



## **The 2018 Fair Book is Dedicated to Elaine Brodeur**

Many thanks go out to Elaine Brodeur for her dedicated, tireless work as President of the Bethlehem Fair. Elaine retired as President after 22 years of service. She remains an active member and an avid supporter of the Fair. She began her work at the Fair at the age of 14 in the Junior Department.

She was Secretary of the Fair for 10 years prior to being elected President in 1995. Elaine has had many monumental accomplishments in her tenure as President. To name a few, she was a driving force in promoting the installation of flush toilets, as well as overseeing the rebuilding of the largest structure on the fairgrounds, the Main Exhibit Barn. Elaine was very instrumental in improving the efficiency of many administrative tasks, especially the exhibit process which starts with accepting entry blanks and ends in issuing premium checks. Her proudest accomplishment, however, was the forming of the Bethlehem Fair Foundation where more than \$500,000 in scholarships has been awarded since its inception. The Bethlehem Fair Board of Directors and Membership want to thank Elaine for her devoted work in keeping our Fair the wonderful, agricultural Fair that it is today.

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## *Thank You*

to the Diebold Foundation  
for their generous donation to the  
*Bethlehem Fair*  
*Foundation scholarship fund.*

## *Thank You*



*The Bethlehem Fair Society wants to  
thank everyone who supported the  
Bethlehem Fair Barn Raising and Harvest Fest last year  
on September 30th. The fundraiser was a great success  
and the proceeds substantially  
reduced the amount of the loan for the new barn.*

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# Fair Announcements

The 94th Annual Bethlehem Fair will be held on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, September 7, 8, and 9 at our grounds on Route 61, Bethlehem. CT. Friday hours are 5 pm to 10 pm, Saturday hours are 8 am to 10 pm, and Sunday hours are 8 am to 5:30 pm.

Admission prices are \$9.00 for adults; senior citizens \$7.00 on Saturday and Sunday. Admission is free to children under 12 years of age when accompanied by an adult. Auto parking is free.

The Fair maintains an office at 384 Main Street North, Bethlehem, CT. Visitors are welcome.

Our mailing address is **Bethlehem Fair, P.O. Box 488, Bethlehem, CT 06751.**

Our telephone number year-round is **203-266-5350; Fax: 203-266-7795;**  
e-mail address is **office@bethlehemfair.com.** Our own website is:  
**www.bethlehemfair.com.**

The Society will use all reasonable precautions for the safety of exhibits, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur. It will also not be responsible for any injuries to persons or animals or damage to automobiles or other property.

If the receipts should not be sufficient to pay the premiums in full, a proportionate reduction will be made in all classes.

Anyone wishing to stay overnight to tend their animals must obtain an overnight badge from their department chairman. All others must leave the fair grounds at the conclusion of each day's activities or be subject to arrest for trespassing.

Any offensive language or behavior towards fair officials, superintendents, head judge, committee members, or timekeepers before, during or after the contest, or actions deemed to not be in the best interest of the fair will disqualify the contestant and any premiums due will be forfeited. This may also result in disbarment of participation in future events.

During competitive exhibits, any exhibitor found to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs will be immediately disqualified from the event that he or she has entered. The Superintendent of each committee will ensure that this regulation is enforced.

## GENERAL STATUTES OF CONNECTICUT, SECTION 22-125

NOTE: Interference or harassment by an exhibitor of a State Livestock Inspector while the inspector is carrying out prescribed duties will result in the forfeiture of premium moneys and/or expulsion from the fair grounds.

## ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

**No beer or other alcoholic beverages are sold at the Bethlehem Fair and None are allowed on the grounds, in the barns or in the parking areas.**

## PETS

**No pets are allowed on the grounds, in the parking lots, or in vehicles.**

# General Rules

The following rules apply to exhibitors at the Bethlehem Fair. Some departments have exceptions and these exceptions take precedence over the general rules. We maintain the right to reject any exhibit deemed not appropriate for the Fair.

**ENTRY BLANKS: One name per entry blank.** All **Photography and Realism Art** entry blanks must be received at the Bethlehem Fair Office no later than Labor Day. All mailed entry blanks must be in the Fair mail box no later than the day after Labor Day. Entry blanks may also be delivered to the Bethlehem Fair booth at the Goshen Fair during Labor Day weekend. **Positively no entry blanks will be accepted after 8 pm Tuesday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Adult exhibitors age 12 and over must include an entry fee of **\$9.00** with their entry blank. This entry fee entitles the exhibitor to admission to the Fair on Friday evening, Saturday and Sunday. Check department rules for exceptions.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Entry tags should be securely fastened to all exhibits. Please specify on the entry blank if you would like your tags (1) held for pickup at Goshen Fair, or (2) held for pick up at the Bethlehem Fair Office.

## EXHIBIT DELIVERY —

Exhibits must be delivered to the Bethlehem Fair Grounds Thursday between 6:00 pm and 9:00 pm. **All exhibits must be in place by 9:00 pm Thursday. Note that exhibit delivery varies, check department rules for exceptions.**

**Non-Livestock Exhibitors:** All non-livestock exhibits will be required to enter using the gate behind the Art Barn and remain behind buildings to deliver exhibits to the Main, Junior, and Photography buildings.

**Livestock Exhibitors:** All livestock exhibitors must enter the grounds using the South gate.

## EXHIBIT REMOVAL —

**All exhibits must remain until 5:30 pm on Sunday**, unless otherwise stated in department rules.

Any food, vegetable, fruit, or flower exhibit remaining after 6:30 pm Sunday becomes the property of the Bethlehem Fair and will be distributed to a local soup kitchen. Any ribbons will be mailed.

## Non-Livestock Exhibitors:

1. Exhibit pick up from buildings Sunday shall commence at 5:30 pm, and exhibitors picking up items must enter grounds using the gate behind the Art Barn to access the areas behind these buildings, no exhibitor vehicles are allowed in midway or vendor areas.

## Livestock Exhibitors:

1. Cattle and Sheep will be released at 5:00 pm Sunday. Exhibitors are expected to have their trailers behind the cattle and sheep barns, and to exit via gate #2 after loading.
2. Removal of small animals (poultry, rabbits, etc.) will not be allowed before 5:30 pm. Exhibitors may enter the South gate #1 at 5:30 pm and then proceed to their barn to pick up animals, and then exit via gate #2 after loading.

**Livestock Parking: the South gate will be closed at 9:00 am to 8:00 pm to livestock traffic, Saturday, and 9:00 am to 5:30 pm Sunday.**

# The 94th Annual Bethlehem Fair

## PROGRAM of EVENTS

### Friday, September 7

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- 5:00 pm    Gates open. Exhibit barns open  
              Antique, Classic, and Special Interest Cars and Trucks  
              Bracelet Night — Amusement Rides  
              Draft Mini Horse and Pony Pull
- 5:30 pm    High School Timber Team Competition  
              Draft Mini Horse and Pony Pull
- 6:00 pm    Bethlehem Fair BEST Tasting Tomato Contest — North Stage
- 7:00 pm    **THE RAKES** — Main Stage
- 10:00 pm    Gates close. Exhibit barns close.

### Saturday, September 8

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- 8:00 am    Gates open. Exhibit barns open
- 9:00 am    Junior Dairy Show
- 10:00 am    Oxen Show followed by Oxen Draw
- 11:00 am    **Chime In!** Music with A Mission — Handbell Choir —  
              Main Stage  
              Antique Tractor Pull
- 12:00 noon    Woodchopping Contest  
              Civil War Gun Demonstration – Main Stage Area
- 1:00 pm    **CT Bristol Old Tyme Fiddlers** — Main Stage
- 4:00 pm    Farmer's Night Out — South Ring
- 5:30 pm    **Presley & Taylor** *Country Music* — Main Stage
- 8:30 pm    **COUNTY THUNDER, FRESH HORSES** - Main Stage  
              Tributes to Garth Brooks and Keith Urban
- 9:00 pm    Gates close. Exhibit barns close.



# The 94th Annual Bethlehem Fair

PROGRAM of EVENTS, *continued*

## Sunday, September 9

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8:00 am	Gates open. Exhibit barns open.
9:00 am	Open Horse Show and Gymkhana
9:30 am	Draft Horse Pull in the Main Ring
10:00 am	Hollerin' Contest — Main Stage Draft Horse Pull in the Main Ring
10:30 am	Stock Garden Tractor Pull
12:00 noon	Children's Pedal Tractor Pull — North Stage Area Woodchopping Contest
1:00 pm	Civil War Gun Demonstration – Main Stage Area
2:00 pm	<b>ERAN TROY DANNER</b> – Main Stage
5:30 pm	Gates close. Exhibit barns close.

## All Three Days

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Mother Goose Barnyard	Youth Club Displays	Food
Antique Tractors	Scarecrow Contest	Vintage Museum
Farmer's Market	Commercial Exhibits	Shingle Mill
Photography Show	Amusement Rides	
Realism Art Show	Midway	

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## EXHIBITS

Vegetables	Needlework	Junior and Youth Exhibits
Fruits	Canning	School Art
Herbs	Dairy Products	Youth Art
Baking	Honey & Maple Syrup	Adult Hobbies
Flowers	Candy	

## LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS

Junior Dairy	Poultry
Rabbits & Cavies	Sheep

## CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT

Dimples the Clown	Children's Pedal Tractor
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# Overnight Rules For Exhibitors In All Livestock Departments

## 1. Passes/permits

- A. Will be issued when exhibitor(s) arrive(s).
- B. Must be signed by Department Superintendent or Assistant.
- C. Must be worn at all times between 6:00 pm and 5:00 am, Friday and Saturday.
- D. Will not be mailed, and are **NOT** transferable.
- E. Must be filled out in full Friday evening, no one with a blank pass will be allowed to remain.
- F. Will be issued in appropriate numbers for exhibit. Exhibitor and one (1) helper for individual entries.
- G. Will only be issued to exhibiting club members for "Club" exhibits, and leader/chaperone(s) 21 or older.

## 2. Other Rules

- A. All exhibitors and helpers under 18 on Fair dates who will be staying overnight Friday and/or Saturday **MUST** submit a completed permission form signed by a parent/guardian with entry blank.
- B. Only exhibiting members of a club exhibit will be allowed to stay overnight. Each club must have a parent/leader/chaperone (21 years or older) staying with them regardless of the ages of the exhibitors.
- C. All overnight exhibitors are to be in designated areas from 11:00 pm to 5:00 am unless using the bathroom facilities. Those discovered outside the area will be warned about further incidents and escorted back to department. A second warning will result in parent(s)/guardian(s) being notified to remove the individual from the fairgrounds for the night.
- D. Any exhibitor, regardless of age, suspected, to be under the influence or dispensing alcohol will be referred to the police. A parent(s)/guardian(s) will be notified to pick up the offender. The individual will not be allowed on the Fairgrounds for the remainder of the Fair.
- E. No exhibitors or helpers will be allowed to sleep in livestock trailers.

# Livestock Exhibitor Overnight Permission Form

\_\_\_\_\_ (Exhibitor/Helper),

\_\_\_\_\_ (Department)

Has my permission to stay over night at the Bethlehem Fair.

**In case of accident or incident, contact:**

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

or

Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Will there be an adult on the grounds who can accept responsibility for this individual in case of emergency and the above can not be contacted?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Department: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the overnight rules pertaining to livestock exhibitors and the consequences of any infractions. I accept responsibility for the behavior of the individual indicated above. I understand that the Bethlehem Fair Society will not be responsible for any accidents or injuries.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name (Parent or Guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed (Parent or Guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed: (Exhibitor/Helper)

# Working Oxen

Lew Clark, Superintendent — 860-567-8522

Patrick Caires, Bob Fisher, John Hislop, Will Joyce Jr,

Dave King, Ray Krajewski, Peter Rossiter, Steven Stohl

**PARKING:** To better accommodate our livestock exhibitors, parking inside the fenced area will be limited to only vehicles carrying livestock. Please contact Jeri DeVoid at 203-263-2669 to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. This permit will admit the vehicle and driver **ONLY**.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Open show, no exhibitor tickets required. Owner and two helpers will be admitted with their animals.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** A blank must be completed by each exhibitor. Post entries will be accepted by the superintendent, or they may be mailed in advance to Bethlehem Fair, Bethlehem, CT 06751.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** Animals must be on the grounds and ready to show by 9 am Saturday, and remain until 5:00 pm. **The scale will close at 9 am.**

They must enter the South Gate to obtain access to the area East of the show ring. **The South gate will close at 9 am and not reopen for re-entry until 8 pm.**

## Department Rules

### ***NOTE: RANDOM TESTING MAY BE PERFORMED.***

1. CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS: All exhibitors are required to show to the Secretary a RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY AN ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number. Animals must have been vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. Exhibitors will be required to display to the Secretary, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SECRETARY HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS. ANIMALS' EAR TAGS MUST MATCH CERTIFICATES.
2. This department will be conducted and judged under revised rules of the Connecticut Ox Owners and Drivers Association. Copies of these rules may be obtained from the superintendent or from the show secretary. NO PLASTIC OR FIBERGLASS GOAD STICKS PERMITTED.
3. A premium of \$10.00 will be paid for each pair of oxen or steers exhibited on the grounds.
4. Prize may be withheld in any instance where in the opinion of the judges, the animal is found to be unworthy.
5. Owners of draught cattle must present animals at the scales for weighing at the request of the superintendent.
6. Exhibitors from out of state must comply with regulations of the Connecticut Department of Agriculture by presenting health certificates issued within 30 days of the Fair date to the superintendent.
7. I understand that the Bethlehem Fair Society and Committee will not be responsible for injury to livestock.
8. The committee reserves the right to decline acceptance of the entry of any team or owner when in the opinion of the committee it would not be in the best interest of the fair to do so.

# Oxen Show

## Working Oxen

The following breeds will be judged separately: Chiania, Devons, Durhams, Brown Swiss and Holsteins. All other breeds will be judged together.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Five years old	\$24.00	\$20.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
2. Four years old	24.00	20.00	16.00	12.00
3. Three years old	24.00	20.00	16.00	12.00
4. Two years old	24.00	20.00	16.00	12.00
5. One year old	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00
6. Senior Calves	15.00	12.00	10.00	5.00
7. Junior Calves	15.00	12.00	10.00	5.00

## Best in Show

	1st	2nd	3rd
1. Best String — one owner or family	\$25.00	\$15.00	none
2. Best Pair Under Three years old	25.00	15.00	\$10.00
3. Best Pair Over Three years old	25.00	15.00	\$10.00

Best Pair out of all the first place winners will receive \$50.00.

## Draught Cattle — Junior Class

Trained steer class for Juniors.

	1st	2nd	3rd
1. Under 12 years old	\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00
2. 12 to 18 years old	20.00	15.00	10.00

## Draught Cattle

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. 2000 lbs. & under	\$100	\$ 85	\$ 75	\$ 55	\$ 45	\$ 35	\$ 25	\$ 15
2. 2400 lbs. & under	150	100	90	80	60	50	40	30
3. 2800 lbs. & under	175	125	110	90	60	50	40	30
4. 3200 lbs. & under	200	150	130	110	70	50	40	30
5. Over 3200 lbs.	250	200	170	150	120	100	75	50

**2400 Class:** Platter given by Van Ark family.

# Junior Dairy Cattle

Tim Armbruster, 860-940-1034  
Superintendent

Kelly Armbruster, Robin Hoskinson, Andrew Hoskinson, Dona Murphy,  
Ken Murphy, Tracy Murphy, Diane Tanner, Roger Tanner

**PARKING:** To better accommodate our livestock exhibitors, parking inside the fenced area will be limited to only vehicles carrying livestock. Please contact the Superintendent to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. This permit **will admit the vehicle and driver only**.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Junior Exhibitors must be between ages 7 to 21 as of January 1. Children under 7 years of age are only eligible to participate to show in toddler showmanship and not in breed classes.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** A blank must be completed by each exhibitor.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** **Animals must be on the grounds by 6:00 pm** Friday night, and ready to show by 9:00 am Saturday, and remain until 5 pm Sunday. They must enter the South Gate to obtain access to the Junior Dairy Barn where bedding and water will be provided. On Saturday the South gate will close for entry at 9:00 am and reopen at 8:00 pm for re-entry. On Sunday the gate will close at 9:00 am and reopen at 5:00 pm.

**EXHIBIT REMOVAL:** See General Rules, Livestock Exhibitors, page 9.

## Department Rules

1. **CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS:** All exhibitors are required to show to the Superintendent a **RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY AN ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN** indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number. Animals must have been vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. Exhibitors will be required to display to the Superintendent, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SUPERINTENDENT HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS. ANIMALS' EAR TAGS MUST MATCH CERTIFICATES.**
2. Animals shall originate from herds that meet the testing and health requirements of the State of Connecticut. Recently imported animals must have met the health and testing requirements for entry into Connecticut. Proof of compliance with state requirements will be requested
3. Out of state cattle are required to have current health certificates, test charts and vaccination certificates (where applicable) and comply with the health and testing regulations set forth by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture.
4. **Animals not complying with the above regulations will be removed from the fairgrounds. The superintendent will check all exhibitors for their health charts which must be in compliance with all regulations.**
5. Certificates of registry, transfer papers, and lease papers of all animals must be brought to the Fair and presented to the superintendent.
6. All cattle will be judged in ring and must be in ring when the class is called.
7. No animals will be accepted on arrival at the fairgrounds unless properly entered.

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## Junior Dairy Cattle, *continued*

8. The Fair will provide 2 bales of bedding per animal for the weekend.
9. Show whites are **required** for all classes. No Tank Tops or Cut off Shirts are allowed.
10. Milking animals may be excused to go home on Saturday night after 6:00.
11. The Fitting Showmanship Contest is **mandatory** for all exhibitors in order to receive premiums. Exhibitors must show their own cattle in this class.
12. All participants will comply with the Fair's overnight policy as stated.
13. No Cross-bred cattle.
14. Leased animals are welcome to be entered into the show. A lease paper must be presented along with a registration paper. All health rules apply to leased animals too. A lease paper must state the name of the person or farm leasing the animal, the date the animal was leased, the animal's birth date, ID number, and must be signed by both the child leasing the animal and the owner of the animal.
15. Dairy exhibitors may not camp on the fair grounds.
16. **Send in a copy of Certificate of Registry, and Health paper with Entry Form.**

## Prize Money

**1st** – \$50.00   **2nd** – 35.00   **3rd** – \$30.00   **4th** – \$25.00   **5th** – \$20.00   **6th** – \$15.00

\$35 awarded for Best of Breed Champions.

To assist exhibitors in trucking costs, the Bethlehem Fair will pay \$5.00 for each animal exhibited.

