum 6"

TEEN & YOUTH DIVISIONS

FREE TO ENTER

Judged entries will be displayed in the Home Arts Building during the Fair.
Age determined as the opening day of fair.

TEEN & YOUTH entries: Danish Judging System

BEST OF SHOW Ribbons in each Division

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

BAKING & SWEETS SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

(Includes Divisions 245-248)

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$10	\$5	\$3

DIVISION 245 – AGES 5 and under

DIVISION 246 – AGES 6 through 10 years

DIVISION 247 – AGES 11 through 13 years

DIVISION 248 – AGES 14 through 18 years

CLASS

- Bread, any (½ loaf)
- Cake (½ cake)
- Candies (no plates, zip lock bags only)
- Cookies (no plates, zip lock bags only)
- Decorated Cakes (full cake)
- Cup cakes
- Other, not listed above, (specify)

FAMILY

FREE TO ENTER

American Judging System

NO PRIZE MONEY - RIBBONS ONLY

Items created by family members or a group of people working together.

DIVISION 252

CLASS

- Bread, any (½ loaf)
- Cake (½ cake)
- Candies (no plates, zip lock bags only)
- Cookies (no plates, zip lock bags only)
- Decorated Cakes (full cake)

- Muffins or Biscuits
- Bar Cookies or Brownies, (specify)
- Cup cakes
- Other, not listed above, (specify)



CANNING & DRIED FOODS

Department Head: UCCE Master Food Preservers of El Dorado County

UCCE Master Food Preservers may be offering class for children in the Spring;

March 8, 2025 & April 5, 2025. Contact the UCCE office for timeframe at 530-621-5502



Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Home Arts- Marshall Building
Judged	Saturday, June 7,	9:00 am	Open to the public
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm ONLY	Home Arts (Marshall) Building

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

LIMITED TO NON-COMMERCIAL ENTRIES ONLY

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. State and Local Rules and Regulations shall apply.
- B. Exhibitors must have prepared their own entries since the close of last year's fair, with the exception of "Family" entries. These may be created together, as a family project.
- C. All products being considered for the cash awards which have not otherwise been eliminated from consideration will be opened.
- D. Each food entry must consist of two (2) identical samples: one to be judged and one for the display exhibit. Vinegar, Cordials, Liqueurs, Honey, and Syrups are excluded. Please refer to Rule G below.
- E. All jars must be standard clear canning jars with a two (2) part lid and ring band closure. No products requiring refrigeration will be accepted. All canning must be in sealed jars. No paraffin wax.
- F. Labels must be no larger than 1"x2" or round and may be placed on the side of the jar (exception youth, teen) or on top of the lid. Labels must state the name of the product, the date canned, and the method used. (Example: the initials B.W. for Boiling Water canning, P.C. for Pressure Canning, S.T. for Steam Canning). **THE NAME OF THE EXHIBITOR MUST NOT BE ON THIS LABEL. TEEN & YOUTH:** Both jars MUST be labeled on their lids.
- G. Vinegars, Cordials, Liqueurs, Honey, or Syrups only: Containers must be as follows: One (1) Tamper-Proof, labeled bottle, jar, or other container for the display exhibit and one (1) labeled ½ pint or standard pint canning jar for the judging. **NEW:** High-acid foods that require a processing time of 45 minutes or less, may be processed in an atmospheric steam canner. The processing time is the same as for a boiling water canner, adjusted as necessary for altitude. For more information, use the USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning. <https://nchfp.uga.edu/resources/category/usda-guide> or QR Code below.
- H. Canning Methods: All low-acid foods, all vegetables, tomatoes containing vegetables, meat, poultry, or fish **must be canned under pressure**. All high-acid foods, jams, jellies, soft spreads, fruit, pickles, tomatoes, condiments, and juices must be processed in a boiling water canner or a steam canner. Borderline high-acid fruit, such as figs, tomatoes, tomato products, or Asian pears must be made more acidic by adding lemon juice or citric acid as directed in the USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning. For more information, refer to the National Center for Home Food Preservation website listed above or QR Code below. **NOTE:** Open kettle or inversion methods will not be allowed to enter.
- I. Dried products must have a minimum of ½ cup in each jar.
- J. American Judging is traditional placing: One first place, one second, and one-third place will be awarded. Danish judging is when exhibits are judged upon their own merit. There may be more than one first place, second place, or third place exhibit.
- K. **WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ACCEPTING PRODUCTS THAT DO NOT ABIDE BY THE ABOVE RULES AND USDA GUIDELINES. Due to safety issues, attach a list of ingredients for each entry.**
- L. TEEN Exhibitors may enter teen division if they are at least 14 years of age and have not yet had their 19th birthday before the opening of the fair. TEENS will be judged "American" and will receive ribbons, no prize money.
- M. YOUTH exhibitors may enter youth divisions if they have not yet had their 14th birthday before the opening day of the fair. Youth exhibitors will be judged by the "Danish" system and will receive ribbons (no prize money).
- N. Classes may be combined to ensure three (3) to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three (3) in a class.



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SPECIAL ADULT CATEGORY AWARDS

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

Award Sponsored by Apple Hill® Growers Association

Apple Butter - \$25 Award

Award Sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

Best of Show (Division 274 – 276, combined)

Awards Sponsored by UC Master Food Preservers

Paul Pecota Memorial Best Salsa - \$25 Award

Gloria Herbert Best Mustard - \$25 Award

Ginger Brooks Memorial Best Jam - \$25 Award

Jane Stanley Memorial Best Dessert Sauce - \$25 Award

Bernie & Evelyn Ritscher Best Pickle - \$25 Award

Pauline Keehn Memorial Best Pickled Asparagus - \$25 Award

Best Chili or Hot Sauce - \$25 Award

ADULT DIVISIONS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER EXHIBITOR

Awards Offered per Class

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

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON (Division 260 - 271)

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

BOTTLED JUICES

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1-pint to 1 quart

DIVISION 260

CLASS

1. Apple juice or cider, (specify)*
2. Berry juice

3. Tomato juice
4. Other, not listed above juice, (specify)*
5. juice or cider, (specify)*

Kombucha entries have been moved to the microbrew/homebrew Department.

***No fermented ciders**

CANNED FRUITS

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1-pint to 1 quart

DIVISION 262

CLASS

1. Apricots
2. Apples
3. Apple Sauce, (specify variety)

4. Cherries, (specify variety)
5. Grapes , (specify variety)
6. Peaches,
7. Pears, (specify variety)
8. Plums, (specify variety)

9. Berries, (specify variety)
10. Other Fruits, not listed above, (specify variety)
11. Other spiced or flavored, (specify)
12. Fruits, not listed above, (specify)

CANNED VEGETABLES, MEATS, POULTRY & FISH

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1-pint to 1 quart

DIVISION 263

CLASS

1. Beans, (specify variety)

2. Tomatoes, (specify variety)
3. Fish, Meat, or Poultry, (specify variety)

4. Broth, (specify)
5. Other, not listed above, (specify)

LOW SUGAR

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1-pint to 1 quart

DIVISION 264

CLASS

1. Bottled Juice
2. Jam (4 oz. - 1 pint accepted)

3. Jelly (4 oz. – 1 pint accepted)
4. Other, not listed above, (specify)

PICKLED/PICKLES

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1-pint to 1 quart

DIVISION 265

CLASS

1. Beets
2. Beans
3. Asparagus

4. Bread and butter
5. Cucumbers, dill, sliced
6. Cucumbers, dill, whole
7. Green Tomatoes
8. Sweet Jardinière

9. Peppers, (specify)
10. Fruit, (specify)
11. Vegetable, (specify)
12. Sauerkraut
13. Any other, not listed, (specify)

JAMS

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 266

CLASS

- | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| 1. Apricot | 6. Grape, (specify variety) | 13. Any Fruit Combination |
| 2. Apricot & Pineapple | 7. Kiwi | 14. Any Jam infused with alcohol, (specify) |
| 3. Blackberry | 8. Peach, (specify variety) | 15. Other Berry, not listed, (specify) |
| 4. Boysenberry | 9. Pepper, (specify variety) | 16. Any other, not listed, (specify) |
| 5. Fig | 10. Plum, (specify variety) | |
| | 11. Raspberry | |
| | 12. Strawberry | |

JELLIES

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 267

CLASS

- | | | |
|------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Apples, (specify variety) | 5. Orange | 10. Other Berry, not listed above, (specify) |
| 2. Blackberry | 6. Plum, (specify variety) | 11. Any other, not listed above, (specify) |
| 3. Grape, (specify variety) | 7. Pomegranate | |
| 4. Mixed flavors, (specify) | 8. Strawberry | |
| | 9. Any Jelly infused with alcohol, (specify) | |

PRESERVES

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 268

CLASS

- | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Fruit Combination | 3. Other, not listed, (specify) |
| 2. Tomato, (specify) | |

MARMALADES & BUTTERS

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 269

CLASS

- | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 1. Apple butter | 2. Butter, (specify) | marmalade, (specify) |
| | 3. Orange marmalade | 5. Other, not listed above Fruit marmalade, (specify) |
| | 4. Other, not listed above Citrus | |

CONDIMENTS & RELISHES

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 270

CLASS

- | | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. BBQ sauce | 3. Chutney | 7. Tomato Catsup |
| 2. Chili/Hot sauce | 4. Cucumber relish, (specify) | 8. Vegetable relish, (specify) |
| | 5. Mustard | 9. Tomato Sauce |
| | 6. Salsa | 10. Other, not listed above, (specify) |

GOURMET

Standard Clear Glass Jar – 1/4-pint to 1 pint

DIVISION 271

CLASS

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| 1. Fruit syrup, (specify) | 4. Honey, | 9. Fruit conserves, (Conserves consist of 2 fruits and a nut, coconut, or raisins) |
| 2. Flavored vinegar, herb, (specify) | 5. Honeycomb | 10. Dessert Sauce |
| 3. Garlic, Horseradish, Shallot | 6. Flavored Honey | |
| | 7. Liqueurs or cordials | |
| | 8. Other not listed above | |

ADULT DIVISIONS: DRIED FOODS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON (Division 274 – 276)

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Awards Offered per Class

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

DRIED FRUITS & VEGETABLES

1/4 pint, 1/2 pint, or 1 pint

DIVISION 274
CLASS #

1. Fruits, (specify)
2. Vegetables, (specify)
3. Nuts, (specify)
4. Other, not listed above, (specify)

DRIED SEASONINGS

1/4 pint, 1/2 pint, or 1 pint

DIVISION 275
CLASS #

1. Seasoning Combinations, (specify)
2. Flavored Salt, (specify)
3. Other, not listed above, (specify)

DRIED MEATS & FISH

1/2 pint, 1 pint, or 1 quart

DIVISION 276
CLASS #

1. Any meat, smoked, (specify)
2. Any meat, dried, (specify)
3. Other, not listed above, (specify)

TEEN DIVISIONS

Free to Enter

AGES 14-18

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

NO PRIZE MONEY - RIBBONS ONLY

American System of Judging

DIVISION 277
CLASS #

1. Any Berry Jam
2. Any Other Jam
3. Grape Jelly
4. Apple Jelly
5. Any Other Jelly
6. Preserves, Conserves & Butter
7. Dried Foods
8. Vinegars
9. Flavored Salts
10. Other, not listed above, (specify)

YOUTH DIVISIONS

Free to Enter

AGES 5-13

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

NO PRIZE MONEY - RIBBONS ONLY

Danish System of Judging

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

DIVISIONS 278 – 280

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

DIVISION 278 | 5 YEARS & UNDER
DIVISION 279 | 6 – 10 YEARS OLD
DIVISION 280 | 11 – 13 YEARS OLD

CLASS #

1. Any Berry Jam
2. Any Other Jam
3. Grape Jelly
4. Apple Jelly
5. Any Other Jelly
6. Other, not listed above, (specify)

FAMILY DIVISIONS

Free to Enter

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

American System of Judging

NO PRIZE MONEY - RIBBONS ONLY

Family Members or teams of Mentor and children may enter these classes.

DIVISION 281

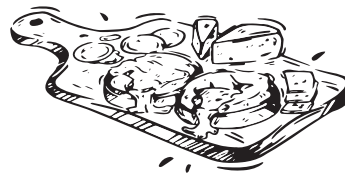
CLASS # – Specify flavors in each class

1. Jam & Jellies
2. Preserves, Conserves & Butter
3. Pickles, Relishes
4. Canned Vegetables
5. Other, not listed above, (specify)



CHEESE PRODUCTS

Department Head: to be determined



Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or by midnight online)	<i>at the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries	Monday, June 9,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
Judged	Tuesday, June 10,	3:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

RULES (State Rules Apply)

- All entries must be made from pasteurized goat or cow milk.
- All entries must have been made by the entrant.
- All entries must be placed in common zip-lock bags.
- A submission of four samples sufficient for judging.
- Cheese must be in a 6-inch approximate square piece.
- Entries become the property of the El Dorado County Fair.
- Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.
- Cheeses will be thrown out if not picked up on Monday following the Fair during designated times.**

NOTE: Award checks **WILL NOT** be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

ADULT DAIRY CHEESES DIVISION

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: FOUR ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in ADULT DAIRY CHEESES

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Rosette Ribbon

Awards Offered per Class

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

DIVISION 283

CLASS #

- Soft cheese (i.e. feta, ricotta, cream cheese)

- Semisoft cheese (i.e. blue, brie, mozzarella)
- Semi-hard cheese (i.e. Monterey jack, cheddar, Swiss)
- Any others, not listed, (specify)

TEEN & YOUTH DAIRY CHEESES DIVISION

FREE TO ENTER

Danish System of Judging.

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in TEEN & YOUTH DAIRY CHEESES

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Rosette Ribbon

Awards Offered per Class

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

DIVISION 284

5 YEARS & UNDER

DIVISION 285

6 – 10 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 286

11 – 13 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 287

14 – 18 YEARS OLD

CLASS #

- Cheese (please list type)



CLOTHING & SEWING

Department Head: Jill Baker and Peggy Riha



Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged	Saturday, June 7,	9:00 am	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
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ADULT DIVISION

HAND-WOVEN ITEMS – SEE WOOL DEPARTMENT

RULES (State Rules Apply)

- All small pieces, such as doilies, may be securely mounted on cardboard.
- Exhibits must be adequately cleaned and blocked.
- Stained, soiled or unsanitary items will not be accepted.
- Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

NOTE: Award checks **WILL NOT** be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: THREE ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW ROSETTE

CLOTHING & SEWING SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$13	\$7	\$5

Award sponsored anonymously

AWARDS OFFERED PER CLASS

1 st	2 ND	3 rd
\$5	\$3	\$1

DIVISION 126 – SMOCKING AND FRENCH HEIRLOOM SEWING CLASS

- Children's Wearing Apparel
- Other, not listed above, (specify)
- Non-Competitive

DIVISION 127 – WEARING APPAREL CLASS

- Sleepwear, (specify)
- Dress, Child's, or Adult's Dress
- Long, Formal, including Wedding
- Skirt or Pants
- Vest
- Blouse/shirt

- Jacket or Coat
- Apron
- Outfit, Adult or Child, 2 or more pieces
- Holiday
- Wearing Apparel accessories, (specify)
- Wearing Apparel, (specify)
- Non-Competitive

DIVISION 128 – CHRISTMAS/HOLIDAY CLASS

- Decor
- Table Runner
- Placemats/Napkin
- Kitchen or Guest Towel
- Other, not listed above, (specify)
- Non-Competitive
- Any other, not listed, (specify)

DIVISION 130 – OTHER SEWING CLASS

- Wall Hanging (not quilted)
- Pillow/PILLOWCASES
- Baby or Crib Items
- Placemat/napkin sets
- Other, not listed above, (specify)
- Non-Competitive

TEEN & YOUTH DIVISION

FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: THREE ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

Refer To Adult Department Rules.

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – in EACH DIVISION

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

Division 134 judged using the American System of judging.

Divisions 135 – 137 judged using the Danish System of judging.

DIVISION 134 – AGES 14 through 18 years

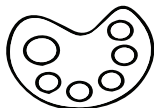
DIVISION 135 – 5 years and under

DIVISION 136 – 6 through 10 years

DIVISION 137 – 11 through 13 years

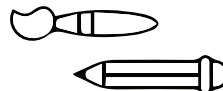
CLASS #

- Wearing apparel, any item, (specify)
- Wall Hanging
- Any other, not listed above item, (specify)



CRAFTS

Department Head: Jill Baker and Peggy Riha



ADULT

Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged			
Crafts	Saturday, June 7,	10:30 am	
Gourds	Saturday, June 7,	10:30 am	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Awards Offered per Class

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

DIVISION 20 – ADULT HANDICRAFTS

CLASS

1. China, painted
2. Boot Art (Decorate a boot)
3. Handcraft Jewelry
4. Stained Glass, Mosaic, Blown, or Fused

5. Ceramics
6. Pottery, Hand built & Wheel
7. Handmade Dolls
8. FAIR THEME
9. Handmade Cards

10. Rock, Painted
11. Diamond Dots
12. Recycled Household Products
13. Barn Quilts (max. 24X24 inches)
14. Egg, Decorated or Painted
15. Any Other, not listed above, (specify)

GOURDS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Awards Offered per Class

1 st	2 ND	3 rd
\$ 5	\$ 3	\$ 1

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class.

Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

DIVISION 33 – ADULT GOURDS

CLASS

1. Wood Burning (pyrography)
2. Painting
3. Carving/Filigree
4. Coiling
5. Other Gourd Art

TEEN & YOUTH

FREE TO ENTER

Department Chair: Caroline Mueller

Entry Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the Fair Office
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Youth Arts & Crafts Building
Judged:	Saturday, June 7,	Following Adult Crafts	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Youth Arts & Crafts Building

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED.

**LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS
PER PERSON**

**BEST OF SHOW RIBBON –
In each Division**

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to
award Best of Show.)

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

**Divisions 24 – 26 judged using the
Danish System of judging.**

**Division 27 judged using the American
System of judging.**

**OVERALL DIMENSIONS MUST NOT
EXCEED 20" x 28"**

**DIVISION 24 – 5 years and under
DIVISION 25 – 6 through 10 years
DIVISION 26 – 11 through 13 years
DIVISION 27 – TEEN ages 14 through 18
years
CLASS #**

1. Decorated Blue Jeans or
Tee Shirt
2. China, painted
3. Boot Art (decorate a boot)
4. Handcraft Jewelry
5. DUCT TAPE ART
6. Pottery, Hand built & Wheel
7. Textile Painting
8. Handmade Dolls
9. Egg Decorating, (specify)

10. Beadwork
11. Holiday Crafts
12. Handmade Cards
13. Rock, Painted
14. Paper Crafts (NO models or
kits allowed)
15. Nature Craft
16. Decorated Horse Shoe
17. Recycled Household
Products
18. Origami
19. Barn Quilts (max. 12X12
inches)
20. Egg, Decorated or Painted
21. Any other, not listed above,
(specify)

ADULT, YOUTH & TEEN BIRDHOUSES

Garden Stakes & Garden Art – See Fruits & Vegetables

Department Head: UCCE Master Gardeners of El Dorado County

Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 11,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	10:30 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

ADULT ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

TEEN & YOUTH: FREE TO ENTER

*Exhibitors should make birdhouses. If a birdhouse was
purchased, the exhibitor must do all decoration.*

Awards Offered per Class

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

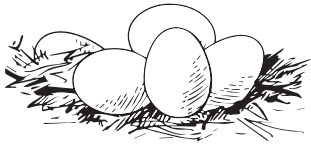
Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class.

Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

DIVISION 22

CLASS #

1. Youth Other, (specify)
2. Teen Other, (specify)
3. Adult Other, (specify)



EGGS

Department Head: Poultry Department



Entry forms due by	Thursday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries	Monday, June 9,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged	Tuesday, June 10	After Poultry Show	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 to 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

ALL EGG ENTRIES SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE HOME ARTS BUILDING.

Award checks **WILL NOT** be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

Rules

- Entry shall consist of six (6) **UN-WASHED** chicken or duck eggs in a carton.
- Eggs shall be judged on interior and exterior qualities and the judge reserves the right to break eggs if he deems it advisable to properly judge the exhibit.
- American System of Judging will be used.

Awards Offered per Class:

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

DIVISION 288 – EGGS – WHITE

DIVISION 289 – EGGS – BROWN OR TINTS

CLASS

- Small (18 – 20.99 ounces per dozen)
- Medium (21-23.99 ounces per dozen)
- Large (24-26.99 ounces per dozen)
- Extra Large (27 – 29.99 ounces per dozen)
- Jumbo (30 and over ounces per dozen)

*** Weight is per dozen. 6 eggs equal to ½ that weight ***



FIBER ARTS

Department Chairperson: Nicole Zink



FLEECES, FIBER, BASKETRY & WOOL | KNITTING & CROCHETING

THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE **HANGTOWN FIBERS GUILD**
FOR THE HELP IN SUPERVISION AND COORDINATION OF OUR WOOL DEPARTMENT.

Entry forms due by	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	<i>*Corker Building</i>
Judged			
<i>Spun Fiber</i>	Thursday, June 5,	9:00 am	
<i>& Hand-woven/Fleeces</i>			
<i>Basketry</i>	Friday, June 6,	Noon	
<i>Knitting & Crocheting</i>	Friday, June 6,	After Basketry	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>*Corker Building</i>
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

ADULT DIVISION

RULES FOR ALL WOOL DIVISIONS

STATE RULES APPLY

1. All entries **MUST** have been completed within two years of the opening day of this fair.
2. Entries entered in previous El Dorado County Fairs are not eligible.
3. **NOVICE** classes are for those exhibitors that have never won a 1st Place or Blue Ribbon in the category that they are entering i.e.: Fleeces, Spun Fiber, Knitted Items, etc.
4. Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

FLEECES DIVISIONS

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Only complete fleeces in the grease are eligible for competition; manufacturers and dealers are excluded. Fleeces shall not be more than 12 months growth. The definition of "12 months" shall be the definition commonly accepted by the wool trade. Thus, if a fleece is slightly more than 12 months growth, due to unavoidable delay in obtaining shearers, or by weather, it shall be termed "12 months" wool.
- B. Whether fleeces must be included in Whether classes **ONLY**.
- C. **All fleeces entered must have been sheared from sheep owned by the exhibitor and properly skirted.**
- D. Wool and Mohair fleeces must be presented in the best possible condition: skirted, properly rolled cut (flesh) side out, and placed in a large, clear, plastic bag. A 3 x 5 card must be inserted in the bag with the fleece listing the following information: 1) Owner's name & address, 2) Breed and sex of the animal, 3) Breed registration number if in a purebred class. **This card must be inserted in an envelope to conceal the information while judging. A lock of rinsed fleece, not washed with soap, must be attached to the envelope. Entries not following this procedure may be disqualified.** Nongreasy hair fleeces and fiber must also be presented in the best possible condition, skirted, and rolled in the paper of an appropriate size. Department Head reserves the right to refuse fleece that has not been properly submitted.
- E. Purebred fleece should be placed in a class that most appropriately fits that Breed's Standard description of wool grade. Market or cross-bred fleece should be placed in a class that most appropriately describes its individual wool grade.
- F. If the above rules and requirements are not met, the entry may be refused at drop-off.
- G. The judge has the authority to reclassify or disqualify fleeces before making awards.

ONE BEST OF SHOW RIBBON AWARD IN FLEECE
ONE PEOPLE'S CHOICE RIBBON "FAVORITE WOOL"

NOTE: Award checks **WILL NOT** be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Limit 3 Entries per Division.

Prize Money

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class.

DIVISION 80 – PUREBRED FLEECES/SHEEP

DIVISION 81 – NOVICE PUREBRED FLEECES/SHEEP

CLASS #

1. Purebred White Fine Wool (Cormo, Merino, Rambouillet)
2. Purebred White Medium or Down Wool (BFL, Columbia, Corriedale, Cheviot, CVM, Dorset, Finn, Jacob, Montadale, Oxford, Polworth, Polypay, Romeldale, Shetland, Southdown, Targhee)
3. Purebred White Coarse/Long Wool (Border Leicester, Coopworth, Cotswold, Lincoln, Perendale, Romney, Wensleydale)

DIVISION 82 – MARKET FLEECES/SHEEP

DIVISION 83 – NOVICE MARKET FLEECES/SHEEP

CLASS #

1. Crossbred White Fine Wool
2. Crossbred White Medium or Down Wool
3. Crossbred White Coarse/Long Wool

DIVISION 84 – NATURE'S COLOR FLEECES/SHEEP

DIVISION 85 – NOVICE NATURE'S COLOR FLEECES/SHEEP

CLASS #

1. Natural Colored (not white) Fine
2. Natural Colored (not white) Medium or Down Wool
3. Natural Colored (not white) Coarse/Long Wool

DIVISION 86 – WETHER FLEECES/SHEEP

DIVISION 87 – NOVICE WETHER FLEECES/SHEEP

CLASS #

1. White Wool
2. Natural Colored (not white) Wool

DIVISION 88 – ALL OTHER ANIMAL FLEECE

DIVISION 89 – NOVICE ALL OTHER ANIMAL FLEECE

CLASS #

1. Alpaca Huacaya, white
2. Mohair, white
3. Cashmere, white
4. Any Other, (specify), white

DIVISION 90 – ALL OTHER NATURE'S COLOR ANIMAL FLEECE

DIVISION 91 – NOVICE ALL OTHER NATURE'S COLOR ANIMAL FLEECE

CLASS #

1. Alpaca Huacaya, natural colored
2. Mohair, natural colored
3. Cashmere, natural colored
4. Any other, (specify), natural colored

SPUN FIBER DIVISION

THE JEAN FRANKLIN MEMORIAL – BEST OF SHOW \$25 AWARD (DIVISIONS 92 – 93, combined)

Sponsored by Hangtown Fibers Guild

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Skeins must be a minimum of 20 yards, must be tied in 4 places, and must be accompanied by a sample of un-spun fleece, fiber, or roving.
- B. A 3" x 5" card must accompany the skein and sample. The card must state: 1) fleece type, breed, or fibers used; 2) a number of ply; 3) what fiber preparation was used i.e. self-prepared, carded, combed, or commercial. If it is a blend, briefly describe how it was accomplished. OPTIONAL: If desired, the exhibitor may attach a 4"x 4" project sample that may be knitted, woven, crocheted, or other to be available for display and for touching by the public after judging.

DIVISION 92 – HANDSPUN YARN

DIVISION 93 – NOVICE HANDSPUN YARN

CLASS #

1. White Yarn (100% Sheep Wool) – state breed
2. Natural Colored Yarn (100% Sheep Wool) – state breed
3. Dyed Yarn (100% Sheep Wool) state dye type or method
4. Mohair (100% Angora Goat Wool)
5. Angora Rabbit (100%)
6. Silk (100%)
7. Plant Fiber (cotton, ramie, hemp, flax, rayon, bamboo, etc.)
8. Luxury Fiber (llama, alpaca, camel, quiviut, etc. must at least be 75% featured fiber)
9. Designer Novelty Yarn (Natural, colored, white or dyed)
10. Any other, mixed fiber blends not listed above, (specify)

HAND SPUN HANDMADE DIVISIONS

ONE BEST OF SHOW RIBBON AWARDED IN HAND SPUN-HANDMADE

BEST OF SHOW – \$25 AWARD (DIVISIONS 94 – 95, combined)

Sponsored by Hangtown Fibers Guild

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. A small skein of yarn (minimum of 10 yards) and a sample of un-spun fleece, fiber or roving used in the item must be attached to a 3"x5" card. OPTIONAL: Exhibitor may attach 4"x 4" project sample to be available for display and for touching by the public after judging. Linings and decorative elements of commercially made materials will be allowed – Note on card.
- B. All small items, such as doilies, baby socks, etc. may be securely mounted on cardboard or foam board.
- C. Yarn must be hand spun by exhibitor and finished item made by same sole exhibitor except for class 9 (group).
- D. All Items must be clean and blocked.

DIVISION 94 – 100% HANDSPUN & HANDMADE ITEMS
DIVISION 95 – NOVICE 100% HANDSPUN & HANDMADE ITEMS
CLASS #

1. 100% Handspun – Knitted – Afghan or blanket.
2. 100% Handspun – Knitted – Coat, sweater, vest, poncho or cocoon.
3. 100% Handspun – Knitted – Shawl, minimum 600 sq. inches
4. 100% Handspun – Knitted – Scarf, maximum 599 sq.

inches

5. 100% Handspun – Knitted – Accessory: socks, hat, gloves
6. 100% Handspun – Crocheted – Shawl, minimum 600 sq. inches
7. 100% Handspun – Any item by two or more people – any technique, (specify)
8. 100% Handspun other item, not listed above, (specify)
9. 100% Handspun – Felted item, (specify technique, wet, needle, other)

BASKETRY DIVISION

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

ONE BEST OF SHOW RIBBON AWARD IN BASKETRY
BEST OF SHOW – \$25 AWARD (DIVISION 96)

Sponsored by Hangtown Fibers Guild

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class.

Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All entries must be the work of the exhibitor and completed within two years of the opening day of the Fair.
- B. Entries entered the in previous El Dorado County Fair are not eligible.

- C. All entries must be accompanied by a 3 x 5 index card with the following info:

Fiber content, If it was dyed, who dyed it, and what type of dye was used, did you hand gather material, what is the end use of, the item and briefly tell the judge (25 words or less) anything pertinent to its creation.

