

## DEPT. 115 - JR. FLOWERS & HOUSE PLANTS

Superintendent - Ruth Knetzger

JUDGING: Wednesday, 12:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., (Face to Face)

All flowers and plants must be grown by the member. Plants must be grown in pots long enough to become well established before exhibiting. Pots must not exceed 10 inches. Plants are to be ornamental, clean, and free from disease and insects.

\*Exhibitors will have the opportunity to re-freshen their bouquets throughout the fair, once article has been judged.

### DIVISION A - Houseplants

**Class No. Premiums: \$2 -- \$1.75 -- \$1.50 -- \$1.25**

1. Terrarium, covered
2. Desert Garden - cactus or succulents
3. Dish Garden – 2 or more different foliage plants in one container
4. Foliage house plant - name variety
5. African Violet-single crown/plant
6. Begonia – any variety
7. Geranium, 1 plant
8. Coleus, 1 plant
9. Flowering house plant not listed – name variety
10. Bulb or tuberous plant
11. Fern – name variety
12. Ivy – name variety
13. Cactus or succulent plant
14. Hanging outdoor basket
15. Outdoor planter/container, 3 or more plants - identified

**Class No. Premiums: \$2.50 -- \$2.25 -- \$2 -- \$1.75**

BOUQUETS/ARRANGEMENTS (5 or more blooms or spikes in appropriate sized container.) No artificial or commercially grown flowers. Other foliage and accessories may be used. Floral oasis recommended for arrangements.

16. Phlox
17. Snapdragons
18. Dahlias
19. Zinnias
20. Asters
21. Marigolds
22. Daisies
23. Cosmos
24. Bouquet of Gladiolus (3 stems)
25. Lilies
26. Calendulas
27. Petunias
28. Any other annual bouquet – name of the variety of flower
29. Perennial bouquet – one variety- flower named
30. Floral arrangement for dining room
31. Arrangement using theme (Christmas, Fair, birthday etc.)
32. Arrangement of fresh flowers in basket
33. Arrangement of all annual flowers

34. Arrangement of all perennial flowers
35. Miniature arrangement not larger than 4" x 4"
36. Identify 10 flowers on poster board no longer than 14 x 22"
37. Display (poster, scrapbook, etc.) on flower project. (Example: Starting seeds, Propagation, Your Garden Plan, etc.)

#### **DIVISION B-Perfection of Bloom**

Quality flowers displayed in adequate size container.

**Class No. Premiums: \$1.75 -- \$1.50 -- \$1.25 -- \$1**

1. Gladiolus, 1 spike
2. Dahlias, 1 bloom
3. Petunia, 3 blooms
4. Snapdragons, 3 blooms
5. Zinnia, 3 blooms
6. Roses, 1 bloom
7. Marigolds, 3 blooms
8. Lilies, 1 bloom
9. Sunflower - Decorative variety, 1 head, 6" stem
10. Pansies, 3 blooms
11. Daisies, 3 blooms
12. Any other perennial, 1 flower bloom (identify species)

#### **DIVISION C-Plant Crafts**

All hanging articles must have hanger

**Class No. Premiums: \$2 -- \$1.75 -- \$1.50 -- \$1.25**

1. Arrangement of dried flowers
2. Potpourri – 50% of plant material grown or collected and dried by Exhibitor. List of material on 3 x 5 card in zip lock bag
3. Arrangement of pressed flowers
4. Swag – Non-Christmas
5. Corsage or boutonniere (fresh or silk flowers) (may purchase plant materials)
6. Grapevine or straw wreath decorated with dried or silk material
7. Pine cone wreath
8. Arrangement of silk flowers
9. Garden scarecrow – not to exceed 36"
10. Christmas wreath using natural evergreens—non-natural accents permitted
11. Any other creative plant craft not listed above

#### **DIVISION D- Home Grounds Improvement**

**Class No. Premiums: \$2 -- \$1.75 -- \$1.50 -- \$1.25**

1. Plan of flower border - include before and after pictures
2. Landscape plans - before and after, or improvements made – include pictures/plans with story of progress.
3. Mounted specimens of leaves of 10 shrubs or trees, showing top and underside of leaf, properly pressed, mounted and identified.
4. Any other exhibit not listed above