**Breeds** — Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, Guernsey, Holstein, Jerseys, Milking Shorthorns

## Class List

***Fitting and Showmanship 9:00 Saturday; Junior Show will follow.***

50% Animal's fitting – 50% Showmanship

1. Toddler Showmanship – 6 & under
2. Novice Showmanship – first year
3. Junior Showmanship 7–12
4. Intermediate Showmanship 13–15
5. Senior Showmanship 16–21
6. Overall Showmanship – The first place of Novice, Junior, Intermediate, and Senior showman shall compete.  
*A trophy will be awarded to the winner in memory of Butch Neil.*
7. Spring Heifer Calves born March 1, 2018 – May 31, 2018
8. Winter Heifer Calves born December 1, 2017 – February 28, 2018
9. Fall Heifer Calves born September 1, 2017 – November 30, 2017
10. Summer Yearling Heifer born June 1, 2017 – August 31, 2017
11. Spring Yearling Heifer born March 1, 2017– May 31, 2017
12. Winter Yearling Heifer calves born December 1, 2016 – February 28, 2017
13. Fall Yearling Heifer calves born September 1, 2016 – November 30, 2016

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## **Junior Dairy Cattle, *continued***

### **Junior Champion**

#### ***Reserve Junior Champion***

14. Two year olds born September 1, 2015- August 31, 2016
15. Three year olds September 1, 2014- August 31, 2015
16. Four year olds and older born before September 1, 2014
17. Dry Cow

### **Senior Champion**

#### ***Reserve Senior Champion***

18. Dam and Daughter-a cow and one daughter
19. Produce of Dam two females and age, the produce of one cow
20. Get of Sire — three females sired by the same bull
21. Best two females-owned or leased by one exhibitor
22. Best animal bred and owned by exhibitor-one entry per exhibitor
23. Best Udder — one entry per exhibitor
24. Club Herd — 5 females owned by 4 exhibitors
25. Herdsmanship — A trophy will be awarded to the best exhibit in the barn judged on cleanliness of animals and bedding, care of “tools” and show box, walkway and general overall appearance and educational value of exhibit.

***The Trophy is donated by The Swendsen Family in memory of Sam Swendsen.***



***Photo by Pat Slonina***



# Bethlehem Fair Junior Dairy Show

Superintendent, Tim Armbruster  
56 Shadduck Rd, Naugatuck, CT 06770

Entries are due in by Thursday, August 30, 2018

Be courteous of space if unable to deliver animal call Superintendent

Exhibitor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Animals \_\_\_\_\_ Showmanship Class \_\_\_\_\_

Age as of Jan.1 \_\_\_\_\_ Junior's Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Class No.	Breed	Ear Tag or Tattoo	Rabies Test	TB Test Test	Birth Date

# Draft Pony, Mini, and Horse Pulls

Lew Clark, Superintendent – 860-567-8522  
Tony Butkus, Dave King, Stephen Prince,  
Don Rybinski, Tami Smith, Stephen Strawson

## Department Rules and Regulations

1. **CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS:** All exhibitors are required to show to the Secretary a **RABIES VACCINATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY AN ACCREDITED VETERINARIAN** indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number. **ANIMALS MUST BE** vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Exhibitor will be required to display to the Secretary the health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **ALL HORSES MUST HAVE A NEGATIVE COGGINS** test within 12 months prior to the show date. Proof of this testing will be shown to the secretary at the time of arrival. It is highly recommended that horses be vaccinated against EEE within the last 6 months. **NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SECRETARY HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS.** **Any horses missing this information will not be allowed to be unloaded or pull.**
2. **Exhibitors from out of state.** Must comply with regulations of the Connecticut Department of Agriculture by presenting health certificates issued within the last 30 days of the fair date.
3. Animals will be free from injury or sickness.
4. The Superintendent reserves the right to decline acceptance of the entry of any team, when in the option of the superintendent it would be in the better interest of the Bethlehem Fair to do so.
5. **ALL TEAMS:** A payment of \$40.00 will be paid to the owner of a pair of draught Horses, Ponies, and Mini that has completed the first initial draw and NOT receiving any premium.
6. **DRAFT HORSES:** Owners must present animals on scale at the request of the superintendent.
7. A copy of any rules and regulations will be available from the superintendent.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** This is an open show. Owner and two helpers will be admitted.

**PARKING:** To better accommodate our livestock exhibitors, parking inside the fenced area will be limited to only vehicles carrying livestock ONLY. All others will park in the general parking area. NO exceptions. Please contact the superintendent to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. This permit will admit the vehicle and driver ONLY.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** Entry blanks will be available at the show. Or can be mailed to Bethlehem Fair, PO Box 488, Bethlehem, CT 06751.

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# Draft Pony, Mini, and Horse Pulls

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## Draft Mini and Pony Pull – 5:00 pm Friday

Draw: starting with Mini, then Ponies to follow

### Mini Pull – 5:00 pm Start of Draw

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. 34"	\$125	\$115	\$100	\$90	\$80	\$70	\$50	\$45
2. 38"	125	115	100	90	80	70	50	45

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Mini Pull shall be conducted under the Rules and Regulations of the NEMPA. This will be a 10-foot pull.

*Best teamsters award in the 34" and 38" mini's will each receive a trophy donated by the Richard Smith, Jr. family in memory of Jim Rudzavice. Jim was a devoted father, co-owner of Eagle Electric Services, and a long-time supporter of the Fair.*

### Draft Pony

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. 46"	\$175	\$145	\$125	\$115	\$100	\$90	\$75	\$50
2. 50"	175	145	125	115	100	90	75	50

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Pony Pull shall be conducted under the rules of the Connecticut Draft Pony Association.

## Draft Horse Pull – 9:30 am Sunday

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
1. Pair under 3,100 lbs.	\$250	\$225	\$200	\$175	\$150	\$125	\$100	\$75
2. Pair under 3,400 lbs.	250	225	200	175	150	125	100	75
3. Pair 3,401 lbs. & over	250	225	200	175	150	125	100	75

The Bethlehem Fair Draft Horse Pull shall be conducted under the rules and regulations of the Eastern Draft Horse Association. This will be a 12-foot pull.



Photo by Pat Slonina

# Sheep

Martha Rice, Superintendent 860-583-4332

Ronald Rice, Brittany Rice, Dustin Rice, Jared Rice

**PARKING:** Parking will be available for livestock vehicles in the sheep classes outside the fenced area at the South entrance. Please contact the superintendent to obtain a parking permit for your livestock vehicle. Only vehicles carrying livestock will be allowed to park in this designated area. No vehicles will be allowed to park inside the fair grounds.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Connecticut residents only.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** Mail Entry Blank and a copy of Health papers to the show secretary, Martha Rice, 128 High St., Terryville, CT 06786. Entries close Labor Day.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To sheep barn Friday from 5 pm to 9 pm or by agreement with Superintendent. Enter through the South gate. Animals must remain until 5:00 pm Sunday.

**EXHIBIT REMOVAL:** See General Rules, Livestock Exhibitors, page 9.

## Department Rules

1. Connecticut Requirements: All exhibitors are required to show to the Secretary a Rabies Vaccination Certificate Signed By An Accredited Veterinarian indicating the name of the vaccine & serial number.. Animals must have been vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date. Exhibitors will be required to display to the Secretary, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **New USDA Health Requirement:** Official I.D. premise number or scrapie certification tag number. **NO ANIMALS ARE TO BE UNLOADED UNTIL THE SECRETARY HAS SEEN THESE DOCUMENTS. ANIMAL'S EAR TAG MUST MATCH CERTIFICATES.**
2. The committee reserves the right to decline any entry when in the opinion of the committee it would be in the best interests of the Fair to do so.
3. Exhibitors will be required to display to the secretary health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture.
4. One bale of straw for bedding will be provided for each pen.
5. All animals must be free of disease upon entry to the fair grounds. Diseased animals will be rejected.
6. Entries in all classes must be shown in owner's name only, as it appears on registration papers.
7. Registration papers must be available and shown upon request of show officials.
8. Sheep must be in show conditions, blocked and fitted. Dirty or unfit sheep will not be accepted. Premiums may be withheld from exhibitors who violate the rules and regulations
9. Adult and Youth exhibitors age 21 and under will compete separately, except classes # 4, 9, 14, 15, 17, 18.

Total of 15 head sheep per farm unit.

**Purebred classes for the following:** Cheviots, Corriedales, Dorsets, Hampshires, Shropshires, Southdowns, Suffloks and all other breeds.

**Junior Showmanship** Saturday 10 am

<b>Premiums for this class:</b>	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	\$5.00

All breeds show to follow showmanship.

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## Purebred Sheep

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1. Yearling Ram	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
2. Senior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
3. Junior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
4. Pair Ram Lambs	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
5. Champion Ram	Rosette				
6. Yearling Ewe	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
7. Pair Yearling Ewes	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
8. Senior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
9. Junior Lamb	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
10. Pair Ewe Lambs	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
11. Champion Ewe	Rosette				
12. Breeders Young Flock 1 Ram, 2 Yearling Ewes & 2 Ewe Lambs, Bred & owned by Exhibitor	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
13. Exhibitor's Flock 1 Ram & 3 Ewes	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
14. Produce of Dam	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
15. Breeder's Pen of 3 Lambs, either sex, sired by the same Ram	\$30.00	\$25.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
16. Market Lambs					
A. Lightweights	\$25.00	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$15.00	\$12.00
B. Heavyweights	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00
17. Champion Market Lamb	\$30.00				
18. Reserve Champion Market Lamb	\$20.00				
19. Sheep Farm display Judged on attractiveness; quality; neatness of farm sign, show boxes; educational value.	\$30.00	\$25.00			
20. Supreme Champion Ram (all breeds)	\$30.00				
21. Supreme Champion Ewe (all breeds)	\$30.00				
22. Best of Fleece (Adult & Youth)	\$30.00				



*Photo by Barbara Moran*

# Poultry

Superintendents: Ed and Vickie Hanson 203-723-0551

Judges: Jerry Yeaw, Don Nelson

Chris, George, Mark, Mark Jr., Jessie, Mikayla & Virginia Barone, Nancy, Vanessa, & Jay Birden, Tom Gereg, Katherine Grudzien, Liz, Patti, & John Gradowich, Ashlyn & Larry Hanson, Allie, Annie, David & Lilah Pape, Wilford & Gloria Shaw, Cameron, Janee, Katherine, Nickolaus, & Sara Tarmey

**PARKING:** Parking behind the Poultry & Rabbit Building will be limited to vehicles carrying large animals. Please contact the Superintendent to obtain a permit to enter the fenced area to drop off your animals. All vehicles must be relocated to the general parking area after dropping off exhibits. Entry will be available Sunday afternoon to pick up exhibits.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** Must be sent to: Vickie Hanson, 130 Beacon Valley Rd., Beacon Falls, CT 06403 by Labor Day. No entries will be accepted after this date.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Will be attached to coops by committee.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To Poultry & Rabbit Barn Thursday from 5 pm to 10 pm and Friday until 2 pm. Enter through the South gate.

**EXHIBIT REMOVAL:** See General Rules, Livestock Exhibitors, page 9.

## Department Rules

1. Connecticut requirements: Poultry vaccinated within 30 days with a live virus vaccine will be prohibited from showing. Poultry must come from healthy flocks with no evidence of contagious or infectious disease.
2. ALL Exhibitors must pay a **\$9.00** entry fee for this department plus a cooping fee of \$.50 for each bird. **Entry Fee must accompany entry. Make checks payable to Bethlehem Fair.**
3. No substitute birds.
4. Connecticut residents will be given first preference for entries due to space limitations.
5. Single entries only. No trios or pairs will be accepted.
6. Judging on first three only.
7. Entries will be accepted on Standard Breed birds only. **No Crosses.**
8. Bethlehem Fair is not be responsible for any accident, mistake, loss or damage from any cause.
9. Judges decision is final.
10. Judging to be at 3 pm Friday.
11. Feed and water will be furnished by the Fair.
12. Exhibits must remain until 5:30 pm Sunday.
13. Judges will be instructed to withhold a prize when in their opinion; the specimen is not of sufficient merit.
14. No appeal from the decision of the Judges will be considered upon any ground whatever. Exhibitors will Indicate on entry blanks all standard birds as "S" and bantams as "B".
15. All birds exhibited must be at least five months of age and from flocks participating in the official Pulloram eradication program. Exhibitor must have a card of approval from the Livestock Division, indicating that the birds were negative to a Pulloram Test within 12 months.
16. No entries will be accepted over the phone.

## Premiums

The premiums paid in for single birds in each standard breed category are:

1st – \$8.00    2nd – \$7.00    3rd – \$6.00

Categories are: Standard Birds: Cocks, Hens, Cockerels, Pullets

Bantams: Cocks, Hens, Cockerels, Pullets

Ducks: Old Male, Old Female, Young Male, Young Female

Geese: Old Male, Old Female, Young Male, Young Female

Show Champion Awards will be a Rosette and —

Standard Birds: Champion – \$10.00    Reserve Champion – \$5.00

Bantams: Champion – \$10.00    Reserve Champion – \$5.00

Waterfowl: Champion – \$10.00    Reserve Champion – \$5.00

[www.bethlehemfair.com](http://www.bethlehemfair.com)

# Rabbit and Cavy Show

Susan Kline, Superintendent

Ted Beebe, Kate Fitzgerald, Sierra Fitzgerald, Matt Kline, Ann Kratzer, Briana Kratzer, Emily Kratzer, Dave Kratzer, Sophia Kratzer, Bill LaTulipe, Brianna Lauzon

**PARKING:** Parking behind the Poultry & Rabbit Building will be limited to vehicles carrying large animals. All vehicles must be relocated to the general parking area after dropping off exhibits. Entry will be available Sunday afternoon after 5:30 pm to pick up exhibits. Exhibitor passes will be issued upon arrival with animals.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adults and juniors under age 12. Connecticut residents will be given priority.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** Must be sent to: Susan Kline, 46 Bannon Street, Torrington, CT 06790. Telephone 860-482-8051. Entries close on the Wednesday before Labor Day or when cages are full. No telephone entries will be accepted after this day either, to allow for delegating of cage space.

**EXHIBITOR TAGS:** Will be attached to cages by committee.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To Rabbit and Poultry Barn Thursday, 5 pm to 9 pm. Enter through the South gate. Animals must remain until **5:30 PM Sunday**. No exceptions.

**EXHIBIT REMOVAL:** See General Rules, Livestock Exhibitors, page 9.

**ENTRY FEES:** ADULTS: \$9.00 for first three animals, each additional animal \$.50. JUNIORS under 12 years of age: \$.50 each animal.

**COSTUME CLASS-**(Animal)-Youth only.

## Department Rules

1. Cavies are Guinea Pigs.
2. This is an American Rabbit Breeders Association sanctioned show, but pet stock will be accepted. ARBA Rules Applied.
3. All animals entered in the show must have a permanent tattoo or tag beginning in 2004. The number must be listed on the entry blank. Only 4 pet class rabbits and or cavies per exhibitor. **Pets limited to youth under 18 years old.**
4. Feed will be provided by the fair. Only committee members are to feed, water, and bed the animals, during the fair. **No Animals are to be out of their cages for any reason, after judging.**
5. Judging will start **at the convenience of the judge.**
6. Sick or diseased animals will not be admitted and will be removed from cages if noticed after admission, or disqualified if found to be diseased by the judge.
7. Only the committee will be allowed behind the judges table while animals are being judged. NO ONE is to interfere with the judging.
8. No breeding will be permitted at the show.
9. No advertising will be permitted until after judging. At that time neat cards may be placed on the cages.
10. No animals are to be sold unless they are entered in the show. Sold animals MUST remain until 5:30 pm Sunday.
11. NO SALES to children without DIRECT parental permission.
12. Exhibitor passes will be handed out for all entries received.
13. **Each Animal MUST HAVE TWO proper sized heavy plastic or ceramic bowls. No bottles or 2 sided bowls. NO EXCEPTIONS. Bowls may be RENTED from the committee if needed.**
14. Vicious animals' cages **must** be marked by owner.

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### Rabbit and Cavy Show, *continued*

15. ARBA Rules state No child under 5 yrs old can show in Breed Show, only Pets Class.

The Bethlehem Fair and the Show Committee will take all due Precautions against loss, but will not be responsible for any accident, mistake, loss, or damage from any cause.

The A.R.B.A. Convention & Show will be held in Springfield, Massachusetts

October 26-31 2018.

Premiums		1st	2nd	3rd
1.	Senior Buck	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00
2.	Senior Doe	8.00	7.00	6.00
3.	6-8 Buck	8.00	7.00	6.00
4.	6-8 Doe	8.00	7.00	6.00
5.	Junior Buck	8.00	7.00	6.00
6.	Junior Doe	8.00	7.00	6.00

The same monetary awards will be made for Class B. Purebred Cavies, Class C. Pet Rabbits, and Class D. Pet Cavies.

### Trophies:

Best In Show Rabbit,  
*Nancy Russo Memorial Trophy*

### Reserve In Show Rabbit

## Reserve In Show Cavy

## Best In Show Cavy

### Reserve Pet Rabbit

## Best Pet Rabbit

## Reserve Pet Cavy

## Best Pet Cavy

### Best Costume-Rosette

### Best of Breed — Rosette

Best of Opposite Sex of Breed — Rosette

## Rabbit And Cavy Show Entry Blank

Mail to: Susan Kline, 46 Bannon Street, Torrington, CT 06790 • 860-482-8051

Entries close on the **Wednesday before Labor Day. No Exceptions**

Exhibitor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Exhibitor Age \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Exhibitors must enclose \$.50 for each Animal. Adult Exhibitors must enclose \$9.00 for first three Animals, \$.50 for each additional Animal. List each entry individually.

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*Photo by Barbara Moran*

# Mother Goose Barnyard

## Superintendents

Gail Tagan  
87 Oak Avenue  
Torrington, CT 06790  
860-482-2931

Dan Tagan  
63 Hoffman Street  
Torrington, CT 06790  
860-482-2931

Michael Jr. & Michael III Braque, Brogan Daoud, Elizabeth Daoud, Joey Dzurnak, Jean Ficke, Jim Guiffre, Ali, Dennis, Joni, & Leim Hibbard, Mariette Knapp, Duke Miller, Jeff Miller, Nathalie Miller, Tracy Murphy, Simone Miller-Tagan, Kevin, Maxwell, Suzanne, Heather and Nicholas Tagan, Amy, Aaron, Deegan, Landan and Zoey Vroom

## Department Rules

1. **CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS:** All exhibitors are required to submit to the superintendents a **Rabies Vaccination Certificate Signed By An Accredited Veterinarian**. Animals must have been vaccinated **At Least 30 Days Prior** to the show date. Exhibitors will be required to submit to the superintendents, health certificates as required by the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. **No Animals Are To Be Unloaded Until The Secretary Has Seen These Documents. Animal's Ear Tag Must Match Certificates.** All health certificates will be returned to the exhibitor at the end of the fair when the animals are picked up.
2. The Fair reserves the right to refuse entries. No entries will be accepted after 5 pm, Friday.
3. Entries must be picked up **No Later than 5:30 pm** on Sunday.
4. There will be no sale of animals.
5. All entries must be pre-entered. No entries will be accepted that have not been pre-entered. Contact Gail Tagan for details.

The Mother Goose Barnyard is an exhibition only. There will be no sales of animals. Exhibitors will be chosen by type of exhibit offered. If you feel you have an interesting exhibit to offer, please contact Gail Tagan at 860-482-2931.



*Photo by Donna Whitlock*

# Open Horse Show And Gymkhana

Sunday, September 9, 2018

Louise Olson, Show Manager  
Debbie Spencer, Show Secretary  
203-888-9969

Craig Bennett, Chris Brophy, Jack Brophy, Shelly Butkus, Dave Catlin, Helen Catlin,  
Jodie Dardis, Kendra Graf, Melissa DeMatteo, Kendra Graf, John DeMatteo, Lillian Gura,  
Jennifer Gura, James Gura Jr., Carol Lewis, Chris Olsen Jr., Karin Olsen, Claire Smith,  
Patty Van Sickle, Marty Wing, Dottie Wing, Jessica Wing

**ENTRY BLANKS: Available day of show**

**JUDGE:** Maegan Evans

Open to all English and Western riders. Starts promptly at 9:00 am rain or shine.