DIVISION 96 – BASKETRY
CLASS #

1. Woven or plaited
2. Twined
3. Coiled, pine needle
4. Coiled, with any other materials
5. Miniature (maximum of 3 x 3 x 3)
6. Rib Style
7. Any other, not listed above.

TEEN WOOL DIVISION

FREE TO ENTER

Refer To Adult Department Rules.
American System of Judging used.
NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

DIVISION 97 – AGES 14 through 18 years

CLASS #

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| 1. Crocheted other, (specify) | 2. Knitted other, (specify) | 5. Weaving, (specify) |
| | 3. Spun Yarn, identify fiber | 6. Felting, (specify technique) |
| | 4. Fleeces, identify animal | 7. Any other item (specify) |

YOUTH WOOL DIVISION

FREE TO ENTER

Refer To Adult Department Rules.
Entries must use the Division Number appropriate to the age group.

Class Numbers are the same for all age groups.

Danish System of Judging used.

ONE BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

DIVISION 98 – 5 years and under
DIVISION 99 - 6 through 10 years
DIVISION 100 - 11 through 13 years
CLASS #

- | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Crocheted article, (specify) | 4. Weaving, (specify) |
| 2. Knitted article, (specify) | 5. Felting, (specify technique) |
| 3. Finger Knitting | 6. Any other item, (specify) |

KNITTING & CROCHETING DIVISIONS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON CROCHETED

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON KNITTED

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON HANDWOVEN

BEST OF SHOW KNITTING

(DIV 106 – 107, combined) - \$25 Gift Certificate

Sponsored by Lofty Lou's (www.knit.us)

BEST OF SHOW – \$25 AWARD (DIVISION 104 – 105, combined)

Sponsored by Hangtown Fibers Guild

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All small pieces, such as doilies, may be securely mounted on cardboard or foam board. OPTIONAL: Exhibitor may attach 4" x 4" project sample to be available for display and for touching by the public after judging.
- B. "Kit" items must be identified as such. The project was purchased as a kit with yarn and pattern selected.
- C. Exhibits must be clean and blocked. Stained or soiled items may be rejected when dropping items off.
- D. All items must be clean and "finished" in a manner appropriate for that item. For example, washing, pressing with or without steam, and/or blocking.
- E. Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

DIVISION 104 – CROCHETED ITEMS

DIVISION 105 – NOVICE CROCHETED ITEMS

CLASS #

- 1. Tablecloth, any
- 2. Afghan, squares or other shapes, pieced or sewn together
- 3. Afghan, multiple color designs, one piece construction
- 4. Afghan, single color (variegated if it's the only color) one piece construction
- 5. Afghan, other, (specify)
- 6. Afghan, Baby, any size, one piece construction
- 7. Adult Garment, any, (specify)
- 8. Child Garment, any, (specify)
- 9. Infant or Toddler Garment, any, (specify)
- 10. Shawl
- 11. Accessory (hat, scarf, purse, etc.)
- 12. Doily
- 13. Toy or pillow
- 14. Exhibitor's original design, (specify)
- 15. Any Holiday theme, wearable, (specify)
- 16. Any Holiday theme, non-wearable, (specify)
- 17. Any other, not listed above, (specify)

DIVISION 106 – KNITTED ITEMS

DIVISION 107 – NOVICE KNITTED ITEMS

CLASS #

- 1. Afghan, stranded, Intarsia, modular, mosaic, other, (specify)
- 2. Afghan, solid color, any technique, (specify)
- 3. Afghan, other, (specify)
- 4. Afghan, baby, any size
- 5. Infant Item, (specify)
- 6. Toddler or child garment, (specify)
- 7. Adult coat, sweater or vest, solid color, any technique, (specify)
- 8. Adult coat, sweater or vest, with color work as in Class 1 above.
- 9. Shawl

- 10. Accessory, hat, scarf, purse, mittens, fingerless mittens, etc., (specify)
- 11. Exhibitor's original design, knitted item, (specify)
- 12. Any Holiday theme, wearable, (specify)
- 13. Any Holiday theme, non-wearable, (specify)
- 14. Fair theme, any item, (specify)
- 15. Machine Knitted, Other, (specify)
- 16. Any other, not listed above, (specify)

DIVISION 108 – MACRAME

CLASS #

- 1. Wall Hanging up to 12 x 24
- 2. Wall Hanging larger than 12 x 24
- 3. Wearable
- 4. Plant Hanger
- 5. Other, (specify)

DIVISION 109 – HANDWOVEN WITH COMMERCIAL YARNS

DIVISION 110 – NOVICE HANDWOVEN WITH COMMERCIAL YARNS

DIVISION 123 – HANDSPUN/HANDWOVEN

DIVISION 124 – NOVICE HANDSPUN/HANDWOVEN

CLASS #

- 1. Small household items, placemat, napkin, dishtowel, etc.
- 2. Blanket, larger than a baby item.
- 3. Rug, tapestry technique, larger than 576 square inches.
- 4. Rug, not tapestry technique with yarn weft, larger than 576 square inches.
- 5. Rug with alternative weft, not yarn, larger than 576 square inches.
- 6. Wall hanging, with sleeve or hanger attached, smaller than 576 square inches.
- 7. Shawls and scarves.
- 8. Finished Garments made from Hand-woven fabric.
- 9. Household or utilitarian, (specify)
- 10. Any Holiday theme, (specify)
- 11. Fair Theme, any item, (specify)
- 12. All other items, not listed above, (specify)



FLOWERS & PLANTS

Department Chair: UCCE Master Gardeners El Dorado County



ARRANGEMENTS | DRIED | FRESH | SILK | ADOPT A SPOTS

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Sweepstakes will be awarded in accordance with State Rules IV-7.
- B. Judging will be done strictly according to the schedule. The American System of judging will be used.
- C. Every exhibit will be subject to departmental rules, but the Association will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage which may occur, and entries are made and accepted on this condition.
- D. The department chair will provide entry tags. Exhibitors must verify that the information on them is correct.
- E. Exhibits must be adequately and correctly labeled with the common name of the plant.
- F. Exhibit/entries are not to be touched or moved by the exhibitor after being placed by the department chair.
- G. Plant material and flowers should be well hardened and groomed.
- H. Plant material on State Conservation List may not be exhibited.
- I. Exhibits in the Flowers & Plants Department must have been grown by the exhibitor except for arrangement divisions.
- J. Exhibitors must provide drainage saucers for all potted plants.
- K. **Adult exhibitors must have owned potted plants at least 3 months prior to the beginning day of the Fair. (This rule does not apply to Youth exhibitors)**
- L. The fair will furnish containers for all entries in the cut flower division. No bottles, tin cans, or fruit jars are accepted.
- M. Entries must include the **EXACT** number of blooms, stems, etc. specified on entry form. **Removal of leaves is the exhibitor's choice.**
- N. No dressing, wiring, artificial flower, or fillers permitted. Wedging is permitted, provided by the exhibitor.
- O. In Cut Flower Division, a stem should contain just one flower, unless otherwise noted. The exceptions are Ageratum, Cosmos, Forget-Me-Nots, French Marigolds, Petunias, and some roses. The portion of the stem of these flowers may contain more than one bloom.
- P. Hybrid Tea Roses, Hybrid Perpetuals, and large Exhibition Dahlias to be shown debudded. Stems should be approximately 9 to 12 inches or in proportion to the flower.
- Q. **FRESH FOLIAGE** permitted in all arrangements unless otherwise noted.
- R. **FRESH FLOWERS OR PLANT MATERIAL** must be used in all arrangements except those specifically indicated otherwise. **NO ARTIFICIALLY COLORED** fresh plant material or **ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS** are permitted.
- S. In Fresh Arrangements, plant material need not have been grown by the exhibitor. Foliage or accessories are permitted in all classes of the Arrangements Division unless otherwise noted. No artificial flowers or dried flowers are allowed.
- T. All plant materials used in garden exhibits must be growing unless otherwise specified.
- U. Succulents may be classified by foliage. **NO ARTIFICIAL** foliage may be used.
- V. No Dry Arrangement entry will be accepted if the exhibit has been exhibited and placed at any previous El Dorado County Fair.
- W. **DRIED MATERIALS** may be sparingly colored and treated.

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours no later than October 1st of the current fair year.

GLOSSARY

ANNUAL: A plant that completes its outdoor cycle of growth in one year.

BIENNIAL: A plant that normally completes its outdoor cycle of growth in two years.

PERENNIAL: A plant that lives, blooms, and seeds for more than two years. Trees and shrubs are hardwood perennials.

HERBACEOUS PERENNIALS: A plant that lives longer than two years, but in colder climates dies back to the ground each winter.

SPIKE: A flower structure with flowers, stemless or very short-stemmed, on a common length stalk, i.e., Gladiolus.

SPRAY: Portion of a plant with a number of flowers on one stem, with at least two flowers open, i.e. Cosmos and Salpiglossis.

STEM: The main ascending part of a plant.

STALK: A stiff stem that may or may not branch one or more flowers and buds.

BLOOM: Individual flowers, one blossom on a stem, i.e., H.T. Roses, Carnations, all disbudded.

SPECIMEN: A single plant, fruit, vegetable, bloom or spike, spray, stalk or stem.

NOVICE: One who has not won a blue ribbon in any organized flower show. A novice may enter Novice, Amateur, and Open Classes.

AMATEUR: One who has won 10 or fewer blue ribbons in any organized flower show, and is not, or has not been, engaged in commercial enterprise. An amateur may enter Amateur and Open Classes.

OPEN: Open to all, including judges, amateur accredited judges, instructors, and professionals.

Fantasy Garden: A whimsical landscape that's filled with magic, mystery, and other fantastical elements.

Management reserves the right to remove all unsightly material from any exhibit.

ADULT

Entry forms due by	Friday, June 6,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Potted Plants	Tuesday, June 10,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Garden Steaks, Garden Art, & Birdhouses</i>			
Drop Off All Other Entries	Wednesday, June 11,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Flower Table Settings, Fruits & Vegetables, & the Potted Plants that accompany them.</i>			
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	9:00 am	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
Pick Up Commercial Entries	Tuesday, June 17	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>

All Flowers and plants left after pick up date will be thrown out.

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE BY OCTOBER 1ST.

SWEEPSTAKES GIFT CARDS

Sponsored by El Dorado Nursery

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$25	\$15	\$10

Awards Sponsored by Baker Logging

Best of Show Dried Arrangements: Adult - \$50 Award

Best of Show Fresh Arrangements: Adult - \$75 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers: Adult \$75 Award

Awards Sponsored by Veerkamp Engineering

Best Boot Fresh or Dried: Adult - \$75 Award

Best of Show Cacti/Succulent: Adult - \$50 Award

Best of Show Table Setting: Adult \$50 Award

Best of Division Roses: Adult \$25 Award

Awards Sponsored by Placerville Garden Club

Best of Show Potted Plants: Adult - \$50 Award

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Lavender: Adult - \$50 Award

People's Choice Florals Niches: Silk, Dried or Fresh: Adult - \$100 Award

Best of Division 180 Fresh Arrangements: Growers - \$100 Award

Best of Division 180 Fresh Arrangements: Florists - \$100 Award

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show and/or Prize Money.)

Thank you to all of our sponsors!

POTTED PLANTS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in each Potted Plant Division

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

Please state the size of the pot. Plants must be in pots NO LARGER than a 5-gallon pot.

DIVISION 170 – BEGONIAS

CLASS

1. Begonia, Tuberous, Fibrous
2. Begonia, Other, not listed above, (specify)

DIVISION 171 – CACTI AND SUCCULENTS

CLASS

1. Barrel Cactus
2. Echeveria (including Blue, Curly Leaf, etc.)
3. Holiday Cactus, any species
4. Aloe, any species
5. Crassula (including Jade Plant, Watch Chain, etc.)
6. Sansevieria/Dracaena (including Snake Plants, etc)
7. Aeonium (including Kiwi, Black Rose, etc.)

8. Agave
9. Sempervivum (including Hens & Chicks, House Leeks, etc.)
10. Euphorbia, any species
11. Haworthia (including Zebra Plant, etc.)
12. Kalenchoe (including Flapjack, Mother of Thousands, etc.)
13. Sedum, any species
14. Senecio (including String of Pearls, String of Turtles, etc.)
15. Mammillaria (including Pincushion, Powder Puff, Thimble, etc.)
16. Opuntia (including Paddle, Bunny Ear, Prickly Pear, etc.)
17. Cacti, Other, not listed above, (specify)
18. Succulent, Other, not listed

above, (specify)

19. Succulent Planter (3 or more)
20. Cacti Planter (3 or more)
21. Succulent and Cacti Planter (3 or more)

DIVISION 172 – AFRICAN VIOLETS

CLASS

1. Single Crown, any color, in bloom
2. Multiple Crown, any color, in bloom

DIVISION 173 – BONSAI

CLASS

1. Bonsai, Conifer
2. Bonsai, Broad Leaf

DIVISION 174 – MINIATURE POTTED ROSES

CLASS

1. Miniature Roses, any variety, with blooms

DIVISION 175 – POTTED PLANTS**CLASS #**

1. Coleus, any variety
2. Fern, any variety
3. Fuchsia, with blooms, specify if hanging
4. Geranium, any variety
5. Spider Plant
6. Creeping Charlie or Swedish Ivy
7. Philodendron
8. Wandering Jew

9. Pothos
10. Orchid, in bloom
11. In a Wheelbarrow, Big or Small
12. Potted in a unique container.
13. Carnivorous Plants
14. Bromeliads
15. Potted Plants, hanging, Other, not listed above, (specify)
16. Potted Plant, Other, not listed above, (specify)
17. Potted Tree, (specify)

18. Potted Shrub, (specify)
19. Potted Vine, (specify)
20. Nature's Container, not manmade, over 18 inches
21. Mini Garden, 8 inches or under
22. Water Garden
23. Fairy/Imagination Garden

DIVISION 176 – TERRARIUM**CLASS #**

1. Terrarium, must be covered

DRIED ARRANGEMENTS ONLY**ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS****Awards Offered per Class**

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

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – Divisions 177 - 178

(Must be at least 3 entries in each Division
to award Best of Show)

DIVISION 177 – DRIED ARRANGEMENTS**CLASS #**

1. Fair Theme
2. Wall Hangings
3. Gift Baskets & Packages Using Dried Arrangements
4. Wine Country – Arranged in a wine glass
5. Cowboy Boot Arrangement
6. 5" in all dimensions (including vase)
7. 3" in all dimensions (including vase)
8. Other, (specify)

**FLORAL NICHES: SILK, DRIED
AND/OR FRESH****ADULT ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS****TEEN & YOUTH: FREE TO ENTER****LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON****Awards Offered per Class**

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

NICHES: 22 1/2" wide, 27" high, 18" deep are provided. **LIMIT** of 12 niches. Silk, dried, and/or fresh plant materials. Accessories are allowed in niche. Background cloth advised. Extra points for using Fair Theme and lights.

DIVISION 178 – FLORAL NICHES**CLASS #**

1. Individual Entry
2. Group Entry

FRESH ARRANGEMENTS**ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS****LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON****Prize Money Offered per Class**

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

DIVISION 180 – Commercial/Professional**CLASS #**

1. Growers – Grower's Choice
2. Florists – Designer's Choice

FRESH ARRANGEMENTS**DIVISION 181 – NOVICE****CLASS #**

1. Home Grown Gardens (all components grown in own garden)
2. Go Green (include recycled material)
3. Cowboy Boot Arrangement
4. Fair Theme
5. Other, (specify)

DIVISION 182 - AMATEUR**CLASS #**

1. Home Grown Gardens (all components grown in own

- garden)
2. Into the Woods (a woodsy forest theme)
3. Cowboy Boot Arrangement
4. Fair Theme
5. Other, (specify)

DIVISION 183 - OPEN**CLASS #**

1. Home Grown Gardens (all components grown in own garden)
2. Ikebana Style (Traditional Japanese arrangement)
3. Cowboy Boot Arrangement
4. Fair Theme
5. Other, (specify)

LAVENDER

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – LAVENDER

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

DIVISION 184 – LAVENDER

CLASS

1. Lavender
2. Lavender products.
3. Dried Lavender Arrangement

CUT FLOWERS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – Divisions 185 – 191

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

DIVISION 185 – FLOWERING SHRUBS (*other than roses*)

CLASS

1. Hydrangea, 1 stem
2. Butterfly Bush
3. Camellia
4. Azalea
5. Other, not listed above, 1 stem, (specify)
14. Flowering Herbs, 5 stems, (specify)
15. Water lilies, 1 stem
16. Chrysanthemum, 1 stem
17. Ornamental peppers, 1 stem
18. Rudbeckia (Black Eyed Susan) 3 stems
19. Other, not listed above, 3 stems, (specify)

DIVISION 186 – ROSES

CLASS # *Please specify variety if known, with exception of classes 8 & 11*

1. Single petaled rose, any color, 1 stem, 1 bloom
2. Hybrid tea, any color 1 stem, 1 bloom
3. Hybrid tea, mixed colors, 3 stems, 3 blooms
4. Grandiflora, any color, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
5. Floribunda, any color, 1 stem, 1 spray
6. Floribunda, mixed colors, 3 stems, 3 sprays
7. Miniature, any color, 1 stem
8. Miniature, mixed colors, 3 stems, 3 sprays
9. Bi-color, any species, HT, Gr, Fl, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
10. Old-fashioned, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray
11. Any Other, not listed above, 1 stem, 1 bloom or spray, (specify)
12. Bouquet, mixed colors or all alike, 12 stems, 12 blooms

DIVISION 187 – PERENNIAL

CLASS

1. Coreopsis, 3 stems
2. Daisy, 3 stems, (specify type)
3. Geranium, 1 stem
4. Daylily, 1 stem
5. Lilies, Asiatic, Aurelian, oriental/trumpet cross (O.T.) or Oriental, 1 stem
6. Phlox, 1 stem
7. Snapdragon, 1 stem
8. Delphinium, 1 stem
9. Coneflower, 3 stems
10. Bearded Iris, 1 stalk
11. Carnation, 1 bloom
12. Hollyhock, 1 stalk
13. Stock, 1 stem

DIVISION 188 – MARIGOLDS

CLASS

1. Large, 3 stems
2. French Dwarf, double, 1 stem

DIVISION 189 – PETUNIAS

CLASS

1. Double, any color, 3 stems
2. Single, any color, 3 stems
3. Single, giant ruffle or fringed, all colors, 3 stems
4. Single, bi-color, 3 stems
5. Other, not listed above, 3 stems, (specify)

DIVISION 190 – ZINNIA

CLASS

1. Giant or Cactus, mixed, 3 stems
2. Giant or Cactus, any color, 1 stem
3. Large variegated or bi-color, 1 stem
4. Pompon, not over 2", any color, 3 stems
5. Other, not listed above, (specify), 3 stems

DIVISION 191 – ANNUALS

CLASS

1. Bachelor Button, 5 stems
2. Sweet Pea, 3 stems
3. Cosmos, 5 stems
4. Dianthus, pinks, 5 stems
5. Pansy, one color, 3 stems
6. Pansy, mixed colors, 5 stems
7. Salvia, 3 stems
8. Aster, double, 3 stems
9. Sunflower, 1 stem
10. Dahlia, 1 stem
11. Other, not listed above, (specify), 3 stems

FLOWER TABLE SETTINGS - ADULT, TEEN & YOUTH

Entry Forms Due By:	Friday, June 6,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop Off Potted Plants	Tuesday, June 10,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Garden Steaks, Garden Art, & Birdhouses</i>			
Drop Off All Other Entries	Wednesday, June 11,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Flower Table Settings, Fruits & Vegetables, & the Potted Plants that accompany them.</i>			
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	10:00 am	
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 pm – 6:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
All Flowers and plants left after pick up date will be thrown out.			
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

ADULT ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

TEEN & YOUTH: FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – TABLE SETTINGS

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

Displayed on your covered board, 24"x 28". Service for one, including a napkin, dish(es), centerpiece, etc. NO FLATWARE.

DIVISION 457 – FUNCTIONAL TABLE SETTINGS SILK OR DRIED CLASS #

1. Fair Theme

DIVISION 458 – FUNCTIONAL TABLE SETTINGS FRESH FLOWERS CLASS #

1. Fresh Flowers at the Table

TEEN

FREE TO ENTER

Judged using the American System.

Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

DIVISION 194 – 197

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Dried Flower Arrangements:

Teen - \$25 Award

Best of Show Potted Plants: Teen - \$25 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers: Teen - \$25 Award

Best of Show Fresh Flower Arrangements:

Teen - \$25 Award

DRIED FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

DIVISION 194 – AGES 14 through 18 years

CLASS #

1. Any theme, specify

FRESH FLOWERS ARRANGEMENTS

DIVISION 196 – AGES 14 through 18 years

CLASS #

1. Any theme

POTTED PLANTS

DIVISION 195 – AGES 14 through 18 years

CLASS #

1. Potted Plants
2. Blooming Plants
3. Dish Garden
4. Fantasy/Imagination Garden

CUT FLOWERS

DIVISION 197 – AGES 14 – 18 years

CLASS #

1. Annual, (specify) large – 1 stem/ small – 3 stems
2. Perennial, (specify) large – 1 stem/ small – 3 stems
3. Flowering Shrub, (specify) 1 stem
4. Rose, (specify) 1 stem

YOUTH

FREE TO ENTER

Judged using the Danish System.

Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show Dried Flower Arrangements: Youth - \$25 Award

Best of Show Potted Plants: Youth - \$25 Award

Best of Show Cut Flowers: Youth - \$25 Award

Best of Show Fresh Flowers Arrangement: Youth - \$25 Award

DRIED FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

DIVISION 198 – AGES 6 through 10 years

CLASS #

1. Any Theme, Specify

DIVISION 199 – AGES 11 through 13 years

CLASS #

1. Any Theme, Specify

POTTED PLANTS

DIVISION 200 - AGES 5 and under

DIVISION 201 – AGES 6 through 10 years

DIVISION 202 – AGES 11 through 13 years

CLASS #

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Potted Plants | 3. Dish Garden |
| 2. Blooming Plants | 4. Fantasy/Imagination Garden |

FRESH FLOWERS ARRANGEMENTS

DIVISION 204 – AGES 6 through 10 years
 DIVISION 205 – AGES 11 through 13 years
 CLASS #

1. Any Theme

CUT FLOWERS

DIVISION 206 – AGES 6 – 10 years
 DIVISION 207 – AGES 11 – 13 years
 CLASS #

1. Annual, (specify) large – 1 stem/ small – 3 stems
2. Perennial, (specify) large – 1 stem/ small – 3 stems
3. Flowering Shrub, (specify) 1 stem
4. Rose, (specify) 1 stem

PHOTO OF YOUR GARDEN – ADULT, TEEN & YOUTH

ADULT ENTRY FEE \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
 TEEN & YOUTH FREE TO ENTER

DIVISION 193 – Photo must be of a garden not a singular flower or plant.

Class #

1. Professional
2. Non-Professional
3. Novice



ADOPT-A-SPOT GARDENS

Department Head: Board of Directors

Entry forms due by	Friday, June 6,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Entries completed	Monday, June 9,	8:00 pm	
Judged	Tuesday, June 10,	9:00 am	Closed to public.

ADULT ENTRY FEE: \$10 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
 YOUTH ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

AMERICAN JUDGING.

Prize Money Offered per Class

“Adopt-A-Spot” must be permanently planted and tended.

Outdoor Garden entries must include *Garden Name* and *Garden Number* on the entry form.

Awards sponsored by the El Dorado County Fair Board

DIVISION 192 – ADOPT A SPOT
 CLASS # 1. Adult Open (Garden Plots
 larger than 100 square feet)

PRIZE MONEY:

Best Overall Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

Best Use of Fair Theme

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

Best Year-Round Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

CLASS # 2. Adult Open (Garden Plots
 smaller than 100 square feet)

PRIZE MONEY:

Best Overall Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

Best Use of Fair Theme

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

Best Year-Round Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$50	\$35	\$25

CLASS #3: Youth

PRIZE MONEY:

Best Overall Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$25	\$15	\$10

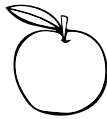
Best Use of Fair Theme

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$25	\$15	\$10

Best Year-Round Garden

1 st	2 nd	3 RD
\$25	\$15	\$10

Gardens will be inspected quarterly. Points will be given for gardens being well cared for, plants tended, dead headed, bug free and healthy, appealing, and creative. \$50 will be awarded in February 2025 for the best maintained Garden throughout the year.



FRUITS & VEGGIES



FRUITS | VEGETABLES | HERBS | GARDENING | DISPLAYS

THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE **UCCE MASTER GARDENERS** FOR THE SUPERVISION AND COORDINATION OF OUR AGRICULTURE/HORTICULTURE DEPARTMENT.

Department Head: UCCE Master Gardeners of El Dorado County

Entry forms due by	Friday, June 6,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop Off Potted Plants	Tuesday, June 10,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Garden Steaks, Garden Art, & Birdhouses</i>			
Drop Off All Other Entries	Wednesday, June 11,	2:00 – 7:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
<i>Including Flower Table Settings, Fruits & Vegetables, & the Potted Plants that accompany them.</i>			
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	10:30 am	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>
Pick Up Entries	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>*Flowers & Plants (Floriculture) Building</i>

All items left after pick up date will be thrown out.

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

ADULT

The quality desired in Fruits & Veggies (agriculture and horticultural) products exhibits is the quality that brings the best financial return in the commercial market, and such exhibits must be at least equal in maturity to that stage of ripeness required by Section 42513 of the Food and Agriculture Code to be considered for Prize Money. (Exception, non-ripe classes)

Section 42513: "Mature" means having reached that stage of ripeness which will ensure the completion of the ripening process to a degree that will insure palatability, after the removal of the product from the tree, plant, or vine. Section 42515: "Overripe" means having an advanced stage of maturity that causes the product to be undesirable for human consumption in a fresh state. A VARIETY OF PRODUCTS MUST BE ADEQUATELY AND CORRECTLY LABELED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIVISION AND CLASS AS APPEARS IN THIS COMPETITION HANDBOOK. IF THIS IS NOT DONE, ENTRY WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- Entry must include the exact number of fruits, vegetables, etc., as specified in the class description.
- El Dorado County Fair will furnish uniform containers for plate displays.
- Leafy vegetables can be brought in in plastic bag and herbs must be placed in pint jars for freshness.
- BUNCHES MUST BE TIED.**
- Fruits and vegetables may be entered in a "non-ripened" class and also may be from cold storage from the previous year's crop.

NOTE: *Award checks WILL NOT be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.*

DEFINITIONS

HOME GARDENER: A grower who raises produce for use by friends and family only. THE GROWER DOES NOT SELL THEIR PRODUCE.

COMMERCIAL PRODUCER: A grower who sells this

HOME GARDENER - VEGETABLES

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

NOTE: Unless otherwise stated, the type of vegetable desired for the exhibit will be the uniform commercial grade rather than overgrown. Monstrosities will not be considered for Prize Money.

Prize Money Offered per Class (exception: Monstrosities)

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

Awards Sponsored Anonymously

Best of Show (Division 300 – 311, combined): Adults - \$10

Best of Show each Division 323 Garden Stakes & Yard Art: Adults - \$10

FRUITS & BUSH VEGETABLES

PLATE DISPLAY

DIVISION 300

CLASS

- | | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Beans, Snap, Green – 12 | 3. Peppers, Bell – 4 | 7. Eggplant – 2 |
| 2. Peas – 12 | 4. Peppers, Other, (specify) – 4 | 8. Artichoke – 3 |
| | 5. Tomato, Early Market – 5 | 9. Asparagus – 1 bunch |
| | 6. Tomato, Other, (specify)– 5 | 10. Other, (specify) - 5 |

LEAF & STEM VEGETABLES

PLATE DISPLAY

DIVISION 301

CLASS

- | | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 1. Cabbage, 1 head, (specify) | 2. Chard, Swiss – 1 bunch | 5. Other, not listed above, (specify) – 5 samples |
| | 3. Spinach – 1 bunch | |
| | 4. Lettuce, Leaf – 2 plants | |

ROOT, BULB & TUBER VEGETABLES

PLATE DISPLAY

DIVISION 302

CLASS

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1. Beets, Garden – 1 bunch of four, tied | 6. Shallots – 5 |
| 2. Carrots, any type (name) – 1 bunch of six, tied | 7. Potatoes, – 5 |
| 3. Garlic – 6 | 8. Turnips – 1 bunch |
| 4. Onions, – 5 | 9. Radishes – 1 bunch |
| 5. Onions, green – 1 bunch | 10. Other, not listed above, (specify) – 5 or 1 bunch, tied |

VINE CROPS

PLATE DISPLAY

DIVISION 303

CLASS

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Cucumbers, slicing green – 3 | 4. Squash, table size green striped – 5 |
| 2. Cucumbers, pickling, dill size – 3 | 5. Squash, table size yellow – 5 |
| 3. Cucumbers, pickling, small size -6 | 6. Squash, mature fruits – 1 |
| | 7. Miscellaneous edible vine crops – 3 |
| | 8. Other, (specify) |

MONSTROSITIES

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Judge's Choice Award

DIVISION 319

CLASS

- | | |
|---------------------------|--|
| 1. Banana Squash – 1 | 3. Pumpkins, all kinds – 1 |
| 2. Squash, all others – 1 | 4. Tomatoes, any kind – 1 |
| | 5. Onions, any kind - 1 |
| | 6. Peaches, any kind - 1 |
| | 7. Walnuts, any kind – 1 |
| | 8. Others, not listed above, (specify) |

HOME GARDENER

HERBS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Limit, 2 entries per class per exhibitor Prize Money Offered per Class

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

Award Sponsored by Gold Country Herb Society
Judges Choice Award

\$10 for each Division 304, 305, 306

DRIED HERBS

Whole Dried Leaves, in 1/2 pint jar with lid.