**PARKING: The South gate will close at 9:00 am.**

1. **CONNECTICUT REQUIREMENTS:** All exhibitors are required to present to the Secretary a **Rabies Vaccination certificate signed by an accredited Veterinarian. A negative Coggins is also required. A photocopy of each must be submitted to the Horse Show secretary. These will not be returned. You will not be allowed to show without these.** Animals must have been vaccinated 30 days prior to the first show date.
2. No running of horses outside of the ring.
3. Horses must be under control at all times.
4. No riding horses outside the ring area, anyone riding outside this area will be asked to leave.
5. Red Ribbon must be worn by those horses that kick, as a safety precaution only.
6. No stallions allowed on the grounds.
7. Proper attire, consisting of long sleeved shirt, hat and boots is required to enter a Class.
8. Anyone acting in an unsportsmanlike manner will be disqualified and asked to leave.
9. All ties for Champion and Reserve shall be broken by equitation class placing.
10. AQHA rules will be used as a guide.
11. The Judges decision is final. Questions should be directed to the Show Manager or Secretary.
12. Points are accumulated for each horse and rider combination. A different number will be issued for each different combination. Points may not be combined for the Championships.

## — THE ABOVE RULES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED —

All Entry Fees, except as noted, will be \$9.00. Sweepstakes money will be awarded in all classes except Sit-A-Buck and Leadline. Moneys divided 40% - 30% - 20% - 10%.  
Six Ribbons.

1. **Open Pleasure Class** — Horse to be shown at a flat-footed walk, jog and lope. To be judged on manners, quality, performance 60% and conformation 40%.
2. **Junior Pleasure Class** — Same as Class #1
3. **Walk-Trot Pleasure Class** — Same as class #1 except no lope.
4. **Open Horsemanship** — Rider being judged. Rail work and may have individual workouts. Suitability of horse to rider.
5. **Junior Horsemanship** — Same as Class #4.
6. **Walk-Trot Horsemanship** — Same as Class #4.
7. **Open Trail** — To be judged over a series of obstacles. Pattern will be posted.
- 7A, **WALK-TROT TRAIL**
8. a. **Versatility Pleasure**  
b. **Versatility Western Riding**  
c. **Versatility Barrel Race**
9. **Open Barrel Race** — Timed Event. Knocking over any of the obstacles or leaving the prescribed course will eliminate the entry from the class. It is permissible to place a free hand

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## Open Horse Show And Gymkhana, *continued*

on saddle horn, or to use a bat, (behind girth only).

10. **Junior Barrels**
11. **Walk-Trot Barrels**
12. **Open Command**
13. **Junior Command**
14. **Open Flag Race** — Timed Event, Pattern Posted
15. **Junior Flag Race**
16. **Walk-Trot Flag Race**
17. **Open Polebending** — Timed Event. Knocking over any of the obstacles or leaving the prescribed course will eliminate the entry from the class. It is permissible to place a free hand on saddle horn, or to use a bat, (behind girth only).
18. **Open Raquet and Ball** — Timed Event
19. **Open Keyhole** — Timed Event
20. **Scurry Race** — Timed Event, Pattern Posted.
21. **Carry The Mail**
22. **Sit-A-Buck** — \$1.00 Entry Fee. (Rider must supply own \$1.00) WINNER TAKES ALL.
23. **Leadline** — Must be led by someone over 16 years of age. Age limit 7 years old.  
\$3.00 Entry Fee. **Will be held immediately following lunch break.**

### Divisions:

**Open** — To all riders except Walk-Trot

**Junior** — under 16 as of January 1st

**Walk-Trot** — Walk and jog or trot only. Open to age 12 & under, may not ride in any other divisions.

**Championship Open Horseman:** 1 – 4 – 7 – 12

**Junior Horsemanship:** 2 – 5 – 10 – 13 – 15

**Walk-Trot Horsemanship:** 3 – 6 – 11 – 16

**Open Gymkhana:** 9 – 14 – 17 – 18 – 19 – 20 – 21

**WALK-TROT TRAIL**

**Points to Count:** 1st – 6; 2nd – 5; 3rd – 4; 4th – 3; 5th – 2; 6th – 1

*A Memorial Trophy, in the memory of Ray Strohacker is on display in the Bethlehem Fair Office. The name of the winner of the Versatility Class (8a-c) will be engraved on the trophy. Riders must enter all 3 classes on the same horse to be eligible. Winners will be announced after the 3rd class has been completed. Open to riders of any age. This is a perpetual trophy.*



*Photo by Pat Slonina*

# Class A – Vegetables

Albert Maddox III (203) 266-7282, Clif Wheeler (860) 283-8492 – Superintendents  
Vincent Aiello, Joanne Battistoni, Frank Errico, Kathleen Mackiewicz, Robert Maddox  
Jr., Fred Schwalm, Helen Schwalm, Adam Wheeler, Amy Wheeler, Cathy Wheeler, James  
Wheeler, Kirstin Wheeler, Mat Wheeler, Sue Wheeler, Jaclyn Wheeler

**Who May Enter:** Adult exhibitors age 12 and over.

**Entry Blanks:** See General Rules, page 9.

**Entry Tags:** To be attached by exhibitor. See General Rules.

**Non-livestock exhibitors:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**Delivery of Exhibits:** To south section main exhibit building. Thursday night between 6 pm and 9 pm.

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**Entry Fees:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

**There is an Additional \$18.00 entry fee for the Heaviest Pumpkin category (A1).**

## Department Rules

1. Only one exhibit can be made of the same variety except in collections.
2. All exhibits must be composed of the exact number of specimens called for in listing.
3. All exhibits must be in prime market condition.
4. Only plates with hole to attach tags supplied by the Fair will be used to exhibit.
5. Best of Show Ribbon will be awarded.
6. All exhibitors must obtain permission of the department chairman to remove exhibit and must remove exhibit at the close of the Fair at 5:30 pm on Sunday. Any exhibit not removed by 6:00 pm on Sunday will become the property of the Fair and donated to a local soup kitchen.
7. Any **"OTHER"** class entry **MUST** have variety named on entry tag attached to plate.

## Judging Standards:

**EXCELLENT** — Free from injury (not over 25% waste and not more than slightly affecting appearance); uniform in size, shape and color (not over 10% variance); of the best market size and quality (beets 1½"-3", carrots ¾"-1 ½", onions over 2", potatoes 6-12 ozs.). True to variety type.

**GOOD** — Clean, free from damage (not over 25% waste and not damaging appearance), fairly uniform in size, shape and color (not over 25% variance); of good market size and quality (beets over 1¼", carrots 1-2½", potatoes 5-12 ozs.). Fairly true to variety type.

**WORTHY** — Fairly clean, free from serious damage (not over 10% waste and not seriously damaging appearance); fairly uniform in size, shape and color (less than 100% variance) of fair market size and quality (beets over 1" and under 4", carrots 1½"- 3", onions over 1½", potatoes over 4 and under 14 ozs.). Not off type enough to be disqualified.

**UNWORTHY** — Dirty, seriously damaged by disease, insects, or other means; extreme difference in size, shape, and color-plate is unworthy if largest specimen is twice the size of the smallest. One or a combination of the above points will disqualify an exhibit.

A pamphlet on exhibiting is available from Cooperative Extension Center, University Drive, Torrington, CT 06790.

## Judging Standards Heaviest Pumpkins

- 1) All giant pumpkins and squash are eligible for competition and will be weighed in separate categories.
- 2) Squash will be classified as any fruit with a surface area that is at least 75% green, blue or gray in color. The portion of the fruit in contact with the ground will not be considered in the color classification.

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## Class A – Vegetables, *continued*

- 3) Pumpkins will be all fruit not classified as squash.
- 4) An exhibitor may enter one 1 specimen per class and must be present when the pumpkin or squash is weighed. The entry must be grown, cared for, and exhibited by the grower.
- 5) The specimen must be present for the entire duration of the fair to be eligible for prizes.
- 6) No foreign material (i.e., fungicides, caulking, skin additives, etc.) will be permitted in the weighing of any fruit.
- 7) Vines must be trimmed to within 1" of the stem.
- 8) The specimen must sound, healthy and free from major damage. Entries must be free of rot, holes or cracks through to the cavity and serious soft spots.
- 9) The winning pumpkin and squash will be judged on weight alone.
- 10) The judges decision is final.

CLASSES	1st	2nd	3rd
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### Giant Vegetables

**Weigh-in time — Thursday 6 pm to 9 pm – Enter through South Gate.**

**\$18.00 Additional Entry Fee for class number (A1) Heaviest Pumpkin Only**

1. Heaviest Orange Soft Stemmed Pumpkin — Premium equals weight minus	100 lbs	200 lbs	300 lbs
2. Heaviest Green Soft Stemmed Pumpkin	\$50	\$30	\$20
3. Heaviest Field Pumpkin	10	7	5
4. Beets (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5
5. Watermelon (Heaviest)	10	7	5
6. Potatoes (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5
7. Carrots (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5
8. Cucumbers (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5
9. Onions (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5
10. Tomatoes (5 Heaviest) Green or Ripe	10	7	5
11. Hubbard Squash (Heaviest)	10	7	5
12. Zucchini (Heaviest)	10	7	5
13. Tallest Sunflower stalk Single Head (roots off)	10	7	5
14. Tallest Corn stalk (roots off)	10	7	5
15. Largest Sunflower Head (Diameter)	10	7	5
16. Longest Gourd	10	7	5
17. Turnip (5 Heaviest)	10	7	5

**Collections** (2 only of each Variety) — with a list of what is included

18. Best Collection of Vegetables	\$30	\$20	\$10
19. Best Collection of Gourds	10	7	5
20. Best Collection of Eggplant	10	7	5
21. Best Collection of Peppers	10	7	5
22. Best Collection of Potatoes	10	7	5
23. Best Collection of Tomatoes	10	7	5
24. Best Collection of Winter Squash	10	7	5

**Prizes for class numbers 25-195: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00 — Except Where Noted**

**BEANS** — 10 per plate

25. Green Flat Pod	29. Purple Round Pod
26. Green Round Pod	30. Bush Limas
27. Yellow Flat Pod	31. Yard Long Green/Purple
28. Yellow Round Pod	32. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)

**BEEETS** — tops off, 5 per plate (Not to exceed 2½" Diameter)

33. Red Table	36. Chioggia
34. Golden	37. Cylindra

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### **Bethlehem Fair BEST Tasting Tomato Contest**

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

Friday evening a panel of Millennial Judges will determine the best tasting tomato. Judging will be based on taste only. To enter you must provide 2 lbs of the same variety of slicing tomato. (No cherry tomatoes). Please name variety of tomato. Deliver entry to the Vegetable Department on Thursday between 6:00 pm and 9:00 pm. Judging to be at the North Stage at 6:00 pm Friday.



## Class A – Vegetables, *continued*

35. White	38. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
<b>CABBAGE</b> — 1 head			
39. Green	40. Red	41. Savoy	
<b>CARROTS</b> — tops off, 5 per plate			
42. Orange Long (over 6 inches)	45. Purple Half Long (under 6 inches		
43. White Long (over 6 inches)	46. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
44. Orange Half Long (under 6 inches)			
<b>SWEET CORN</b> — ½ husk removed, 5 per plate			
47. White	49. Bicolor		
48. Yellow	50. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
<b>CUCUMBERS</b>			
51. Green Table (5 per plate)	53. Ripe (3 per plate)		
52. Pickling (5 per plate)	54. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) (3 per plate)		
<b>EGGPLANT</b> — 2 per plate			
55. Long Classic Purple (over 8 inches)	60. Short Green (under 8 inches)		
56. Short Classic Purple (under 8 inches)	61. Long Bicolor (over 8 inches)		
57. Long White (over 8 inches)	62. Short Bicolor (under 8 inches)		
58. Short White (under 8 inches)	63. Oriental		
59. Long Green (over 8 inches)	64. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
<b>GARLIC</b> — stems trimmed to ½" – 1" roots ¼", 5 per plate			
65. Garlic 2" Plus	66. Garlic Small 2" Minus		
<b>MELONS</b> — 1 fruit			
67. Cantaloupe	69. Watermelon, Long		
68. Watermelon, Round	70. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
<b>ONIONS</b> – 5 per plate			
71. Yellow Flat	75. Red Flat		
72. Yellow Round	76. Red Round		
73. White Flat	77. Shallots		
74. White Round	78. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)		
<b>PEPPERS</b> – 5 per plate			
79. Green Bell (over 4 inches)	93. Red Jalapeno		
80. Green Bell (under 4 inches)	94. Green Jalapeno		
81. Red Bell (over 4 inches)	95. Poblano		
82. Red Bell (under 4 inches)	96. Ghost		
83. Purple Bell (under 4 inches)	97. GreenCherry		
84. Yellow Bell (under 4 inches)	98. Red Cherry		
85. Chocolate Bell (under 4 inches)	99. Scotch Bonnet		
86. Yellow (Frying)	100. Green Habanero		
87. Green (Frying)	101. Orange Habanero		
88. Long Red Hot (over 5 inches)	102. Chocolate Hababero		
89. Long Yellow Hot (over 5 inches)	103. Short Hot Purple/Black (under 5 inches)		
90. Short Red Hot (under 5 inches)	104. Short Hot Purple/Black (over 5 inches)		
91. Short Yellow Hot (under 5 inches)	105. Pepper Other-Not Sweet (Must Name Variety on Entry Tag)		
92. Hungarian Wax			
<b>POTATOES</b> – One Peck (15 lbs)	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>3rd</b>
106. Green Mountain	\$10	\$8	\$6
107. Kennebec	10	8	6
108. Yukon Gold	10	8	6
109. Katahdin	10	8	6
110. Cobblers	10	8	6
111. Blue	10	8	6
112. Red	10	8	6

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## Class A – Vegetables, *continued*

113. Fingerling	10	8	6
114. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)	10	8	6

### POTATOES — 5 per plate

115. Green Mountain	120. Blue
116. Kennebec	121. Red
117. Yukon Gold	122. Fingerling
118. Ktahdin	123. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)
119. Cobblers	

### PUMPKINS — 1 fruit

124. Small Sugar (under 6 inches)	128. Tiny Tim (3 per plate) Orange
125. Large Sugar (over 6 inches)	129. Lumina (White)
126. Field	130. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)
127. Tiny Tim (3 per plate) White	

### SUMMER SQUASH — 3 per plate

131. Green Zucchini	135. Crook Neck Yellow
132. Golden Zucchini	136. Patty Pan
133. Round Zucchini	137. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)
134. Straight Neck Yellow	

### TOMATOES — stems removed, 4 Quart Basket (8 lbs)      **1st                  2nd                  3rd**

138. Red (Standard)	\$10	\$8	\$6
139. Yellow (Standard)	10	8	6
140. Other (Must Name Variety on Entry Tag)	10	8	6

### TOMATOES — stems removed, 1 Qt Basket (2 lbs)

141. Cherry

### TOMATOES — stems removed, 5 per plate

142. Red – standard	151. Other Plum/Pear
143. Yellow – standard	152. Cherry – Black (10 per plate)
144. Orange – standard	153. Cherry – Orange/Yellow (10 per plate)
145. Red Pear	154. Cherry – Red (10 per plate)
146. Yellow Pear	155. Cherry (Silver Dollar Size) (10 per plate)
147. Red Plum (under 3 inches)	156. Grape Tomatoes (10 per plate)
148. Red Plum (over 3 inches)	157. Other Standard (Must name variety on entry tag) (5 per plate)
149. Yellow Plum (under 3 inches)	158. Other Cherry (Must name variety on entry tag) (10 per plate)
150. Yellow Plum (over 3 inches)	159. Bethlehem Fair BEST Tasting Tomato Contest (See page 54) <b>1st \$25    2nd \$15    3rd \$10</b>

### WINTER SQUASH — 2 per plate

160. Acorn– Green	166. Buttercup
161. Acorn– White	167. Butternut
162. Acorn Other (Must Name Variety on Entry Tag)	168. Sweet Dumpling
163. Spaghetti	169. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) — (1 per plate if large variety)
164. Golden Hubbard (1 per plate)	
165. Golden Hubbard (1 per plate)	

### MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLES

170. Artichokes (3 buds)	183. Leeks (3 specimens, leaves trimmed)
171. Broccoli (3 heads)	184. Leaf Lettice (1 bunch in water)
172. Broccoli-Purple (3 heads)	185. Mushrooms
173. Brussels Sprouts (10 specimens)	186. Okra (3 specimens)
174. Cauliflower (1 head)	187. Peas (10 pods)
175. Celery (Roots off Tops trimmed)	188. Parsnip (5 specimens)
176. Collards (10 stems/leaves in water)	189. Radish (5 per plate)
177. Endive (1 head)	190. Rhubarb (10 stalks)
178. Escarole (1 head)	191. Spinach (1 bunch in water) Classic Smooth/Savoy
179. Gourd (2 per plate)	192. Swiss Chard (10 stalks in water)
(Must name variety on entry tag)	193. Tomatillo (5 per plate)
180. Kale-Flat Leaf (10 stems/leaves in water)	194. Turnip (3 per plate)
181. Kale-Curly Leaf (10 stems/leaves in water)	195. Other (Must name variety on entry tag)
182. Kohlrabi (2 bulbs)	

# Class B – Grain

**Same Entry and Department Rules as Class A – Vegetables — See Page 51**

## CLASSES

**Prizes for Class numbers 1 – 6: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

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|--|--|
| 1. Dent Corn, White – 5 ears (Husk Off)  | 4. Indian Corn – 5 ears (Husk Off)       |
| 2. Dent Corn, Yellow – 5 ears (Husk Off) | 5. Silage Corn – 3 stalks-roots off      |
| 3. Popcorn -5 ears (Husk Off)            | 6. Best Head of Sunflower – <b>Dried</b> |

**Prizes for Class numbers 7 – 15: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

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|-------------------------------|---|
| 7. Corn Silage – 1 quart jar  | 11. Green Clover - 1 bunch                        |
| 8. Green Silage – 1 quart jar | 12. Cured Clover - 1 bunch                        |
| 9. Green Alfalfa – 1 bunch    | 13. Hops-Green - 8oz jar                          |
| 10. Cured Alfalfa - 1 bunch   | 14. Hops-Cured - 8oz jar                          |
| 15. Straw-One Arm Full        | 16. Open Exhibit – Must Name Variety on Entry Tag |

# Class C – Fruits

**Same Entry and Department Rules as Class A – Vegetables — See Page 51**

## CLASSES

**APPLES — 8 Quart Basket**

**Prizes for Class numbers 1 – 19: 1st – \$8.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00**

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|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| 1. Baldwin         | 8. Macoun            | 15. Mutsu                                  |
| 2. Greenings       | 9. Delicious         | 16. Empire                                 |
| 3. McIntosh        | 10. Golden Delicious | 17. Ida-Red                                |
| 4. Northern Spy    | 11. Cortland         | 18. Rome                                   |
| 5. Red Spy         | 12. Russett          | 19. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) |
| 6. Gravenstein     | 13. Honeycrisp       |  |
| 7. Red Gravenstein | 14. Liberty          |  |

**APPLES — 5 per plate**

**Prizes for Class numbers 20 – 38: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

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|---------------------|----------------------|--|
| 20. Baldwins        | 27. Macoun           | 34. Mutsu                                  |
| 21. Greenings       | 28. Delicious        | 35. Empire                                 |
| 22. McIntosh        | 29. Golden Delicious | 36. Ida-Red                                |
| 23. Northern Spy    | 30. Cortland         | 37. Rome                                   |
| 24. Red Spy         | 31. Russett          | 38. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) |
| 25. Gravenstein     | 32. Honeycrisp       |  |
| 26. Red Gravenstein | 33. Liberty          |  |

**PEACHES — 8 quart basket**

**Prizes for Class numbers 39 – 42: 1st – \$8.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00**

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|-------------|--|
| 39. Elberta | 41. White                                  |
| 40. Yellow  | 42. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) |

**Prizes for Class numbers 43 – 62: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

**PEACHES — 5 per plate**

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|-------------|--|
| 43. Elberta | 45. White                                  |
| 44. Yellow  | 46. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) |

**PEARS — 5 per plate**

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| 47. Bartlett | 48. Sickel | 49. Other (Must Name Variety on Entry Tag) |
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## **Class C – Fruits, *continued***

**Prizes for Class numbers 50 – 61: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

### **BERRIES — 1 Pint**

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| 50. Strawberries | 53. Raspberries                            |
| 51. Blackberries | 54. Other (Must name variety on entry tag) |
| 52. Blueberries  |  |

### **MISCELLANEOUS FRUITS**

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|--|---|
| 55. Figs (5 per plate)                     | 59. Purple Grapes (1 bunch)                       |
| 56. Plums (5 per plate)                    | 60. Wine Grapes (1 bunch)                         |
| 57. Quinces (5 per plate) (Not Ornamental) | 61. Nuts (quart, Must name variety on entry tag)  |
| 58. White Grapes (1 bunch)                 | 62. Open Exhibit (Must name variety on entry tag) |

# Class E

## Farm Exhibits, Youth Club Exhibits, Scarecrow Contests, Decorated Pumpkins

Jennifer Woodward, Superintendent  
Eloise Osuch

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
<b>1. Farm Exhibit</b>	\$100	\$75	\$50	\$25

A farm exhibit consisting of farm produce and products, to occupy a space up to 10'x 3' table space or up to 10'x 8' floor space. Type of space (table or floor) and size **must be noted** on the entry blank.

**Contact the Fair Office to reserve space.**

**Judging will be based on:** Arrangement & Appearance: 40 points, Originality: 20 points, Quality: 20 points, Variety: 20 points

### 2. Youth Club Exhibit

**WHO MAY ENTER:** All organized youth groups. Exhibitor ticket not required.

**ENTRY BLANK:** Must be filed by each club.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Provided by committee

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To the Main Exhibit Barn Thursday from 6 to 9 pm.

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

Exhibits will be judged on the Danish System

**Prizes:** 1st – \$40.00      2nd – \$35.00      3rd – \$30.00

**Best of Show – \$10.00**

**Exhibits will be judged on:**

40% educational value	25% interest and originality
30% appearance and attractiveness	5% further information

*Six front feet of table space is provided to each club, but clubs must furnish their own backing.*

### 3. Scarecrow Contest

**FREE STANDING. ALL PARTS MUST BE SECURELY ATTACHED SO THAT SCARECROW CAN BE MOVED EASILY. Please name category.**

**Anything goes! Size, Color, and Material — it's all up to you!**

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER** to South Section of Main Building Thursday from 6–9 pm.

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
17 and under	\$5	\$4	\$3
Adult	\$10	\$8	\$6

#### Scarecrow Type

#### Class Numbers

	Under 6 yrs	6-11	12-17	Adult
Funniest	3.	7.	11.	15.
Scariest	4.	8.	12.	16.
Farm	5.	9.	13.	17.
Most Original	6.	10.	14.	18.

## Class E — Scarecrow Contest *(Continued)*

Premiums	1st	2nd	3rd
<b>Door Decoration</b>			
19. Age 12 -17	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00
20. Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Centerpiece or Table Scarecrow</b>			
21. Age 12 -17	5.00	4.00	3.00
22. Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Pumpkin Decorating (Age 12 and over*)</b>			
23. Best Decorated — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
24. Best Decorated — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
25. Best Painted — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
26. Best Painted — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Pumpkin Carving (Age 12 and over)</b>			
27. Best Carved — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
28. Best Carved — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Squash and Gourd Decorating (Age 12 and over)</b>			
29. Best Decorated — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
30. Best Decorated — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
31. Best Painted — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
32. Best Painted — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Squash and Gourd Carving (Age 12 and over)</b>			
33. Best Carved — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
34. Best Carved — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00
<b>Vegetable People (Age 12 and over)</b>			
35. Most Original — Age 12-17	5.00	4.00	3.00
36. Most Original — Adult	5.00	4.00	3.00

\* Junior Exhibitors should enter Department P Classes 4, 5, 6, and 90

## ❁ Join The Bethlehem Fair Society ❁

Membership entitles you to attend the Annual Meeting  
in March and participate in key discussions related to  
the Fair and its Officers and Directors.

Dues are only \$5.00 annually.



Stop by the Information Booth during the Fair,  
pay your dues and become a member!

# Class F — Baking

Gina Munch, Kelly McGowan - Superintendents

Lis Blum, Linda Butkus, Kathy Gallo, Bonnie & Greg Johnson, Katie LaPointe,

Sara & Thomas McGowan, Laura & Ryan Munch, Theresa Radauskas,

Linda Romano, Janet Turner, Cristine Vogel

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult exhibitors age 12 and over.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See general rules.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See department rules

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To south section main building Thursday from 6 to 9 pm.

— **ABSOLUTELY NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON FRIDAY** —

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules, page 9) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. Exhibits must remain until **5:30 pm** on Sunday.
2. Entries not removed by 6:30 PM Sunday will become the property of the Fair and distributed to a local soup kitchen.
3. Entries must be on a disposable plate inside a Ziploc type bag. Entry tag must be typed to the disposable plate. Exceptions:
  - Pies may be submitted in a pie dish/tin that is put in a Ziploc type bag with entry tag fastened to the pie dish.
  - Frosted cakes do not need to be in a bag or covered.
4. Any entry found to be made of a mix of any kind will be disqualified.

## Class F

1. State Baking Contest 1st – \$10.00 2nd – \$8.00 3rd – \$4.00

**Prizes for Class numbers 2 – 20: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

### BREAD — (Yeast)

- |            |                               |
|------------|-------------------------------|
| 2. White   | 6. Whole Wheat                |
| 3. Rye     | 7. Other Yeast Bread, specify |
| 4. Oatmeal | 8. Rolls, Yeast – 6 per plate |
| 5. Raisin  |                               |

### BREAD — (Quick Loaf)

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|-----------------------|--|
| 9. Zucchini           | 15. Quick Coffee Cake                    |
| 10. Cranberry         | 16. Baking Powder Biscuits – 6 on plate  |
| 11. Date Nut          | 17. Corn Meal Muffins – 6 on plate       |
| 12. Banana            | 18. Blueberry Muffins – 6 on plate       |
| 13. Soda Bread        | 19. Other Muffins – Specify – 6 on plate |
| 14. Other Quick Bread | 20. Scones – 6 on plate                  |

**Prizes for Class numbers 21 – 41: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00**

### PIE

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|-------------|------------------------|
| 21. Apple   | 24. Peach              |
| 22. Pecan   | 25. Blueberry          |
| 23. Pumpkin | 26. Other Pie, specify |

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## Class F — Baking, Continued

Prizes for Class numbers 27 – 40: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

### CAKE

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| 27. Zucchini                              | 36. Pound Cake   |
| 28. Carrot                                | 37. Chiffon Cake   |
| 29. Coconut Layer Cake                    | 38. Other Cake, specify  |
| 30. Angel Cake                            | 39. Cup Cakes – 6 on plate   |
| 31. Cheese Cake                           | 40. Cake Pops – 6 on plate   |
| 32. Chocolate Layer w/ Chocolate Frosting | 41. Decorated Cake (judged for decoration<br>– cake only, no fresh flowers or plants). |
| 33. Applesauce                            | 15.00 10.00 5.00   |
| 34. Devil's Food Cake                     |  |
| 35. Pineapple Upside Down Cake            |  |

Prizes for Class numbers 42 – 59: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00

### COOKIES — 6 per plate

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|---------------------------|--|
| 42. Plain Sugar Cookies   | 50. Macaroon Cookies                     |
| 43. Oatmeal Cookies       | 51. Raisin Cookies                       |
| 44. Filled Cookies        | 52. Coconut Cookies                      |
| 45. Ginger Cookies        | 53. Snickerdoodles                       |
| 46. Molasses Cookies      | 54. Short Bread                          |
| 47. Toll House Cookies    | 55. Decorated Cookies                    |
| 48. Brownies              | 56. Other Cookie Not Listed, specify     |
| 49. Peanut Butter Cookies | 57. Other Bar Cookie Not Listed, Specify |

### OTHER

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|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 58. Pastry – 6 per plate, Specify | 59. Biscotti — 6 per plate |
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### For Bethlehem Residents Only

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| 60. Oatmeal Raisin Cookies — 6 per plate | 7.00 | 6.00 | 5.00 |
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### For Men Only — This year's contest For Men Only is:

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| 61. . Zucchini Bread | 7.00 | 6.00 | 5.00 |
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### Lillian Merrill Baking Contest

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| 62. Banana Coconut Bread | 100.00 | 75.00 | 50.00 |
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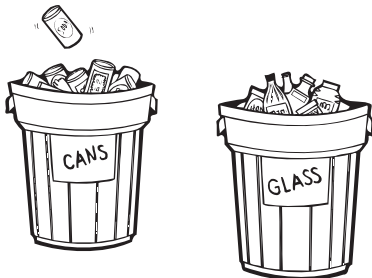
### King Arthur Flour Baking Contest

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| 63. King Arthur Flour — Anytime Peach Pie |
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(See page 71 for rules, recipe, and prizes).

## The Bethlehem Fair RECYCLES!

*Please put your cans  
and bottles in the  
appropriate barrels.*



# BAKING CONTEST FOR THE Lillian Merrill Perpetual Trophy

## Banana-Coconut Bread

### Ingredients

- 1-1/2 cup whole wheat flour, divided
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 cup coconut, unsweetened, shredded
- 1 cup mashed banana
- 2 tsp baking powder
- 3 tbsp vegetable oil
- 1/2 tsp baking soda
- 1 tbsp honey

### Directions

1. Mix together 1-1/4 cups of flour, coconut, baking powder, baking soda and salt in a bowl.
2. Combine banana, oil and honey. Stir into flour mixture quickly (gently) until combined. Add part of the remaining 1/4 cup flour if needed. Batter will be lumpy.
3. Spread batter evenly in a lightly greased (and/or waxed paper lined) 8x4-inch loaf pan.
4. Bake at 350F about 45 minutes until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.
5. Cool 10 min in pan. Turn out of pan, cool completely on rack. Wrap in waxed paper and store overnight before serving.

Submit bread on a disposable plate inside a Ziploc type bag with tags attached to plate

**PRIZES:** Rosettes and cash prizes will be awarded as follows:

**First – \$100 Second – \$75 Third – \$50**

*Contest and Prizes contributed in memory of Lillian Merrill by Bethlehem Grange #121.*



*Photo by Barbara Moran*



# Association of Connecticut Fairs (State) Baking Contests

## 2018 Baking Contests Rules

Full version available at [www.ctagfairs.org](http://www.ctagfairs.org)

Each year The Association of Connecticut Fairs sponsors baking contests open to the public at participating member fairs. Separate contests for Junior and Senior divisions baking a specific recipe are held.

**WHO MAY ENTER:** The contest at each participating member fair is open to all men, women and juniors who are residents of Connecticut. Commercial, industrial or professional bakers are not eligible. Divisions: Juniors (ages 7 to 15 as of July 1st) and Senior

**HOW TO ENTER:** Any Connecticut resident entering a contest at any participating member fair is automatically entered and competing in the local contest. Contestants may enter the contest at as many fairs as they wish until they win first prize. They will then represent that fair at the state baking contest. Please submit entries to both the local and state contest on disposable plates. The Association of Connecticut Fairs and the member fairs are not responsible for the return of plates, trays or containers.

**JUDGING:** Judging will be based on appearance, flavor and texture. The Association of Connecticut Fairs will furnish judges' score sheets to each fair and the contestant will receive these sheets at the end of the contest. Additions, deletions or substitutions in the recipe are not permitted and will result in disqualification. All decisions of the judges are final.

**LOCAL CONTEST:** The winner of the Bethlehem Fair contest will receive a blue ribbon from the Association of Connecticut Fairs and will then become eligible to submit their entry at the state contest. In the event that only one entry is received at the local contest and that entry is worthy of first prize, that entry must be awarded the first place ribbon.

**STATE CONTEST:** The state contest is held as part of the Fall Meeting and Convention of the Association of Connecticut Fairs. Entries for the state contest are accepted until 11:00 am on the day of the judging (contact your local fair or visit [www.ctagfairs.org](http://www.ctagfairs.org) for the date and location). Contest winners are announced at the Fall Meeting. Each fair is responsible for contacting their contest winner and providing them with information. The Association of Connecticut Fairs does not contact individual fairs or contest winners in regards to contest and banquet reservations nor does the Association of Connecticut Fairs cover the costs of attending the awards banquet. **NO BANQUET RESERVATIONS FOR CONTEST WINNERS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE DOOR.**

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## Additional 2018 State Contest Prizes

2017 Prizes provided by King Arthur Flour Gift certificates to be redeemed at the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com):

### Adult Baking

1st place: \$75 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

2nd place: \$50 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

3rd place: King Arthur Flour Logo Canvas Tote Bag

### Junior Baking

1st place: \$50 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

2nd place: \$25 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

3rd place: King Arthur Flour Logo Canvas Tote Bag

### Two-Crusted Apple Pie

1st place: \$75 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

2nd place: \$50 gift certificate to the online Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

3rd place: King Arthur Flour Logo Canvas Tote Bag

*All winners will also receive a ribbon from King Arthur Flour*

*The gift cards can also be redeemed at the Baker's Store in Norwich, Vermont  
(2 hr 15 min north of Hartford, exit 13 on 91)*

## 2018 State Adult Baking Contest Recipe

### Majestic and Moist New Year's Honey Cake

#### Ingredients

##### DOUGH

- 3 1/2 cups King Arthur Flour All-Purpose Flour
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon ground allspice
- 1 cup vegetable oil
- 1 cup honey
- 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 1/4 cup warm strong tea
- 1/2 cup fresh orange juice
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds



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## Preparation

1. Preheat the oven to 350°F. Lightly grease an angel food cake pan and line the bottom with lightly greased parchment paper.
2. In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and spices. Make a well in the center and add the oil, honey, sugars, eggs, vanilla, tea and orange juice.
3. Using a strong wire whisk or an electric mixer on slow-speed, combine the ingredients well to make a thick batter, making sure that no ingredients are stuck to the bottom of the bowl.
4. Spoon the batter into the prepared pan and sprinkle the top of the cake evenly with the almonds.
5. Place the angel food cake pan on 2 baking sheets stacked together and bake for 60 to 70 minutes until the cake springs back when you touch it gently in the center.
6. Let the cake stand for 15 minutes before removing it from the pan. Place onto a wire rack to cool completely.

Yield – Serves 8 – 10

**Submit on strong cardboard covered in aluminum foil no more than two inches from edge of cake.**

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### Judging Criteria

<b>Overall appearance</b>	<b>25 points</b>
<b>Following Directions</b>	<b>10 points</b>
<b>Texture</b>	<b>15 points</b>
<b>Aroma</b>	<b>10 points</b>
<b>Flavor</b>	<b><u>40 points</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 points</b>

The following prizes will be awarded at the state contest plus a Rosette.

1st Place: \$40.00	5th Place: \$15.00	9th Place: \$5.00
2nd Place: \$35.00	6th Place: \$12.50	10th Place: \$5.00
3rd Place: \$30.00	7th Place: \$10.00	
4th Place: \$25.00	8th Place: \$7.50	
Honorable Mention Ribbons will also be awarded.		

# King Arthur Flour Adult Baking Contest

## Prizes

### ADULT CATEGORY:

**1st Place:** \$75 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

**2nd Place:** \$50 gift certificate to the Baker's Catalogue at [kingarthurfLOUR.com](http://kingarthurfLOUR.com)

**3rd place:** King Arthur Flour Baker's Companion Cookbook

## Contest Rules

1. Pre-entry is required on the Fair's General Entry Form and received by Tuesday before the Fair.
2. Exhibitor must bring opened bags of King Arthur Flour or submit UPC labels from the flour bags when he/she brings baked goods to the Fair.
3. Entry must follow the designated recipe.
4. All entries must be in Ziploc type bags and on plate.
5. Judging will be based on the following criteria:  
Taste – 50 Points; Presentation – 25 Points; Texture – 25 Points = Total – 100 Points
6. Failure to follow rules may result in disqualification.

## ANYTIME PEACH PIE

### CRUST INGREDIENTS

- 2 1/2 cups King Arthur Unbleached All-Purpose Flour or King Arthur Pastry Flour Blend
- 1 1/4 teaspoons salt
- 1/4 cup vegetable shortening
- 10 tablespoons very cold unsalted butter
- 6 to 10 tablespoons ice water

### FILLING INGREDIENTS:

- two 16-ounce bags frozen peaches, partially thawed, about 6 cups sliced peaches
- 1 cup chopped dried apricots
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 6 tablespoons Pie Filling Enhancer or 3/4 cup King Arthur Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1/8 teaspoon almond extract, optional
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons butter, melted

### TO MAKE THE CRUST:

1. Whisk together the flour and salt.
2. Add the shortening, working it in until the mixture is evenly crumbly.
3. Cut the butter into small cubes.
4. Add the butter to the flour mixture, and work it in roughly with your fingers, a pastry cutter, or a mixer.
5. Add 4 tablespoons of water, and toss to combine.
6. Toss with enough additional water to make a chunky, fairly cohesive mixture.
7. Divide the dough in half, and gather each half into a rough disk. Wrap in plastic, and chill for 30 minutes, or up to overnight.

### TO MAKE THE FILLING/PIE:

1. Preheat the oven to 425°F. Get out a 9"-diameter pie pan that's at least 1 1/4" deep.
2. Coarsely chop the semi-thawed peaches.
3. Mix the peaches with the remaining filling ingredients, stirring till thoroughly combined.
4. Roll half the crust into a 13" circle, and lay it in the pie pan.
5. Spoon the filling into the crust.
6. Roll out the remaining crust, and lay it atop the filling. Press the edges together, and crimp.
7. Brush the crust with milk, and sprinkle with coarse sparkling sugar, if desired. Cut several slits in the top, to allow steam to escape.
8. Bake the pie for 15 minutes. Reduce the oven heat to 350°F, and bake the pie for an additional 30 minutes, till the edge of the crust is brown. Cover the edge with a crust protector, or with strips of aluminum foil, to prevent over-browning.
9. Bake the pie for 15 to 20 minutes more, till the top crust is browned and the filling is bubbly.
10. Remove the pie from the oven, and allow it to cool completely.

Submit pie plate on a disposable plate inside a 2 gallon size Ziploc type bag with tags attached to the disposable plate.

## Class G — Candy

**Prizes for Class G: 1st – \$5.00   2nd – \$4.00   3rd – \$3.00**

- |                              |                                  |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Penuche, 8 pieces         | 4. Other Fudge Variety, 8 pieces |
| 2. Chocolate Fudge, 8 pieces | 5. Peanut Brittle, 8 pieces      |
| 3. Walnut Fudge, 8 pieces    | 6. Other Candy, 8 pieces         |

## Class H — Canned Goods

Elaine Brodeur - Superintendent 203-266-5350  
Tess Assard, Adrienne Barbe, NeNean Cofranceso, Marcia Henley,  
Lauren Pistilli, Christina Watkins

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult exhibitors age 12 and over.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules on page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See General Rules (page 9).