DIVISION 304

CLASS #

- | | | |
|-------------|-------------|---|
| 1. Basil | 4. Dill | 9. Sage |
| 2. Bay | 5. Lavender | 10. Tarragon |
| 3. Cilantro | 6. Marjoram | 11. Thyme |
| | 7. Rosemary | 12. Any Other, not listed above cooking herb, (specify) |
| | 8. Oregano | |

FRESH HERBS

3 - 5 STEMS in pint jar.

DIVISION 305

CLASS #

- | | | |
|-----------|-------------|---|
| 1. Basil | 4. Cilantro | 9. Scented Geraniums |
| 2. Bay | 5. Lavender | 10. Tarragon |
| 3. Chives | 6. Oregano | 11. Thyme |
| | 7. Rosemary | 12. Any Other, not listed above cooking herb, (specify) |
| | 8. Sage | |

FRESH POTTED HERBS

Planted in a container of your choice.

DIVISION 306

CLASS #

- | | | |
|-------------|--|--|
| 1. Basil | 5. Scented Geranium | varieties, same species, (specify) |
| 2. Lavender | 6. Rosemary | 10. Fresh herb garden, minimum 3 varieties, each of a different species, (specify) |
| 3. Oregano | 7. Tarragon | 11. Fresh potted herb garden "FAIR THEME." |
| 4. Sage | 8. any Other, not listed above cooking herb, (specify) | |
| | 9. Fresh potted garden, minimum 3 | |

HOME GARDENER DECIDUOUS FRUITS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Prize Money Sponsored by Fausel Ranch

Awards Offered per Class

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

NECTARINES

PLATE DISPLAY (5 specimens)

DIVISION 307

CLASS #

1. Any variety, (specify)

PEACHES

PLATE DISPLAY (5 specimens)

DIVISION 308

CLASS #

1. Any variety, (specify)

CHERRIES

PLATE DISPLAY (5 specimens)

DIVISION 309

CLASS #

1. Any variety, (specify)

PLUMS

PLATE DISPLAY (5 specimens)

DIVISION 310

CLASS #

1. Any variety, (specify)

OTHER FRUITS

PLATE DISPLAY (5 specimens)

DIVISION 311

CLASS #

- | | |
|-----------|---|
| 1. Citrus | 2. Any other, not listed above fruit, (specify) |
| | 3. Non-Ripened Fruits, (specify) |
| | 4. Nuts, (specify) |

COMMUNITY & COMMERCIAL FEATURE BOOTHS

ENTRY FEE: \$10 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Non-Manned - Display only Booths
8' x 8' space in Agriculture Building

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- Must be Agriculture-related.
- Must be an El Dorado County Business or group/club.
- Examples of Community displays: 4-H groups, FFA

Chapters, Grange, Cattlewomen's Association.

- Examples of Commercial Displays: Nurseries, landscaping, Apple Hill Farms, Ranches, Feed Stores, etc.

DIVISION 313 – FEATURE BOOTHS

CLASS

- Community Feature Booth
- Commercial Feature Booth

GARDEN STAKES & YARD ART

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

(Also listed in Crafts section)

Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.

Create a garden stake using any materials. Garden stake cannot be taller than 36" or wider than 12".

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

DIVISION 323

CLASS

- Garden stakes
- Yard Art, specify

FRUITS & VEGGIES - TEEN & YOUTH

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

Each entry in these divisions shall have been made or produced by the exhibitor. Entries shall be made on Junior Department entry forms provided by the fair. **THE SIGNATURE OF A PARENT OR GUARDIAN IS REQUIRED.** State and local rules apply to all entries and scorecards in corresponding Adult and Junior Department classes and shall be used unless otherwise provided in these divisions.

Exhibitors who are enrolled in any junior organizations for which classes are offered elsewhere are not eligible to enter these divisions.

- Entries must use the Division Number appropriate to the age of the exhibitor. The age of the exhibitor is determined as of the first day of the fair.
- CHILDREN SHALL RECEIVE ABSOLUTELY NO HELP FROM ADULTS, VIOLATION OF THIS RULE WILL BE CAUSE FOR DISQUALIFICATION.
- The Danish system of judging will be used for teens and youth. The Danish System of Judging is based upon established standards of quality for each type of product.

FREE TO ENTER

(Must be at least 3 entries in each division to award Best of Show.)

Sponsored by Fausel Ranch

Best of Show (Division 326 – 329, combined): Teen/Youth - \$30

BEST OF SHOW RIBBONS: Classes 15—17

JUDGE'S CHOICE RIBBON (Divisions 326 – 329)

JUDGING SCALE – YOUTH: DANISH SYSTEM, TEEN: AMERICAN SYSTEM

DIVISION 326 - 5 YEARS & UNDER

DIVISION 327 - 6 – 10 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 328 - 11 – 13 YEARS OLD

DIVISION 329 - 14 – 18 YEARS OLD

Class Numbers are the same for all age groups.

CLASS # – Plate Display

- Beets – 1 bunch of four, tied
- Carrots – 1 bunch of six, tied
- Other Root, Bulb, Tuber Veggies not listed above, (specify) – 5 or 1 bunch, tied
- Lettuce – 1 bunch
- Cabbage, Spinach or Chard, (specify) – 1 bunch
- Peas, (specify) – 9
- Beans, (specify) – 12
- Peppers, (specify) – 4
- Tomato Early Variety, (specify) – 2

10. Asparagus – 1 bunch

11. Other Bush Vegetables not listed above, (specify) – 3

12. Cucumbers, (specify) – 3

13. Squash, (specify) – 3

14. Other edible vine vegetables, (specify) – 3

CLASS # – HERBS

15. Dried: Whole Dried leaves in ½ pint jar with lid, (specify)

16. Fresh: 3-5 stems 1 pint jar with no lid, (specify)

17. Fresh Potted: Planted in container of choice, (specify)

CLASS # – FRUIT – Plate Display (3 specimens)

18. Nectarines

19. Peaches

20. Cherries

21. Plums

22. Strawberries

23. Other, (specify)



LITERARY ARTS

Department Head: Kathy Dunkak



POETRY | SHORT STORIES | POSTERS

Entry Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the Fair Office
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Youth Art Building
Judged:	Monday, June 9	11:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Youth Art Building

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED.

TEEN DIVISION

Ages 14 through 18

FREE TO ENTER – Ages 14 through 18

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISIONS 350 – 351

People's Choice Ribbon

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- All entries must be original work, written in English, and unpublished.
- For judging purposes, the author's name shall NOT appear on entries.
- Author should keep a copy of their work.
- Entries may not be submitted to an editor or another contest during the period of this competition.
- For each entry, include a 3" x 5" card with the author's name, address, phone number, title of work, first sentence, division, and class numbers.
- Author retains all rights; however, the author must agree that entries may be displayed and used for publicity purposes at the discretion of the fair management.
- Teens, 14 through 18 years of age will be judged using the American System of Judging.
- Youth, ages 5 through 13 will be judged using the Danish System of Judging.
- Entry must be received on 8 ½ x 11 copy paper, which can be scanned into a computer to be electronically transmitted.

DIVISION 350 – TEEN SHORT STORY

CLASS #

- Short Story

FORMAT: One copy of a short story on 8½" x 11" white paper with each page numbered, titled, TYPED, single-spaced. The story should be between 1000 and 3000 words. The story should be titled.

DIVISION 351 – TEEN POETRY

CLASS #

- Poetry
- Fair Theme
- Haiku

FORMAT: One copy of each poem on an 8½" x 11" paper, TYPED, double-spaced. Maximum length: 24 lines. Any style, form, or subject is accepted. Booklets are okay. Titled.

YOUTH DIVISION

Ages 5 through 13

FREE TO ENTER – Ages 5 through 13

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISION 352

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Stories must be written by one student, no group entries
- B. Stories must not be more than 750 words
- C. Stories must be Titled and original
- D. Fact or Fiction
- E. Grammatically correct
- F. Danish Judging
- G. Typed, preferably, or neatly handwritten
- H. Written without reference to registered trademarks
- I. Entry must be received on 8 ½ x 11 copy paper, which can be scanned into a computer to be electronically transmitted.

DIVISION 352 – CREATIVE WRITING

CLASS

- 1. Ages 5 and under
- 2. Ages 6 through 10
- 3. Ages 11 through 13

POETRY & POSTER DIVISIONS

FREE TO ENTER UNTIL FRIDAY, MAY 30th

\$3 PER ENTRY JUNE 2 - 3rd

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON DIVISIONS 354 & 355

RULES for DIVISIONS 354 & 355 (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Create a poem and/or poster expressing your feelings and thoughts. Your poem may be a Haiku, Acrostic, Alliteration, or any other poetic format you choose.
- B. **POEM RULES:** The poem must be neatly written or typed using black ink on lined or unlined paper, 8 ½" x 11" white paper. You may create a border to frame your poem, no other illustrations should be added. On the back of the paper, please list your name, grade, school, and teacher, if home-schooled, please list "home-schooled."
- C. **POSTER RULES:** Posters must have a slogan or a title that matches the theme of the poster. On the back of the poster, please write, the name, school, and teacher, if home-schooled, print "homeschooled."
- D. Danish Judging.

DIVISION 354 – POEMS

Grades K-8th

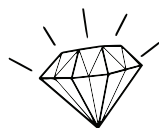
CLASS

- 1. Ages 5 and under
- 2. Ages 6 through 10
- 3. Ages 11 through 13

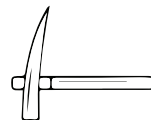
DIVISION 355

CLASS # | POSTERS

- 1. Ages 5 and under Posters
- 2. Ages 6 through 10 Posters
- 3. Ages 11 through 13 Posters
- 4. Ages 14 through 18 Posters



MINERALS & MINING



The purpose of this exhibit is to create interest in gems and minerals for collecting, lapidary arts and earth sciences. Any individual or organization may enter displays. There is no age limit.

THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE **EL DORADO COUNTY MINERAL & GEM SOCIETY.**

Department Chairs: Vaughna Dusek & Pam DiFilippo

Single piece jewelry items go to Crafts Department – Handicraft Jewelry

Entry forms due by:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 11,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	*Organ Room
Judged:	Thursday, June 12,	10:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	*Organ Room

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE BY OCTOBER 1ST.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- Specimens entered may be from any source and need to be correctly and adequately labeled. Specimens collected by exhibitor, rather than purchased specimens, will be given preference. The attractiveness of the display and the variety of material shall also be considered.
- Each exhibitor is to include a **Descriptive Label** including the identity of the piece and information about the exhibitor's collection/preparation of the piece. Also include a **Theme Label** in the display giving a description of the Class. **Examples:** Variety of Worldwide Minerals, Self-Collected Minerals, Mounted Gemstones, Lapidary Arts – Slabs (work done by exhibitor), etc. If there is only one specimen the theme label may be incorporated into the descriptive label.
- All previous first-place competitive entries must have at least 20% new material. However, past first-place winners may enter the same exhibit in a non-competitive class.
- Cases:** Fairgrounds shall provide cases including lights. The exhibitor shall provide case liners and risers. (Liners and risers are recommended to enhance the exhibit). Each entry is limited to one case or one-half case, depending upon the material. The display supervisor may assign smaller displays (such as single-specimen mineral, jewelry, lapidary) a portion of a case. Interior dimensions of a full display case supplied by Fairgrounds are: 45" wide x 22" deep x 22" high. Interior dimensions of a half case are: 42 1/2" wide x 22" deep x 22" high. The exhibitor may provide his or her own case(s). This should be noted on the entry form along with the dimension of the case(s). The maximum exterior dimensions of a case shall not exceed 49" wide x 24" deep x 24" high.
- Exhibitors are not limited as to the number of entries; however, they can only receive one award per person per class or two prize money awards per family per class.
- The judge shall not award a prize money or ribbon where there is insufficient merit.
- Judging shall be according to the American Federation of Mineralogical Society (AFMS) Uniform Rules as appropriate. These rules are available on the AFMS website (www.amfed.org) or from the El Dorado County Mineral and Gem Society. To the extent AFMS rules do not apply, scoring shall be in accordance with El Dorado County Mineral and Gem Society procedures. The decision of the judge in all matters is final.

ADULT (over 18 years old) COMPETITIVE DIVISIONS

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY

DIVISIONS 370 – 374

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

JUDGE'S CHOICE RIBBON

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed, checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours no later than October 1st of current Fair year.

DIVISION 370 – MINERAL SPECIMENS

Preference shall be given to specimens collected by the Exhibitor. Required labeling is to indicate whether or not specimens were collected by Exhibitor.

CLASS

1. Variety of worldwide minerals (**10 to 25 specimens**)
2. One worldwide mineral (**1 specimen**)
3. Variety of California minerals (**10 to 25 specimens**)
4. Single variety minerals (such as all quartz, and all calcite) (**5 to 25 specimens**)

DIVISION 371 – LAPIDARY ARTS AND GEMSTONES

Preference shall be given to work that has been done by the Exhibitor. Required labeling is to indicate whether or not work was done by the Exhibitor.

CLASS

1. Rough & finished examples from a variety of materials, (**5 to 10 specimens, each specimen rough & finished**).
2. Any style natural gemstones (not synthetic). Cut from the same variety of materials (all jade, all agate, etc.) or cut from a variety of materials; mounted or unmounted. (**5 to 10 specimens**)
3. Display of Faceted Gemstones. (**5 specimens**)
4. Any other lapidary (carving, geode halves, intarsia, etc.). (**3 to 20 specimens**).

DIVISION 372 – JEWELRY (also see Division 373 & 374) (Singular pieces should be entered into the Crafts Department.)

CLASS

1. Wire wrap, metal clay, silversmithing, cold-connections, casting, etc. (mounted stones allowed, but not judged). All work done by the Exhibitor. (**3 to 10 pieces**)
2. Mounted gemstones – Intarsia, inlay, faceting or cabochon work. All work including metal work/settings done by the Exhibitor. (**3 to 10 pieces**).
3. Specialty Techniques - enameling, lamp work, bead work, etc. All work done by the Exhibitor. (**3 to 10 pieces**).

DIVISION 373 – JEWELRY, PROFESSIONAL: Exhibitor teaches and/or sells (Singular pieces should be entered into the Crafts Department.)

CLASS

1. Metalwork, wire wrap, metal clay, silversmithing, cold-connections, casting, etc. (mounted stones allowed, but not judged). (**3 to 10 pieces**)
2. Mounted gemstones – faceting or cabochon work. All work including metal work/settings done by the Exhibitor. (**3 to 10 pieces**)
3. Specialty techniques – enameling, lamp work, bead work, etc. All work done by exhibitor. (**3 to 10 pieces**)

DIVISION 374 – EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY

CLASS

1. Mineralogy, geology, mining history, lapidary arts, or other earth science subject.
2. Any variety of worldwide mineral or fossil specimens (ex: Minerals of the Bible, Gems of Shakespeare, etc.). (**Minimum 5 specimens**)
3. Any single variety of worldwide minerals (ex. Fossils, petrified wood, obsidian, etc.). (**Minimum 5 specimens**)

NON -COMPETITIVE DIVISION

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY

NO PRIZE MONEY, NO RIBBONS

DIVISION 376 – DISPLAY

CLASS#

1. Any Mineral, Jewelry, or Lapidary Display.
2. Sea shells

3. Commercial mining and mineralogy

4. Suiseki and viewing stones

NOTE: Non-competitive exhibits can be anonymously displayed upon request.

TEEN COMPETITIVE DIVISIONS

(Ages 14 - 18)

FREE TO ENTRY

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

DIVISIONS 377 – 380

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

JUDGE'S CHOICE RIBBON

Danish System of Judging Used.

DIVISION 377 – MINERAL SPECIMENS

Preference shall be given to specimens collected by the Exhibitor. Required labeling is to indicate whether or not specimens were collected by the Exhibitor.

CLASS #

1. Variety of worldwide minerals (**10 to 25 specimens**)
2. One worldwide mineral (**1 specimen**)
3. Single variety minerals (such as all quartz, or all calcite) (**5 to 25 specimens**)
4. Variety of California minerals (**10 to 25 specimens**)

DIVISION 378 – JEWELRY *(also see 371 - 374)*

CLASS #

1. Handmade Jewelry—all metalwork, faceting, cabochon work done by the Exhibitor. Commercial settings may be used. (**3 to 7 pieces**)
2. Specialty Techniques – wire wrap, enameling, lamp work, bead work, etc. All work done by the Exhibitor. Findings and beads may be purchased. (**3 to 7 pieces**).

DIVISION 379 – LAPIDARY ARTS AND GEMSTONES

Preference shall be given to work that has been done by the Exhibitor. Required labeling is to indicate whether or not work was done by the Exhibitor.

CLASS #

1. Rough & finished examples from a variety of materials, (**5 to 10 specimens, each specimen rough & finished**).
2. Cabochon style natural gemstones (not synthetic). Cut from the same variety of materials (all jade, all agate, etc.) or cut from a variety of materials, mounted or unmounted. (**5 to 10 specimens**).
3. Specialty -- this class includes all lapidary workmanship not specifically included elsewhere; for example, soapstone carving, clocks, bookends, and spheres. (**Limit: 2 pairs or 4 pieces**)
4. Display of Faceted Gemstones. (**5 specimens**)

DIVISION 380 – EDUCATIONAL

CLASS #

1. Educational display relating to mineralogy, geology, mining history, lapidary arts, or other earth science subject.
2. Any variety of worldwide fossil specimens. (**3 to 10 specimens**)
3. Any variety of worldwide petrified wood and wood casts. (**3 to 10 specimens**)
4. Single fluorescent mineral (Labeled with fluorescent response/color) (**1 specimen for competitive purposes**). A shared fluorescent case will be supplied.

YOUTH COMPETITIVE DIVISIONS

(Ages 13 and under)

FREE TO ENTRY

DIVISIONS 382 – 384

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY
Danish System of Judging Used.

DIVISION 382 – MINERAL SPECIMENS

CLASS #

1. Variety of worldwide minerals (**5 to 25 specimens**)
2. One worldwide mineral (**limit 1 specimen**)
3. Single variety minerals, such as all quartz, or all calcite (**5 to 25 specimens**)
4. Variety of California minerals (**5 to 25 specimens**)

DIVISION 383 – LAPIDARY

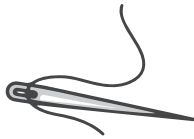
CLASS #

1. Specialty – this class includes all lapidary workmanship not specifically included elsewhere, for example, soapstone carving. (**Limit: 2 to 4 pieces**)
2. Lapidary Arts – nodules and/or geode halves (pairs or singles) with a polished surface. (**2 to 4 specimens**)

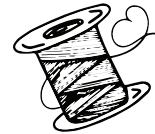
DIVISION 384 – EDUCATIONAL

CLASS #

1. Mineral-related display showing uses: Mineralogy, geology, mining history, etc.
2. Any variety of worldwide fossil specimens (**3 to 10 specimens**)
3. Any variety of worldwide petrified wood and wood casts (**3 to 10 specimens**)
4. Single fluorescent mineral (Labeled with fluorescent response/color) (**1 specimen for competitive purposes**). A shared fluorescent case will be supplied.



NEEDLE ART



CROSS STITCH | NEEDLEPOINT | BEADING | EMBROIDERY

Department Chairperson: Jill Baker and Peggy Riha

THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE **HANGING BY A THREAD CHAPTER EMBROIDERERS' GUILD OF AMERICA INC.** FOR THE SUPERVISION AND COORDINATION OF OUR NEEDLE ARTS DEPARTMENT.

Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00p pm (or midnight online)	At the Fair Office
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	*Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged:	Thursday, June 5,	9:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	*Home Arts (Marshall) Building

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ADULT

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
LIMIT: THREE ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON (Divisions 111 – 116)

****SPECIAL AWARD**

\$10 and Rosette Ribbon

NEEDLE ARTS SWEEPSTAKES AWARD

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$13	\$7	\$5

Award Sponsored Anonymously

Divisions 111 – 117

Awards Offered per Class

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

\$25 Gift Certificates for Best of Division

Divisions 111 – 113

Sponsored by Kelsey's Needle Crafts

Special Award for People's Choice \$25

Division 111 through 116

Sponsored by Hanging by A Thread Chapter

Best Cross Stitch Sue Rees Memorial Award \$25

Sponsored by Hanging by a Thread

Best Fair Theme Award \$25

Sponsored by El Dorado Disposal

****SPECIAL AWARD**

Eldest Senior winning a blue ribbon in Needle Arts. To compete for the special award the exhibitor must include the date of birth on the entry form.

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- All small pieces, such as doilies, may be securely mounted on cardboard.
- Exhibits must be adequately cleaned and blocked.
- Items deemed to be offensive or not family friendly will be judged, however, not displayed.
- Stained, soiled or unsanitary items will not be accepted.

DIVISION 111 - COUNTED THREAD (Design Size refers to the stitched area; do not include mats or frame when measuring)

CLASS

- Large Framed Picture – **Design Size** bigger than 24" in either direction
- Framed Picture – Design Size between 12" and 24" in either direction.
- Small Framed Picture – Design Size up to 12" in either direction
- Not Framed – Pillows, Bell Pulls, Etuis, Wearables, Boxes, Freestanding items, Household items, Christmas Stocking, Christmas Tree Skirt, Christmas Ornament, Christmas Wall Hanging, or any other Holiday, etc.
- Other Counted Techniques – Drawn Thread, Pulled Thread, Blackwork, Hardanger; etc.
- Non-competitive, any above, (specify)

DIVISION 112 – NEEDLEPOINT (Design Size refers to the stitched area; do not include mats or frame when measuring)

CLASS

- Large Framed Picture – **Design Size** bigger than 24" in either direction
- Framed Picture – Design Size between 12" and 24" in either direction
- Small Framed Picture – Design Size up to 12" in either direction
- Not Framed – Pillows, Bell Pulls, Etuis, Wearables, Boxes, Freestanding items, Christmas Stocking, Christmas Tree Skirt, Christmas Ornament, Christmas Wall Hanging, or any other Holiday, etc.
- Non-competitive, any above, (specify)

DIVISION 113 – EMBROIDERY

CLASS #

- 1. Framed items, Boxes
- 2. Not Framed – Pillows, Tablecloths, Household items, Bags, Free-standing items, Bell Pulls, Etais, Wearables, Boxes, Christmas Stocking, Christmas Tree Skirt, Christmas Ornament, Christmas Wall Hanging, or any other Holiday, etc.
- 3. Gold Work, “Or Nue.”
- 4. Stump Work
- 5. Other Embroidery Techniques – Needle weaving, Cut Work, Mount Mellick, Schwalm, Huck Toweling, hemstitched lines, etc.
- 6. Machine Embroidery
- 7. Non-competitive, any above, (specify)

DIVISION 114 – BEADING

CLASS #

- 1. Shapes, Wearables, Freestanding, Christmas Ornament, or any other Holiday, etc.
- 2. Framed Item, when over 50% of work is done in beads.
- 3. Non-competitive, any above, (specify)

DIVISION 115 – OTHER FIBER ART

CLASS #

- 1. Rug Hooking
- 2. Tatting
- 3. Any other, not listed above
- 4. Noncompetitive, any above, (specify)

DIVISION 116 – FAIR THEME

CLASS #

- 1. Any Needle Arts with current year’s FAIR THEME included in the design.

TEEN & YOUTH

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Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am - 6:00 pm	*Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged:	Thursday, June 5,	9:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	*Home Arts (Marshall) Building
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FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: THREE ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON – in each Division

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

Danish System of Judging Used, Divisions 120, 121, 122

American System of Judging Used, Division 119

Refer to Adult Department Rules.

Entries must use the Division Number appropriate to the age group.

Class Numbers are the same for all age groups.

DIVISION 119 – AGES 14 through 18 years

DIVISION 120 – 5 years and under

DIVISION 121 – 6 through 10 years

DIVISION 122 – 11 through 13 years

CLASS #

- 1. Stitchery (Cross Stitch, Needlepoint, Crewel Embroidery, Embroidery, Machine Embroidery, Beading, Punch Needle, etc.)



PHOTOGRAPHY

Department Head: Fabienne Dobkowski, PhD



ADULT/OPEN PHOTOGRAPHY DIVISIONS

Entry forms due by:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Organ Room
Judged:	Monday, June 9,	1:00 pm <i>Closed to the public</i>	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Organ Room
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

JUDGING CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

Adult Best of Show \$12 Award

Teen/Youth Best of Show \$10 Award

People's Choice Award: Adult - \$50 Award

Sponsored by from Placerville Art Association

Award checks WILL NOT be mailed.

ENTRIES MAY NOT BE FRAMED

GENERAL RULES FOR ALL EXHIBITORS

Adult, Teen & Youth, Professional, Semi-Professional, Amateur & Novice

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Entries must be entered in the appropriate class to receive judging. A judge has the authority to move an exhibit to an appropriate class.
- B. Entries must be the original work of the exhibitor, except for processing and mounting the final exhibition print.
- C. Entries must have been taken within the last year.
- D. Entries shown in any previous El Dorado County Fairs are not allowed.
- E. Exhibitor's name should be printed on the back of the picture. The exhibitor's name should not be exposed in front of the picture. **If the name is on the front, please cover it with tape.**
- F. Adult Photographs must have an image size of at least 35 square inches (i.e., 5"x7") and no larger than 320 square inches (i.e., 16" x 20") or up to 36"x48" for Professional entries.
- G. Nude studies, unpleasant and "non-family friendly" photos, or art **will not be accepted/displayed.**
- H. No entries will be released without a claim check or ID
- I. No entries may be removed during the fair, prior to release time.
- J. The fair will assume no responsibility for any entry that is lost, stolen, or damaged.
- K. Photographs printed on NON-TRADITIONAL PHOTO PAPER must be entered in the "ALTERNATIVE" category or class.
- L. Limit of one photograph per mat board or foam core.
- M. **Do not affix a hanger on the back of the mat board or foam core.** The mat board or foam core will be hung by adhesive Velcro strips. The Velcro strips will be provided and attached to the back of the mat board or foam core by Fair staff on the day the entry is dropped off. Velcro removal may result in some damage to the back of the mat board or foam core.
- N. Exhibitors may **ONLY** receive two prize money awards per class. If more than two prize money awards are placed, the two highest will be paid and the next highest placing exhibitor in that class will receive the awards. Ribbons will be awarded as placed.
- O. No Amateur or Novice exhibitors will be permitted to sell work displayed or judged at the fair.
- P. **ART SALES:** If professional or semi-professional artwork is for sale entries must be labeled "FOR SALE" and the price indicated on the entry form. If it is not listed for sale on the entry form and price, it will not be listed. El Dorado County Fair will retain a 20% commission. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Sales must occur during Fair & the purchaser must pick up the item on the release date, Monday following the close of Fair. Artists will be paid by check approximately two weeks following the Fair. **NOTE: Sales price may not be changed after the entry form is submitted.**
- Q. **Entries will not be accepted if the above rules are not followed.**
- R. **Adults will be judged based on the American System of Judging. Teens & Youth will be judged based on the Danish System of Judging.**

PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHERS

Are those photographers who engage in photography events or activities for monetary profit.

Example: Those professional artists who TEACH or SELL any art, have their work in a gallery or on a website for sales or promotion, or is hired,

with monetary gain, to take pictures.

The following rules apply to Professional Exhibitors only:

- S. **Professional photographers** are not permitted to enter Semi-Professional Divisions.
- T. Canvas Wrap is acceptable for PROFESSIONAL only.
- U. Mat board or foam core must be **WHITE**. **Colored matting or colored foam core WILL NOT be accepted. Double matting is acceptable.** Photographs should be affixed with photo-safe double-sided tape, 3M 77 Spray Mount, or hot set adhesive backers. **Do not use rubber cement.**

SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

Those who take photographs as a hobby or for the love of the work do not have art in galleries or for sale online. Semi-Pros may have taken workshops or classes in photography; however, they do not teach, they may have sold art, however, not as their livelihood, you may have a website. **A Semi-professional that wins BEST OF SHOW two or more times must move up to the Professional classes.**

AMATEUR

Photographers that take photos as a hobby; have never received any remuneration for their photos except for cash prizes or the cost of creating the artwork. Amateur exhibitors may not have taken extensive classes or workshops in photography. Amateurs do not have a website.

An Amateur that wins BEST OF SHOW two or more times must move up to the Semi-Professional classes.

NOVICE

Exhibitors may not have won 1st Place or Best of Show Ribbon in any Photography contest. Novice exhibitors do not and have not sold photos in the past nor have taken professional photo classes or workshops.

The following rules apply to Semi-Professional, Amateurs & Novice exhibitors only

- V. **Semi-Pro** may use WHITE mat boards. Double matting is acceptable.
- W. **Novice and Amateur** may NOT use mat boards. They should be affixed to WHITE foam core or heavy card stock.
- X. **Colored matting or colored foam core WILL NOT be accepted.**
- Y. Photographs should be affixed to mat boards or foam core with either photo-safe double-sided tape, 3-M 77 Spray Mount, or hot set adhesive backers. These may be purchased where art supplies are sold. **Do not use rubber cement.**

PROFESSIONAL

\$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

NO ENTRY LIMIT

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in EACH DIVISION

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division
to award Best of Show.)

Awards offered in each Class in

Professional Divisions

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$8	\$4	\$2

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

**SEMI-PROFESSIONAL,
AMATEUR & NOVICE**

\$4 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

NO ENTRY LIMIT

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in EACH DIVISION

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division
to award Best of Show.)

Awards Offered per Class in

Non-Professional, Amateur & Novice Divisions

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$8	\$4	\$2

Classes may be combined to ensure 3 to a class. Awards will only be paid if there are at least three in a class.

Checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

TRADITIONAL COLOR OR MONOCHROME

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted

Traditional Prints are any photos taken with film or digital, where the image has NOT undergone manipulation other than cropping, burning and dodging, normal color or density balancing, and spotting. A machine copy of the original image is acceptable. Traditional white photo paper must be used.

DIVISION 400 – NOVICE

DIVISION 401 – AMATEUR

DIVISION 402 – SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 403 – PROFESSIONAL

CLASS #

- 1. Color, Scenic Views
- 2. Color, Portraits
- 3. Color, Farm or Ranch life

4. Color, Animals

5. Color, Open – Any subject.

6. Black & White, Open – Any subject.

ALTERNATIVE

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted

Alternative prints are images manipulated beyond traditional photography dodge & burn color balance and spotting. This includes hand coloring, cross processing, photo collage, Photoshop, Painter Pro, Polaroid transfers, high dynamic range (HDR), panorama stitch, and other manipulations. Prints printed on "non-traditional" photo paper are considered alternatives.

DIVISION 404 – NOVICE

CLASS

DIVISION 405 – AMATEUR

1. Scenic Views

DIVISION 406 – SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

2. Portraits

DIVISION 407 – PROFESSIONAL

3. Animals

4. Events (*Journalistic, Parades, Festivals, etc.*)

5. Fair (any year or theme)

6. Open – Any subject not listed above.

SCENES OF EL DORADO COUNTY

Frames, colored matting, and double matting are NOT ACCEPTABLE.

El Dorado County scenes must have their location identified on the entry form and on the back of the photograph. Photographs may be of events in El Dorado County, landscapes, skylines, etc. However, "portraits" are not accepted. If there are three (3) or more entries in one area of El Dorado County, those photos will be judged in their own separate class.

DIVISION 408 – NOVICE

DIVISION 409 – AMATEUR

DIVISION 410 – SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 411 – PROFESSIONAL

CLASS

1. Color – El Dorado County – please specify the location
2. Monochrome (Black & White) – El Dorado County – please specify the location
3. Alternative – El Dorado County – please specify the location

ASTROPHOTOGRAPHY

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted.

Any camera may be used: Astro camera, cell phone camera, tablet camera, digital camera, etc.

DIVISION 412 – NOVICE

DIVISION 413 – AMATEUR

DIVISION 414 – SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

DIVISION 415 – PROFESSIONAL

CLASS

1. Night Sky – wide-angle star fields including some aspects of Earth (trees, mountains, buildings, etc.)
2. Solar System – Planets and the Sun.
3. Deep Space – Everything else through the telescope.

MOBIOGRAPHY

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted.

Photos are taken using electronic devices with built-in digital cameras. Examples: Mobile devices, personal pocket computers, compasses, field glasses, etc. All manipulation of photos taken with your electronic device must be done through apps on the same mobile device. (If you use your iPhone, all manipulation of your photo is to be done on your iPhone.) Through manipulation, more than one image may be combined into one entry.

DIVISION 417 – NOVICE

CLASS

DIVISION 418 – AMATEUR

1. People

DIVISION 419 – SEMI-PROFESSIONAL

2. Places/Scenery

DIVISION 420 – PROFESSIONAL

3. Animals

4. Random

5. Nature as a Prop, see example

6. Selfies

SNAPSHOTS (Point & Shoot)

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted.

Photo may be any size snapshot, 5" x 7" or smaller. Mount photo on WHITE Mat board or WHITE cardstock.

DIVISION 421 – NOVICE

1. Animals

DIVISION 422 – AMATEUR

2. Friends

CLASS

3. Family

4. Scenery

5. Any others

TEEN & YOUTH PHOTOGRAPHY DIVISIONS

Entry forms due by:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries:	Monday, June 2,	10:00 am – 6:00pm	<i>Organ Room</i>
Judged:	Monday, June 9,	following Adult Judging	<i>Closed to the public.</i>
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	<i>Organ Room</i>
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

FREE TO ENTER

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON in each Division

(Must be at least 3 entries in each Division to award Best of Show.)

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Photographs must have been taken by the exhibitor.
- B. All photographs must be mounted on **white foam core or heavy card stock** unless otherwise specified, no larger than 12" x 14", and must be labeled with the exhibitor's name and age on back. Photographs should be affixed with either photo-safe double-sided tape, 3-M 77 Spray Mount, or hot set adhesive backers. These may be purchased where art supplies are sold. **Do not use rubber cement.**
- C. **Do Not affix a picture hanger on the back of the heavy card stock or foam core.** The mat board or foam core will be hung by adhesive Velcro strips. The Velcro strips will be provided and attached by Fair staff on the day the entry is dropped off. Velcro removal may result in some damage to the back of the heavy card stock or foam core.
- D. No entries may be removed during the fair.
- E. Age determined by opening day of fair.
- F. No entries may have been entered in previous El Dorado County Fairs
- G. Danish system of judging for youth through 13 years
- H. American system of judging for ages 14 through 18 or the 12th grade.

DIVISION 423 – Ages 5 years and under

DIVISION 424 – Ages 6 through 10

DIVISION 425 – Ages 11 through 13

DIVISION 426 – Ages 14 through 18

1. Monochrome (Black and White)
2. Color
3. Alternative (manipulated): *Alternative prints are images manipulated beyond traditional photography dodge & burn color balance, and spotting. This includes hand coloring, cross processing, photo collage, Photoshop, Painter Pro, Polaroid transfers, high dynamic range (HDR), panorama stitch and other manipulations.*

MOBIOGRAPHY

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted.

Photos are taken using electronic devices with built-in digital cameras. Examples: Mobile phones, personal pocket computers, iPads, iPhones, compasses, field glasses, etc. All manipulation of photos taken with your electronic device must be done through apps on the same mobile device. (If you use your iPhone, all manipulation of your photo is to be done on your iPhone.) Through manipulation, more than one image may be combined into one entry.)

DIVISION 428 – 5 years and under

DIVISION 429 – 6 through 10

DIVISION 430 – 11 through 13

DIVISION 431 – AGES 14 through 18

CLASS

1. People
2. Places/Scenery
3. Animals

4. Random
5. Nature as a Prop
6. Selfies

SNAPSHOTS

UNFRAMED - framed snapshots will not be accepted.

Photo may be any size snapshot, 5" x 7" or smaller Mount photo on WHITE Mat board or WHITE cardstock. Do not frame, framed snapshots will not be accepted.

DIVISION 432 – 5 years and under

DIVISION 433 – 6 through 10

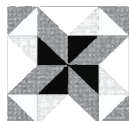
DIVISION 434 – 11 through 13

DIVISION 435 – AGES 14 through 18

CLASS

1. Animals
2. Friends

3. Family
4. Scenery
5. Any other



QUILTS



THE EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO THE **GOLD BUG QUILTERS** FOR THE SUPERVISION AND COORDINATION OF OUR QUILTS DEPARTMENT.

Department Head: Karen Hess for Gold Bug Quilters

Entry forms due by:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
Judged:	Friday, June 6,	9:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	Home Arts (Marshall) Building
ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.			

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- Division 141 – 149 – Entries must be at least 3 layers: 2 of fabric separated by layers of batting and held together by stitches. All entries must be quilted.
- Entries must be completed within the past year and never entered in previous county or state fairs. No antique quilts will be accepted.
- All entries for Classes 1-3 in Divisions 141, 142, and 146 must be entirely made by the entrant (1 person). If two or more people worked on the entry (piecing, quilting, binding, etc.), it must be entered in Class 4 (Quilts Made by 2 or More). **List those who participated in the construction of the entry and their part in the project in the description area of the entry form.**
- All entries for Division 143, 144, 145, and 147, Class 1 must be entirely made by the entrant (1 person). If two or more people worked on the entry (piecing, quilting, binding, etc.), it must be entered in Class 2
- Due to space limitations, some quilts may not be seen in their entirety or hung. All ribbon winners will be fully displayed. *Note: At the discretion of the quilt show coordinators, if a single class is determined to have too large a number of entries, it may be divided into two groups; also, quilts may be reassigned for judging purposes.*
- If your name appears on the entry, it must be concealed with a temporary covering (i.e. paper or masking tape over the name on the entry). This will be reviewed at the time of entry check-in. Please allow extra time at check-in for verification of entry specifications.
- All entries MUST have a standard 4-inch finished sleeve attached across the entire back top edge of the entry.**
- YOU MUST LIST THE LENGTH AND WIDTH IN THE DESCRIPTION ON ENTRY FORMS.**
- Large Quilts - Over 5100 square inches (width x length).
- Medium Quilts - Between 2916 and 5099 square inches (width x length).
- Small Quilts - Between 401 and 2915 square inches (width x length).
- Miniature Quilts - Must be miniature in scale and 400 square inches max., 20x20 (width x length) or less.

DEFINITIONS

- Quilts made by Two or More Persons** – More than one person involved in making the top, or quilting, or binding the quilt. **Please put all names on Entry Form.**
- Division 141 – Pieced Quilts** – The top of the quilt is made by piecing fabrics together either by hand or machine.
- Division 142 – Appliqué Quilts** – Techniques include: hand, machine, turned edge, fused or soft/raw edge.
- Division 143 – Hand Quilted Quilts** – Quilts must be hand quilted, may be pieced by machine or by hand.
- Division 144 – Free Motion Quilting** – Long arm or domestic machine may be used. No computerized or software designs allowed.
- Division 145 – Computerized Quilting** – The majority of the quilt top done on an embroidery machine or longarm machine using software.
- Division 146 – Mixed Techniques** – A quilt using multiple techniques such as embroidery and piecing, pieced background with appliqué on top, mixed pieced and appliquéd blocks.
- Division 147 – Miniature Quilts** – A miniature quilt is a scaled-down version of a larger quilt. Traditional Class includes pieced, applique, or a combination of both; Innovative Class includes techniques that bring something new to the quilt element reflecting creativity such as an idea, method, fabric, embellishment, or surface design.
- Division 148 – Art Quilt** – A quilt of any size that extensively uses non-traditional techniques to show originality in theory, design, color or techniques; must be an original design not using a commercial pattern.
- Division 149 – Specialty Quilts** – A quilt of any size that does not fit in the other categories such as: Photo Quilts, Memory and T-shirt Quilts, Yo-Yo, Cathedral Window, and Whole Cloth.
- Division 150 – Other Quilted Items** – Class 1 must be 3 layers, 2 of fabric separated by a layer of batting and held together by stitches. Class 2 thru 4 is defined as a minimum of 2 layers held together with stitches and may or may not have batting/stabilizer. Class 5 is defined as any quilt created using the Fair Theme design. All entries must be quilted and will be verified at entry check-in.

AWARDS & RIBBONS

First, second or third place ribbons are at the discretion of the judge.

ADULT AWARDS

Awards sponsored by Gold Bug Quilters

Best of Show - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Appliqué Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Hand Quilted Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Machine Quilted Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Awards sponsored by High Sierra Quilters

Best Use of Color Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Specialty Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Miniature Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon
Best Pieced Quilt - \$25 + Ribbon

Award Sponsored by

Brothers Sewing and Vacuums, Cameron Park
Best Fair Theme Quilt / Judges Choice - \$25 + Ribbon
People's Choice - \$25.00

ADULT

ENTRY FEE \$4 per entry per class

DIVISION 141 Pieced Quilts

CLASS

1. Large
2. Medium
3. Small
4. Two or More Persons (specify size)

DIVISION 142 Appliqué Quilts

CLASS

1. Large
2. Medium
3. Small
4. Two or More Persons (specify size)

DIVISION 143 Hand Quilted Quilts

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 144 Free Motion Quilting

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 145 Computerized Quilting

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 146 Mixed Techniques

CLASS

1. Large
2. Medium
3. Small
4. Two or More Persons (specify size)

DIVISION 147 Miniature Quilts

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 148 Art Quilts

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 149 Specialty Quilts

CLASS

1. One person
2. Two or More Persons

DIVISION 150 Other Quilted Items

(See Definition 11)

CLASS

1. Table runners/toppers, tree skirts, placemats, etc.
2. Wearables: One-piece items or multi-part ensembles, etc.
3. Handbags, all forms of tote bags, etc.
4. Other, (specify on the entry form)
5. Fair Themed

TEEN & YOUTH

FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER CLASS PER PERSON

Youth through 13 to be judged using Danish System.

Youth 14 through 18 to be judged using American System.

All Rules and Definitions apply

First, Second or third place ribbons are at the discretion of the judge.

DIVISION 138 – Youth: 8 years and younger

DIVISION 139 – Youth: Ages 9 – 13

DIVISION 140 – Teens: Ages 14 – 17

Class

1. Individual, made by 1 person
2. Group: Classroom, scouting/youth organization, 4-H, etc. (must involve 2 or more youths)



TABLE SETTINGS

ADULT | YOUTH | TEEN

Department Chairperson: Jill Baker & Peggy Riha (Adult), UCCE Master Gardeners (Fresh & Silk Flowers)

Entry Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>
Judged:	Saturday, June 7,	10:00 am	
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00pm – 6:00 pm	<i>Home Arts (Marshall) Building</i>

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 16 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Exhibitors are limited to two entries per class.
- B. Buffet table settings are NOT acceptable.
- C. Half a table will be furnished by the Fair Association (3'x3').
- D. Centerpieces may be used, such as flowers, candies, etc.
- E. Displaying the menu is required. A completely typed, printed or written menu on a 5"x7" card must be furnished. The menu may be for breakfast, lunch, or dinner.
- F. Linen, placemats, China, glassware, and flatware will be furnished by the exhibitor. The Fair Association will take reasonable precautions against theft and damage. All accessories should be marked with the name of the owner, but marking must not show in the exhibit when accessories are in place.
- G. Tables to be set for one place or two in accordance with the chosen setting.
- H. If perishables are used, they must be kept fresh for the duration of the fair.
- I. Sterling silver or other valuables must not be used in the setting.
- J. Flatware may be in place for judging but MUST be removed after judging only flatware can be removed after

judging. All other items MUST remain.

- K. Ideas for Themes:
 - a. Movie Titles
 - b. Book Titles
 - c. TV shows
 - d. Nursery Rhymes
 - e. Disney
 - f. Song Titles
 - g. Cartoon

YOUTH, TEEN & 4-H Additional Rules:

- L. Entrant is to set the table setting independently without adult direction or supervision.
- M. Beginning and intermediate divisions judged using the Danish System. Advanced division judged using the American System.

NOTE: Award checks WILL NOT be mailed; checks not picked up with entries must be picked up at the fair office during regular fair office hours.

FLOWER TABLE SETTINGS

SILK & FRESH - See Flowers and Plants Section

ADULT

ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
LIMIT: ONE ENTRY PER CLASS PER PERSON
LIMITED TO 7 ENTRIES TOTAL.

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Prize Money Offered per Class

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

DIVISION 450 – TABLE SETTINGS

CLASS #

- 1. Fair Theme
- 2. Other, (specify)

TEEN & YOUTH

FREE TO ENTER

LIMIT: TWO ENTRIES PER EXHIBITOR

NO PRIZE MONEY - RIBBONS ONLY

BEST OF SHOW RIBBON

Divisions 451 & 253 judged using the Danish System

Division 452 judged using the American System.

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

DIVISION 451 - BEGINNING
DIVISION 452 - INTERMEDIATE
DIVISION 453 - ADVANCED

CLASS #

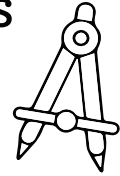
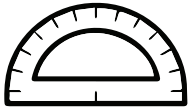
- 1. Fair Theme
- 2. Other, (specify)

TECHNOLOGY - INDUSTRIAL - AG MECHANICS

EXHIBITION ONLY OR EXHIBITION "BUY NOW" GALLERY SALE

4-H/FFA/GRANGE AG MECHANICS

FOR CONSIGNMENT IN THE JR. LIVESTOCK AUCTION



Department Head: Nicole Zink

Entry Forms Due By:	Wednesday, May 21,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the Fair Office
Drop Off Entries:	Wednesday, June 4,	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	*Corker Building
Judged:	Saturday, June 7,	10:00 am	*Corker Building
Pick Up Entries:	Monday, June 16,	2:00 – 6:00 pm	*Corker Building

ITEMS NOT PICKED UP BY JUNE 17 MAY BE DISCARDED. CHECKS NOT PICKED UP MUST BE PICKED UP IN FAIR OFFICE UNTIL OCTOBER 1ST.

ADULT ENTRY FEE: \$3 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

TEEN & YOUTH FREE TO ENTER

Danish Judging System

BEST OF SHOW RIBBONS

(Must be at least 3 entries in a division to award Best of Show.)

Industrial Arts • Drafting • Architectural Drafting • Electronics

CATEGORY 1 – Exhibition "Buy Now" Gallery Sale Items

DIVISION 460 – 4-H

DIVISION 461 – GRADES 7 – 9

DIVISION 462 – GRADES 10 – 12

DIVISION 463 – FFA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

DIVISION 464 – ADULT STUDENTS IN ROP

DIVISION 465 – ADULT

DIVISION 880 - GRANGE

RULES (LOCAL & STATE RULES APPLY)

- Adults & Students may enter each of the following categories: Drafting, Architectural Drafting, Graphic Arts, Electronics, Construction, and Manufacturing. A maximum of four (4) entries may be submitted by a student.
- All signatures and information necessary to determine that the exhibit is eligible must be on the entry form at the time of submission. Entry forms turned in without entry fees or required information will be rejected and returned to the exhibitor.
- Students and ROP:** Only projects constructed, fabricated, or made in school under the supervision of an instructor by a student enrolled in an Industrial & Technology Education course will be accepted. Verification from the registrar or administrator may be required.
- Students and ROP:** Only projects started on or after the first day of the current school year are eligible for entry.
- Students enrolled in the Industrial & Technology Education Program below the 7th-grade level will be permitted to enter the Industrial & Technology Education Competition only if in the instructor's opinion that the student's project is worthy of entry. If entry is made, it must compete in the 7th and 8th-grade levels.
- Regional Occupation Program (ROP) students** must enter the Division for the grade they are attending.
- If the project is for sale, please mark "for sale" with the sale price on the Entry Form. All inquiries regarding the sale of entry will be referred directly to the exhibitor or the department head.
- There are two options for entries in this Category, depending on which category you enter. The are: Exhibition Only, and Exhibition with "Buy Now" Gallery Sale. You must declare which one you are entering on your entry form and if you are wanting to sell it, provide a "Buy Now" price.
- For Sale:** If item is for sale, entry must be labeled "FOR SALE" and the price indicated on the entry form. If it is not listed for sale on the entry form and price, it will not be listed. Sales will be handled through the Fair Office. Sales must occur during Fair & the purchaser must pick up the item on the release date, Monday following the close of Fair. Exhibitor will be paid by check approximately two weeks following the Fair. **NOTE:** Sales price may not be changed after the entry form is submitted.

DRAFTING CLASSES

CLASS

- Printing Process (offset, block, embossing, etc.)
- Screen Process Printing
- Logo and/or Typography

CLASS # - WORK TO BE COMPLETED ON DRAFTING BOARD

- Mechanical Drafting – Multi-View Drawings (include orthographic projection)
- Mechanical Drafting – Pictorial or Multi-Views

6. Technical Illustration, Isometrics, Oblique and Perspectives

CLASS # - WORK TO BE COMPLETED ON COMPUTER

7. Mechanical Drafting – Multi-View Drawings (include orthographic projection)
8. Mechanical Drafting – Pictorial or Multi-Views
9. Technical Illustration, Isometrics, Oblique and Perspectives.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTING CLASSES

CLASS # - WORK TO BE COMPLETED on DRAFTING BOARD

10. Architectural Working Drawings, Construction Documents, (may include plans, elevations, sectionals, and details)
11. Architectural Renderings and Presentations, (may include color)
12. Plans and Models – Mechanical. (Any mechanical drawing where a model is constructed, a cut-a-way is made or any other 3-D method is used for illustration. Process photos are encouraged.)
13. Plans and Models – Architecture. (Any plan set and model that may be constructed of foam core, cardboard, or stick framing – no kits)

CLASS # - WORK TO BE COMPLETED ON COMPUTER

14. Architectural Working Drawings, Construction documents (may include plans, elevations, sectionals, and details)
15. Architectural Renderings and Presentations, (may include color)
16. Plans and Models – Mechanical (Any mechanical drawing where a model is constructed, a cut-a-way is made or any other 3-D method is used for illustration. Process photos are encouraged.)
17. Plans and Models – Architecture. (Any plan set and model (model may be constructed of foam core, cardboard, or stick framing). (no kits)

CLASS # - GROUP PROJECT

18. Where any two or more students collaborate on a project.

CONSTRUCTION -WOOD CLASSES

CLASS

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| 19. Electric Guitars | 24. Toy, jigsaw items |
| 20. Furniture Construction (a project with materials value less than \$150) | 25. Wood Turning |
| 21. Furniture Construction (a project with materials value greater than \$150) | 26. Any Other Project Not Listed (including construction projects and wood products), (specify) |
| 22. Hand Carving | 27. Group Project (any two or more students have collaborated on a project), (specify) |
| 23. Lathe Items | |

MANUFACTURING CLASSES

CLASS

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| 28. Sheet Metal | 32. Restoration Projects |
| 29. Welding Fabrication/Wrought Iron, Knives, Tin | 33. Group Project (any two or more students having collaborated on a project) |
| 30. Machined | |
| 31. Castings/Sculpture/Decorative Items | |



CATEGORY 2 – 4-H, FFA & GRANGE AG MECHANICS FOR CONSIGNMENT IN JR. LIVESTOCK AUCTION

DIVISION 460 – 4-H

DIVISION 463 – FFA

DIVISION 880 – GRANGE

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY):

- A. All exhibits must be produced by the exhibitor.
- B. Electric exhibits must be complete and in operating condition, when applicable.
- C. When necessary, exhibits are to be mounted on a base for structural support and proper presentation.
- D. Rocketry projects are to be entered in "Any Other Ag Mechanics, not listed" class.
- E. Metalworking and woodworking projects must include a description stating the cost of material or source and value if donated.
- F. Projects entered must have been started and finished in the current school year.
- G. Projects from assembly kits are not eligible for entry in this category.
- H. All entries in this category, if they are awarded a blue ribbon, will be sold in the Jr. Livestock Auction Silent Auction. Please provide the total cost to produce this project.
- I. Ag Mechanics exhibitors entering in this category must be enrolled in the current year's Ag Mechanics classes, FFA, Grange or 4-H projects.
- J. Projects must be supervised by an Ag teacher or 4-H or Grange leader.
- K. Projects must be awarded a **blue ribbon** in order to qualify for consignment in the Jr. Livestock Auction Silent Auction.
- L. Only one item can be sold, but you may enter a maximum of two items in each class.
- M. Exhibitors may sell a market animal and one silent auction item in the same year.
- N. A commission will be deducted from the final sale check by the Jr. Livestock Auction Committee, to pay for sale expenses.
- O. If there is a minimum bid amount, that **MUST** be marked on the entry form at the time of entry submission.
- P. Students selling silent auction items are expected to be present during the sale and assist with the Silent Auction as needed. Junior Livestock Auction Committee will retain a 7% commission.
- Q. Code of Conduct, Jr. Livestock Auction and Local Fair Rules and Regulations apply here, as well as the uniform rule.
- R. Any items that are not sold in the Silent Auction, must be picked up no later than Monday, June 16, from 2:00 to 6:00 pm.

CLASS

- 34. Metal Working (basic materials under \$200)
- 35. Metal Working (basic materials \$200 or more)
- 36. Wood Working (basic materials under \$200)
- 37. Wood Working (basic materials \$200 or more)
- 38. Restoration Projects
- 39. Electricity and Electronics
- 40. Welding Fabrication
- 41. Any Other Ag. Mechanical Project Not Listed in Class 34 - 40



Exhibitor's Name	Date of Birth	Age	Exhibitor's Signature**	Date	Parent's Signature (if exhibitor is under 18)**
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Email	Phone	Mailing Address	City	Zip
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Chapter/Club/Class (if applicable)	Project Leader/Advisor Signature (if applicable)**
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****RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** Please accept the entries (property) described herein. I have read, understand and agree to abide by all the rules and regulations governing the Fair entries as published in the official Entry Guide. I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the El Dorado County Fair and the State of California, their officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any and all persons in connection with my participation in the Fair and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or corporation who may be injured or damaged as a result of my participation. I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair and the State of California. I certify that I have read the statements listed above.

CONSULT ENTRY GUIDE FOR CLASS NUMBERS, ENTRY CLOSING DATES AND EXHIBIT RECEIVING DATES.

Fair Use Only	Division No.	Class No.	Category 1		Category 2 Min. Bid Amount Part of Ag Industrial project or class. First Place only.	Use Description in Entry Guide	Where instructed, specify name, kind, type, etc.	Entry Fee	Entry No. Fair Use Only
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HOMEMADE WINE

PRESENTED BY EL DORADO HOME WINE MAKERS ASSOCIATION



Department Head: Eileen Locasio, Mark Smet and Michael Frenn

Entry Forms & Entries Due : February 17 - March 17,
or <https://eldoradocountyfair.org/commercial-wine.html>

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

At the Fair Office

Judged: Saturday, March 29

Judging is closed to the public. Results will be emailed and published on our website.

THE ENTRY FEE IS \$11 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

BEST OF SHOW RED

BEST OF SHOW WHITE

AWARDS, NO PRIZE MONEY OFFERED

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All wines other than commercial wines or wines made by a winemaker employed by or owner of a bonded winery are eligible. Must be at least 21 years old.
- B. An entry consists of one (1) bottle (1/5 qt or 750 ml) for judging and display.
- C. Bottle must be labeled as shown with a 2" x 4" gummed label
Download label from website.
- D. **Please remove any foil capsules prior to submitting.**
- E. Entries become the property of El Dorado County Fair and will not be returned.
- F. All classes will be judged single-blind.
- G. GOLD, SILVER, and BRONZE ribbons will be awarded on the Danish System.

EL DORADO COUNTY HOMEMADE WINE	
DIVISION	CLASS
Wine Variety	
Vintage Date or NV	
Vineyard (if known)	
Wine Maker's Name	

DIVISION 480 – HOMEMADE WINES

CLASS #– RED WINE

- 1. Zinfandel
- 2. Cabernet Sauvignon
- 3. Cabernet Franc
- 4. Petite Syrah
- 5. Barbera
- 6. Merlot
- 7. Sangiovese
- 8. Syrah
- 9. Red Blends (Please specify varietals & percentage)
- 10. Other Red Wines (Please specify varietal)

CLASS #– WHITE WINE

- 11. Chardonnay
- 12. Sauvignon Blanc
- 13. Chenin Blanc
- 14. Viognier
- 15. White Blends (Please specify varietals & percentage)
- 16. Other White Wines (Please specify varietal)

CLASS – ROSÉ WINE

- 17. Any Rosé (Please specify varietals)

CLASS – DESSERT WINE

- 18. Any Red or White Dessert Wine (Please specify varietal(s))

CLASS – NON-GRAPE FRUIT WINE

- 19. Any Non-Grape (Please specify)

WINE LABEL COMPETITION

Entry Forms & Entries Due:
Results Displayed at Fair:

Wednesday, May 21, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
June 12 – 15

At Fair Office

ENTRY FEE IS \$3 PER ENTRY

Use Adult Entry Form

NO PRIZE MONEY OFFERED

RIBBONS 1st – 3rd ONLY

American Judging

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. Label must be mounted on 5" x 8" card stock, Series entry card stock can be longer than 8" to fit multiple labels.
- B. Limit of two entries per exhibitor.
- C. Open to all, any winemaker (commercial or homemade), any artist, or individual.

DIVISION 481 – WINE LABELS

CLASS

- 1. Label Series
- 2. Classical
- 3. Whimsical
- 4. Artistic
- 5. Painted/Etched Bottle

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Date ____ / ____ / ____

Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Fair Use Only

Receipt No. _____

Initials _____

WHAT'S NEW IN 2025 LIVESTOCK

General

*Questions regarding livestock entries or eligibility should first be directed at your leader. If your leader doesn't have the answer, see the Livestock Office next to the show ring.

*No companion animals are allowed on grounds during the livestock show ever.

*All YQCA certificates are now due on April 23rd, to be submitted as whole submission by program leader/advisor (similar to previously).

*Market Animal Entries – Exhibitors may only enter 2 market animals per species!

*Livestock Exhibitors will pay a \$5.00 Safety Contribution per youth. *In order to provide better security for our livestock exhibitors and continue to allow exhibitors to enter/exit through the "Livestock Gate" we will be staffing the gate with professional security. It is critical that **ONLY THOSE WEARING LIVESTOCK WRISTBANDS UTILIZE THIS GATE**. This gate is not for the general public, and we don't want to require exhibitors and their families to have to access the fair through the general public gates. Excludes primary exhibitor entries.

Cattle

*Market Steer paid to max weight has been adjusted to 1,350 lbs.

*All steers entered in the Fair will need to be shown at the "Pre-Fair practice show". This is a way to ensure all market steers are show broke and ready to be brought to the Fair.

Poultry

*Poultry show will be split into 2 days – Market Show on Tuesday, June 10 and

Show Birds will show on Wednesday, June 11.