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To middle section main exhibit building **Thursday from 6 pm to 9 pm.**

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday. Exhibits must remain until 5:30 pm Sunday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

### Department Rules — Please Read Carefully

1. Each jar must be labeled with name of product and day, month and year it was processed, **on the side of the jar.**
2. Only one entry can be made in class number by an exhibitor.
3. **Exhibitors are asked to place a small sticker on the lid of each glass container showing their exhibitor number for identification in claiming entry, including collections. Stickers may be home made. No decorations including fabric except class #105.**
4. Jars of jellies, and jams may be opened for judging purposes.
5. All canned fruits, vegetables and pickles must be exhibited in regular canning jars. All jars and lids must be **clean** and **new**, otherwise they will be disqualified.
6. No Glass lids and rubber rings are allowed
7. Jams and jellies must be sealed in half pint or pint size canning or jelly jars only – no exceptions.
8. Due to USDA revisions, the use of paraffin for sealing jams, jellies, conserves, marmalades and preserves made at home is no longer recommended. Jars should be processed in a boiling water bath for at least 10 minutes. Entries sealed with paraffin will not be accepted for judging and will be disqualified.
9. All entries must have been canned since last year's fair.

**Prizes for Class H: 1st – \$5.00   2nd – \$4.00   3rd – \$3.00 unless noted otherwise**

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## Vegetables

	1st	2nd	3rd
1. Collection of Vegetables, 6 Jars Assorted	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
2. Three Jars of Vegetables, Assorted	7.00	6.00	5.00

## Single Jars

3. Asparagus	12. Corn, White	21. Tomatoes
4. Beans, Green Snap	13. Corn, Yellow	22. Tomato Juice
5. Beans, Lima	14. Corn, Creamed White	23. Sauerkraut
6. Beans, Shell	15. Corn, Creamed Yellow	24. Mixed Vegetables
7. Beans, Wax Snap	16. Onions	25. Spaghetti Sauce
8. Beets	17. Peas	26. Other Variety Vegetables
9. Broccoli	18. Peppers	(Specify on entry tag)
10. Carrots	19. Spinach	
11. Cauliflower	20. Succotash	

## Fruit

	1st	2nd	3rd
27. Collection Fruits, 6 Jars Assorted	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
28. Three Jars Fruits, Assorted	7.00	6.00	5.00

## Single Jars

29. Applesauce	34. Peaches	39. Raspberries, Black
30. Blackberries	35. Pears	40. Strawberries
31. Blueberries	36. Pineapple	41. Other Variety of Fruit
32. Cherries	37. Plums	(Specify on entry tag)
33. Fruit Salad	38. Raspberries, Red	

## Jellies

	1st	2nd	3rd
42. Six Jars. Assorted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

## Single Jars

43. Apple	48. Grape	53. Raspberry, Black
44. Blackberry	49. Mint	54. Raspberry, Red
45. Blueberry	50. Peach	55. Other Variety of Jelly
46. Crab Apple	51. Plum	(Specify on entry tag)
47. Currant	52. Quince	

## Jams

	1st	2nd	3rd
56. Six Jars, Assorted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

## Single Jars

57. Apricot	66. Raspberry, Red
58. Blackberry	67. Strawberry
59. Blueberry	68. Other Variety of Jam
60. Cherry	69. Apple Butter
61. Grape	70. Peach Butter
62. Peach	71. Preserve
63. Pineapple	72. Orange Marmalade or Conserve
64. Plum	73. Any variety of sugarless jam
65. Raspberry, Black	(Specify on entry tag)

## Pickles, Single Jars

74. Bread and Butter Pickles	82. Pickled Beets
75. Cucumber Pickles	83. Mincemeat
76. Ripe Cucumbers	84. Pepper Pickle
77. Dill Pickles	85. Eggplant
78. Ripe Cucumber Pickles	86. Zucchini Pickles
79. Mustard Pickles	87. Green Tomato Pickles
80. Sweet Mixed Pickles	88. Green Bean Pickles
81. Watermelon Pickles	89. Other Variety Pickles (Specify on entry tag)

## Class H — Canned Goods, *continued*

### Relish, Single Jars

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|--------------|--|
| 90. Chutney  | 93. Corn   |
| 91. Cucumber | 94. Chili Sauce                                    |
| 92. Pepper   | 95. Other Variety Relish<br>(Specify on entry tag) |

Miscellaneous Canned Goods	1st	2nd	3rd
96. Collection Pickles, 6 jars assorted	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
97. 3 Jar Pickles, 1 each 3 different kinds	6.00	5.00	4.00
98. 3 Jars Pickled Fruit, 1 each 3 different kinds	6.00	5.00	4.00
99. 3 Jars Relish, 1 each 3 different kinds	6.00	5.00	4.00
100. 3 Jars Marmalade, 1 each 3 different kinds	6.00	5.00	4.00
101. Catsup	5.00	4.00	3.00
102. Barbeque Sauce	5.00	4.00	3.00
103. Salsa	5.00	4.00	3.00
104. Mustard	5.00	4.00	3.00
105. Bernice Assard Memorial Award. Gift Container of Canned Goods (At least 5 jars) Size limit – No larger than 18" x 18"			

Judged on the following criteria:

Quality of products – 40%; Variety of items – 30%; Attractiveness of display – 30%

Prizes	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$15.00
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## 2018 Award Announcement

### BALL® Fresh Preserving Award For Adult & Junior Level

**PRESENTED BY:** BALL & KERR Fresh Preserving Products

Newel Brands marketers of Ball and Kerr Fresh Preserving Products is proud to recognize today's fresh preserving (canning) enthusiasts. An award for 1st place will be presented to the individual whose home canned entry is selected the best in the category.

A panel of judges will select the top two best entries in Fruits, Vegetables, Pickles, and Soft Spreads categories. Entries must be preserved in Ball Classic, Collection Elite, or Heritage Collection Jars sealed with Ball Classic, Collection Elite, or Heritage Lids and Bands, or preserved in Kerr Jars sealed with Kerr Lids and Bands. In addition, soft spread entries must be prepared using Ball/Kerr Products: Classic, Low or No-Sugar, or Liquid and submit recipe used and UPC number from Ball/Kerr Pectin package.

### Adult Level

First and Second Place Awards will be given to individuals judged as the best in designated categories.

***Entries designated First Place from each category will receive:***

- Two (2) Six-Dollar (\$6) Coupons for Ball/Kerr Fresh Preserving Products and one (1) Free (up to \$6 value) Coupon for Ball/Kerr Products.

***Entries designated Second Place from each category will receive:***

- One (1) Six-Dollar (\$6) Coupon for Ball/Kerr Fresh Preserving Products and one (1) Free (up to \$6 value) Coupon for Ball/Kerr Products.

### Junior Level

First Place Awards will be given to individuals judged as the best in designated categories.

***Entries designated First Place from each category will receive:***

- One (1) Six-Dollar (\$6) Coupon for Ball/Kerr Fresh Preserving Products and one (1) Free (up to \$6 value) Coupon for Ball/Kerr Products.

## Class J — Dairy Products and Eggs

**Premiums for Class J: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

**Rule:** Eggs must be in cardboard egg containers only.

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|---|---|
| 1. Dairy Butter, Not Less than 1 lb. Salted | 7. Dozen Eggs, White  |
| 2. Pasteurized Milk, Cow, 1 qt.             | 8. Dozen Eggs, Brown  |
| 3. Raw Milk, Cow, 1 qt.                     | 9. Dozen Eggs, Green  |
| 4. Raw Milk, Other than Cow                 | 10. Dozen Eggs, Duck or Goose                                     |
| 5. Cottage Cheese, Not less than 1 lb.      | 11. Dozen Eggs, Other   |
| 6. Goat's Cheese                            | 12. Any other dairy product not listed.<br>(Specify on entry tag) |

## Class K — Honey & Maple Syrup

**Premiums for Class J: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

**Rules:**

1. Honey (Items 2-6) must be 1 lb. Queenline jars.
2. Maple Syrup in glass quart jars only
3. Exhibitor number on small sticker — top of jar (both honey and syrup)
4. No commercial labels allowed

**Classes**

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|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Comb Honey (Three Sections)      | 6. Three Jars Granulated Honey or Honey Spread         |
| 2. Three Jars Chunk Honey           | 7. Beeswax   |
| 3. Three Jars Light Honey           | 8. Best Quart Maple Syrup ( <b>Note rule 2 above</b> ) |
| 4. Three Jars Dark Honey            | 9. Best Pound Maple Sugar                              |
| 5. Three Jars Amber or Medium Honey |  |



# Class L — Needlework

Gladys Archambault, Honorary Superintendent  
JoAnn Dzielinski, Superintendent  
Sue Marti-Collella, Peter Dzielinski, Ginger Grider, Susan Leeper,  
Karen Kalenauskas, Sue Schoenbach, Millie Uranus

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult exhibitors age 18 and over. (Exhibitors ages 12-17 should enter in Class Q-Youth Art, Needlework and Hobbies.)

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules on page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See General Rules .

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To North section Main Exhibit Building, Thursday from 6 pm to 9 pm. **No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. All entries must be handiwork of the exhibitor or of the exhibitors immediate family, except items in professionally quilted class.
2. Professionally quilted class, only exhibitor's work will be judged.
3. An article previously entered at Bethlehem Fair may not be entered again.
4. Exhibits must remain until **5:30 pm Sunday**.
5. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in any class number.
6. All exhibitor tags must be securely attached. No straight pins.
7. **Exhibitor's name must not be shown on entry.**
8. All entries must be **clean** and **pressed**.
9. All pictures must have complete hanging facilities.
10. Best of Show Ribbon will be awarded.
11. The Bethlehem Fair is not responsible for loss or damage to exhibits.

**Premiums for Class L: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00; unless noted**

## Cotton Embroidery, including Cross-Stitch, (no Crewel)

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|----------------------------------|---|
| 1. Runner                        | 6. Sampler (work area 11"x14" or greater) |
| 2. Pillow Cases, One Pair        | 7. Sampler (work area less than 11"x14")  |
| 3. Apron                         | 8. Holiday Item                           |
| 4. Picture (framed and hangable) | 9. Any Other Item Not Listed Above        |
| 5. Place Mat                     | (Must specify on entry tag)               |

## Counted Cross-Stitch

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|--------------------------------|---|
| 10. Book Marks — set of three  | 16. Baby bibs, set of three                 |
| 11. Pillow                     | 17. Sampler (work area 11"x14" or greater)  |
| 12. Bread Basket Cover         | 18. Sampler (work area less than 11"x14")   |
| 13. Bell Pull                  | 19. Picture, (work area 11"x14" or greater) |
| 14. Holiday Items. No Pictures | 20. Picture, (work area less than 11"x14")  |
| 15. Guest or Kitchen Towel     |   |

## Wool Embroidery

21. Any Other Item (Must specify on entry tag)

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## Class L — Needlework, *continued*

### Quilting

**Bed Quilts PERIMETER MUST MEASURE A MINIMUM OF 216 INCHES.**

**See page 87 for State Quilt Contest Rules.**

	1st	2nd	3rd
22. Bed Quilt, Pieced, Hand Quilted (State Qualify)	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
23. Bed Quilt, Pieced, Machine Quilted (State Qualify)	**10.00	8.00	6.00
24. Bed Quilt, Applique, Hand Quilted (State Qualify)	12.00	10.00	8.00
25. Bed Quilt, Applique, Machine Quilted**	10.00	8.00	6.00
26. Bed Quilt, Long Arm Quilted by Exhibitor	10.00	8.00	6.00
27. Bed Quilt, Pieced by Exhibitor, Professionally Quilted	10.00	8.00	6.00
28. Crib Quilt, Hand Quilted 32" x 50" or less	10.00	8.00	6.00
29. Crib Quilt, Machine Quilted — ** 32" x 50" or less	8.00	6.00	4.00
30. Quilt made by a Group (three or more)**	10.00	8.00	6.00
31. Miniature Quilt (24" or Less)**	8.00	6.00	4.00
32. Wall Hanging, Pieced (40" or Less)*, **	8.00	6.00	4.00
33. Wall Hanging, Pieced (Over 40")*	8.00	6.00	4.00
34. Wall Hanging, Applique (40" or Less)*, **	8.00	6.00	4.00
35. Wall Hanging, Applique (Over 40")*	8.00	6.00	4.00
36. Wall Hanging, Machine Embroidered (40" or Less)*, **	8.00	6.00	4.00
37. Wall Hanging, Machine Embroidered (Over 40")	*8.00	6.00	4.00
38. Quilted Apparel Item	8.00	6.00	4.00
39. Quilted Household Accessary	8.00	6.00	4.00

\* No Frames

\*\* Must be quilted by exhibitor, not professionally quilted

### Cotton Thread Crocheting

40. Dress	48. Household Accessories
41. Sweater	49. Holiday Item
42. Runner	50. Fashion Accessories
43. Pocketbook	51. Edgings and Insertions (One Yard)
44. Chair, Buffet or Vanity Set	52. Handkerchief (One)
45. Centerpiece, 14" or Over	53. Hot Plate Mats
46. Doily, Under 14"	54. Chair Set, Filet Crochet
47. Pillow Case, Crocheted Edge, Lace or Sheet	

	1st	2nd	3rd
55. Table Cloth	\$10.00	\$ 8.00	\$6.00
56. Crocheted Bed Spread	12.00	10.00	8.00

### Yarn Crocheting (includes wool, cotton & synthetic)

57. Sweater	64. Household Accessories
58. Sleeveless Sweater, Shell or Vest	65. Poncho
59. Hat	66. Holiday Item
60. Stoles, Scarves or Shrug	67. Infant's Cap, Bonnet or Booties
61. Slippers	68. Infant's Sweater
62. Infant's Dress or Bunting	69. Baby Afghan
63. Fashion Accessories	

	1st	2nd	3rd
70. Three Piece Baby Set — (Sweater, hat & booties)	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00

### Cotton Thread Knitting

71. Any One Item

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## Class L — Needlework, *continued*

### Yarn Knitting (includes wool, cotton & synthetic

	1st	2nd	3rd
72.Sweater, Plain Knit Adult one color	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00
73.Sweater, Plain Knit Adult multi- color	7.00	6.00	5.00
74.Sweater, Plain Knit Child's one color	5.00	4.00	3.00
75.Sweater, Plain Knit Child's multi- color	6.00	5.00	4.00
76.Sweater, Pattern Stitch Adult	7.00	6.00	5.00
77.Sweater, Pattern Stitch Child's	6.00	5.00	4.00
78.Sweater, Pattern multi-color	7.00	6.00	5.00
79.Three Piece Baby Set — (Sweater, hat & booties)	7.00	6.00	5.00
80. Holiday Item	88. Slippers		
81. Coat or Jacket	89. Hat		
82. Shell or Sleeveless Sweater	90. Poncho		
83. Gloves	91. Household or Fashion Item		
84. Mittens	92. Infant's Cap, Bonnet or Booties		
85. Argyle Socks	93. Infant's Sweater		
86. Wool Socks, Plain	94. Baby Afghan		
87. Stole, Scarf, Shrug	95. Infant's Dress or Bunting		

### Tatting

96. Doily — under 12"	97. Holiday Item
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### Afghans

	1st	2nd	3rd
98. Crocheted Afghan	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
99. Knitted Afghan	12.00	10.00	8.00
100. Knitted Bedsread	12.00	10.00	8.00

### Rugs

#### Premiums for Classes 101–105: 1st – \$8.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$4.00

101. Hooked Wool Scrap	104. Braided Rag, Cotton
102. Hooked Wool Yarn	105. Crocheted
103. Braided Rag, Wool	

### Needlepoint on Fabric

106. Picture	109. Functional Household Accessory
107. Pillow	110. Decorative Household Accessory
108. Handbag	111. Holiday Article

### Crewel Embroidery

112. Pillow	113. Picture	114. Picture, (original design)
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### Miscellaneous

115. Doll in Crocheted Clothes (one)	117. Doll Clothing (5 outfits)		
116. Doll in Knitted Clothes (one)	118. Crocheted Toys		
119. Machine Embroidery Item	1st – \$6.00	2nd – \$5.00	3rd – \$4.00
120. Bottle, Box or Toilet Tissue Covers (No plastic, canvas)			
121. Smocked Item			
122. Stuffed Animal or Doll Undressed, one only			

#### Miscellaneous, *continued*

123. Stuffed Animal or Doll Dressed – (Item and clothes all hand made), one only	1st – \$6.00	2nd – \$5.00	3rd – \$4.00
124. Purse/Tote Bag, Quilted, Embroidered, or Embellished			

## Class L — Needlework, *continued*

(must be an “everyday” usable item)      1st – \$6.00      2nd – \$5.00      3rd – \$4.00

- 125. Needle Felting, soft sculpture or toy (under 6 inches)
- 126. Needle Felting, soft sculpture or toy (over 6 inches)
- 127. Needle Felting, knit or crochet bag or toy
- 128. Miscellaneous sewing item (not overlock or quilted) Not Listed
- 129. Household Accessory Item Not Listed — No plastic, canvas items
- 130. Holiday Item Not Listed — No plastic, canvas items
- 131. Any Other Item Not Listed (Must specify on entry tag) — No plastic, canvas items

### **Clothing — Child’s (must be clean, pressed and on hangers)**

	1st	2nd	3rd
132. Dress	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00
133. Party Dress	7.00	6.00	5.00
134. Jumpers	6.00	5.00	4.00
135. Skirt	6.00	5.00	4.00
136. Blouse or Shirt	6.00	5.00	4.00
137. Pants	6.00	5.00	4.00
138. Shorts	6.00	5.00	4.00
139. Coat or Jacket, lined	8.00	7.00	6.00
140. Coat or Jacket, unlined	7.00	6.00	5.00
141. Any Other Sewn Item Not listed	5.00	4.00	3.00

(Must specify on entry tag)

### **Clothing — Adult’s (must be clean, pressed and on hangers)**

	1st	2nd	3rd
142. Dress	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$5.00
143. Jumper	7.00	6.00	5.00
144. Party Dress	8.00	7.00	6.00
145. Skirt	6.00	5.00	4.00
146. Blouse or Shirt	6.00	5.00	4.00
147. Slacks or Pant Skirt	6.00	5.00	4.00
148. Shorts	5.00	4.00	3.00
149. Suit, lined (2 pc)	8.00	6.00	5.00
150. Suit, unlined (2 pc)	7.00	6.00	5.00
151. Coat or Jacket, lined	9.00	7.00	6.00
152. Coat or Jacket, unlined	7.00	6.00	5.00
153. Vest	6.00	5.00	4.00
154. Apron	5.00	4.00	3.00
155. Any Other Sewn Item Not Listed	5.00	4.00	3.00

(Must specify on entry tag)

### **Overlock Sewing Construction (must be clean, pressed and on hangers)**

	1st	2nd	3rd
156. Adult Item	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00
157. Child’s Item	6.00	5.00	4.00

# 2018 Connecticut State Quilt Contests

The following rules apply to any quilts which are to qualify for the Connecticut State Quilt Contest. The State Contest will be held at the Association of Connecticut Fairs fall meeting and convention. The Bethlehem Fair will pay for the winning contestant's dinner (and 1 guest). Contact the Bethlehem Fair Office or [www.ctagfairs.org](http://www.ctagfairs.org) for further details.

## Adult Quilt Contest Categories:

1. Hand-Appique
2. Pieced — Machine Quilted
3. Pieced — Hand Quilted

## Quilted Contest Rules:

1. This contest is open to all residents of Connecticut. If entered by juniors, they will be judged with all adult entries.
2. All work must be completed by an individual quilt maker.
3. Work can be pieced by hand or by machine, but applique must be done by hand.
4. Quilts must be either hand or machine quilted, no hand tied quilts.
5. Quilts may not be made from pre-cut quilt kits.
6. A quilt can only compete in the Association of Connecticut Fairs Quilt Contest once.
7. Applique quilts must consist of at least 50% applique.
8. Quilt perimeter must measure a minimum of 216 inches.
9. No wall hanging quilts.