*Poultry exhibitors have to select one poultry showmanship, either Show Birds, Market or Turkey. Exhibiting in one of these fulfills the requirement for selling market poultry in the Jr. Livestock Auction.

Goats

*No companion goats allowed on-site.

*Goats may not be shown by more than one (1) exhibitor. No sharing of animals in 4-H, FFA or Grange exhibits.

*Primary goat entries limited to one (1) entry per exhibitor and sharing goats among family members is prohibited.

*Pack Goat Show has been moved to Monday, June 9th at 5pm

2025 EL DORADO COUNTY PRE-FAIR LIVESTOCK

IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday, February 1 All Day	(120 days prior to June 1st Horse Show Date) Ownership / Leasing deadline for Horse project animals
Thursday, February 13 All Day	(120 days prior to start of Fair) Market Steer Ownership Deadline Deadline for Owning & Leasing Alpaca / Llama project animals
Thursday, February 13 thru Wednesday, February 19 4:00 PM at Fair Office	Market Steer – Ownership Documents Due (<i>Ear tag Form, YQCA, Bill of Sale and Photo</i>) Ownership / Leasing proof of Alpaca & Llama animals Documents due Ownership / Leasing Proof for Horse project animals Documents due
Tuesday, April 1 4:00 PM in Fair Office	Livestock RV Application Deadline
Monday, April 14 All Day	(60 days prior to start of fair) Market Hog, Market Lamb & Market Goat Ownership Deadline
Monday, April 14 thru Wednesday the 23 4:00 PM at Fair Office	Market Lamb, Goat & Hog – Ownership Documents Due (<i>Market Lambs & Market Goats = Ear tag Form, Bill of Sale copy & Photo and Market Hogs = Ear tag Form, Bill of Sale copy, Photo & Prop 12 signed statement from Breeder</i>)
Wednesday, April 23 4:00 PM	Quality Assurance Certificates due – Must be turned in by one Leader or Advisor for entire program (4-H, FFA, Grange & Independent) with cover page listing in alphabetical order all livestock exhibitors included with packet. Leader signatures deadline. Any entry forms submitted that are missing leader signatures, must be signed and fully executed as an “approved entry” document.
Through Wednesday, May 7 4:00 PM at Fair Office	ALL LIVESTOCK ENTRY FORMS DUE – INCLUDING DOG PROJECTS
Wednesday, May 14 ALL DAY	Ownership Deadline for: Breeding Cattle, Show Rabbits, Market Rabbits, Breeding Sheep, Feeder Lambs, Breeding Gilts, Feeder Hogs, Show Birds & Market Birds, Market Turkeys.

NOTE: Please have all livestock exhibitor passes, RV passes and Carnival Wristbands purchased by entry due date (May 7) and picked up before Friday, June 6.

Livestock parking passes will be handed out on Load-in Day, one pass will be given to each family (number of family members or vehicles you own is irrelevant).

A BIG THANK YOU

To the members of the Junior Livestock Auction Committee who generously donate their time and talents to make the Auction a success!

We would also like to thank...

Livestock Superintendent: Robyn Kelly

Livestock Committee

FFA Advisors

Grange Program Leaders

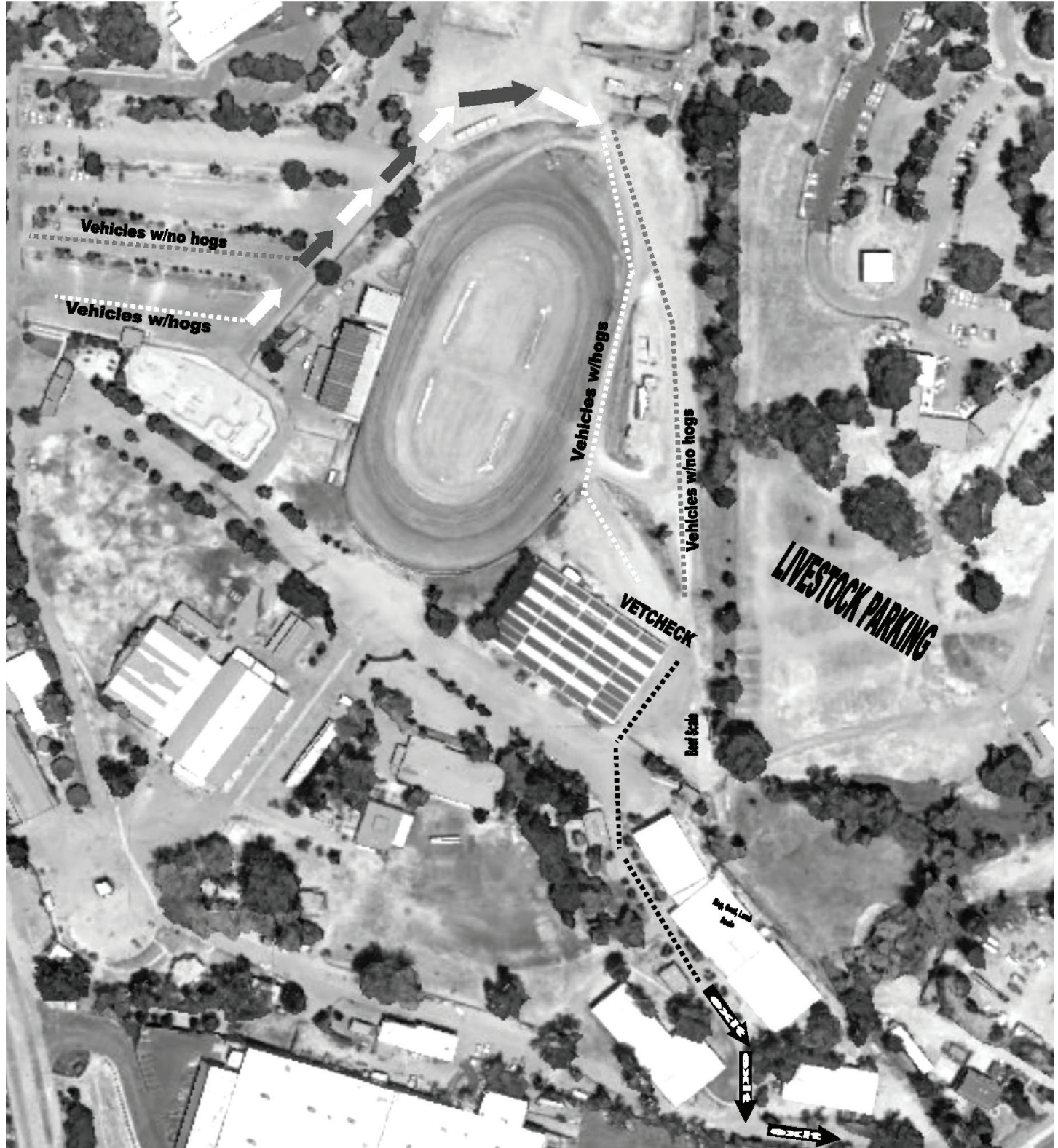
4-H Resource Leaders

Fair Manager

El Dorado County Fair Heritage Foundation

2025 EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK LOAD-IN MAP

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(number of family members or vehicles you own is irrelevant).



2025 EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK SHOW SCHEDULE

Friday, June 6

8 AM - 6 PM

Haul in Tack & Setup Barns

3 PM - 7 PM

Haul in & Setup RV's in Livestock Parking Lot (LP)

Saturday, June 7

9 AM - 3 PM

Haul in Tack & Setup Barns

Sunday, June 8

FAIRGROUNDS CLOSED

Monday, June 9

ALL VEHICLES WILL ENTER THROUGH PIT GATE AND EXIT THROUGH FAIR LANE FAIR LANE GATE BY DENNYS.

6 - 9 AM

Hogs Vet-Check & Load-in (Henningsen)

9 - 10 AM

Cattle Vet-Check & Load-in (Henningsen)

10 AM - 1 PM

Goats (all) & Lambs Vet-Check & Load-in (Henningsen)

**ALL MARKET ANIMALS WILL WEIGH-IN AS THEY UNLOAD*

11 AM

Beef Brand Inspection (Milton)

3 PM

Dog Show – Care & Training (Main Lawn)

5 PM

Pack Goat Show (A)

Tuesday, June 10

8 - 9 AM

Market Poultry load-in, inspect Market Birds & Turkeys (Henningsen).

Cleared birds will proceed to Poultry Barn for Weigh-in.

9 AM

Market Hog Show (A) followed by Pen of 2, Bred & owned, County Bred, and Club/Chapter Groups

12 PM

Market Poultry Show, Broilers followed by Turkeys, followed by Showmanship

4 PM

Market Goat Show – followed by Showmanship and Breeding

Follows Market Goat

Pygmy Goat Show (A)

Follows Goat Show

Haul Out Non-Sale, Breeding & Market Goats, Non-Sale Market Hogs, and Non-Sale Birds & Turkeys (*until 9pm*)

Wednesday, June 11

8 - 9 AM

Show Bird Inspections (Henningsen)

All cleared birds will proceed to Poultry Barn for Weigh-in and cooping.

7 - 8 AM

Rabbits Load-in (D, R2)

8 AM

Market Rabbit Show - followed by Breeding followed by Showmanship (D, R2)

9 AM

Market Cattle Show - followed by Showmanship and Breeding (A)

9:30 AM

Poultry Show - Show Birds and Showmanship (D, R1)

3 PM

Market Lamb Show - followed by Showmanship and Breeding (A)

5 PM

Pee Wee Showmanship (*all goat types allowed - Age 4-8*) (A)

Following Shows

Walk Out Non-Sale Market Goats, Market Lambs, Non-Sale Market Steers & Breeding Heifers, Non-Sale Breeding Rabbits and Non-Sale Market Poultry & Turkeys (*until 9pm*)

Thursday, June 12

7 - 8 AM

Breeding Hogs Load-in with Health Certificate, Weigh-in Commercial/Grade Gilts

8 AM

Breeding Hog Show - (A)

Follows Breeding Hog Show

Hog Showmanship (A)

11:30 AM – 12:45 PM

Load-in & Inspection - Rabbit Agility (walk in for arrivals after noon) (D)

11 - 11:45 AM

Llamas and Alpacas Load-in (Henningsen)

Before Noon

Haul out Breeding Hogs (optional) – Walk out and load by Henningsen.

12 PM

Llama and Alpaca Show (Henningsen)

1 PM

Rabbit Agility Show - followed by Costume Contest (D)

2 PM

Dairy Goat Show (A) – Primary followed by Dairy Goats followed by Nigerian Dwarf Goats followed by Mini-Goats

Follows Goat Show
Following Goat Shows

Goat Milk Production Competition (D)
Gymkhana Horse Show (Henningsen)

Friday, June 13

7 – 9 AM
9 AM
12 PM
2 PM
2:30 PM
4:30 PM
Follows FFA Awards
Following Pee Wee Rodeo

Load out non-sale market & Breeding Animals
Large Animal Master Showmanship (A & Henningsen)
Small Animal Master Showmanship (D)
Pee Wee Rodeo (Age 4-8) (Henningsen)
Livestock Judging Contest (A)
FFA Awards Program (A)
Auction Ring Setup (A)
Mutton Bustin' Check-in (Henningsen)
Mutton Bustin' (Henningsen)

Saturday, June 14

10 AM
TBD

Junior Livestock Auction (A)
Sale Poultry & Rabbits hauled out

Sunday, June 15

7 AM - 8 AM

9 AM
10 AM
TBD
5 - 6 PM
6 PM
Following haulers
8 PM

All Non-Sale animals removed from grounds
- Hogs, Lambs, Market Goats & Cattle ONLY
Grange Awards Program (A)
Father's Day Swine Showmanship (A)
4-H Awards Program (Location TBA)
Commercial Haulers: Market Cattle, Goats and Sheep
Walk Out all Non-Market Goats (Dairy, Nigerian, Mini, Pack & Pygmy)
Barn Tear Down and stall clean out – (walk out only until all haulers are gone)
Begin haul out RV's (must be removed by Tuesday 5pm)

Location Key:

A – Show/Sale Pavilion
B – Swine Barn
C – Sheep & Market Goat Barn
D – Pack/Nigerian/Pygmy/Dairy Goats, Rabbits & Poultry Barn
Milton – Beef Barn
LP – Livestock Parking
Henningsen – Covered Horse-Riding Arena – *access through race track pit gate (through parking tiers)*

Notes:

- Pens to be cleaned at the time animals are hauled out, and sale animal pens must be cleaned by Monday June 16 at 10 AM.
- NO on-grounds traffic will be allowed during Fair Hours
- All animals leaving the grounds must have a "livestock release form" or cattle transportation slip
- Schedule is subject to change, please refer to Fair website regularly for updates

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK RULES

MARKET STEER, SHEEP & GOATS WILL LOAD AT SUNDAY AT APPROXIMATELY 6 PM. MARKET HOGS MONDAY EARLY AM.

EXHIBITOR FAIR ADMISSION | \$20.00 – Will Call must be picked up by Friday, June 6, 2025 at the Fair Office.

A \$20.00 four-day gate admission wristband is available for all livestock exhibitors and immediate family (livestock) at this special reduced rate. Entry wristbands and discounted 4-day ride wristbands **must be purchased** at time of entry form submission. There are no unpaid or free passes for exhibiting in the Fair.

1. **All animals must be duly entered in the fair or will not be allowed on fairgrounds.** No companion animals allowed ever.
2. Due to weight variances, entries in Market and Feeder Divisions should be made by division number only. All market animals will be weighed on arrival at the fairgrounds. No entry will be judged unless it is weighed-in. **ONE WEIGH-IN ONLY. NO SECOND WEIGH IN. WEIGHT MASTER'S DECISION IS FINAL!**
3. No animal may be removed from the fairgrounds prior to regular release date and without expressed and written permission or direction of the Livestock Office or Fair Manager.
4. Animals deemed unhealthy or dangerous by the show veterinarian or Fair Management will not be allowed to remain on the Fairgrounds.
5. IT IS THE INTENTION OF THE FAIR MANAGEMENT THAT THE MAJORITY OF THE LIVESTOCK FITTING IS DONE BEFORE THE ANIMAL ARRIVES AT THE FAIRGROUNDS AND THAT THE JUNIOR EXHIBITORS CARE FOR THE ANIMALS. Leaders/advisors may demonstrate methods to the exhibitors only. Exhibitors must do the actual work. Adults and nonexhibiting youth are prohibited from performing work on Junior Exhibitors' animals while at the fairgrounds. Exceptions to this rule would be animals that are sick or need medical attention or obvious safety issues. Any person found guilty of breaking the above rule shall be subject to discipline as deemed appropriate by Fair Management. Infraction of this rule may be grounds for the Junior Exhibitor and animal involved to be disqualified. Grooming allowed by El Dorado County Fair entered exhibitors with wristbands only.
6. All stalls, pens and cages will be cleaned and freshly bedded no later than 9 AM each day. ALL manure and dirty bedding shall be placed in area designated by Management.
7. All entry forms must be signed by leader, advisor, or authorized agent before submitting entry to Fair Entry Office and prior to closing of entries. Quality Insurance Certificate **MUST be submitted in order for the exhibit to be qualified to show.**
8. **All Cattle must have a TRANSPORTATION Slip when transporting cattle to and from Fair. (CA Food & Ag Code 21054) Must be turned in at weigh-in.**
9. No "For Sale" signs may be displayed. Any animal sold during the fair must have delivery and transfer of title made after the fair and off the fairgrounds.
10. Exhibitor will be responsible for all bedding. Stalls will NOT be furnished with the first bedding, exhibitors will maintain bedding in full, clean condition throughout the fair. Stalls must be cleaned completely at close of the fair or **\$20 will be charged to exhibitor. Failure to pay fine may jeopardize future shows at the County Fair.**
11. In order to comply with State Laws regarding lotteries, no raffles of any nature may be held on the fairgrounds during the fair, i.e., no tickets may be sold for money for a drawing where a prize is offered.
12. As participation in the Junior Department of the fair is part of a total vocational education experience, FFA exhibitors will follow all school rules and above rules set down by FFA Advisors of El Dorado County, in addition to State and Local Rules as applicable.
13. All exhibitors must have a completed signed Code of Conduct on file. Exhibitors must abide by the Code of Conduct.
14. **DRESS CODE:** All livestock exhibitors are requested to follow the official dress code of the El Dorado County Fair while showing their animals.
4-H & FFA members: White jeans or skirt and the official white collared shirts, jackets, scarves, neck ties, and hats of their organization.
Grange Members: Blue jeans, white collared shirt, red Grange Vest.
Independents: must wear all white.
15. MARKET ANIMAL ENTRIES are LIMITED to a MAXIMUM OF TWO (2) ANIMALS per SPECIES per EXHIBITOR.
16. **Drench guns are not approved for use while on fairgrounds. Anyone found to be using any type of drench gun to administer liquids or paste into any animal without the supervision and direction of an official fair veterinarian and/or designated fair official, will result in exhibit and/or exhibitor being disqualified.**
17. **Muzzles may NOT be used on livestock.**
18. All exhibitors that show in Showmanship MUST enter and show in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class of that same species.
19. **Exhibitors MUST know all State & County Rules; State Rules may be obtained from www.cdffa.ca.gov/fe**
20. Animals must be tame enough to show and will be dismissed and awards withheld if in the judge's or fair management's opinion. Any animal or animals that constitute a danger to exhibitors or other animals must be removed from grounds. **The exhibitor must be able to handle their animal by themselves at all times, and demonstrate this to management if requested.** If they refuse, the animal will automatically be dismissed for the show and removed from the fairgrounds.
21. All livestock exhibitors are to supply their own feed, water receptacles and cleaning tools, including wheelbarrows, for stalls, pens, and animals.
22. At Check in, Exhibitors MUST declare any vaccinations or medications administered to market animals within 30 days prior to fair.
23. Large market animals must have ear tags affixed to their ears and photographed with exhibitor. **Hogs** must have the ear tag affixed with the large number facing on the back of the ear, with button inside of ear. **Beef & Sheep** must have ear tag inside of ear facing forward. **Goats** must have ear tag affixed on outside of the ear. The left ear is preferred however not mandatory.
24. Market Hogs that exceed the required Market Weights will be put in to a Heavy Weight or Feeder Class and will NOT sell in auction.
25. Animals sold at the auction may NOT have used any added hormone treatments. All animals must comply with the proper withdrawal times for all antibiotics, de-wormers and other pharmaceuticals.
26. Livestock, not sold, will be released FOLLOWING THEIR SHOWS, according to a schedule determined by Fair Management through the Livestock Office.
27. No one may talk to the judge before or during livestock shows. Breaking this rule may be grounds for disqualification.
28. Pen assignments will be made by the Livestock officials and/or Fair Office. Changing pens MUST have authority from the Fair Office BEFORE changing pen from assignment.
29. "Livestock Officials" are made up of: Fair Manager, Fair Livestock Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent and Barn Managers.
30. Exhibitors under the age of 18, must have an adult chaperone with them on grounds at all times. Overnight is not allowed without their Parent or Guardian Supervision.
31. No capping of waters or withholding water from animals at the fairgrounds, doing so may result in expulsion from the fair and fairgrounds.
32. **No feed pans may be left in swine or beef pens "unattended."**

33. *Daily feeding is open and done with the routine of the species and show day schedules. Large animals to be fed at least twice daily.*
34. Livestock shown in showmanship must be owned (or leased for alpacas and horses) by the exhibitor, entered by the exhibitor and shown in an appropriate market, breeding or performance class. If the exhibitor has a market animal that is weight sifted and as a result may not show in an individual market class, the exhibitor may use this animal for showmanship if and only if this animal is the only animal the exhibitor has brought to the Fair.
35. Under no circumstances may an exhibitor concurrently enter the same species of animal or bird (horses, beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, sheep, dairy goats, meat goats, pygmy goats, poultry, pigeons, or rabbits) in FFA, Grange, 4-H and Independent classes of the junior department (refer to 4-H/FFA/F&E Agreement at www.cdfa.ca.ca.gov/fe for more information).
36. Animals entered in market or feeder divisions may not be entered in breeding divisions.
37. Classes may be combined if there are less than 3 in a class, if Fair Management determines it necessary.
38. Most buckles, banners and special awards are supplied by each club/group. Independents and Clubs may purchase awards on their own. The Fair supplies Rosettes and ribbons in Livestock Classes as well as Supreme Buckles in Market Classes. NOTE: Youth Organizations (FFA, 4-H, Grange) may have different qualifications and expectations for their members associated with showing at the annual county fair. These organizations also may fundraise to award "their" highest placing member of "their organization," a special award. Because of this, a 2nd place (or lower) exhibitor may be awarded a Championship Buckle "from" their organization, not the fair. This does not change the placing in the "Fair contest," the 1st place fair exhibitor will still compete for Overall Supreme and the 1st Place Fair showman will move on to the Master Showmanship competition.
39. 4-H/FFA/Grange all fundraise to buy awards (buckles, banners, etc.) for their participants.
40. Due to safety concerns, no intact male livestock animals will be allowed on the fairgrounds unless nursing on their Dam.
41. All Livestock exhibitors will be charged for Animal Liability Insurance, \$2 per exhibitor per species.
42. All Market Exhibitors selling at the auction must stay in uniform throughout the entire sale.

Rules for Horse Show Exhibitors:

The age of an exhibitor on January 1 shall be maintained through the calendar year.

EMERGENCY OR SITUATIONS OUT THE EXHIBITOR'S CONTROL

If an exhibitor has an emergency or a situation that is not in control of exhibitor and that it interferes with the exhibitor being able to show their animal or sell their animal in the auction; there will be a process to petition for another registered exhibitor to show/sell the animal in their place (except for Showmanship classes). Fair officials will meet to discuss the issues surrounding situation. Officials will look at each situation separately and decide. Prior decisions will have no bearing on current or future decisions.

ORDER OF SHOWING

4-H followed by Grange followed by FFA.

VEHICLES ON GROUNDS PRE- FAIR:

ONE WAY TRAFFIC, EXCEPTION: Beef haulers

Enter through Red Gate (through parking tiers and behind racetrack)

Exit through Fair Lane Gate (next to Denny's)

No Vehicles may be PARKED on grounds. All vehicles must park in Livestock parking area or parking tiers.

Only animals exhibited in their respective section in the current Fair's Junior Livestock Department may be sold. The Jr. Livestock Auction is a terminal sale. Once entered for sale, animals cannot be withdrawn or be taken off the grounds. Any Animal entered into a market class becomes a terminal lot at time of entry.

Definitions

Market Animals - Any beef, sheep, swine, goat (for large animals) and poultry, meat pen, rabbit meat pen, single fryer rabbit and turkeys (for small animals) that are raised for the purpose of becoming food products for consumers.

Market Ready - A term that defines the amount of fat cover a market animal has and determines if an animal is ready to be harvested.

Terminal Sale - A sale in which the market ready animals exhibited at the Fair are to be sent to a processing facility and harvested following the conclusion of the auction/fair. Transportation to the processing facility is organized by the Fair.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION RULES

THE EI DORADO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

Gratefully acknowledges

THE JUNIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION COMMITTEE:

JENNY O'CAMB	PRESIDENT
DENISE VEFFREDO	VICE PRESIDENT
AMY GEORGE	TREASURER
MIRANDA JACHENS	SECRETARY
CINDY BURDETTE	IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT

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HIGH SIERRA INDUSTRIES, C & H MOTORS, JASON MECHANICAL, INC.

for sponsoring the Buyer refreshments & lunch.

The El Dorado County Fair Jr. Livestock Auction Will Be Held:

Saturday, June 14, 2025 at 10 AM

- A. Only animals exhibited in their respective section in the current Fair's Junior Livestock Department may be sold. The Junior Livestock Auction is a terminal sale. Once entered for sale, animals cannot be withdrawn or be taken off the grounds.
- B. All transactions will be based on show grade and weight upon arrival at the Fair. **NO BREEDING STOCK AND NO FEEDER ANIMALS WILL BE SOLD THROUGH THE AUCTION.**

Animal	Light	Heavy	Paid Max	Sift Light	Sift Heavy
Poultry	4.5	None	None	4.4	None
Turkey	15	38	38	14.99	38.01
Rabbit	3.5	5.5	5.5	3.49	5.51
Steers	1000	1350	1350	999	None
Hogs	215	300	300	214	301
Goats	60	100	100	59	None
Lamb	100	150	150	99	None

- C. Exhibitors are permitted to sell only one qualifying animal or meat pen at the Junior Livestock Auction. If an exhibitor has animals in more than one species, they must declare their choice of animal for sale within one hour of the conclusion of their last market show to the Livestock Office. Exhibitors who fail to declare within the allotted time will have their highest placing animal selected for the sale by the Auction Committee.
- D. **SUPREME CHAMPIONS, RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPIONS, GRAND CHAMPIONS AND RESERVE GRAND CHAMPIONS MUST SELL.** Exhibitors with more than one eligible Champion, must declare which is to be sold within one hour of the conclusion of their last market show to the Livestock Office. If an Exhibitor owns two eligible Champions (supreme, grand, or reserve) he/she must sell the higher placing Champion. If an exhibitor owns two animals with the same Champion placing, he/she will choose which one to sell. Exhibitors who fail to declare within the allotted time will have their highest placing Champion selected for the sale by the Auction Committee; if two animals are both awarded the same Champion placing, the Auction Committee may use additional criteria to determine which Champion is placed in the sale.
- E. All participants in the Junior Livestock Auction are encouraged to solicit new buyers.
- F. Exhibitor's that would like to give a gift to the buyer of their animal, may do so after the Junior Livestock Auction has concluded. All exhibitors are encouraged to make contact with their buyer or buyers before the end of the Junior Livestock Auction to personally thank them for their support.
- G. All participants in the Junior Livestock Auction are required to be in a 4H, FFA, Grange or Independent approved uniform. The Auction Committee will require exhibitors to remove any attire deemed inappropriate and not conducive to the Junior Livestock Auction.
- H. There will be a selling charge TBD of the gross sale price to defray expenses of the livestock auction. This amount will be deducted from the seller's check and will be deposited in a special fund provided for this purpose in the Junior Livestock Auction Committee's accounts.
- I. Each animal will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve. The auctioneer's word will settle all disputes regarding bids.
- J. The terms of the sale are cash. Bidding procedure will accept buying orders as allowable bids. Sales tags must be signed by the buyer or his agent. All animals sold at the auction for processing will have to be transported to a USDA approved facility. Transportation is provided by the Auction Committee, and the carcass returned to the processing plant of purchaser's choice.
- K. All animals will be moved to the auction ring and returned to their stalls by the exhibitor.
- L. All animals will be fed and cared for by the exhibitor, free of charge to the buyer, until the close of the fair on Sunday.
- M. Sale order will be determined by Fair Management and the Junior Livestock Auction Committee and will be posted and announced. Fair Management reserves the right to arrange selling order in a manner that seems most equitable to all concerned.
- N. It shall be expressly understood that the El Dorado County Fair Association provides facilities, but assumes no liability.

- O. ANY exhibitor that has a legitimate conflict with selling their own animal at the Auction MUST get prior approval from the Fair Office two weeks prior to start of Fair. Exceptions "may" be made for emergencies or unexpected events.
- P. All Market exhibitors that sell at Auction MUST participate in the Showmanship Class for that species selling, to be eligible to sell.
- Q. No grounds marketing allowed for animals not selling in the auction.
- R. Auction checks will be mailed to the address listed on the entry form, by the Junior Livestock Auction Committee, not the El Dorado County Fair Association, within 30 days of sale or when all buyers have paid, whichever comes first.
- S. In order to show an animal in a market class and to sell an animal in the El Dorado County Fair Junior Livestock Auction, it is mandatory that the exhibitor attend Livestock Quality Assurance training online or an in-person training conducted by a California state certified instructor. If an in-person class is offered, signing in on the roster is essential for providing proof of attendance. This training is an annual requirement and will only be valid for the current year the class was taken.
- T. Animals sold at the auction may NOT have used any added hormone treatments. All animals sold at the auction must adhere to all properly labeled withdrawal requirements for all antibiotics, de-wormers and other pharmaceuticals. In the event that an animal does not meet the antibiotic, dewormer, or other pharmaceutical withdrawal requirements at the time of the health inspection, a protocol will be implemented, involving the Fair CEO, Livestock Superintendent, Junior Livestock Auction Committee, and the exhibitor.
- U. Hogs fed Paylean are not to be sold or processed; if the carcass exhibits signs of being fed Paylean the carcass will be subject to inspection by the processing plant and not approved for resale.

VETERINARIAN: AN OFFICIAL VETERINARIAN WILL BE ON THE GROUNDS AT LEAST ONCE EACH DAY. HE/SHE IS RETAINED BY THE FAIR ASSOCIATION TO BE ON CALL. ANY EXPENSE INCURRED FOR HIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ADMINISTERING TO AN EXHIBITOR'S ANIMAL IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THAT EXHIBITOR.