### Prizes:

The following prizes will be awarded in each category:

#### Adult Quilt Contest:

- 1st place: \$50.00
- 2nd place: \$35.00
- 3rd place: \$15.00

People's Choice Award: \$50

Each attendee of the Banquet will be able to cast one vote for their favorite quilt regardless of category.

## Junior Quilt Contest Categories

1. Wall Hanging

## Junior Quilt Contest Rules:

1. This contest is open to all residents of Connecticut.
2. All work must be completed by an individual quilt maker.
3. Work can be pieced by hand or by machine but applique must be done by hand.
4. Quilts must be either hand or machine quilted, no hand tied quilts.
5. Quilts may not be made from pre-cut quilt kits.
6. A quilt can only compete in the Association of Connecticut Fairs Quilt Contest once.

7. Participant must be between 7 and 17 years of age at the time of judging.
8. Wall hanging Quilt perimeter must measure a minimum of 64 inches.
9. Wall hanging Quilt must include a sleeve for hanging.
10. Wall hanging can be applique, or pieced. It can be hand or machine quilted, but not tied.

Prizes:

**The following prizes will be awarded:**

**Junior Quilt Contest:**

- 1st place: \$25.00
- 2nd place: \$15.00
- 3rd place: \$10.00

**How to Enter**

Enter a quilt at any participating fair that is a member of the Association of Connecticut Fairs in any of the categories mentioned above.

The participating fair will award one winner in each category with a rosette from the Association of Connecticut Fairs along with any awards the local fair provides. Each fair will submit that winning entry to the state contest. A quilt can be entered in as many fairs as a contestant wishes until it becomes eligible to go to the state contest.

**State Quilt Contest**

Once a quilt has won the State Quilt ribbon at a participating fair, it is eligible to be entered into the State Quilt Contest. The contest will be held October 27, 2018 at The Lyceum in Terryville, CT. Each fair must preregister their local winner. The local fair also will provide contest information to the winner.



*Photo by Pat Slonina*

# Class M — Flowers

Sloane Verrastro, Superintendent – 203-266-5643

Jack Adomelis, Sue Adomelis, Cathy D'Alessandro, Colette D'Alessandro, Geoff D'Alessandro, Leslie Gamsjager, Justine Leeper, Michele McHugh, Pat McWhirt, Nick Verrastro, Judy Williams

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult and Youth exhibitors age 12 and over.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules on page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See General Rules.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To North section Main Exhibit Building, **Thursday from 6 to 9 pm.**

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

1. All exhibits must remain in place until **5:30 pm Sunday.**
2. Any exhibit using material on the State Conservation list as published by the Federal Garden Clubs of CT, Inc. will be disqualified.
3. Exhibitors must furnish their own container. Recyclable glass containers. i.e. mason jars, bottles, jelly jars, etc. No valuables. **Please No** paper, styrofoam or plastic cups
4. Exhibitors are allowed only one entry in each class.
5. Judging in specimen classes is based on the quality of the specimens rather than the quantity (Classes 1 through 80).
6. Judging of flowers is mainly on uniformity of size; development, height, and color. Other important factors are freedom from insect and/or disease damage and growth characteristics of variety displayed and finally showmanship.
7. **No store bought flowers allowed.**

## Annual Flowers (2 to 5 stems only)

**Premiums for class numbers 1–49: 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00**

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|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Ageratum                          | 26. Million Bells                            |
| 2. Aster                             | 27. Nasturtium with foliage attached to stem |
| 3. Bachelor Buttons                  | 28. Nicotiana                                |
| 4. Calendula                         | 29. Pansy with foliage attached to stem      |
| 5. Celosia Crested                   | 30. Supertunia                               |
| 6. Celosia, Plumbed                  | 31. Petunia, Single, one color               |
| 7. Cleome                            | 32. Petunia, Single, variegated              |
| 8. Coleus                            | 33. Petunia, Ruffled, one color              |
| 9. Cosmos                            | 34. Petunia, Ruffled, variegated             |
| 10. Dahlia Bedding                   | 35. Petunia, Double, multiflora              |
| 11. Gaillardia                       | 36. Salvia, Blue                             |
| 12. Geranium                         | 37. Salvia, Red                              |
| 13. Impatiens, single color          | 38. Salvia, Maroon                           |
| 14. Impatiens, variegated            | 39. Salvia, Purple                           |
| 15. Impatiens, New Guinea            | 40. Sunflower - ornamental only              |
| 16. Impatiens, Double                | 41. Snapdragon, Standard                     |
| 17. Marigold, Dwarf, Single, Yellow  | 42. Snapdragon, Dwarf                        |
| 18. Marigold, Dwarf, Single, Orange  | 43. Strawflower                              |
| 19. Marigold, Dwarf, Single, Bicolor | 44. Verbena                                  |
| 20. Marigold, Dwarf, Double, Yellow  | 45. Zinnias, Dwarf                           |
| 21. Marigold, Dwarf, Double, Orange  | 46. Zinnias, Medium                          |
| 22. Marigold, Dwarf, Double, Bicolor | 47. Zinnias, Giant                           |
| 23. Marigold, Giant, Yellow          | 48. Zinnias, Giant Cactus                    |
| 24. Marigold, Giant, Orange          | 49. Any Other Annual Not Listed.             |
| 25. Marigold, Giant, White           | (Name variety on entry tag)                  |

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## Class M — Flowers, *continued*

**Premiums for class numbers 50–73: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$5.00 3rd – \$4.00**

### **Perennial and other Flowers (2 to 5 stems only)**

- |                                 |                                    |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 50. Chrysanthemum, Giant        | 61. Hydrangea (Other)              |
| 51. Chrysanthemum, Cushion      | 62. Phlox                          |
| 52. Chrysanthemum, Daisy        | 63. Rose, Miniature                |
| 53. Dahlia, Pompom, not over 2" | 64. Rose, Standard                 |
| 54. Dahlia, Ball over 2"        | 65. Rudbeckia                      |
| 55. Dahlia, Small 2-6"          | 66. Sedum, Autumn Joy              |
| 56. Dahlia, Giant over 6"       | 67. Sedum, other than Autumn Joy   |
| 57. Dahlia, Cactus              | 68. Tuberous Begonia (cut)         |
| 58. Gladiolus, Miniature        | 69. Tuberous Begonia (potted)      |
| 59. Gladiolus, Standard         | 70. Any Other Perennial Not Listed |
| 60. Hydrangea (Blue Only)       | (Name variety on entry tag)        |

### **Flower Collections**

71. **Annual** Flowers, Judged by number of varieties and arrangement
72. **Perennial** Flowers, Judged by number of varieties and arrangement  
(Emphasis on Annual and Perennial **only** in arrangement)
73. Collection of Coleus

**Premiums for class numbers 74–93: 1st – \$5.00 2nd – \$4.00 3rd – \$3.00**

### **Single Flower Specimens**

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|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 74. Dahlia, small 2-6 inches    | 78. Gladiolus  |
| 75. Dahlia, Ball over 2 inches  | 79. Delphinium |
| 76. Dahlia, Giant over 6 inches | 80. Rose       |
| 77. Dahlia, Cactus              |                |

### **Flower Arrangements**

81. Wild Flower Arrangement (no endangered species)
82. Arrangement for Picnic Table
83. Arrangement in Teapot or Pitcher
84. Arrangement for Halloween
85. Arrangement in Oriental Design
86. Using Seashells
87. Arrangement of Dried Flowers
88. Corsage, Exhibitor must furnish container
89. Miniature Arrangement, Not to exceed 3" in any direction (Dried)
90. Miniature Arrangement, Not to exceed 3" in any direction (Live)
91. Miniature Arrangement, 3-6" in any direction (Dried)
92. Miniature Arrangement, 3-6" in any direction (Live)
93. Any Other Not Listed (Name variety on entry tag)

**Premiums for class numbers 94–105: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$5.00 3rd – \$4.00**

### **House Plants**

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|--------------------|---|
| 94. African Violet | 100. Flowering  |
| 95. Asparagus Fern | 101. Non-Flowering                                    |
| 96. Bonsai         | 102. Hanging Flowering                                |
| 97. Cactus         | 103. Hanging Foliage                                  |
| 98. Dish Garden    | 104. Succulent  |
| 99. Fern           | 105. Any Other Not Listed (Name variety on entry tag) |



# Class N — Herbs

Susan Butkus — Superintendent 203-266-5528  
Philip Butkus, Andrew Crocco, Betty Lou Crocco, Joe Crocco,  
Bryan Fraser, Lisa Fraser, Neil Fraser Jr., Betty Ann Stohl,  
Steven Stohl, Martha Stutsky

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult and Youth exhibitors age 12 and over.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules, page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See General Rules on page 9.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To North section Main Exhibit Building, Thursday from 6 to 9 pm. **No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. All exhibits must remain in place until **5:30 pm** Sunday.
2. Exhibitors are allowed only one entry in each class.
3. Herbs must be in appropriate glass jars or containers (no paper) with water. Do not over stuff or put in too few.
4. Herbs should be perfect specimens, no bug holes, no tears, and no brown spots.
5. Judging is based on the quality of the specimens rather than the quantity.
6. Herbs **must** be home grown.
7. All collections can be comprised of any kind of herb (medicinal, culinary, ornamental, etc.).

### Premiums for class numbers 1-16: 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00

- |                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| 1. Basil — Bunch           | 9. Parsley — Curled leaf                         |
| 2. Mint — Bunch            | 10. Marjoram/Oregano — Bunch                     |
| 3. Sage — Bunch            | 11. Rosemary                                     |
| 4. Dill, Flowering — Bunch | 12. Any Other Annual Herb (Must name variety)    |
| 5. Tarragon — Bunch        | 13. Any Other Perennial Herb (Must name variety) |
| 6. Thyme — Bunch           | 14. Herb Vinegar                                 |
| 7. Chives — Bunch          | 15. Herbal Salad Dressing                        |
| 8. Parsley                 | 16. Herb Oil                                     |

### Premiums for class numbers 17-22: 1st – \$10.00 2nd – \$8.00 3rd – \$6.00

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|---|---|
| 17. Best Collection of Mint               | 20. Best Collection of Sage                               |
| 18. Best Collection of Basil              | 21. Best Collection of Herb Vinegar                       |
| 19. Best Collection of Thyme              | 22. Herb Wreath   |
|   | <b>1st                  2nd                  3rd</b>      |
| 23. Best Collection of Herbs              | \$30.00                  \$20.00                  \$10.00 |
| 24. Best Collection of Herbs with a Theme | \$30.00                  \$20.00                  \$10.00 |

# Class O — Adult Hobbies

Diane Muller, Superintendent – 845-877-3842  
Beth Peck, Barbara Ensign, Connie Kacerguis, Pat Schmeer,  
Carolyn Start, Kenneth Weathers

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult exhibitors age 18 and over. (**Exhibitors ages 12-17 should enter in Class Q – Youth Art, Needlework and Hobbies.**)

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules, page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** **Must be securely fastened to exhibit.** See General Rules, page 9.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To West section of Photography Building, Thursday from 6 pm to 9 pm. **No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. Identical displays which received a blue ribbon at the Bethlehem Fair in previous years may not be entered again.
2. Exhibits must remain until **5:30 pm Sunday**.
3. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in any class number.
4. The Committee reserves the right to limit space to any one exhibitor should this appear necessary.
5. Exhibits larger than 24" x 36" not allowed without prior approval.
6. **Collections and displays must be set up on a suitable board or mounted so they can be easily moved by the Committee.** The Committee reserves the right to refuse any exhibit which cannot be handled easily.
7. The Committee reserves the right to establish classifications for entries in the "unclassified" categories. Additional awards will be made.
8. The Bethlehem Fair is not responsible for loss or damage to exhibits.
9. **No advertising** will be allowed on any exhibit.
10. No living items such as flowers, vines, no edible ingredients, etc.
11. Do not enter items that can cause injuries.

## Awards of Merit

Up to five awards of merit will be made by the judges for outstanding displays entered in this division. Winners of these awards will receive a special ribbon and a cash premium of \$6.00 in addition to the ribbons and premiums provided in the following list.

**Premiums for this class are: 1st – \$6.00    2nd – \$5.00    3rd – \$4.00**

### Items Made by Exhibitor

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. Arrangement in Silk Flowers, Centerpiece (less than 12" high) | 13. Centerpiece, Holiday (less than 12" high)                   |
| 2. Arrangement in Silk Flowers, Hanging                          | 14. Centerpiece, Other (less than 12" high)                     |
| 3. Basket, Fabric  | 15. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Decal — Holiday   |
| 4. Basket, Handle  | 16. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Glazed — Holiday  |
| 5. Basket, Hanging   | 17. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Stained — Holiday |
| 6. Basket, Mat   | 18. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Decal — Other     |
| 7. Basket, Ribbed  | 19. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Glazed — Other    |
| 8. Batik   | 20. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Stained — Other   |
| 9. Beading   | 21. Chenille  |
| 10. Calico Craft   |   |
| 11. Calligraphy  |   |
| 12. Caned Chair  |   |

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## Class O — Adult Hobbies, *continued*

### Items Made by Exhibitor, *continued*

22. Holiday Cards (3) can be multiple holidays
23. Holiday Tree (not ceramic)
24. Holiday Tree Ornaments (3) from a kit
25. Holiday Tree Ornaments (3) original
26. Copper Enameling
27. Decorated Eggs (3)
28. Doll Furniture
29. Dollhouse Miniature, Furnishings
30. Dollhouse Miniature, Furniture
31. Dolls, Character or Storybook
32. Dolls, Corn Husk or Applehead
33. Dried Flower Art
34. Dried Flower Art, Pressed
35. Dried Flower Art in Media
36. Fabric Flowers (3)
37. Fabric Painting, Clothing
38. Fabric Painting, Other
39. Hand Painted Item, Other
40. Hand Spun Yarn
41. Handmade Jewelry — **3 Piece Set**
42. Latch Hook
43. Lawn Ornament
44. Leathercraft
45. Macramé — Hanging
46. Macramé — Other
47. Metalworking
48. Mobiles
49. Model, Kit, Car one only, no Legos
50. Model, Kit, Ship one only, no Legos
51. Model, Kit, Plane one only, no Legos
52. Model, Kit, Other one only, no Legos
53. Model, Original, Car one only, no Legos
54. Model, Original, Ship one only, no Legos
55. Model, Original, Plane one only, no Legos
56. Model, Original, Other one only, no Legos
57. Oragami
58. Paper Twist
59. Papier Mache
60. Plastic Canvas Item
61. Pottery, Hand Built
62. Pottery, Wheel
63. Puppets or Marionettes
64. Quilling
65. Recycled Art
66. Rubber Stamping on Paper
67. Rubber Stamping on other Media
68. Scrapbooking (must be in a book)
69. Sculpture, Assemblage
70. Sculpture, Clay, Modeling
71. Sculpture, Metal
72. Sculpture, Stone Carving Relief
73. Sculpture, Stone Carving 3 Dimensional
74. Sculpture, Wood Carving Relief
75. Sculpture, Wood Carving 3 Dimensional
76. Soft Sculpture, Doll
77. Soft Sculpture, Other
78. Spirit of America Patriotic Theme item
79. Stained Glass, Copper Foil, 3 Dimensional
80. Stained Glass, Copper Foil, Flat
81. Stained Glass, Leaded, 3 Dimensional
82. Stained Glass, Leaded, Flat
83. Stenciling on Fabric
84. Stenciling on Paper
85. Stenciling on Wood
86. Stenciling on Other
87. Stones Hand Decorated (12)
88. String Art(not to exceed 12"x12")
89. Tie dying
90. Wall or Door Hanging, Holiday, Silk or Dried Flowers
91. Wall or Door Hanging, Holiday
92. Wall or Door Hanging, Other, Silk or Dried Flowers
93. Wall or Door Hanging, Other
94. Weaving, Flat Pieces
95. Weaving, Loom Garments
96. Weaving, Rugs
97. Wind Chimes
98. Woodburning
99. Wood carving
100. Wooden Furniture
101. Wooden Toy
102. Woodworking, Turning
103. Woodworking, Other
104. Woven Mat
105. Wreath, Holiday
106. Wreath, Grapevine
107. Wreath, Other
108. Wreath, Seedpod, Dried Flowers
109. Unclassified, Not Listed,  
Specify on Entry Blank

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## Class O — Adult Hobbies, *continued*

### Items Collected by Exhibitor

**Minimum of 4 items or pairs, maximum of 12. Must be mounted.**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 110. Animal Statuary                        | 127. Pitchers   |
| 111. Antique Glass                          | 128. Postcards (no limit-must be in books)                              |
| 112. Antique Tools                          | 129. Potholders   |
| 113. Antique Toys                           | 130. Salt & Peppers Shakers   |
| 114. Banks                                  | 131. Shells   |
| 115. Bells                                  | 132. Spoons   |
| 116. Buttons (no limit-must be mounted)     | 133. Sports Cards (no limit-must be in books)                           |
| 117. Dollhouse, Miniature Room              | 134. Stones & Minerals  |
| 118. Dolls, Antique                         | 135. Tea Cups   |
| 119. Dolls, Foreign                         | 136. Thimbles   |
| 120. Dolls, Other                           | 137. Memorabilia, 1930-1960<br>(no older than 1930)                     |
| 121. Figurines                              | 138. Antiques (no newer than 1930)                                      |
| 122. Hats                                   | 139. Other Hobby Collection, Not Listed<br>(specify)                    |
| 123. Key Chains                             | 140. Litchfield County Council of Fairs<br>Contest, <u>Adults</u> only* |
| 124. Keys                                   |   |
| 125. Magnets                                |   |
| 126. Matchbooks (no limit-must be in books) |   |

**Prizes: 1st – \$10.00   2nd – \$8.00   3rd – \$6.00**

\* See Page 99.

## 2018 LITCHFIELD COUNTY COUNCIL OF FAIRS CONTEST

### Useable item made out of recycled food/feed container

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Contest is open to all residents of Connecticut. Prizes will be awarded in two divisions at each fair. Youth (up to age 15) and Adult (age 16 and over).

**LOCAL CONTEST:** Exhibits may be entered at any fair which is a member of the Litchfield County Council of Fairs. Contestants may enter their exhibit in as many fairs as they wish until they win first prize. At that time they will be representing that fair at the Litchfield County Council of Fairs Contest in the fall. If it is found that the contestant has entered and won first prize in more than one Litchfield County Council Fair, they will be disqualified from participating in the Litchfield County Council of Fairs Contest in the fall of 2018.

If for any reason the first place contestant cannot participate in the fall contest, the second place winner of that fair will be the representative.

First prize winners at each fair in both the Youth and Adult divisions will be awarded blue rosettes by the Litchfield County Council of Fairs. Please contact the fair you are representing for information about the dinner, time and place of the fall meeting.

**COUNTY CONTEST:** Representative winners from each fair for both divisions will be eligible to enter their exhibit in the County Contest to be held at the fall meeting of the Litchfield County Council of Fairs, the last Wednesday in October. Entries must be in place by 6:30 P.M. to be judged.

**COUNTY PRIZES:** Rosettes and cash prizes will be awarded in each division as follows:

First Prize	\$25.00	Fourth Prize	\$10.00
Second Prize	\$20.00	Fifth Prize	\$ 5.00
Third Prize	\$15.00	Sixth – Ninth Place	— Rosette

**CONTEST RULES:** The entry must be a useable item made of recycled food or feed container. Entry must consist of at least 75% of recyclable materials. The item must be no larger than 18 inches wide, 18 inches long and 18 inches high.

**JUDGING:** Attractiveness, 20%; Workmanship, 30%; Originality, 30%; Suitability of Materials, 20%

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** The Litchfield County 4H Fair is responsible for this year's contest. Please contact Jann Tanner at [jann@uconn.edu](mailto:jann@uconn.edu)



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# Class P — Junior Exhibitors

Barbara Parmelee — Superintendent 203-266-5350

James Bernardi, Meghan & Vinnie Bove, Heather Bshara, Madison Butkus, Eileen,  
Jessica & Katie LeClerc, Sharoy Nickerson, Sophia & Stella Oldakowski, Roberta O'Neil,  
Pam Putnoki, Diane & Kaylee Rabideau, Matt Ranando, Peggy Rehkamp, Marie Rosa,  
Natalie & Wendy Shreve, Julia & Michele Spagnoletti, Katelyn & Chis Tremblay

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Juniors 11 years of age and under will receive a Junior Exhibitor Identification Card. Exception: State Baking Contest and Litchfield County Contest open to 15 years or younger.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See general rules.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See general rules.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To Junior and Youth Exhibit Building, Thursday from 6 to 9 pm.

**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** None

## Department Rules

1. Collections and displays must be set up on a suitable board or mounted so they can be easily moved by the Committee. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any exhibit, which cannot be handled easily.
2. Exhibits must remain until **5:30 pm Sunday**.
3. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in any class number.
4. Items entered in the Bethlehem Fair in previous years may not be entered again.
5. Exhibits can be no larger than 24"x24".
6. The Bethlehem Fair and the Junior Committee are not responsible for loss or damage to exhibits.
7. The Junior Identification Card or Exhibitor pass must be presented to pick up exhibits at the close of the Fair.
8. A rosette will be awarded to the exhibitor with the most points as follows: Blue 3 points, Red 2 points, White 1 point.
9. Junior exhibits will be judged under the Danish system. All exhibits are judged on their own merit and not in competition with other entries. **Premiums will be paid as follows: Blue \$3.00, Red \$2.00, White \$1.00.**
10. All art work must be framed or quality matted with complete hanging facilities.
11. All clothing must be clean, pressed and on hangers.

**Listings for this class may be found by looking under Class A — Vegetables; Class B — Grain; Class C — Fruit; Class F — Baking (except Adult State Baking Contest); Class G — Candy, Class H — Canning, Class J — Dairy and Eggs, Class M — Flowers, and Class N — Herbs**

**Listing for additional Junior Exhibits may be found below.**

1. Junior State Baking Contest (see page 103)
2. Junior State Quilt Contest (see page 87)
3. Decorated Cupcakes (Judged for decoration only) Submit 4 cupcakes
4. Giant Decorated Cookie (judged for decoration only)
5. Decorated Pumpkin
6. Painted Pumpkin
7. Vegetable People
8. Collection of Miniature Vegetables

## Giant Vegetables

9. Largest Cucumber
10. Largest Carrot
11. Largest Tomato
12. Largest Green Summer Squash
13. Largest Potato

## Class P — Junior Exhibitors, *continued*

### Needlework

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|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 14. Knitted Article   | 18. Counted Cross Stitch   |
| 15. Crocheted Article | 19. Soft Sculpture/felting |
| 16. Needlepoint       | 20. Latch Hook Article     |
| 17. Macramé           | 21. 3 Hand Made Potholders |

### Sewing — All clothing must be clean, pressed and on hangers

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|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 22. Hand Sewing            | 37. Bandanna                   |
| 23. Fancy Pin Cushion      | 38. Place Mat or Runner        |
| 24. Apron                  | 39. Cotton or Wool Suit        |
| 25. Towel                  | 40. Bathrobe                   |
| 26. Bean Bag               | 41. Blouse                     |
| 27. Shorts                 | 42. Jumper                     |
| 28. Pajamas                | 43. Coat                       |
| 29. Dress                  | 44. Hand or Tote Bag           |
| 30. Shirt                  | 45. Pillowcase                 |
| 31. Special Occasion Dress | 46. Pillow                     |
| 32. Athletic Wear          | 47. Quilted Item               |
| 33. Vest                   | 48. Stuffed Doll or Animal     |
| 34. Skirt                  | 49. Doll in Hand Made Clothing |
| 35. Pants                  | 50. Any Other Item Not Listed  |
| 36. Elastic Waist Skirt    |                                |

### Hobbies — Specify kit or original

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 51. Model Car, Kit  | 79. Diarama   |
| 52. Model Plane, Kit                                      | 80. Hand Made Key Chain   |
| 53. Model Ship, Kit                                       | 81. Paper Mache'  |
| 54. Model Rocket, Kit                                     | 82. Wool felting project  |
| 55. Model Truck, Kit                                      | 83. Beading-Pony  |
| 56. Other Model, Kit                                      | 84. Wind Chimes mobile, must be secure and hangable   |
| 57. Pinewood Derby Car                                    | 85. Scrapbook   |
| 58. Plastic Block Model-not to exceed 24"x24"             | 86. Handmade Basket   |
| 59. Holiday Craft   | 87. Mask  |
| 60. Popsicle Stick Project                                | 88. Decorated Picture Frame   |
| 61. Leather Craft   | 89. Pottery   |
| 62. Metal Craft   | 90. Table Top Scarecrow or Door Decoration  |
| 63. Woodworking   | 91. Craft Made of Recycled Materials  |
| 64. Candle  | 92. Original Collage, must be hangable specify kit or original, no loose pieces             |
| 65. Clothes Pin Doll                                      | 93. Original Calligraphy, must be hangable  |
| 66. Corn Husk Doll  | 94. Original Cartoon, must be hangable  |
| 67. Ceramics (poured and glazed)                          | 95. Any other hobby not listed made from a kit  |
| 68. Ceramics other  | 96. Original Handicraft not listed  |
| 69. Hand weaving  | 97. Hobby Collection - must be mounted  |
| 70. Reused Denim Craft                                    | 98. Numbered Painting - must be hangable  |
| 71. Painting on clothing (shirts must be on hangers)      | 99. Original Art must be framed or Quality Mounted and Hangable                             |
| 72. Tie Dying — shirts must be on hangers                 | 100. Fairy Garden or House  |
| 73. Stenciling on Fabric                                  | 101. Litchfield County Council of Fairs Youth Division up to 15 years of age (see page 99.) |
| 74. Stenciling on Wood or Metal                           |   |
| 75. Decorated T-shirt (not tie-dye or painting) on hanger |   |
| 76. Duct Tape Project                                     |   |
| 77. Pine Cone Novelty                                     |   |
| 78. Hand Made Jewelry                                     |   |

# 2018 State Junior Baking Contest Recipe

## RASPBERRY SOUR CREAM COFFEE CAKE



### Ingredients

#### For the topping:

1/2 cup sugar

2 teaspoons ground cinnamon

#### For the coffee cake:

1/2 cup (1 stick) unsalted butter, plus more for greasing pan

1 cup sugar

2 large eggs

2 teaspoons vanilla extract

2 cups King Arthur Flour all-purpose flour

1 teaspoon baking power

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 cup sour cream

1 cup raspberries

### Instructions

Make the topping:

1. In a small bowl mix together the sugar and cinnamon. Set the mixture aside.

Make the coffee cake:

1. Preheat the oven to 350°F. Grease a 9-inch square baking pan with unsalted butter.
2. In a medium bowl, mix together the butter and sugar until well combined. Add the eggs and vanilla extract and beat until combined.
3. In a separate medium bowl, whisk together the flour, baking powder and salt. Alternately add the flour mixture and the sour cream to the batter, mixing between each addition.
4. Pour half of the coffee cake batter into the prepared pan, spreading it into an even layer. Sprinkle half of the topping mixture and half of the raspberries atop the batter then repeat by layering the remaining batter with the remaining topping and raspberries.
5. Bake the coffee cake for 50 to 60 minutes until a toothpick inserted comes out clean and the center is set. Allow the coffee cake to cool for 5 to 10 minutes in the pan then cut it into 9-pieces.



*Submit 6 cookies on a white paper plate.*

**Judging Criteria**

<b>Overall appearance</b>	<b>25 points</b>
<b>Following Directions</b>	<b>10 points</b>
<b>Texture</b>	<b>15 points</b>
<b>Aroma</b>	<b>10 points</b>
<b>Flavor</b>	<b><u>40 points</u></b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100 points</b>

The following prizes will be awarded at the state contest plus a Rosette.

1st Place: \$15.00	5th Place: \$5.00	9th Place: \$2.50
2nd Place: \$12.50	6th Place: \$5.00	10th Place: \$2.50
3rd Place: \$10.00	7th Place: \$5.00	
4th Place: \$7.50	8th Place: \$5.00	

Honorable Mention Ribbons will also be awarded.



*Photo by Pat Slonina*

# Class Q — Youth Art, Needlework, Hobbies, & Baking

Maureen McCurdy - Superintendent 203-266-5133  
Jenel Barry, Kevin Barry II, Debra Breon, Kara Breon, Stacey Finke, Dave McCurdy,  
Chris Pillis, Nick Pillis, Connor Rollins, Matthew Rollins,  
Colleen Rousseau, Peter Rousseau, Clete Rupe, Pat Thomas

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Youth exhibitors age 12-17 may enter.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See general rules.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to exhibit. See general rules.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To the Junior and Youth Exhibit Building. **Thursday from 6 pm to 9 pm. No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. Entries must be the **original** work of the exhibitor.
2. Exhibits must remain until **5:30 pm Sunday**.
3. Exhibitors may enter **only one exhibit** in any **class number**.
4. Items entered in the Bethlehem Fair in previous years may not be entered again.
5. Entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Committee. **No unrealistically large entries will be accepted.**
6. The Bethlehem Fair is not responsible for loss or damage to exhibits. The Fair will see that reasonable care is exercised during the period of the show.
7. Needlework entries must be clean and pressed.
8. **Collections and displays must be set up on a suitable board or mounted so they can be easily moved by the Committee. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any exhibit, which cannot be handled easily.**
9. All pictures must have complete hanging facilities.
10. Baking entries (excluding frosted cakes) must be on a disposable plate inside a Ziploc type bag. Entry tags must be tied to the disposable plate.
11. Any baking entry found to be made of a mix of any kind will be disqualified.
12. Baking entries not removed by 6:30 will be distributed to local soup kitchen.
13. Prizes will be awarded for two age groups. (Group I ages 12-14: Group II ages 15-17)
14. Make sure age is on entry blank.
15. Awards and prizes will be given at the discretion of the judges.

## Youth Art

**All artwork must be framed or quality matted with complete hanging facilities. No art will be accepted on Friday night.**

**Premiums for class numbers 1-16: 1st – \$8.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$4.00**

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|--|---|
| 1. Oils & Acrylics                       | 9. Colored Pencil                         |
| 2. Watercolors                           | 10. Graphic Design                        |
| 3. Charcoal                              | 11. Computer Art                          |
| 4. Pencil                                | 12. Scratch Board                         |
| 5. Pen & Ink                             | 13. Cartoon Art                           |
| 6. Collage                               | 14. Colored Clay Modeling (Fimo, Sculpey) |
| 7. Mixed Media                           | 15. Sculpture, Mixed Media                |
| 8. Color Drawing – Pastels, China Marker | 16. Print Making                          |

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## Class Q — Youth Art, Needlework, Hobbies, & Baking, *continued*

### Youth Needlework

**Premiums for class numbers 17–97: 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00, unless noted**

#### EMBROIDERY, INCLUDING COUNTED CROSS STITCH. AND CREWEL

17. Pillow Case, One Pair	23. Holiday Item
18. Dress	24. Book Marks — set of three
19. Picture (framed and hangable)	25. Guest or Kitchen Towel
20. Place Mat/Runner	26. Baby bibs, set of three
21. Pillow	27. Other Embroidered Item
22. Sampler	

#### CUTWORK OR PULLED THREADS

28. Any One Item

#### QUILTS, FILLED (indicate size)

	1st	2nd	3rd
29. Pieced, Machine Quilted**	10.00	8.00	6.00
30. Quilted on printed fabric	6.00	5.00	4.00
31. Pieced, Hand Quilted	12.00	10.00	8.00
32. Appliqué	10.00	8.00	6.00
33. Embroidered	10.00	8.00	6.00
34. Hand Quilted Wall Hanging	8.00	7.00	6.00
35. Machine Quilted Wall Hanging**	7.00	6.00	5.00

\*\* Must be Free Motion, not professionally quilted

#### THREAD CROCHETING

36. Runner	38. Holiday Item
37. Doily	39. Household item

#### YARN CROCHETING (includes wool, cotton & synthetic)

40. Sweater	44. Slippers
41. Sleeveless Sweater, Shell or Vest	45. Dress
42. Hat	46. Household Accessories
43. Stoles, Scarves or Shrug	47. Other Crocheted Item

#### YARN KNITTING

(includes wool, cotton & synthetic)

	1st	2nd	3rd
48. Sweater	5.00	4.00	3.00
49. Three Piece Baby Set	6.00	5.00	4.00
50. Holiday Item			
51. Mittens			
52. Hat			
53. Other Knitted Item			

#### AFGHANS

	1st	2nd	3rd
54. Crocheted Afghan	12.00	10.00	8.00
55. Knitted Afghan	12.00	10.00	8.00

#### RUGS

**Premiums for class numbers 56–59: 1st – \$8.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$4.00**

56. Hooked Wool	58. Woven
57. Braided	59. Latch Hook Rug

#### NEEDLEPOINT

60. Picture	62. Chair Seat
61. Pillow	63. Holiday Article

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## Class Q — Youth Art, Needlework, Hobbies, & Baking, *continued*

### MISCELLANEOUS

64. Plastic Canvas Item
65. Doll clothing (3 items)
66. Machine Embroidery
67. Bottle, Box or Toilet Tissue Covers
68. Apron
69. Tote Bag
70. Purse
71. Pillow

72. Pillow Case
73. Felted Item
74. Latch Hook item (other than rug)
75. Stuffed Animal or Doll Undressed, one only
76. Stuffed Animal or Doll Dressed, all hand made, one only      5.00      4.00      3.00
77. Holiday Item Not Listed
78. Any Other Item Not Listed

### CLOTHING

**(must be clean, pressed and on hangers)**

	1st	2nd	3rd
79. Dress	5.00	4.00	3.00
80. Party/Formal Dress	6.00	5.00	4.00
81. Jumper	5.00	4.00	3.00
82. Skirt	5.00	4.00	3.00
83. Blouse or Shirt	5.00	4.00	3.00
84. Pants	5.00	4.00	3.00
85. Shorts	5.00	4.00	3.00
86. Apron	5.00	4.00	3.00
87. Coat or Jacket	8.00	6.00	5.00
88. Vest	6.00	5.00	4.00
89. Any Other Item Not Listed			

### OVERLOCK SEWING CONSTRUCTION **(must be clean, pressed and on hangers)**

90. Dress	5.00	4.00	3.00
91. Blouse	5.00	4.00	3.00
92. Skirt			
93. Shorts			
94. Pants			
95. Sweat Shirt			
96. Coat or Jacket	5.00	4.00	3.00
97. Any Other Overlock Item	5.00	4.00	3.00

## Youth Hobbies

**Premiums for class numbers 98-198: 1st – \$6.00    2nd – \$5.00    3rd – \$4.00**

### ITEMS MADE BY EXHIBITOR

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|---|---|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>98. Arrangement in Silk Flowers, Centerpiece</li> <li>99. Arrangement in Silk Flowers, Hanging</li> <li>100. Basket</li> <li>101. Batik</li> <li>102. Beading-Pony</li> <li>103. Beading-Seed</li> <li>104. Calligraphy</li> <li>105. Cement/Stone Tile</li> <li>106. Centerpiece, Holiday</li> <li>107. Centerpiece, Other</li> <li>108. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Holiday</li> <li>109. Ceramics, Decorated on Purchased Figure — Other</li> <li>110. Holiday Cards (3) can be multiple holidays</li> <li>111. Holiday Tree Ornaments (3) <b>from a kit</b></li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>112. Holiday Tree Ornaments (3) original</li> <li>113. Decorated Eggs (3)</li> <li>114. Doll Furniture</li> <li>115. Dollhouse Miniature, Furnishings</li> <li>116. Dolls, Character or Storybook</li> <li>117. Dolls, Corn Husk or Applehead</li> <li>118. Dried Flower Art</li> <li>119. Driftwood Art</li> <li>120. Duct Tape Item</li> <li>121. Fabric Flowers (3)</li> <li>122. Fabric Painting, Clothing</li> <li>123. Fabric Painting, Other</li> <li>124. Hand Painted Items, Other</li> <li>125. Hand Spun Yarn</li> <li>126. Handmade Jewelry — 3 Piece Set</li> </ol> |
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## Class Q — Youth Art, Needlework, Hobbies, & Baking, *continued*

### Youth Hobbies — ITEMS MADE BY EXHIBITOR, *continued*

Premiums for class numbers 127-197: 1st – \$6.00 2nd – \$5.00 3rd – \$4.00

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| 127. Handmade Jewelry – Bracelet                    | 152. Stained Glass, Leaded, Flat                 |
| 128. Handmade Jewelry – Necklace                    | 153. Stenciling on Fabric                        |
| 129. Handmade Jewelry – Earrings                    | 154. Stenciling on Wood                          |
| 130. Loom Jewelry, (earring, bracelet, or necklace) | 155. Stenciling on Other                         |
| 131. Lawn Ornament                                  | 156. Stones Hand Decorated (12)                  |
| 132. Leathercraft                                   | 157. Tie dying-T shirt                           |
| 133. Macramé-Hanging                                | 158. Tie dying any other item                    |
| 134. Macramé-Other                                  | 159. Tin Punch                                   |
| 135. Metalworking                                   | 160. Wall or Door Hanging, Silk or Dried Flowers |
| 136. Mobiles  | 161. Wall or Door Hanging, Holiday               |
| 137. Model, Kit                                     | 162. Warm Glass Item                             |
| 138. Model, Original                                | 163. Weaving, Flat Pieces                        |
| 139. Model, Original, Legos                         | 164. Weaving, Loom Garments                      |
| 140. Origami  | 165. Weaving, Rugs                               |
| 141. Paper Twist                                    | 166. Wind Chimes                                 |
| 142. Paper Mache                                    | 167. Wood burning                                |
| 143. Pottery, Hand Built                            | 168. Wood carving                                |
| 144. Pottery, Wheel                                 | 169. Wooden Furniture                            |
| 145. Puppets or Marionettes                         | 170. Wooden Toy                                  |
| 146. Quilling                                       | 171. Woodworking, Other                          |
| 147. Recycled Art                                   | 172. Wreath, Holiday                             |
| 148. Scrapbook                                      | 173. Wreath, Grapevine                           |
| 149. Stained Glass, Copper Foil, 3 Dimensional      | 174. Wreath, Other                               |
| 150. Stained Glass, Copper Foil, Flat               | 175. Other Item not listed                       |
| 151. Stained Glass, Leaded, 3 Dimensional           |  |

### ITEMS COLLECTED BY EXHIBITOR — 12 items or pairs, max. (Unless noted)

**Must be mounted. This will be strictly enforced. No exhibits larger than 30" x 30".**

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| 176. Animal Statuary   | 187. Keys                                    |
| 177. Banks   | 188. Key Chains                              |
| 178. Sports Cards (no limit-must be in books)                            | 189. Magnets                                 |
| 179. Collector Cards (no sports)   | 190. Matchbooks (no limit-must be in books)  |
| 180. Patches (mounted-no limit)  | 191. Postcards (no limit-must be in books)   |
| 181. Buttons (no limit-must be mounted)                                  | 192. Salt & Pepper Shakers                   |
| 182. Dolls   | 193. Shells                                  |
| 183. Model cars/vehicles (at least 6, no more than 12, securely mounted) | 194. Spoons                                  |
| 184. Theme collection (no more than 12, securely mounted)                | 195. Stones & Minerals                       |
| 185. Figurines   | 196. Tea Cups                                |
| 186. Hats  | 197. Thimbles                                |
|  | 198. Other Collections, Not Listed (specify) |

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## Class Q — Youth Art, Needlework, Hobbies, & Baking, *continued*

Premiums for class numbers 198-221: 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00

### Youth Baking

#### BREAD (Yeast)

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| 199. White                      | 200. Whole Wheat |
| 201. Rolls, Yeast — 6 per plate |                  |

#### BREAD (Quick Loaf)

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| 202. Zucchini   | 205. Blueberry Muffins — 6 per plate       |
| 203. Banana     | 206. Other Muffins — Specify — 6 per plate |
| 204. Soda Bread |  |

#### PIE

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|----------------|--------------|
| 207. Apple     | 208. Pumpkin |
| 209. Blueberry |              |

#### CAKE

- 210. Chocolate Layer with Chocolate Frosting
- 211. Pineapple Upside Down Cake
- 212. Pound Cake
- 213. Cup Cakes — 6 per plate
- 214. Decorated Cake (Judged for decoration — cake only) — no fresh flowers or plants

#### COOKIES — 6 per plate

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|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 215. Oatmeal Cookies       | 219. Snickerdoodles                   |
| 216. Ginger Cookies        | 220. Cut-out Sugar Cookie — Decorated |
| 217. Toll House Cookies    | 221. Cut-out Sugar Cookie — Frosted   |
| 218. Peanut Butter Cookies |                                       |

### REGIONAL 14 BAKING CONTEST

Open to Nonnewaug High School Students only.