INDEPENDENT RULES

- A. What is the dress code? Whites w/tie but not 4-H tie?
All independents must wear all white: white shirt and white jeans. (No tie or scarf.)
- B. Are we supposed to notify anybody, check in or just provide our ear tag and entry form like everyone else?
The exhibitor must turn in the ear tag form by the due date listed in the Competition Handbook with pictures and a copy of the bill of sale. After that the entry form must be turned in by the due date along with signed liability and code of conduct forms.
- C. I recall reading something about providing documentation similar to a 4-H project report, but I'm not sure what that should be, who it gets sent to and by what date.
Independent exhibitors should keep a log book, similar to the project report, and bring it to Fair.
- D. How do we get an ear tag? Can we have our previous project leader come out if she is willing?
The previous project leader is a great choice if she/he is willing. If not, we have ear tags and gun in this office. Please call ahead to make certain they have not been loaned out.
- E. The swine classes all indicate a # for either 4-H or FFA. I know he'll be showing in one of the groups, but I don't know what # I am supposed to put on the entry form.
14 and over exhibitors will enter in FFA class and 13 and under exhibitors will enter in 4-H class.
- F. 4-H is collecting fair sponsorships. Do we need to contribute in any way or is this optional?
That is strictly a 4-H project where they raise money for their own awards.
- G. Exhibitor's age is as of January 1 the Fair year.
- H. I noticed the weight range for hogs has changed this year to 215-300. I wanted to confirm this is true. The pigs don't like to diet too much!
Market Hog weight should be 215 – 300lbs. Hogs weighing over 300 pounds will not be eligible to be sold at auction and will be moved to a heavy weight class.

MANDATORY: All youth exhibiting livestock at the El Dorado County Fair will be required to complete the annual Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) program by the time they begin their project and/or purchase animal. yqcaprogram.org

Exhibitor's Name

Exhibitor's Signature*

Email

Phone

Age

Date

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Provide copy of registration papers with entry form for all registered cattle. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Mailing Address		City	Zip	
Division No.	Class No.	CLASS DESCRIPTION	EDCF EAR TAG #	ENTRY FEE

BREEDING ANIMALS ONLY

Division No.	Class No.	DATE OF BIRTH	BREED	REG #	ENTRY FEE

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

Entry Fees \$ _____

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$ _____

Livestock Carnival \$ _____

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

Email

Phone

[illegible]

Entry Fees	\$
1	100
2	200
3	300
4	400
5	500
6	600
7	700
8	800
9	900
10	1000

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online
Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

LIVESTOCK ENTRY FORM - PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

MARKET GOAT Total number of animals (not entries):

100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Exhibitor's Name

Exhibitor's Signature*

Age

Date

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Provide registration paper (copy) with entry forms for all registered market goats. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Phone

Mailing Address			City		Zip	
Division No.	Class No.	CLASS DESCRIPTION	OWNER BRED (yes or no)	DOB	EDCF EAR TAG #	ENTRY FEE
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Entry Fees \$

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

Fair Use Only

Date / / Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: Receipt No. Initials

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Exhibitor's Signature* _____ Date _____ Parent Signature (if under 18)* _____

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Mailing Address	City	Zip
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Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution
(excludes primary exhibitors) **\$5.00**

TOTAL PAID

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

Club (if applicable)

Age

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Date _____

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

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Entry Fees \$

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution (excludes primary exhibitors)	\$5.00
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TOTAL PAID \$

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Receipt No.

Initials

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EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

Exhibitor's Name	Age	Club (if applicable)	Project Leader/Advisor Signature *
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Exhibitor's Signature* _____ Date _____ Parent Signature (if under 18)* _____

* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Phone

Mailing Address	City	Zip
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Animal Liability Insurance (per species)	Entry Fees	\$
		\$2.00
Admission Wristband		\$
Livestock Carnival		\$
Youth Safety Contribution (excludes primary exhibitors)		\$5.00
TOTAL PAID		\$

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____

Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: Receipt No. ____ Initials ____

LIVESTOCK ENTRY FORM - PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT
HORSE

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860
100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Number of horses entered: _____

Exhibitor's Name

Age

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Exhibitor's Signature*

Date

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Please accept these entries subject to the Rules & Regulations published in the El Dorado County Fair Entry Guide. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Email

Phone

Mailing Address			City		Zip
Division No.	Class No.	CLASS NAME	NAME OF HORSE	IF LEASED - DATE OF LEASE Please provide copy of lease 120 days prior to show	ENTRY FEE

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

Total Entry Fees

Drug Fees (\$14 per Horse)

TOTAL PAID

\$

\$14.00

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Exhibitor's Name

Exhibitor's Signature*

Email

Phone

Age

Date

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

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Mailing Address			City		Zip
Division No.	Class No.	CLASS DESCRIPTION	NAME OF ANIMAL	IF LEASED - DATE OF LEASE Please provide copy of lease 120 days prior to show	ENTRY FEE

Entry Fees \$

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

Fair Use Only

Date / / Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: Receipt No. Initials

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

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Mailing Address

City

zip

Entry Fees \$

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

<p> Youth Livestock Safety Contribution (excludes primary exhibitors) </p>	<p>\$5.00</p>
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TOTAL PAID \$

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

Primary Exhibitor? ☐ Yes

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

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Mailing Address	City	Zip
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Entry Fees \$

\$2.00

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\$5.00

TOTAL PAID

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Exhibitor's Name	Age	Club (if applicable)	Project Leader/Advisor Signature*
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Exhibitor's Signature * _____ Date _____ Parent Signature (if under 18)* _____

I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Provide copy of registration paper (copy) with entry form for all registered sheep. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Phone

Mailing Address	City	Zip

[illegible]Entry Fees \$Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00Admission Wristband \$Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____

Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: _____ Receipt No. _____ Initials _____

EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR 530-621-5860

100 Placerville Drive, Placerville, CA 95667

Exhibitor's Name	Age	Club (if applicable)	Project Leader/Advisor Signature*
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Exhibitor's Signature*	Date	Parent Signature (if under 18)*
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* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Provide copy of registration paper (copy) with entry form for all registered sheep. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

phone

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Entry Fees	\$
Animal Liability Insurance (per species)	\$2.00
Admission Wristband	\$
Livestock Carnival	\$
Youth Livestock Safety Contribution	\$5.00
TOTAL PAID	\$

Fair Use Only

Date ____ / ____ / ____ Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: ____ Receipt No. ____ Initials ____

Exhibitor's Name

Exhibitor's Signature*

Email

Phone

Age

Date

Club (if applicable)

Project Leader/Advisor Signature*

Parent Signature (if under 18)*

* I certify that these entries are the project of the exhibitor and are eligible to be shown in accordance with the rules of the El Dorado County Fair & State of California. Provide registration paper (copy) with entry forms for registered gilts. I understand that my entries will not be accepted until the Adult's Code of Conduct and Release and Waiver of Liability have been signed.

Mailing Address		City	Zip	
Division No.	Class No.	CLASS DESCRIPTION	EDCF EAR TAG #	ENTRY FEE

BREEDING ANIMALS ONLY					
Division No.	Class No.	DATE OF BIRTH	BREED	REG #	Entry Fee

Prop 12 Documents are required for all Market Hogs and due with Ownership Documents (April 23, 2025 at the Fair office).

Fair Use Only

Date / / Payment Type (circle) Cash Check Card Online

Multiple Entry Forms: Receipt No. Initials

Entry Fees \$

Animal Liability Insurance (per species) \$2.00

Admission Wristband \$

Livestock Carnival \$

Youth Livestock Safety Contribution \$5.00

TOTAL PAID \$

2025 PROPOSITION 12 COMPLIANCE FORM

Breeder Name/Business Name

Breeder Address

State

Zip Code

I hereby declare that this Pig(s), was raised at a facility that is Proposition 12 Certified.

Pig(s) Identification Number or Attach Bill of Sale

Breeder Signature

Date

Phone Number

Exhibitor Name

4-H Club/FFA Chapter/Grange Club/Independent

The pig(s) declared by this form will be exhibited at the El Dorado County Fair on June 9 – 15, 2025.

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT

I, _____ (participant), acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate in activities at the El Dorado County Fair (the "Fair").

I am aware that the above-described activities are hazardous activities, and I am voluntarily participating in these activities with knowledge of the danger involved and agree to assume any and all risks of bodily injury, death or property damage. I verify this statement by placing my initials here: _____.

Parent or guardian's signature initials (if under 18): _____.

As consideration for being permitted by the Fair, the County of El Dorado (the "County") and the State of California to participate in these activities and use of their facilities, I hereby agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue or attach property of the Fair, the County or the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations for injury or damage resulting from the negligence or other acts, however caused, by any director, employee, agent or contractor of the Fair, the County and the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations as a result of my participation in the activities described above. I forever release the Fair, the County and the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations from any and all action, claims, or demands that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, next of kin, spouse and legal representatives now have or may hereafter have for injury or damage resulting from my participation in the activities described above.

**Minors spending the night at the Fairgrounds must be under parent and or guardian supervision at all times.
No exceptions.**

I have carefully read this agreement and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability and a contract between myself and the Fair, the County and the State of California or any of their affiliated organizations and sign it of my own free will.

If you are under 18 years of age, you and your parent or guardian must sign and initial this form where indicated. By signing and submitting an entry form the exhibitors and their agents, parents and leaders acknowledge and agree that they:

- understand and have read the state Rules and local fairrules;
- agree to abide by them;
- certify that all information on the entry form is true and accurate; and
- agree to comply with the Fair's decision regarding any alleged violation of the state or local rules.

Executed at El Dorado County Fairgrounds in Placerville, California on (current year's fair dates): _____

PARTICIPANT/RELEASOR SIGNATURE

PARTICIPANT/RELEASOR SIGNATURE

Mailing Address

Mailing Address

City

Zip

City

Zip

ADULT'S CODE OF CONDUCT WHILE AT EL DORADO COUNTY FAIR

As the parent, guardian, leader or advisor of an animal exhibitor in the El Dorado County Fair:

I believe my child should demonstrate his or her own ability, knowledge, and skill as a feeder, fitter, and show person of a show animal. I understand that **no adult may participate in my child's duty of washing, grooming, fitting, handling, or showing of his or her animal while at the Fair.**

I will ensure that my child follows the competition rules, and does not use abusive, questionable or unethical techniques in the feeding, caring, fitting, or showing of any animals. I will ensure that my child does not resort to fraudulent, illegal or deceptive practices while fitting or preparing the animal for show and will follow withdrawal protocol.

I have read and understood all the rules and regulations found in the Competition Handbook.

I realize that my child is responsible for:

- The proper care and humane treatment of animals before, during, and after the exhibition and sale.
- The production of wholesome food when the exhibited animal is designated for the market.

I will conduct myself at all times to be a credit to my child's organization, chapter, club, school, community, and family. I will **follow proper procedures and the chain of command if there is a conflict.**

I will not post negative comments or conflict on social media.

I am aware that **responsible alcohol use** is allowed on the fairgrounds and I will limit my use of alcohol so that I set a proper example for my child and the children of others and adults around me. I shall ensure that other adults are equally responsible in the use of alcohol around my child. I shall not use any drugs that are considered illegal at the federal, state or local level while on the fairgrounds.

I understand that direct criticism or **interference with the judge**, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official duty, all judges, fair and livestock show management, or other show officials shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation, and respect. I will not allow any person connected with my child's project to direct abusive or threatening conduct toward any show official. Protest rules can be found in the Competition Handbook.

I understand and agree that **if I**, my child, my child's supervisor or leader or any other adult or minor connected with my child's project or animal(s) **break the rules**, and/or violate the Adult Code of Conduct, I will accept the final decision of the Fair Management regarding the disqualification of my child and or the animal, the loss of prizes, the forfeiture of auction participation, loss of future eligibility, and forfeiture of any monetary award(s).

I understand that my minor child will not stay overnight at the Fairgrounds without their parent or guardian present.

I accept that **these entries are subject to the rules** and regulations as published in the official Competition Handbook. I further declare that all statements made in connection with my child's entries are true.

I will remember **that youth participate to have fun while learning and that the competition is for their benefit, not adults.**

Exhibitor's Name (Printed) _____

4-H Club, FFA Chapter, Youth Group _____

Signature of Parents, Guardians

_____, Date: _____

_____, Date: _____

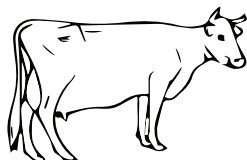
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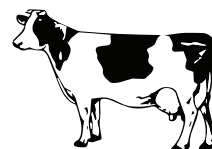
_____, Date: _____

This document must be signed by:

*All parents or guardians of any child entering an animal in the El Dorado County Fair.



CATTLE



Ownership Deadline	Thursday, February 13,	All Day	(120 days prior to start of Fair)
Ownership Documents due	February 13 thru 19,	4:00 pm	<i>At the fair office</i>
Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Dropp-off and Weigh-in	Monday, June 9,	9:00 - 10:00 am	See load-in map, page 70

Weighed: Animals will be weighed as they are unloaded from the trailer.

Please Note the Limit, one blocking chute per family.

Beef Show Wednesday, June 11, 9:00 am

**Order: Market, followed by Showmanship, followed by Breeding, followed by Dairy*

Large Master Showmanship: Friday, June 13, 9:00 am

Released

Sold Market Released

(Commercial Haulers) Sunday, June 15, 6:00 pm

All NON-SALE cattle may be removed from the grounds at one of the following times:

Wednesday, June 11, following shows until 9:00 pm,

Friday, June 13, morning between 7:00 – 9:00 am,

Or, Sunday, June 15, 6:00 – 8:00 am

Setup Instructions: All clubs/groups/chapters will be assigned a load in time on Friday, this time is for setup of stalls and fitting areas. Each time slot will be scheduled with enough time for the entire group to get their area situated.

LIMIT 4 ANIMALS PER EXHIBITOR, TWO MARKET ENTRIES MAXIMUM!

DAIRY CATTLE – EXHIBITION ONLY

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY

RIBBONS ONLY

RULES

- A.** Must be owned by the Exhibitor at least 30 days prior to the Fair.
- B.** All female dairy cattle four (4) months of age and over and beef cattle twelve (12) months of age and over must bear evidence of official calfhood vaccination against brucellosis with a legible, official tattoo visible in the right ear.

DIVISION 482 – DAIRY

CLASS

1. Any age registered and unregistered heifers and steers. Exhibition Class on Conformation.
2. Showmanship - Any registered and unregistered heifers and steers. All exhibitors, regardless of age, show together.

MINI CATTLE – EXHIBITION ONLY

Must be owned by the Exhibitor at least 30 days prior to the Fair and must comply with all health regulations.

ENTRY FEE: \$6

RIBBONS ONLY

DIVISION 483 – ALL BREEDS

CLASS

1. Any age registered and unregistered heifers and steers. Exhibition Class on Conformation.
2. Showmanship - Any registered and unregistered heifers and steers. All exhibitors, regardless of age, show together.

REGISTERED PUREBRED BEEF CATTLE

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

- A. **PUREBRED REGISTERED BREEDING ANIMAL:** An animal that is registered with a recognized United States breed association and meets that breed association's requirements for registration. Exhibitors' names must match registration papers.
- B. **Registration papers must be entered with entry forms.**
- C. Any Cow with a calf on its side can **ONLY** be shown in Cow-Calf Class.
- D. All breeding beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- E. Permanent tattoo must match registration papers.

RIBBONS ONLY

FEMALE CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION

- 4. Jr. Yearling Jan. 1 – May 31, 2024
- 5. Fall Sr. Yearling June 1 - Dec. 31, 2023
- 6. Spring Sr. Yearling Jan 1 – May 31, 2023

DIVISION 485 – ALL BREEDS, (4-H, GRANGE, AND FFA ALL SHOW TOGETHER)

CLASS # - FEMALES/HEIFER

- 1. Jr. Calf Born on/after Jan. 1, 2025
- 2. Sr. Calf Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2024
- 3. Summer Yearling June 1 - Aug. 31, 2024

RIBBONS ONLY

- 7. Cow-Calf (calf to be no more than 205 days old & must be prodigy of cow)

NON-REGISTERED BREEDING BEEF

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

- A. Animals that qualify for Division 485 are not eligible.
- B. Grade and crossbred animals are eligible. Refer to definitions in the State Rules.
- C. Animals entered in the following classes cannot be entered in any other class of the Beef Cattle Divisions, exception: Showmanship.
- D. A permanent ear tag or tattoo number is required.

RIBBONS ONLY

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION

- 6. Spring Sr. Yearling Jan 1 – May 31, 2023

DIVISION 486 – ALL BREEDS (4-H, GRANGE, AND FFA ALL SHOW TOGETHER)

CLASS # - FEMALES/HEIFER

- 1. Jr. Calf Born on/after Jan. 1, 2025
- 2. Sr. Calf Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 2024
- 3. Summer Yearling June 1 - Aug. 31, 2024
- 4. Jr. Yearling Jan. 1 – May 31, 2024
- 5. Fall Sr. Yearling June 1 - Dec. 31, 2023

RIBBONS ONLY

- 7. Cow-Calf (calf to be no more than 205 days old & must be a prodigy of the cow)

OVERALL FEMALE ROSETTE AWARDS

CHAMPION COW-CALF
RESERVE CHAMPION COW-CALF
SUPREME FEMALE
RESERVE SUPREME FEMALE

SINGLE MARKET BEEF

ALL BREEDS JUDGED TOGETHER

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

ONLY ONE WEIGH-IN*

LIMIT 2 MARKET BEEF ENTRIES PER EXHIBITOR

- A. All market beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. **Proof of ownership must be turned in with ear tag form and photo of steer.**
- B. California brand inspection or an out-billing from a sales yard must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 120 consecutive days of ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the exhibitor's cow and raised by the exhibitor.
- C. All Market animals must be tagged prior to ear tag form deadline.

NOTE: ALL STEERS ENTERED IN THE FAIR, MUST BE SHOWN AT MANDATORY PRE-FAIR PRACTICE SHOW. DATE TBD.

Market Ready

Market steers are projected to have a sufficient fat deposition to meet the marbling specifications for USDA Prime, Choice, or Select + Quality Grade. Animals grading USDA Prime, Choice, or Select + Quality Grade. Superior and above average conformation and cutability. **ELIGIBLE TO SELL.**

Not Market Ready

Market steers lacking evidence of sufficient fat deposition to produce a desirable consumer product; steers projected to grade USDA Select+ or lower quality grade and under finished animals that are average or below average in conformation. **CANNOT SELL.**

After weighing, market steers will be divided into weight classes as desired by management for convenience in judging.

***NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction MUST participate in that SHOWMANSHIP class**

CHAMPION RIBBONS

4-H CHAMPION 4-H RESERVE CHAMPION
FFA CHAMPION FFA RESERVE CHAMPION
GRANGE CHAMPION GRANGE RESERVE CHAMPION
SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION
RESERVE SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION

OWNER BRED – 1st through 3rd Place ribbons will be awarded to the top 3 “owner-bred” market animals.

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES sponsored by EDCF

DIVISION 491 – FFA SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DIVISION 492 – 4-H SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

DIVISION 493 – GRANGE SINGLE MARKET ANIMALS

CLASS

1. **Steers** – 1000 to 1350 lbs. (Steers weighing more than 1350 lbs. will have their sale weight adjusted to 1350 lbs.)

OTHER MARKET BEEF CLASSES

ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER CLASS

DIVISION 494 - “OTHER” – ONLY MARKET STEERS

1. **Owner Bred.** Class within a class. You MUST enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE) to qualify. Ribbons will be given to 1st through 3rd place finishers. **\$5 FEE.**
2. **County Bred.** Steer must be born & raised in Amador, El Dorado, or Sacramento Counties and by an AES Cattlemen’s Association member. Class within a class. You MUST enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE) to qualify. **\$5 FEE.**

County Bred Awards will be paid directly to the exhibitors by the AES Cattleman’s Association.

\$500 Champion

\$250 Reserve Champion

\$150 3rd Place

\$100 4th Place

To Qualify: A copy of the bill of sale & signed affidavit/Local Bred Market Steer Entry Form (separate from Fair’s Entry Form) **must be emailed to and verified by AES PRIOR to the fair.** Rbrown3355@gmail.com

FEEDER BEEF

\$6 ENTRY FEE

RIBBONS ONLY

All feeder beef must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case.

DIVISION 487 – 4-H FEEDER BEEF

DIVISION 488 – FFA FEEDER BEEF

DIVISION 489 – GRANGE FEEDER BEEF

CLASS

1. Feeder Steer – 350 to 690 lbs.
2. Feeder Steer – 691 to 999 lbs.
3. Feeder Steer – 1000 + lbs.

Due to weight variances, when entering, enter division number only, after the weigh-in, steers will be sorted to the appropriate class number, non-sale divisions.

SUPER STEER CONTEST

\$5 ENTRY FEE

Competition and Awards sponsored by
AES Cattlewomen

Champion is the Highest point earning steer.

Points awarded: Rate of Gain, Class Placing, and Carcass Evaluation.

The Super Steer Contest should be entered when registering for the fair. In order to qualify, Steers must:
Pre-Weigh, Enter Market Class and Sell and receive carcass evaluation.

DIVISION 490

CLASS

1. Market Steers

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)



Dog Care & Training

Entry forms due by

April 22 thru May 7,

4:00 pm (or midnight online)

At the fair office

*Use Llama/Alpaca Form

Judged

Monday, June 9,

3:00 pm

Main Lawn

*Obedience followed by Rally followed by Showmanship

Sm. Master Showmanship

Friday, June 13,

12:00 pm

Show Ring

Released

Immediately following showmanship

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. This match is open to any exhibitor who is currently enrolled in a dog project. A maximum of 2 dogs may be entered per member. Dogs must be owned by the exhibitor or his/her immediate family, and trained by the exhibitor, no professional training allowed.
- B. Exhibitors are requested to wear the official El Dorado County Fair uniform. Each dog must be shown with a six-foot leather or fabric leash and a choke chain. Appropriate leash should be used for showmanship.
- C. Bitches in season will not be allowed to compete.
- D. Judging will be in accordance with American Kennel Club regulations unless they are in conflict with the California Department of Food and Agriculture State Rules.
- E. Uncontrolled or aggressive dogs will be asked to leave.
- F. Breed of dog and member's birth date must appear on entry form.
- G. EXHIBITORS MUST ENTER BOTH OBEDIENCE & SHOWMANSHIP.
- H. Winner of Best in Showmanship will be eligible for Master Showmanship (small animal).

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING OBEDIENCE, RALLY & SHOWMANSHIP

Open to all primary members 5 – 8 years old. Exhibits will not be judged. Limit one animal per primary exhibitor.

No ribbons, Cash Awards or plaques – educational.

NO CASH AWARDS – RIBBONS 1st – 4th Place

ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

(Primary members included)

DIVISION 920 – SUB-NOVICE OBEDIENCE

All exercises on six-foot leash, heeling, figure eight, recall, stand for examination, long sit (1 minute), long down (3 minutes).

CLASS

1. Sub-Novice A: First year exhibitor and first year dog
2. Sub-Novice B: Second year or above exhibitor
3. Sub-Novice C: Primary Exhibitor

DIVISION 921 – RALLY

CLASS

1. Novice A: First year exhibitor
2. Novice B: Second year exhibitor or above.
3. Novice C: Primary Exhibitor

DIVISION 922 – HANDLING (SHOWMANSHIP)

All members having received 3 Blue Ribbons in regular Showmanship classes must show in the open class for their age group, regardless of year in program.

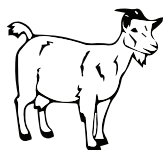
CLASS

1. Novice Junior: Open to members 9-12 years and under as of show date, who are in their first or second year of Dog Care and Training Project.
2. Novice Intermediate: Open to members 13 – 15 years old as of show date, who are in their first or second year of Dog Care &

Training Project.

3. Novice Senior: Open to members 16 years and older as of show date, who are in their first or second year of Dog Care and Training Project.
4. Open Junior: Open to members 9-12 years and under who are in their third year of the project or have received 3 Blue Ribbons in any show.
5. Open Intermediate: Open to members 13-15 years old as of show date, who are in their third year of the project or have received 3 Blue Ribbons in any show.
6. Open Senior: Open to members 16 years and older who are in their third year or above in the project or have received 3 Blue Ribbons in any show.
7. Primary Exhibitor: Open to those members 8 and under. (Not eligible to compete for "Best in Showmanship." May not advance to Master Showmanship)

THE FIRST PLACE WINNERS IN CLASSES 1 TO 6 (HANDLING SHOWMANSHIP DIVISION) WILL COMPETE FOR **BEST IN SHOWMANSHIP**. AN EXHIBITOR MAY SHOW TWO DOGS IN THE OBEDIENCE CLASS, BUT ONLY ONE IN THE SHOWMANSHIP BECAUSE THE JUDGING IS ON THE HANDLER.



GOATS



DAIRY GOATS

Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop-off	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am – 1:00 pm	See load-in map, page 70
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	2:00 pm	
Primary followed by Dairy goats followed by Nigerian Dwarf Goats, followed by Mini-Goats			
Judged			
Milk Production	Thursday, June 12,	after completion of all goat shows	
Large Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	9:00 am	
Small Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	12:00 pm	
Released	Sunday, June 15,	6:00 pm	

ENTRY FEE: \$8 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

ALL GOATS must always have their premise identification (tattoo) and registration (for Dairy Goats and Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats only) on the grounds due to the Scrapies Eradication Program*. To enroll, call 877-741-3690. If you have entered a goat that has a micro-chip, you will need to exhibitor will need to bring hand-held scanner for Vet to be able to read scrapies information.

RULES

- A. All stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.
- B. All Goats need to be registered with a registry, only animals with a "Certificate of Registry" (blue border) issued for purebred animals are eligible.
- C. Animals with a "Certificate of Pedigree" (brown border) issued for grade animals are not eligible. Exception: All Recorded Grades Division.
- D. A photocopy for the registry is not acceptable (original copy OR stamped duplicate only), will need to be provided to the Livestock Office for review prior to the start of the show. If registration is "pending" and tattoo matches the documentation provided, that goat is eligible to compete.
- E. A permanent ear tattoo is required, microchip will be reviewed if needed as well.
- F. All does in milk, must be entered in Senior Doe class. No exceptions.
- G. All animals in "registered purebred breeding animal" divisions must be registered and recorded with a United States breed association in the exact name of the exhibitor (owner) as declared on the entry form.
- H. All breeding goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case, to have papers with you on grounds.
- I. **RECORDED GRADE DAIRY GOATS:** A permanent ear tattoo is required. Animals with a "Certificate of Pedigree" (brown border) issued by the American Dairy Goat Association are eligible EXCEPT ANIMALS IDENTIFIED AS NATIVE ON PERFORMANCE AND NATIVE ON APPEARANCE. Animals with a "Certificate of Registry" (blue border) issued by ADGA are not eligible.
- J. All sheep and goats from out of state require official individual identification valid for 30 days after inspection of the animals, a certificate of veterinary inspection, and a California entry permit within 15 days of entering California.
- K. All ages are determined as of Show Date.
- L. ALL GOATS ON THE GROUNDS MUST BE ENTERED IN A CLASS OR NURSING AND UNDER 4 MONTHS OF AGE.
- M. ADGA Show Sanction Rules apply for ADGA Sanctioned divisions (AOP, Nigerian Dwarf and All Recorded Grades).
- N. Per ADGA rules, no parent, leader or spectator can offer any information to the judge or make any comments regarding the show.

***No companion goats allowed on-site.**

***Goats may not be shown by more than one (1) exhibitor. No sharing of animals in 4-H, FFA or Grange exhibits.**

***Primary goat entries limited to one (1) entry per exhibitor and sharing goats among family members is prohibited.**

NOTE: No refunds will be made for diseased animals.

TWO (2) ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL PER EXHIBITOR

DIVISION 502 – ALL OTHER PUREBREDS – ADGA Sanctioned

DIVISION 503 – ALL RECORDED GRADES - ADGA Sanctioned

DIVISION 504 – MINI-OTHER – Not Sanctioned by ADGA

DIVISION 912 – NIGERIAN DWARF DAIRY GOATS – ADGA Sanctioned

Use the division number on the entry form to designate the breed. Use the same class number for all breeds.

Divisions and/or classes may be combined based on the number of entries.

Junior/Senior Does not separate in Division – Class, but noted as such for Champion Ribbons; not in other species.

Both goats with milk and dry does show together by age.

CLASS # (And Order of Showing)

Date of Birth

DOES

Juniors

- | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Junior Kid | 4/1/2025 or later |
| 2. Intermediate Kid | 3/1/2025 – 3/31/2025 |
| 3. Senior Kid | 1/1/2025 – 2/28/2025 |
| 4. Dry Yearling | 1/1/2024 – 12/31/2024 |

Seniors

- | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 5. Yearling (Milker) | 1/1/2024 – 12/31/2024 |
| 6. 2 Yr. (Milker) | 1/1/2023 – 12/31/2023 |
| 7. 3 Yr. (Milker) | 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2022 |
| 8. 4 Yr. (Milker) | 1/1/2021 – 12/31/2021 |
| 9. 5 Yr. & Older (Milker) | 12/31/2020 or earlier |

RIBBONS ONLY

CHAMPION RIBBONS IN EACH DIVISION

JUNIOR CHAMPION

JUNIOR RES. CHAMPION

SENIOR CHAMPION

SENIOR RES. CHAMPION

BEST DOE IN SHOW
BEST UDDER IN SHOW



PRIMARY MEMBERS – NIGERIAN DWARF DAIRY GOATS ONLY - NON-SANCTIONED SHOW – See Showmanship section, page 110.

MILK PRODUCTION

NO RIBBONS

NO ENTRY FEE (but must be entered on entry form)

RULES

- A. Milk production contest is to be held after all divisions of dairy goat classes have been completed.
- B. All animals must have been shown in previous classes.
- C. Animals must be owned by exhibitors.

DIVISION 506 – MILK PRODUCTION CONTEST

CLASS # (And Order of Showing)

1. Nubian
2. Saanen

3. All Other Purebreds
4. All Recorded Grades
5. Mini-Other
6. Nigerian Dwarf

PACK GOATS

Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop-off	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am – 1:00 pm	See load-in map, page 70
Judged	Monday, June 9,	5:00 pm	
Released	Sunday, June, 15,	6:00 pm	

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

TWO (2) ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL

Rules:

- A. All exhibitors must be in official Club uniform.

DIVISION 505 – PACK GOATS

CLASS #

1. Does & Wether

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION PERFORMANCE PACK GOAT

RESERVE CHAMPION PERFORMANCE PACK GOAT

Ribbons Only

Scoring

5 possible points for each obstacle

- | | |
|--|------|
| No hesitation & no faults | 5 |
| Slight hesitation & minor faults | 3 |
| Refusal | 0 |
| 10 possible points for response to questions | 1-10 |

Penalty Points deducted for each infraction

- | | |
|--|----|
| Animal not clean or groomed | -2 |
| Animal uncontrollable | -2 |
| Animal butts or challenges other goats | -2 |
| Hooves not trimmed | -2 |

NOTE: ALL Livestock stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.

PYGMY GOATS

Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop-off	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am – 1:00 pm	See load-in map, page 70
Judged	Tuesday, June 10,	following Market Goats, Primary followed by Pygmy, followed by showmanship	
Pee Wee Showmanship	Wednesday, June 11,	5:00 pm	
Released	Sunday, June 15,	6:00 pm	

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Does and Wether classes are open to registered and unregistered.
There are no buck classes at this show.
Age is determined as of the show date.
See the following link for judging standards of Does and Wethers.
<http://www.npga-pygmy.com/resources/conformation/conformation.asp>

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION DOE	RESERVE DOE
CHAMPION WETHER	RESERVE WETHER
Ribbons Only	

DIVISION 515 – PYGMY GOATS (4-H, FFA & GRANGE SHOW TOGETHER)

CLASS

DOES

1. Under 1 year
2. 1 year & under 2
3. 2 years and under 3
4. 3 years and over

WETHERS

1. Under 1 year
2. 1 Year & under 2
3. 2 Years & under 3
4. 3 years & over

Primary members, See Showmanship section, page 114

MARKET GOATS

Ownership Documents due by	Wednesday, April 23,	by 4:00 pm	At the Fair Office
Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the Fair Office
Drop-off	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am -1:00 pm	See load-in map, page 70
Weigh-in	As unloaded		
Judged	Tuesday, June 10,	4:00 pm	
*Show Order: Market followed by Showmanship, followed by Breeding			
Non-Sale and Breeding Released	Tuesday, June 10,	following show (until 9:00 pm) or Friday, 7:00 - 9:00 am	
Large Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	9:00 am	
Released	Sunday, June 15,	6:00 pm	

NO PRIZE MONEY – RIBBONS ONLY

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS (2 ENTRIES PER EXHIBITOR MAXIMUM!)

CHAMPION RIBBONS

4-H CHAMPION	4-H RESERVE CHAMPION
FFA CHAMPION	FFA RESERVE CHAMPION
GRANGE CHAMPION	GRANGE RESERVE CHAMPION
SUPREME CHAMPION	RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

Supreme and Reserve Supreme will be a competition between FFA, GRANGE & 4-H Champions, and Reserve Champions

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES sponsored by EDCF

RULES

- A. ALL stalls must be stripped clean at end of the Fair.
- B. All Market Goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 60 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- C. An out-billing from a sales yard must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 60 consecutive days of ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the exhibitor's doe and raised by the exhibitor, or a purchase receipt showing 60 consecutive days ownership.
- D. Market goats must have milk teeth in normal positions and no permanent teeth showing at that time. Any goat having lost any of its milk teeth will be disqualified. All mouths inspected at weigh-in.
- E. This show is open to any breed or crossbred female (un-bred) or Wether goat. Any animal showing signs of pregnancy or testicular development will be disqualified.
- F. Market goats Does and Wethers are allowed, no bucks allowed.

- G. Fitting – Goats must be slick shorn with 3/8" hair or less at the time of arrival. Does and whether eligible. Goats must be disbudded. Wethers and Does from all breed classes will be co-exhibited in the market show classes.
- H. After weighing, market goats will be broken into classes by weight for convenience of judging. There will be no minimum or maximum numbers of animals per weight class.
- I. Market Goats must weigh a minimum of 60 pounds. Goats weighing more than 100 pounds will have their sale weight adjusted to 100 pounds.
- J. Age determined as of show date.
- K. American System of Judging.

DIVISION 507 – 4-H MARKET GOATS DIVISION

DIVISION 508 – FFA MARKET GOATS DIVISION

DIVISION 509 – GRANGE MARKET GOATS

CLASS #

1. **AOB** – May be any breed or cross not recognized by AGDA.

DIVISION 800 - OTHER \$5 PER CLASS:

CLASS #

1. Owner Bred. You **MUST** enter a Market Class and this class (4-H, FFA, GRANGE, INDEPENDENT) to qualify. Ribbons will be given to 1st through 3rd place finishers. All Owner Breds show in one class together.
2. Pair of Market Goats. Must be owned and exhibited by the same exhibitor.
3. County Bred - County-bred. Market Goat must be born and raised in El Dorado County.

Market Ready: Ribbon

Not Market Ready: Ribbon

NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction **MUST participate in a **SHOWMANSHIP** in this species.*

Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Champion – **MUST SELL** an exhibitor may sell only one animal in the sale, regardless of species. If one exhibitor has more than one champion, the highest placing champion must sell.

After weighing, market goats will be broken into classes by weight for convenience in judging.

FEEDER GOATS

ENTRY FEE \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION

RESERVE CHAMPION

DIVISION 510 – 4-H FEEDER GOAT

DIVISION 511 – FFA FEEDER GOAT

DIVISION 512 – GRANGE FEEDER GOAT

All feeder goats must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case, non-sale division.

CLASS #

1. Feeder Goats

BREEDING STOCK MEAT GOATS

ENTRY FEE \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

DIVISION 513 – BREEDING STOCK MEAT GOATS

Breeders enter fair at own risk.

CLASS #

- | | |
|-------------------|----------------|
| 1. Jr. Doe | Under 6 months |
| 2. Sr. Doe | 6 – 12 months |
| 3. Yearling Doe | 12 – 24 months |
| 4. 2-year-old Doe | 24 – 36 months |

4-H, GRANGE, and FFA GROUPS

The class consists of five (5) breeding or market animals exhibited in preceding divisions. Animals owned by at least four (4) different exhibitors from one club or chapter.

NO ENTRY FEE

DIVISION 514 –CLUB, CHAPTER, OR GROUP

CLASS #

1. Five animals exhibited by at least four (4) exhibitors. Chapters and Clubs are requested to sign-up in the Livestock Office prior to the show beginning.

*As a result of the new USDA Scrapie Eradication Program, all goats and sheep entering fairs are required to have individual identification on the animal. The official identification may be official USDA individual identification ear tags, premises ear tags, Scrapie Flock Certification Program ear tags, registration tattoos if accompanied by registration papers, or other methods approved by the California Department of Food and Agriculture **including a Premise ID**. All goats and sheep from out of state are required to have official individual identification, a certificate of veterinary inspection and a California entry permit.

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)



HORSE SHOW



4-H, GRANGE, FFA & INDEPENDENT YOUTH

Independents must register with the fair 120 days prior to the show.

Ownership/Leasing Deadline	January 31,	by 4:00 pm	
Ownership/Leasing Documents due	February 12 – 19,	by 4:00 pm	At the fair office
Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop-off & Judged			
<i>Western, English & Ranch</i>	Sunday, June 1	8:00 am	
<i>Gymkhana</i>	Thursday, June, 12	4:00 – 6:00 pm	
Large Animal Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	10:00 am	

ENTRY FEE: \$10 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

DRUG FEE: \$14 PER HORSE

RIBBONS ONLY

**ALL AROUND ENGLISH HIGH POINT RIDER
ALL AROUND WESTERN HIGH POINT RIDER
HIGH POINT RANCH HORSE
HIGH POINT GYMKHANA RIDER
BELT BUCKLES**

**Awarded by the El Dorado County Fair
Sponsored in part by GIST BUCKLES**

**RIBBONS FIRST through FIFTH PLACE
TERI MARIE LOWREY MEMORIAL AWARD**

sponsored by
CARTER/KELLY CONSTRUCTION
presented to the 4-H horse project member demonstrating
outstanding participation.

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All fees must be sent with the entry form. All entries must be made on an official Fair Entry Form.
- B. Parent, member, project leader, and club organizational leader: EACH MUST sign the Fair Entry Form. All Junior Exhibitors must have project management records turned in to their Leader or Instructor.
- C. The following instructions from the State Rules are mandatory: **ALL YOUTH PARTICIPATING IN ANY JUNIOR EQUESTRIAN ACTIVITY, REGARDLESS OF RIDING SEAT, SHALL WEAR A PROPERLY FITTED EQUESTRIAN HELMET WHICH MEETS ASTM/SEI APPROVAL WITH SECURED CHIN HARNESS PROPERLY FASTENED AT ALL TIMES WHEN MOUNTED.**
- D. **DRESS CODE:**
 - a. **4-H** exhibitors must wear the **4-H** western dress code, consisting of a long-sleeve white blouse or shirt with sleeves buttoned at the wrist at all times, green **4-H** tie or scarf, blue jeans, Western boots, belt, approved helmet, and numbers worn in a designated place.
 - b. **FFA** exhibitors must wear the **FFA** western dress code, consisting of a long-sleeve white blouse or shirt with sleeves buttoned at all times, blue **FFA** scarf, Jacket (weather permitting), black jeans, belt, Western boots, approved helmet, and numbers worn in a designated place.
 - c. **Grange/Independent Riders** must wear: Western dress code, consisting of a long-sleeve white blouse or shirt with sleeves buttoned at the wrist at all times, blue jeans, Western boots, belt, approved helmet, and numbers worn in a designated place.
 - d. English attire will consist of the same as the aforementioned except English boots, britches, and a hard hat (with chin harness on at all times) will be required.
 - e. Advertising of any form on attire is not permissible. The judge at his discretion may refuse entry into the arena or remove an entry from a class for improper attire and/or equipment.
 - f. Helmets are not required during showmanship classes.
- E. Age of the exhibitor is determined as of January 1, of the current year. Junior Division exhibitors are those who have not reached their 14th birthday as of January 1, the current year. Senior Division exhibitors are those who have reached their 14th birthday as of January 1 of the current year.
- F. **NO STALLIONS ARE ALLOWED.**
- G. Any horse exhibited in the junior or youth division must be owned or leased by the junior exhibitor showing the horse or owned by the junior exhibitor's parent, stepparent, sibling, half-sibling, step-sibling, grandparent, step-grandparent, sibling's spouse, half sibling's spouse, step-sibling's spouse or legal guardian (as evidenced by court documents), or owned by the institution in which the junior exhibitor is enrolled as a ward. Separate legal entities, such as family corporations, trusts, or partnerships, are also authorized owners of the youth

exhibitor's horse so long as all legal and equitable owners and beneficiaries of the legal entity are individuals specifically authorized by this rule. "Owned" means, in addition to other legitimate methods of acquiring ownership, the bona fide legal ownership obtained for adequate consideration in reasonable relationship with the actual market value of the horse

- H. Horses must be owned or leased by and under the exhibitor's care and management and under the supervision of the organization in which the project will be shown 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair or event/show if held separately from the fair. The official ownership date is the date shown on the receipt of the sale unless the animal was bred by the exhibitor. The days are counted prior to the opening day of the fair or event.
 - a. **For owned horses**, proof of ownership must be available at check-in, if requested. Make sure to have this available.
 - b. **For leased horses**, the lease, signed by the owner and the exhibitor, and a clear picture of a side view of the horse or some permanent identification must be filed with the Fair Office at least 120 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair or event/show if held separately from the fair.
- I. Horses owned as a joint project may only be shown by one designated exhibitor at an individual show.
- J. As a general rule, grooming, care, and tacking of the Horse/Pony shall be performed by the exhibitor. Assistance may be given by any **4-H** Horse Project Leader, **FFA** Instructor, Grange Leader, or any other **4-H/FFA/Grange** Horse Project Member. Where the safety of an exhibitor is concerned, assistance may be given by any adult.
- K. Pony and horse may be combined in all classes.
- L. **WALK/TROT/JOG CLASSES** – Open to horse/exhibitor/exhibitor that has never been shown in a loping class. Any horse/exhibitor may move up to a lope class in their division at the following show BUT may not move back down to WALK/TROT/JOG once they have loped. Except due to a SAFETY issue, show management and horse project leaders may make a combined decision to allow the rider to move back down. There will be WALK/TROT/JOG GYMKHANA classes offered.
- M. **All-Around Buckles will be awarded as follows:**
 - Western division:** The top five (5) events will count towards the award.
 - English division:** The top five (5) events will count towards the award.
 - Gymkhana division:** The top five (5) events will count towards the award.
 - Ranch Horse Division:** The top five (5) events will count towards the award.
- N. First place winner of Novice Showmanship (Jr/Sr) will move up and show again in their correct age group. (i.e. Jr or Sr Showmanship). The winner of Junior Showmanship will move up to Senior Showmanship and remain a senior showman. The winner of Senior Showmanship will show in Master Showmanship at the Fair. *Both FFA, 4-H & Grange Showmanship class winners will advance.*
- O. **WESTERN AND RANCH CLASSES** – Shall be shown in any standard western bit having a shank with a maximum length overall of 8½". The mouthpiece will consist of a metal bar 3/8" to ¾" in diameter, varying from the straight bar to a high port. Jointed mouthpieces are permitted. Curb chains, if used, must be at least ½" in width, and lie flat against the horse's chin. Split rein or Romal rein may be used, but the reins must be attached to each shank. (One hand must be used when showing in a western bit. The only exception is green classes using snaffles/hackamores.)
- P. **ENGLISH CLASSES** – Shall be shown in regulation snaffles, Pelham's, or full bridles, all with nosebands. The judge, at his/her discretion, can penalize a horse with non-conventional types of bits or nosebands.
- Q. **PONY CLASSES** are open to **4-H**, **FFA**, Grange, and Independent riders.
- R. **PATTERN CLASSES** – English Equitation Senior and Western Horsemanship, both Junior and Senior.
- S. **GYMKHANA CLASSES** – Open to both horses and ponies. Equipment and attire may be either English or Western but must be consistent.
 - Western: Standard Western type stock seat saddle, standard type bit, hackamore, or mechanical hackamore.
 - English: Any English saddle approved for AHSA shows may be used. Bridle shall be either a snaffle with noseband, pelham, or full bridle. Attire shall be English, including boots and a hard hat with a chin guard in place. The judge may prohibit the use of bits or equipment deemed severe, inhumane, abnormal, or dangerous.
- T. Eligibility for individual class levels will be determined by the **4-H** Project Leader, **4-H** Resource Leader, Grange or **FFA** Instructor. **ALL 4-H ENTRY FORMS MUST BE SIGNED BY HORSE PROJECT AND COMMUNITY CLUB LEADERS. ALL FFA/GRANGE ENTRY FORMS MUST BE SIGNED BY THE INSTRUCTOR.**
- U. The Junior Fair Horse Show will be judged in accordance with the rules and definitions set forth in the USA Equestrian Rule Book; the Gymkhana will be judged in accordance with the rules and definitions set forth in the California Gymkhana Association (CGA) bylaws and Rule Book, providing such rules and regulations do not conflict with the State Rules, County Rules, or **4-H/FFA/GRANGE** Rules which prevail.
- V. Any exhibitor, leader, or parent making a protest shall lodge such protest with the Fair Manager in writing within 24 hours of the time of the cause of the protest. Protests may only be based on violations of rules. No protest shall be considered by the Fair Board unless accompanied by a deposit of \$100. This deposit shall be forfeited if the protest is not sustained.
- W. The Junior Horse Show Staff and/or the Judge may disqualify from competition any Exhibitor who is abusive to an animal or demonstrates poor conduct and/or attitude. The Judge may disqualify any animal that is not sufficiently gentle to be shown with safety or is not suitably sound. **The Judge's decision shall be final.**
- X. The Fair Management may cancel or combine classes based on the number of entries. If there is a single walk/trot class it will be judged equitation.
- Y. Awards will only be paid if there are 3 or more in a class.
- Z. All classes will be offered to INDEPENDENTS if needed.
- AA. **ALL 4-H RULES, FFA RULES, GRANGE RULES, COUNTY FAIR RULES, AND STATE FAIR RULES APPLY.**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 1, English – Western – Ranch

DIVISION 516 –WESTERN

CLASS

1. Bareback 4-H-Grange Walk/Jog
2. Bareback 4-H-Grange Junior
3. Bareback 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
4. Western Equitation 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
5. Western Equitation 4-H-Grange Junior
6. Western Equitation 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
7. Western Pleasure 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
8. Western Pleasure 4-H-Grange Junior
9. Western Pleasure 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
10. Western Horsemanship 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
11. Western Horsemanship 4-H-Grange Junior
12. Western Horsemanship 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior Walk/Trot
13. Trail 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
14. Trail 4-H-Grange Junior
15. Trail 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior

DIVISION 517 - SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Showmanship 4-H-FFA-Grange Novice
2. Showmanship FFA Advanced
3. Showmanship 4-H-Grange Junior
4. Showmanship 4-H-Grange Senior

DIVISION 518 – ENGLISH, HUNTER AND JUMPER

CLASS

1. English Equitation 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Trot
2. English Equitation 4-H-Grange Junior
3. English Equitation 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
4. English Pleasure 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Trot
5. English Pleasure 4-H-Grange Junior
6. English Pleasure 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
7. English Horsemanship 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Trot
8. English Horsemanship 4-H-Grange Junior
9. English Horsemanship 4-H-FFA-Grange Senior
10. Hunter Hack Cross Rails 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Trot
11. Hunter Hack Cross Rails 4-H-FFA-Grange Open
12. Hunter over Fences 4-H-FFA-Grange
13. Hunter over Fences Open 4-H-FFA-Grange

DIVISION 519 – Ranch Horse

CLASS

1. Ranch Halter 4-H-FFA-Grange
2. Ranch Trail 4-H-Grange Walk/Trot
3. Ranch Trail 4-H-FFA-Grange Open
4. Ranch Riding 4H-Grange Walk/Trot
5. Ranch Riding 4H-FFA-Grange Open
6. Ranch Pattern 4-H-Grange Walk/Trot
7. Ranch Pattern 4-H-FFA-Grange Open
8. Ranch Reining 4-H-Grange Walk/Trot
9. Ranch Reining 4-H-FFA-Grange Open

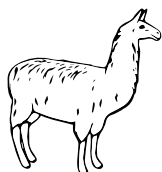
GYMKHANA

Thursday, June 12 (following Goat Show)

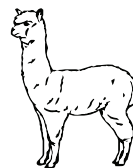
DIVISION 520 – GYMKHANA

CLASS

1. Single Stake 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
2. Single Stake 4-H-Grange Jr
3. Single Stake 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
4. Poles I 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
5. Poles I 4-H-Grange Jr
6. Poles I 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
7. Poles II 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
8. Poles II 4-H-Grange Jr
9. Poles II 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
10. Bi-Rangle 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
11. Bi-Rangle 4-H-Grange Jr
12. Bi-Rangle 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
13. Speed Barrels 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
14. Speed Barrels 4-H-Grange Jr
15. Speed Barrels 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog
16. Cloverleaf Barrels 4-H-FFA-Grange Sr
17. Cloverleaf Barrels 4-H-Grange Jr
18. Cloverleaf Barrels 4-H-FFA-Grange Walk/Jog



LLAMA & ALPACA



Lease agreement/Bill of Sale or Proof of Ownership at the Fair Office

Due by	February 13 thru 19,	4:00 pm	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the Fair Office</i>
Drop-off	Thursday, June 12,	11:00 – 11:45 am	See load-in map, page 70
Exhibitor's Meeting Ring with Judge	Thursday, June 12,	11:50 am	
Judged	Thursday, June 12,	12:00 pm	
Showmanship		Followed by Performance Classes	
Released	Thursday, June 12,	Following the show	

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All llamas/alpacas must have a halter on at all times while on the fairgrounds.
- B. ALSA Rules shall apply except where El Dorado County Fair, FFA, or California 4-H rules supersede.
- C. Llamas and/or Alpacas must be owned/leased 120 days prior to opening day of the fair.
- D. Leased animals must be registered with the Fair Office.
- E. No leased animals may be owned by Judge.
- F. No exhibitor may have trained under the judge within the last 120 days.
- G. Performance Champion Criteria shall follow ALSA rules.
- H. *American System of Judging*

\$6 ENTRY FEE PER CLASS

No Prize Money – Ribbons Only 1st – 3rd place

ROSETTES

Grand Champion Junior Youth Performance
Reserve Champion Junior Youth Performance
Grand Champion Intermediate Youth Performance
Reserve Champion Intermediate Youth Performance
Grand Champion Senior Youth Performance
Reserve Champion Senior Youth Performance

Note: Reserve Champion Awards will only be awarded if there are 3 or more exhibitors in each class

DIVISION 560 LLAMAS/ALPACAS

CLASS #

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. Obstacle, Junior (9 -11 years old) | 5. Public Relations, Intermediate (12 – 14 years old) |
| 2. Obstacle, Intermediate (12 – 14 years old) | 6. Public Relations, Senior (15 – 18 years old) |
| 3. Obstacle, Senior (15 – 18 years old) | 7. Pack, Junior (9 – 11 years old) |
| 4. Public Relations, Junior (9 -11 years old) | 8. Pack, Intermediate (12 – 14 years old) |
| | 9. Pack, Senior (15 – 18 years old) |

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)

PEE WEE RODEO

RULES (Subject to change. Check website for up-to-date details.)

- A. Youth Ages 3 - 8 years old.
- B. Classes divided based on entries and ages.

Little Buckaroos, Ages 3—5

- Goat Undressing – individual timed event (buckle)
- Stick Horse Barrel Race – individual timed event (buckle)-
- Wagon Hay Hauling – team timed event (2 buckles)

Junior Pardners, Age 6-8:

- Dummy Roping (buckle)
- Wagon Hay Hauling – individual timed event (buckle)
- Goat Milking – team timed event (2 buckles)

CHECK-IN BEGINS June 13 at 1:30 pm in the Henningsen Arena
EVENT BEGINS AT 2:00 PM

Early Bird Sign-ups till June 6 for \$5 per entry at Fair Office, 9 am—4 pm.
Entries turned in the day of event: \$10

100 Placerville Dr, Placerville
For more information call 530-621-5860

MUTTON BUSTIN

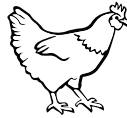
RULES

- A. **Lil' Busters:** Ages 4 - 5 years as of June 13, 2025.
- B. **Busters:** Ages 6 - 7 years as of June 13, 2025.
- C. 60-pound weight limit.
- D. Helmets must be worn, provided by rider's parents.
- E. Weather must be under 100 degrees for event to take place.

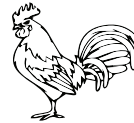
Registration begins May 29, 2025 at Fair Office, 9 am—4 pm.
Bring child when registering, we will be verifying weight.

Event Check-in: June 13 following completion of Pee Wee Rodeo in Henningsen Arena.
Event begins after registration is complete.

100 Placerville Dr, Placerville
For more information call 530-621-5860



POULTRY



Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop-off & Inspected	Tuesday, June 10,	8:00 - 9:00 am	Henningsen Arena, see load-in map, page 70
Market Birds & Turkeys			
Drop-off & Inspected	Wednesday, June 11,	8:00 - 9:00 am	Henningsen Arena, see load-in map, page 70
Show Birds			Coop in Barn D
Weigh-in			
Turkey & Market Birds Judged	Tuesday, June 10,	12:00 pm	
Broiler Show		Followed by Turkeys, followed by Market Showmanship	
Show Birds Judged	Wednesday, June 11,	9:30 am	
		*Confirmation followed by Showmanship	
Non-Sale Market Birds Released	Tuesday, June 10,	following Show	
Primary Bird Showmanship	Wednesday, June 11,	11:30 am	11:30 am
Small Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	12:00 pm	
Sale Birds Released	Saturday, June 14,	TBD	

RULES

- A. Rules, definitions, and judging procedure as prescribed in the latest edition of the Official Show Rules and the Standard of Perfection of the American Poultry Association, Inc., shall apply to all District and County Fair Poultry Shows, except in such instances where they are in conflict with the rules and regulations prescribed by the Department of Food and Agriculture.
- B. Show Birds will be shown and judged in the proper division and class for the breed, variety, age, and sex ONLY. If no class is offered, no awards may be made. Disqualified birds and those absent at the time of judging do not count when computing the number of exhibitors in the class.
- C. A judge may excuse a bird from the competition if it appears to be fatigued or out of condition, but the bird shall be counted as an entry.
- D. For all classes of standard-bred chickens, all birds must be identified by leg band conforming with the entry form on arrival at the show.
- E. No hens with chicks will be allowed.
- F. Exhibitors are limited to a total of 10 birds, **except meat birds. They will be limited to 2 meat pens & 2 turkeys.**
- G. **All birds must be free from disease and external parasites**, i.e., lice, mites, ticks, etc., and their nits. Any birds found to have any apparent disease, sickness, or parasites will be excused and removed from the fairgrounds and not returned. There will be no refund for diseased birds.
- H. Birds that are to remain at the Fair, must remain at the fair unless released by the Livestock Office.
- I. Birds must be owned by the exhibitor for 30 consecutive days.
- J. Only one pen per exhibitor of Meat Birds will stay for auction. All primary member birds not also entered in the show must be taken home after showmanship.
- K. Exhibitors may only show showmanship with one bird.
- L. Fair rules require you to show in conformation, to be allowed to show in showmanship and you must show in showmanship to sell your animal in the auction. You **MUST** show conformation AND showmanship to sell your bird. Market exhibitors may full fill this requirement by participating in Show Bird Showmanship instead of meat bird or Turkey Showmanship. All poultry exhibitors may only participate in one Poultry Showmanship, either show bird, meat bird or turkey.
- M. All Market Ready Meat Pens sell at Auction. Exhibitors may only sell one pen & must have shown in a poultry Showmanship class.
- N. Supreme poultry showman eligibility to 1st and 2nd place winners of FFA senior, 4-H senior, and Grange senior poultry showmanship. All senior show bird winners will compete for overall "Best Showman" title.

EGG ENTRIES

See page 33.

MARKET BIRDS

Meat Birds

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

LIMIT – 2 ENTRIES (2-4 birds depending on classes)

RIBBONS IN EACH CLASS UP TO 5 PLACES

NO PRIZE MONEY

4-H, Grange & FFA CHAMPION

4-H, Grange & FFA RESERVE CHAMPION

SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION

RESERVE SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES
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Birds with hatchery receipts or delivery invoices must be available for proof of age and ownership.

All Meat Pens sell at Auction. That are judged as
“Market Ready” by Judge.

Exhibitors may only sell one pen & must have shown in that Showmanship class.

DIVISION 521 – 4-H LIVE MEAT BIRDS

DIVISION 522 – FFA LIVE MEAT BIRDS

DIVISION 523 – GRANGE LIVE MEAT BIRDS

CLASS #

1. Broiler - Pen of 2 Chickens - two birds, minimum of 4.5 lbs. each. (May not be entered in any other division) DO NOT list sex on the entry form.
2. Turkey - one bird, minimum 15 lbs. and not over 38 lbs. (May not be entered in any other division) DO NOT list sex on the entry form.

SHOW BIRDS

Non-Market

CROSSBRED BIRDS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

DEFINITIONS:

“Cock” and “Hen” - One year and older

“Cockerel” and “Pullet” - Under one year

RIBBONS IN EACH CLASS UP TO 5 PLACES

NO PRIZE MONEY

BEST OF SHOW, RESERVE BEST OF SHOW, BEST OF DIVISION, AND BEST RESERVE OF DIVISION WHEN 3 OR MORE ARE JUDGED.

NOTE: Provide both the Division and Class Number on Entry Form.

DIVISION 524, LARGE CHICKENS

CLASS #

1. American Breeds
2. Asiatic Breeds
3. English Breeds
4. Mediterranean Breeds
5. Continental Breeds
6. All Other Breeds

DIVISION 525, BANTAMS

CLASS #

1. Modern Game Breeds
2. Old English Game Breeds
3. Single Comb Clean Legged Breeds
4. Rose Comb Clean Legged Breeds
5. All Other Comb Clean Legged Breeds
6. Feather-Legged Breeds

DIVISION 526, WATERFOWL

CLASS #

1. Heavy Breeds
2. Medium Breeds
3. Light Breeds
4. Bantam Breeds

DIVISION 527, TURKEYS & GAME BIRDS

CLASS #

1. All Varieties of Turkeys
2. Emu
3. All Other Game Birds, i.e. Pheasant, Quail

DIVISION 528, PIGEON

CLASS #

1. Racing
2. Homing
3. Fancy
4. Utility

DIVISION 529, PRIMARY

**Open to all primary members (5 - 8 years old). Exhibits will not be judged or go to auction - for educational display only. Limited to one animal per primary exhibitor, must remain on display for duration of fair.*

CLASS #

1. Large Fowl
2. Bantams
3. Waterfowl

DIVISION 825, PET

CLASS #

4. Large Fowl
5. Bantams
6. Waterfowl

PRIMARY MEMBERS See

Showmanship Section, page 120.

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)



RABBITS & CAVIES



Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop-off	Wednesday, June 11,	7:00 - 8:00 am (Show/Market Rabbits)	Barn D, see load-in map, page 70
Rabbits Judged	Wednesday, June 11,	8:00 am	Barn D
Cavies Judged	Order: Market followed by Breeding, followed by Showmanship		
Non-Sale Released	Wednesday, June 11,	Following Rabbits	Barn D
Small Master Showmanship	(Walkout) following the Show until 9:00 pm		
Released	Friday, June 13,	12:00 pm	
Rabbit Agility and Costume Contest	Sunday, June 15,	6:00 pm	
Entry Forms Due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	<i>At the fair office</i>
Drop-off	Thursday, June 12,	11:30 am – 12:45 pm (Rabbit: Agility & Costumes)	Barn D
Agility Contest	Thursday, June 12,	1:00 pm	
Costume Contest	Thursday, June 12,	Following Agility Contest	Barn D
Released	Thursday, June 12,	Immediately after contest (Walk out only.)	

RABBITS

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. *Rules, definitions, and judging procedures as prescribed in the latest edition of the Guidebook and Standard of the American Rabbit Breeder's Association, Inc., shall apply to all judging provided they do not conflict with any of the Department of Food and Agriculture.*
- B. There is no limit on class and breed entries.
- C. No exhibitor may dictate to management the conditions under which they will exhibit. Pens are assigned by management and are not reserved. ALL BEST-OF-BREED AND BEST OPPOSITE BREED ANIMALS WILL REMAIN FOR THE DURATION OF THE FAIR. **Tattoos will be checked.**
- D. Substitutions may be made only within the same breed, variety, sex, and age (class) as the animal being withdrawn and must be made no later than one hour prior to judging.
- E. All animals must be identified by permanent ear marking matching what is listed on the entry form on arrival at the show. Any duplication of ear markings by one exhibitor in the same division must be eliminated and the change recorded on the judging sheet before judging.
- F. Rabbits will be entered on the standard fair form. Rabbits must be entered by breed, variety, sex, ear number, age and in the correct division and class with the required owner's and leader's signatures to be considered a valid entry.
- G. Animals will be shown and judged only in the proper division and class for the breed, variety, age, and sex.
- H. A judge may eliminate a rabbit from competition because of a temporary or curable defect.
- I. PREGNANT does and does with litters will not be admitted into the show ring.
- J. All rabbits will be fed and cared for by the committee. No locks or hog rings will be permitted on the cages. No "FOR SALE" signs will be allowed on the cages. Failure to comply with any of the above rules will cause an exhibitor to remove his animals.
- K. All rabbits are entered at the owner's risk. Judges and show personnel are not responsible in any way. All reasonable precautions will be taken to ensure the rabbits' safety.
- L. Exhibitors will be expected to bring their own rabbits to the judging table. If an exhibitor is busy in another barn, it is his/her responsibility to arrange for another 4-H, Grange, or FFA member to get his/her rabbit to the table.
- M. Rabbits entered in Fur Division must also be in a Breed Division.
- N. Rabbits must be owned by the exhibitor 30 consecutive days prior to the Fair opening.
- O. **ANY VIOLATION OF STATE OR LOCAL RULES WILL RESULT IN THE LOSS OF ANY AWARDS.**

SHOW RABBITS

Non-Market

RIBBONS

FIRST THROUGH FIFTH

The following awards will be given if 3 or more are in a Breed:

- * BEST OF BREED * BEST OPPOSITE OF BREED
- * BEST OF VARIETY * BEST OPPOSITE OF VARIETY

LOCAL ONLY

DIVISIONS - HEAVYWEIGHT

- 700 Californian
- 701 New Zealand
- 702 Satin
- 703 Silver Fox
- 704 Flemish Giant
- 705 American Chinchilla
- 706 American Sable
- 707 American
- 708 Blanc de Hotot
- 709 Palomino
- 710 Beveren
- 711 Champagne D'Argent
- 712 Checkered Giant
- 713 Cinnamon
- 714 Crème D'Argent
- 715 English Lop
- 716 Giant Angora
- 717 Giant Chinchilla
- 718 French Lop
- 719 Argente Brun

CLASS # - HEAVYWEIGHT

Age or Weight per Breed Standard

1. Senior Buck – over 8 months
2. Senior Doe – over 8 months
3. Intermediate Buck – 6 to 8 months
4. Intermediate Doe – 6 to 8 months
5. Junior Buck – under 6 months
6. Junior Doe – under 6 months

DIVISIONS – LIGHTWEIGHT

- 720 Dutch
- 721 Holland Lop
- 722 Mini Lop
- 723 Netherland Dwarf

ROSETTES BEST IN SHOW for:

- BEST IN SHOW
- BEST NORMAL FUR
- BEST SATIN FUR
- RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
- BEST REX FUR
- BEST WOOL

- 724 Polish
- 725 Mini Rex
- 726 Am. Fuzzy Lop
- 727 Himalayan
- 728 Rex
- 729 Jersey Wooly
- 730 Belgian Hare
- 731 Britannia Petite Chinchilla
- 732 Dwarf Hotot
- 733 English Angora
- 734 English Spot
- 735 French Angora
- 736 Florida White
- 737 Harlequin
- 738 Havana
- 739 Lilac
- 740 Lionhead
- 741 Mini Satin
- 742 Rhinelander
- 743 Satin Angora
- 744 Silver
- 745 Silver Martin
- 746 Standard Chinchilla
- 747 Tan
- 748 Thrianta
- 885 Czech Frosty
- 749 Dwarf Papillon
- 769 Blue Holicer

CLASS # – LIGHTWEIGHT

Age or Weight per Breed Standard

1. Senior Buck – 6 months and over
2. Senior Doe – 6 months and over
3. Junior Buck – under 6 months
4. Junior Doe – under 6 months

Primary Members See Showmanship Section, page 110.

FUR ANIMALS

RULES

- A. Animals must have been shown and qualified in regular breed classes.
- B. Duplication of identification numbers is accepted on animals of different breeds in the Fur Class.
- C. Fur entries must be clearly stated on the entry form.
- D. Absence of ear markings on the entry form will eliminate the animal from the competition.

DIVISION 750 - FUR ANIMALS

CLASS

1. Normal fur
2. Satin
3. Rex
4. Wool

MARKET ANIMALS

MEAT PENS

Entry Fee: \$12 per entry.

No Prize Money – Ribbons Only

CHAMPION RIBBONS

CHAMPION (4-H, FFA & GRANGE)

RESERVE CHAMPION (4-H, FFA & GRANGE)

SUPREME CHAMPION

RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES sponsored by EDCF

UTILITY ANIMALS: Minimum 3.5 pounds not over 5.5 pounds – not over 70 days old. All breeds are judged together. Each entry is to be one breed and color. Ages will be verified by bill of sale. ***You do not have to own the Doe and you do not have to be the first owner of the meat pen.***

MUST SUBMIT PHOTOGRAPH OF RABBIT WITH ENTRY. Minimum 30 days ownership.

DIVISION 751 – UTILITY ANIMALS FFA

DIVISION 752 – UTILITY ANIMALS 4-H

DIVISION 753 – UTILITY ANIMALS GRANGE

CLASS # (Limit three class entries per exhibitor. Two pens and one fryer, or two fryers and one pen).

1. Pen of three rabbits
2. Single Fryer (single rabbit, not part of Class 1)

***NOTE:** All exhibitors selling at auction **MUST** participate in a **SHOWMANSHIP** class with their Market Rabbit.

The exhibitor must declare which pen he/she is selling either in Class 1 or Class 2.

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)

CAVIES

Rabbit rules that pertain to Cavies will be observed

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY

ENTRY FEE FOR PRIMARY: \$2

No Prize Money – Ribbons Only

Must have 3 or more in a breed to offer this ribbon

BEST OF BREED **BEST OF OPPOSITE BREED**

ROSETTES BEST IN SHOW for:

BEST IN SHOW **RESERVE IN SHOW**

DIVISIONS

754 Abyssinian

755 Abyssinian Satin

756 American

757 American Satin

758 Peruvian

759 Peruvian Satin

760 Silkie

761 Silkie Satin

762 Teddy

763 Teddy Satin

764 Texel

765 White Crested

766 Coronet

CLASS #

1. Senior Boar – over 32 oz.
2. Senior Sow – over 32 oz.
3. Intermediate Boar – up to 6 months of age, weight over 22 oz, maximum 32 oz
4. Intermediate Sow – up to 6 months of age, weight over 22 oz, maximum 32 oz
5. Junior Boar – up to 4 months of age, minimum weight 12 oz, maximum 22 oz
6. Junior Sow – up to 4 months of age, minimum weight

PRIMARY MEMBER SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION, PAGE 113

RABBIT AGILITY & COSTUME CONTEST

FREE TO ENTER (Including Primary Members)

\$2 Animal Insurance still applies.

No Prize Money – Ribbons Only

DIVISION 890

CLASS #

DIVISION 768 Rabbit Agility

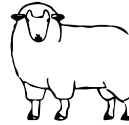
CLASS #

1. Primary
2. Novice
3. Intermediate
4. Senior

1. Costume Contest



SHEEP



Ownership Document due by	Wednesday, April 23,	by 4:00 pm	At the fair office
Entry forms due by thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop-off	Monday, June 9,	10:00 am - 1:00 pm	See load-in map, page 70
Weigh-in	Monday, June 9,	as unloaded	
Judged	Wednesday, June 11,	3:00 pm **Market followed by Showmanship, followed by Breeding	
Large Master Showmanship	Friday, June 13,	9:00 am	
Non-Sale Animals Released	Wednesday, June 11,	Following Shows or Friday, 7:00 – 9:00 am	
Market (Sold) Released	Sunday, June 15,	6:00 pm	

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- ALL SHEEP** must be veterinarian inspected and certified free from Club Lamb Fungus and must always have their premise identification and registration on the grounds due to the Scrapies Eradication Program. To enroll, call 877-741-3690. No refunds will be made for diseased animals.
- Paperwork and/or tags will be checked by the Vet at check-in. You **MUST** have proof with you.
- All sheep and goats from out of state require official individual identification valid for 30 days after inspection of the animals, a certificate of veterinary inspection, and a California entry permit within 15 days of entering California.
- As a result of the new USDA Scrapie Eradication Program, all goats and sheep entering fairs are required to have individual identification on the animal. The official identification may be official USDA individual identification ear tags, premises ear tags, Scrapie Flock Certification Program ear tags, registration tattoos if accompanied by registration papers, or other methods approved by the California Department of Food and Agriculture. All goats and sheep from out of state are required to have official individual identification, a certificate of veterinary inspection, and a California entry permit.

BREEDING “SHOW” SHEEP

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- All breeding sheep must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary.
- Breeders enter the fair at their own risk, these animals are housed in a market animal barn.
- Flock numbers shall be used to identify all entries. Numbers shall be on regular and practical tags attached to the ear or tattooed in the ear. An exhibitor may not use the same flock number on more than one animal during any two consecutive calendar years.
REGISTRATION NUMBERS MAY NOT BE USED AS FLOCK NUMBERS. FLOCK NUMBERS AND BREEDER'S INITIALS, NAME, OR ASSOCIATION PREFIX shall be on regular and practical tags attached to the ear or tattooed in the ear, for yearling and lambs bred by the exhibitor. Lambs must show lamb's teeth.
- All animals in “registered purebred breeding animal” divisions must be registered and recorded with a United States breed association in the exact name of the exhibitor (owner) as declared on the entry form. Provide registration forms and entries for the species you are selling.

***NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction MUST participate in a SHOWMANSHIP class.**

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Ribbons Only
CHAMPION RIBBONS
 CHAMPION
 RESERVE CHAMPION

DIVISION 529 – WETHER DAM
DIVISION 530 – REGISTERED

CLASS # EWES

- Yearling September 2023 through August 2024
- Fall Lamb September through December. Previous year
- Spring Lamb January through March current year

Date of Lambing

GROUPS

ONE ENTRY PER EXHIBITOR PER CLASS

CLASS

- PAIR OF EWE LAMBS: Two ewe lambs
- PAIR OF YEARLING EWES: Two yearling ewes

SINGLE MARKET LAMBS

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS MAXIMUM OF TWO (2) ENTRIES PER EXHIBITOR

CHAMPION RIBBONS

4-H CHAMPION and
FFA CHAMPION and

4-H RESERVE CHAMPION
FFA RESERVE CHAMPION

GRANGE CHAMPION and GRANGE RESERVE CHAMPION
SUPREME and RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES sponsored by EDCF

Market Ready Ribbon
ELIGIBLE TO SELL

Not Market Ready
CAN NOT SELL

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All market lambs must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 60 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair.
- B. California brand inspection or an out-billing from a sales yard must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 60 consecutive days of ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was dropped from the exhibitor's ewe and raised by the exhibitor.
- C. After weighing, market lambs will be broken into classes by weight for convenience in judging.
- D. Market lambs may not carry more than one inch of stretched fleece at any point on their bodies.
- E. Must have lamb's teeth, lambs mouth will be checked at weigh-in.
- F. ALL BREEDS JUDGED TOGETHER
- G. AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

DIVISION 532 – 4-H SINGLE MARKET LAMBS

DIVISION 533 – FFA SINGLE MARKET LAMBS

DIVISION 534 – GRANGE SINGLE MARKET LAMBS

CLASS

1. Whether or Ewe Lamb – 100 to 150 pounds. (Lambs weighing more than 150 pounds will have their sale weight adjusted to 150 pounds).

SINGLE FEEDER LAMBS

All feeder lambs must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case.

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

Ribbons Only

Group 1 – Fancy

Group 2 – Choice

Group 3 – Good

Group 4 – Medium and Common

DIVISION 535 – 4-H SINGLE FEEDER

DIVISION 536 – FFA SINGLE FEEDER

DIVISION 537 – GRANGE SINGLE FEEDER

CLASS

1. Feeder Lamb - 60 lbs. - 140 lbs., non-sale Division

OTHER MARKET LAMB CLASSES

ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

Ribbons Only

DIVISION 538 – OTHER MARKET LAMB CLASSES

CLASS

1. Pen of two market lambs owned and exhibited by one exhibitor.

2. Owner Bred – must be entered in a single market class to be eligible. 1st through 3rd Place ribbons will be awarded to the top 3 "owner-bred" market animals.
3. County Bred - County-bred. Market Lamb must be born and raised in El Dorado County.

4-H, FFA & GRANGE GROUPS

The class consists of 5 breeding or market animals exhibited in preceding divisions. Animals must be owned by at least 4 different exhibitors from one club or chapter.

DIVISION 539 – CHAPTER OR CLUB GROUP

CLASS # 4-H, FFA & GRANGE

1. 5 animals, at least 4 exhibitors

Chapters and clubs are requested to sign-up in the livestock office prior to the start of the show, no later than the day of the Show (actual animals do not have to be chosen at this time, just the Chapter or Club must register their Group). All chapters and groups show in 1 class.

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5 PER ENTRY

SHOWMANSHIP RULES (STATE RULES APPLY):

- A. All Showmanship is judged by American System of Judging. The judge's placing is final. Entry Fee \$5 per class.
- B. Only animals owned, fitted and exhibited by Junior Exhibitors may show in Junior Department Livestock Divisions. Fair Management reserves the right to use any animal entered in the referenced divisions and classes for any exhibitors competing in Master Showmanship. The individual species sections indicate when each species is judged for showmanship. Exhibitors shall be on hand and ready to exhibit at the time called for judging.
- C. Livestock Shown in showmanship must be owned (or leased for horse & alpaca/llama projects) by the exhibitor, entered by the exhibitor and shown in an appropriate market, breeding, conformation or performance class. If the exhibitor has an animal that was weight sifted or could not be shown in the market class for some reason, they may use that animal for showmanship, only if that animal is the only animal that particular exhibitor brought to the fair.
- D. All exhibitors selling at auction MUST participate in that SHOWMANSHIP (same species as selling) class and are required to adhere to the official show dress code per their association.
- E. All Classes must have three (3) exhibitors competing, or classes will be combined, ie: If Grange poultry does not have 3 Grange exhibitors, the Grange exhibitors will show with 4-H if they are under 14 and with FFA if they are 14 or older.

SHOWMANSHIP DEFINITIONS:

- ◆ **NOVICE:** Exhibitors who have NEVER BEFORE at any California Fair, shown in that category (the two categories are: Large Animal or Small Animal). Novice is specifically for first year exhibitors within the two categories. If you have shown another species within that particular category, you ARE NOT a novice exhibitor. For example, if it is your first year showing sheep but you have showed cattle in the past, you ARE NOT a novice. However, if you are showing a hog and have shown only pygmy goats in the past, you ARE a novice for the large animal category for the sheep showmanship class.
- ◆ **INTERMEDIATE:** For exhibitors who are: 1.) not Novice and 2.) have not yet reached their 14th birthday by January 1st of this year and 3.) have not previously won Intermediate Showmanship for species entering. If you have won Intermediate showmanship in the species entering, you must enter Senior Showmanship.
- ◆ **SENIOR:** For exhibitors who have: 1.) reached their 14th birthday on or before January 1st of this year and 2.) ineligible for either Novice or Intermediate Showmanship. First place showmanship winners will be eligible for Master Showmanship.
- ◆ **INDEPENDENT EXHIBITORS:** Independent exhibitors are not affiliated in their specific project with a club or chapter. Must be at least 9 years old and not older than 19 on January 1st of this year. Age 14-19 will show in FFA classes, and 9-13 will show in 4-H Classes.
- ◆ **PEE WEE:** Open to any person who is ages 4-8 as of January 1st of this year.

LARGE ANIMAL SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION 600 - 4-H NOVICE

SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 602 - 4-H

INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 603 - 4-H SENIOR

SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine

4. Dairy Goats

5. Market Goats

6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 601 - FFA NOVICE

SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 604 - FFA SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 610 - GRANGE NOVICE

SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef

2. Sheep

3. Swine

4. Dairy Goats

5. Market Goats

6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 611 GRANGE

INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

DIVISION 612 - GRANGE SENIOR

SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS

1. Beef
2. Sheep
3. Swine
4. Dairy Goats
5. Market Goats
6. Llama & Alpaca

SMALL ANIMAL SHOWMANSHIP

DIVISION 620 - 4-H PRIMARY SHOWMANSHIP

Open to 4-H exhibitors who are at least 5 years old and not older than 8 years old prior to December 31ST. Limit to one animal per primary member.

EDUCATIONAL PARTICIPATION ONLY

CLASS #

1. Cavy
2. Nigerian Goats
3. Pygmy Goats
4. Poultry

VISION 605 - 4-H NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 607 - 4-H INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 608 - 4-H SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 606 - FFA NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 609 – FFA SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 625 - GRANGE PRIMARY SHOWMANSHIP

Open to Grange exhibitors who are at least 5 years old and not older than 8 years old prior to December 31ST. Limit to one animal per primary member.

EDUCATIONAL PARTICIPATION ONLY

CLASS #

1. Cavy
2. Nigerian Goats
3. Pygmy Goats
4. Poultry
5. Rabbits

DIVISION 613 - GRANGE NOVICE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 614 GRANGE INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 615 – GRANGE SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP

CLASS #

1. Poultry Show Birds
2. Poultry Meat Birds
3. Turkeys
4. Rabbits
5. Cavies
6. Pygmy Goats
7. Nigerian Dwarf Dairy Goats

DIVISION 616 PEE WEE SHOWMANSHIP (Any borrowed goat.)

CLASS #

1. Pee Wee

All youth exhibiting livestock at the El Dorado County Fair will be required to complete the Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) program annually. yqcaprogram.org

MASTER SHOWMANSHIP

Master Showmanship Defined:

There will be two Master Showmanship Divisions, Class 1 and Class 2.

- All 4-H Sr. showmanship winners compete in Class 1
- All FFA showmanship winners compete in Class 2
- Grange Sr. showmanship winners 14 years of age or older may compete in Class 1 or Class 2 (pick one)
- Grange showmanship winners under the age 14 must compete in Class 1
- Independent exhibitors compete in Class 1 if they won Sr. showmanship in the 4-H division
- Independent exhibitors compete in Class 2 if they won in the FFA division
- Independent exhibitors 14 years of age or older, that won in the Grange division, may compete in Class 1 or Class 2 (pick one)
- The winner of Class 1 will be eligible to compete at the California State Fair Best of Show Master Showmanship 4-H Division and the winner of Class 2 will be eligible to compete in California State Fair Best of Show Master Showmanship FFA Division. The exhibitor will be responsible for their entry into the California State Fair Best of Show.
- Participants in the California State Fair Best of Show Master Showmanship will show the following species:
 - Large Animal – beef, sheep, swine, dairy cattle, market goats and dairy goats
 - Small Animal – rabbits, pygmy goats, poultry, caviae and dog



LIVESTOCK JUDGING



Entry forms due by Judged

Wednesday, May 7,
Friday, June 13,

4:00 pm (or midnight online)
2:30 pm

At the fair office

LIMIT 40 exhibitors, if spaces are available after the deadline, late entries may be accepted through Thursday, June 12, 2025, at 8:00 pm in the Livestock Office.

\$10 ENTRY FEE

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

No Cash Awards – Awards Only

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

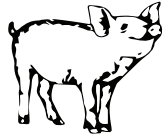
- Each Livestock Judge will judge 4 hogs, then 4 cattle, 4 sheep, and 4 goats.
- Livestock Judges must be at least 13 years old or in High School and must be a 4-H, FFA, Grange, or Independent livestock exhibitor at this year's El Dorado County Fair to participate.
- Tie breakers will first be broken by a written test, then if a tie still exists, it will be awarded based on placings in the following classes in the following orders: Goats, Sheep, Hogs, Cattle

DIVISION 570

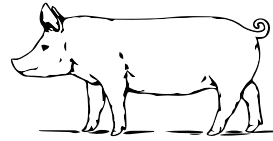
CLASS

1. Large Animal Livestock Judging

Buckles to Champion and Reserve Champion will be supplied by the El Dorado County Fair Association.



SWINE



Ownership Deadline	Monday, April 14,		All Day
Ownership Documents due by	Wednesday, April 23,	4:00 pm	At the fair office
Entry forms due thru	Wednesday, May 7,	4:00 pm (or midnight online)	At the fair office
Drop-off through Health Check	Monday, June 9,	6:00 – 9:00 am	See load-in map, page 70
Weigh-in – Market Hogs	As they are loaded off the trailer		
Judged			
Market Conformation	Tuesday, June 10,	9:00 am followed by Pen of 2, Bred & Owner, County Bred, and Club/Chapter Groups	
Released: Non - sale hogs	Tuesday, June 10,	following goat show until 9:00 pm, Friday, 7:00 – 9:00	
am		Or, Sunday 6:00 – 8:00 am	
Breeding Load in with Health Certification	Thursday, June 12,	7:00 - 8:00 am	
Breeding Show	Thursday, June 12,	8:00 am	
Showmanship	Thursday, June 12,	Follows Breeding	
Release Breeding	following breeding show until Noon, Friday, 7:00 – 8:00 am, or Sunday 6:00 - 8:00		

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All breeding swine must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. The management may demand such proof of ownership as it deems necessary in each case, please have documentation on hand at all times.
- B. Sows must have raised a litter of pigs to be eligible for entry.
- C. Gilts entered in the market or feeder swine classes may not be entered in the breeding class or vice-versa.
- D. Any violation of these rules will exclude the offending exhibitor from competition in all departments of the fair.
- E. All animals in "registered purebred breeding animal" divisions must be registered and recorded with a United States breed association in the exact name of the exhibitor (owner) as declared on the entry form. Provide a copy of registration paper with entry form.
- F. **Water must be provided at all times in hanging waterers**
- G. **PAYLEAN – Hogs cannot be sold or processed if they have been fed Paylean. Animals may be tested and rejected at the processing plant.**
- H. No brucellosis or pseudorabies tests are currently required.
- I. Health Certificate required for all Breeding Hogs upon entry.
- J. All market hogs must have been born at a Proposition 12 certified facility. Proof is due with ownership documentation.
- K. Pens hold two hogs. Pens will be assigned for all family member hogs to be penned together two per pen. Market and breeding hogs may have to stall together. Entry limit: 2 Market Animals, 4 total hogs.

REGISTERED PUREBRED BREEDING SWINE

ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
FEMALE CHAMPION RIBBONS
CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTES
Ribbons Only

DIVISION 552 – ALL BREEDS - (GRANGE, 4-H & FFA SHOW TOGETHER), BREEDING FEMALES
CLASS #

- 1. Spring Gilt January 2025 – March 2025
- 2. Fall Gilt August 2024 – December 2024
- 3. Jr. Yearling Gilt January 2024 – July 2024

*Shown by age.

NON-REGISTERED BREEDING FEMALES

ENTRY FEE: \$5 PER ENTRY PER CLASS
CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTES
Ribbons Only

Supreme Champion Female
Reserve Supreme Champion Female
DIVISION 553 – ALL CROSSBRED & NON-REGISTERED FEMALES - (GRANGE, 4-H & FFA SHOW TOGETHER)
CLASS #

- 1. Crossbred & Non-Registered Gilts

*Shown by weight.

SINGLE MARKET SWINE

RULES (STATE RULES APPLY)

- A. All market swine must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 60 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. Proof of Ownership must be turned in with Ear Tag forms (**April 23, 2025, by 4:00 pm at the Fair office or online by midnight.**)
- B. Bill of Sale must be made out to the exhibitor, showing 60 consecutive days of ownership, or a signed statement that the animal was farrowed from the exhibitor's swine and raised by the exhibitor. Maximum of two (2) entries per exhibitor.
- C. All Market Swine must be tagged by **Project Leader** no later than Ear Tag Due Date.
- D. **Prop 12 Documents are required for all Market Hogs and due with Ownership Documents (April 23, 2025 at the Fair office).**

ENTRY FEE: \$12 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

ALL BREEDS JUDGED TOGETHER

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

ONLY ONE WEIGH-IN

Market Ready Ribbon

ELIGIBLE TO SELL

Not Market Ready

CAN NOT SELL

After weighing, market hogs will be divided into weight classes within the specified limitations as desired for convenience in judging.

CHAMPION RIBBONS

4-H CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION

FFA CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION

GRANGE CHAMPION and RESERVE CHAMPION

SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION and

RESERVE SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION

SUPREME AND RESERVE SUPREME CHAMPION BUCKLES

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DIVISION 540 – 4-H SINGLE MARKET HOG

DIVISION 541 – FFA SINGLE MARKET HOG

DIVISION 542 – GRANGE SINGLE MARKET HOG

CLASS #

1. Market Hogs – 215 to 300 lbs.
(Hogs weighing more than 300 pounds will be moved to a Heavy Weight Class. Hogs weighing less than 215 will be moved to Single Feeder Classes.)

NOTE: HOGS WEIGHING OVER 300 POUNDS WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION.

SINGLE FEEDER SWINE

ENTRY FEE IS \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

2 ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL

All feeder swine must be individually owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 consecutive days prior to the opening day of the fair. Have proof of ownership available if requested.

DIVISION 543 – 4-H SINGLE FEEDER

DIVISION 544 – FFA SINGLE FEEDER

DIVISION 545 – GRANGE SINGLE FEEDER

CLASS #

1. Feeder Hog – 100 - 200 pounds
2. Feeder Hog – 201- 214 pounds

DIVISION 546 – 4-H HEAVYWEIGHT FEEDER

DIVISION 547 – FFA HEAVYWEIGHT FEEDER

DIVISION 548 – GRANGE HEAVYWEIGHT FEEDER

CLASS #

1. Heavyweight Hog – 301 +

Gilts entered in the market or feeder hog classes may not be entered in the breeding classes or vice versa. Any violation of this rule will exclude the offending exhibitor from competition in all departments of the fair.

PEN OF TWO MARKET HOGS

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

2 ANIMALS MAXIMUM PER STALL

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTES

RIBBONS FIRST TO THIRD PLACE

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

Ribbons Only

DIVISION 549 – OTHER MARKET HOGS CLASSES

CLASS #

1. Pen of two market hogs owned and exhibited by the exhibitor.

OWNER/COUNTY BRED MARKET HOGS

ENTRY FEE: \$6 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

You must have entered GRANGE, 4-H, or FFA Market Hogs to qualify for these classes.

1st through 3rd Place ribbons will be awarded to the top 3 "owner-bred" and "county-bred" market animals.

AMERICAN SYSTEM OF JUDGING

Ribbons Only

DIVISION 551 – OWNER/COUNTY BRED HOGS

CLASS #

1. Owner-bred. Must be Market Ready animal.
2. County-bred. Hog must be born and raised in El Dorado County.

GRANGE, 4 - H & FFA GROUPS

NO ENTRY FEE

LOCAL CLASS – NO CASH AWARDS

CHAMPION & RESERVE CHAMPION ROSETTES

RIBBONS FIRST TO THIRD PLACE

The class consists of 5 market animals exhibited in preceding divisions.

Animals must be owned by at least 4 different exhibitors from one club or chapter.

DIVISION 550 – CHAPTER OR CLUB GROUP

CLASS #

1. 5 market animals, at least four (4) exhibitors

Chapters and Clubs are requested to sign-up at the Livestock Office prior to 8:00 AM, the day of the show. No late entries.

STATE RULES APPLY

***NOTE: All exhibitors selling at auction MUST participate in that SHOWMANSHIP class of species you plan on selling.**

SHOWMANSHIP

ENTRY FEE \$5

REQUIRED FOR ALL MARKET ANIMALS.

SEE SHOWMANSHIP SECTION FOR DETAILS (PAGE 113.)



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