Recipe available from Mr. Dominello at the Nonnewaug High School.

- 222 Regional Baking Contest      **1st \$8.00, 2nd \$6.00, 3rd \$4.00**



Photo by Barbara Moran

# Class S – State Two-Crusted Apple Pie Contest

Sue March, Superintendent — 203-266-7890  
Heather Hurley, Barbara Moran

**WHO MAY ENTER:** All residents of Connecticut. Junior exhibitors will be considered as adults.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** See General Rules, page 9.

**ENTRY TAGS:** Must be securely fastened to dish. See General Rules, page 9.

**NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS:** See General Rules for exhibit delivery and removal

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To the Main Exhibit Building, **Thursday from 6 to 9 pm.**  
**No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Adult Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair on all three days.

The first prize winner of this contest will represent the Bethlehem Fair in the “State Two Crusted Apple Pie Contest” sponsored by the Association of Connecticut Fairs, Connecticut Apple Board and Connecticut Department of Agriculture.

## **PRIZES TO BE AWARDED BY BETHLEHEM FAIR ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

First Prize	\$100.00	Blue Ribbon
Second Prize	75.00	Red Ribbon
Third Prize	50.00	White Ribbon

## **JUDGING CRITERIA:**

Overall Appearance; 40%, Crust; 10%, Flavor; 40%, Texture, 10%

## **CONTEST RULES:**

1. Each pie must be a 9" (measured at the top inside edge of the dish) Two Crusted Pie. Lattice-top excluded.
2. Submit a 3 x 5" card with your recipe, your name and address printed clearly.
3. No pre-made or pie mixes will be allowed.
4. The main ingredient must be apples. However, pies may include other fruits or ingredients.
5. Failure to adhere to these rules will disqualify the entered pie from the competition.
6. Please use a non-returnable baking dish.

**STATE CONTEST:** The State Apple Pie Contest will be held at the Association of Connecticut Fairs fall meeting and convention. The Bethlehem Fair will pay for the winning contestant's dinner (and 1 guest). Contact your local Fair for details or visit [www.ctfairs.org](http://www.ctfairs.org).

***The following prizes are to be awarded at the State Contest in November.***

1st Prize – \$40.00	4th Prize – \$25.00	7th Prize – \$10.00
2nd Prize – 35.00	5th Prize – 15.00	8th Prize – 7.50
3rd Prize – 30.00	6th Prize – 12.50	9th Prize – 5.00
	10th Prize – 5.00	

Honorable Mention Ribbons will also be awarded

[www.bethlehemfair.com](http://www.bethlehemfair.com)





# School Art Exhibit

Vera Rosa, Superintendent 203-266-5605

Virginia Bernardi, Kate Connolly, Johnathan Drottar, Laurie Elwell, Jody Field, Jean Gowlis, Marcia Henley, Agatha Lassauze, Ashley Long, Kim Mai Mahon, Jake & Jen Mendello, Kathy Miller, Rose & Bill Policastro, Jamie & Mark Ricard, Marie Rosa, Margaret Rosa, Barbara & Jack Moran, Alice, Ezra, Tahlia & Xavier Scibek, Aiden & Denise Weik, Bill & Dena Werling

*Schools interested in entering this exhibit must contact the exhibit chairman for details.*

## Department Rules

1. Each student receives a participant ribbon
2. Schools may enter one group project, not to exceed 4' x 8'.
3. Maximum dimensions for entries in other categories are 12" x 12" including borders.
4. All entry tags are to show pupil grade.
5. Art is returned to the Art teacher at end of fair. Students must make arrangements to collect work with their art teacher.



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# Show of Realism Art

Mary Jane LaBoudy, Marie Essex  
Co-Superintendents 203-266-5350

Kim & Tom Brady, James & Marie Butler, Linda Casper, Tricia Cote, Aaron & Valerie DiLorenzo, Ginny & Alan Erickson, Peter Essex, Matt & Anglea Kacergius, Frances & Michael Keilty, Ginny, Erin & Katelyn Kinahan, Debra Labree, Michael & Pat Morgan, Rhett Vadnais,

**JUDGES:** JoAnn Barthelmess, Nancy Byrnes

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Adult exhibitors age 18 and over. Exhibitors age 12–17 should enter in Class Q Youth Art Show.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** Must be mailed to Bethlehem Fair, P.O. Box 488, Bethlehem, CT 06751 by midnight, the Saturday before the Fair. They may also be delivered to the Bethlehem Fair booth at Goshen Fair, Labor Day Weekend, or to the Bethlehem Fair Office by Labor Day. **No entry blanks for this class will be accepted after Labor Day.**

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** To the Art Barn **Wednesday before Fair, from 6 pm to 8 pm.** Judging will take place on Thursday. **No entries will be accepted at the Fair Office.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules, page 9) which entitles them to enter other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair all three days.

## Department Rules

1. **NO MORE THAN THREE PICTURES PER EXHIBITOR.**
2. Entries must be the **original work** of the artist. No computer-generated art or prints.
3. **Pictures must be framed with complete wire hanging facilities, and ready to hang.**
4. **Framed pictures** must be under 26" x 22".
5. Entries are accepted at the discretion of the committee.
6. Awards and Prizes will be given at the discretion of the judges.
7. Entries must remain until 5:30 pm on Sunday and not removed before that time.
8. Entries previously awarded ribbons at the Bethlehem Fair may not be entered again.
9. The Bethlehem Fair will take reasonable care of exhibits during the show but is not responsible for losses or damage to exhibits.
10. Artist's signatures must be covered.
11. No abstract art will be accepted.

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## Show of Realism Art, *continued*

<b>MEDIUM</b>	<b>Professional Class No.</b>	<b>Amateur Class No.</b>
Oils	P1	A1
Water Colors	P2	A2
Charcoal, Pencil, Pen and Ink	P3	A3
Pastel and Color Pencil	P4	A4
Acrylics	P5	A5
Other Remaining Media	P6	A6

*In each class the following prizes will be awarded:*

	<b>Professional</b>	<b>Amateur</b>
First	\$25.00	\$15.00
Second	20.00	10.00
Third	10.00	8.00
Best of Show	35.00	25.00

*Peoples' Choice Award — Rosette*

## Entry Blank — Show of Realism Art

Exhibitor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Class Letter & No.	Title	Size Including Frame	Price If For Sale	Not For Sale	Premium (Office use only)

# Annual Photography Show

Superintendents:

Shelly Gerger-Knecht 845-744-8643; Lauren Pierson-Gallagher 860-355-0169

Robin Ariola, Kamden Bushka, Eva Dos Santos, Jose Dos Santos,

Chris French, John, Hugh, & Janne Gallagher, Lara Green-Kazlauskas,

Katrina Green, Sarah Pierson, Stuart Rabinowitz, Diann Thome

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Competition is open to both professional and amateur photographers.

**ENTRY BLANKS:** The Bethlehem Fair Photo Entry Blank must be completed by each exhibitor and accompany the exhibit when delivered. **Entry blanks must be received by Labor Day.**

**DELIVER EXHIBIT:** Entries may be mailed to Bethlehem Fair, P.O. Box 488, Bethlehem, CT 06751 (Phone 203-266-5350)

**Or** delivered to the Bethlehem Fair Booth at Goshen Fair **Labor Day only**

**Or** delivered to the Bethlehem Fair Office, 384 Main Street North, Bethlehem by Labor Day. **No entries for this class will be accepted after Labor Day.**

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See General Rules on page 9) which also entitles them to enter exhibits in other departments of the Fair, and provides for admission to the Fair on all three days.

**JUDGING:** Salon judging will take place on Wednesday before the Fair at 6:30 pm in Memorial Hall, Main Street, Bethlehem. The public is cordially invited.

**PRIZES:** Prizes will be awarded in each category for the following classes:

- People
- Animals
- Scenery & Architecture
- Still Life

## Department Rules

### Please Read Carefully

1. No more than **four** exhibits in each category and no more than **two** exhibits in any class. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.
2. Each exhibit **must have category, class, exhibitor's name, address, and telephone number on the back in order to be judged.**
3. Salon prints **must** be packaged **separately** from snapshots.
4. Exhibits will be judged by highly qualified professionals.
5. Exhibits which have won awards in previous years may not be entered again.
6. The Bethlehem Fair will take reasonable care of exhibits during the show, but is not responsible for losses or damage to exhibits.
7. All exhibits, without exception, **must** remain until 5:30 pm on Sunday. As a courtesy to our exhibitors, exhibits will be returned by mail if accompanied by a self-addressed envelope with sufficient return postage.
8. The committee reserves the right to reject any exhibit which does not conform to the rules of the show.
9. No personal names on the front of any photos.
10. No hanging hooks, wires, or strings on photos.

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## Annual Photography Show, *continued*

### CATEGORY A: Judge's Choice Theme Salon Prints – All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$25.00

Each year the judges choose a different Theme that will be open to interpretation by the photographer. The entry must be a photograph that has not been subjected to extensive computer enhancement or manipulation. Entries can be color or black and white.

**This year's theme is "Movement"**

### CATEGORY B: Black And White or Sepia Salon Prints – All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$25.00

### CATEGORY C: Color Salon Prints – All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$25.00

### CATEGORY D: Digitally Enhanced Salon Prints – All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$25.00

Digital images are those images that have been edited on a computer beyond normal darkroom technique, i.e. dodging, burning or color correction. These include:

1. The combining of two images into one.
2. The heavy use of filters in PhotoShop or other imaging software.- No phone apps please.
3. The use of added or heavily enhanced colors other than standard color correction.

**Images taken with digital cameras or scanned from film which have been printed without manipulation do not constitute a digital image and should be entered in the regular Salon print competition.**

### Requirements for All Salon Prints:

1. Prints must be **at least 8" x 10" in size** and **No 5" x 7" prints.**
2. **Must be mounted on 16" x 20" mats. No frames or glass.**
3. Print title only allowed on the front mount. **No Names Please**
4. **Category, class, exhibitor's name, address, and telephone number must be on the back.**
5. A total of 4 black and white or sepia salons may be entered; no more than 2 in any class.
6. A total of 4 color salon prints may be entered; no more than 2 in any class.
7. A total of 4 digital image salons may be entered; no more than 2 in any class.

### CATEGORY E: Snapshots By Adults

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$15.00

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## Annual Photography Show, *continued*

### CATEGORY F: Snapshots By Youths — 12-17 Years of Age

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$10.00

### CATEGORY G: Snapshots By Juniors — Under 12 Years of Age

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$10.00

### CATEGORY H: Black And White Snapshots — All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$15.00

### CATEGORY I: Bethlehem Fair Snapshots — All Ages

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$5.00	Ribbon	Ribbon

Best of Show: \$15.00

### Requirements for All Snapshots:

1. Must be at least 2¼" x 2¼" and **no larger than 4" x 6". 5" x 7" will not be accepted**
2. Panoramic up to 3½" x 10"
3. Category, class, exhibitor's name, address, and telephone number must be on the back.
4. A total of 4 snapshots may be entered in any category; no more than 2 per class.
5. Matted snapshots will not be accepted.



*Photo by Pat Slonina*

**ENTRY BLANK**  
**BETHLEHEM FAIR PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW**  
**Website: [www.bethlehemfair.com](http://www.bethlehemfair.com)**

This entry blank must be completed and returned with your photography exhibit. **All entries must have category, class, exhibitor's name, address, and telephone number on the back in order to be judged.** All photography must be received by the Bethlehem Fair by **Labor Day**.

**ENTRY FEES:** Exhibitors must include entry fee (See general rules) which also entitles them to enter exhibits in other departments of the Fair, and provides for admission to the Fair on all three days.

EXHIBITOR # \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth / Junior Exhibitor Age \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Salon Prints Only**

**No more than 4 entries in each salon category; only 2 per class please.**

Category A

Judge's Choice 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
*2 Entries Only*

Class	People	Animals	Scenery & Architecture	Still Life
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Category B

Black & White Salon 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_ 4) \_\_\_\_\_ 5) \_\_\_\_\_

Category C

Color Salon 6) \_\_\_\_\_ 7) \_\_\_\_\_ 8) \_\_\_\_\_ 9) \_\_\_\_\_

Category D

Digitally Enhanced Salon 10) \_\_\_\_\_ 11) \_\_\_\_\_ 12) \_\_\_\_\_ 13) \_\_\_\_\_

**Snapshots No more than 4 entries per category – 2 per class**

Category E

Snapshots  
By Adults 14) \_\_\_\_\_ 15) \_\_\_\_\_ 16) \_\_\_\_\_ 17) \_\_\_\_\_

Category F

Snapshots  
By Youth 18) \_\_\_\_\_ 19) \_\_\_\_\_ 20) \_\_\_\_\_ 21) \_\_\_\_\_

Category G

Snapshots  
By Juniors 22) \_\_\_\_\_ 23) \_\_\_\_\_ 24) \_\_\_\_\_ 25) \_\_\_\_\_

Category H

Black & White  
Snapshots  
(Open to All Ages) 26) \_\_\_\_\_ 27) \_\_\_\_\_ 28) \_\_\_\_\_ 29) \_\_\_\_\_

Category I

Bethlehem Fair  
Snapshots  
(Open to All Ages) 30) \_\_\_\_\_ 31) \_\_\_\_\_ 32) \_\_\_\_\_ 33) \_\_\_\_\_

# Woodchopping & Sawing Contest

**Saturday, 12:00 noon**

**Sunday 12:00 noon**

**Co-Superintendents:** Scott Gould, Mark Gould, Lenny Kaplan,  
3 Silver Lane, Enfield, CT 06082 / Phone 860-741-6661

**Bookkeepers:** Dona Murphy and Ruth Barr

**Timers:** Tom Calver, Randy Pavel, Dan Tagan, Kevin Tagan

**Committee:** Peter Barr, Chris Durkee, Kristina Gould, Duke Miller, Jeff Miller,  
Elyse Santoro, Tim Tagan, Gail Tagan, Henry Tanner, Pauline Tanner, Heather Tagan

1. Registration on both Saturday and Sunday must be completed by 11:00 am, and contestants must be numbered by 12:00 noon.
2. Parking inside the fence is by permit only. Contact the superintendent to obtain a permit to park inside, contestants must arrive by 10:00 am.
3. All contestants under the age of 18 must have parental signature.
4. Available material may limit the number of contestants who will be accepted on a first come first served basis.
5. All contestants must furnish their own axes, crosscut saws and bow saws. Minimum handle length for the throwing ax is 24". Double-bit head only; equal edges on both sides.
6. In the event of ties, run-offs will determine the winners.
7. The head judge has the authority to disqualify any contestant who in their judgment would be detrimental to the best interest of the public, other contestants or the Bethlehem Fair.
8. The head judge shall decide all questions arising in connection with the contest and the enforcement of rules and regulations.
9. The head judge will determine the winners and award prizes in accordance with the rules.
10. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed. No contestant under the influence of alcohol will be allowed to compete.
11. Any offensive language or behavior toward the superintendent, head judge, or the timekeepers before, during or after the contest will disqualify the contestant and any premiums due will be forfeited.
12. All contestants will be required to sign a waiver before competing.
13. Ax throwing preliminaries will be held 1 hour before competition starts.
14. All events listed count towards "Woodsman of the Day"
15. 2 person & Jack & Jill teams can compete in only one event with same partner.
16. Intentional defacing Fair property (chopping stands, saw cradles, etc.) will result in automatic disqualification.
17. Any contestants found practicing before, during, or after contest will be disqualified and any premiums due will be forfeited.

<b>Prizes:</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>3rd</b>	<b>4th</b>	<b>5th</b>
	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$25	\$20

## Classes:

1. Chopping — 1 cut 8x8
2. Crosscut Sawing — 3 cuts 8 x 8
3. Bow Sawing — 1 cut 8 x 8
4. Jack 'n' Jill — 2 cuts 8 x 8
5. Log Rolling
6. Ax Throw

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## Woodchopping & Sawing Contest, *continued*

7. Women's Under Hand Chop

8. Master's Under Hand Chop — 55 years and older

**Woodsman of the Day**    1st prize: \$50.00 + trophy    2nd prize: \$30.00 + trophy

**The Bethlehem Fair Is Not Responsible for Any Injuries or Accidents Sustained during Competition or Handling of Equipment. We Are Also Not Responsible for Loss or Damage to Equipment.**

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*Photo by Pat Slonina*



# Children's Pedal Tractor Pull

Rick Butkus — 203-266-5306, Superintendent

Chandler Bond, Joan Butkus, Richard Butkus, Dean Detlefsen Jr.,  
June Detlefsen, Taylor Detlefsen, Jonathan Jedd, Michael Jedd, John Kalenauskas Jr.,  
Donna Poliquin, Marc Poliquin, Mike Terry, Rachel Terry

**WHO MAY ENTER:** Boys and girls 3 to 7 years of age.

**CONTEST TIME AND PLACE:** 12:00 Noon, Sunday in the North Stage area.

**SIGN UP:** 11:00 am – 12:00 Noon, Sunday, North Stage Area.

1. Classes will be held for each age group, 3 year olds, 4 year old, etc.
2. Three and four year old classes will pull a weighted drag. Classes for five, six and seven-year-olds will use a weight transfer sled. Pedal tractors will be supplied by the Fair.
3. The winner of each class will be the boy or the girl who pulls the heaviest load the farthest distance.
4. A trophy and 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th place ribbons will be awarded in each class. All entrants will receive a participation ribbon.
5. Entries will be accepted until the start of each class.
6. Three-year-olds will pull first.



*Photos by Donna Whitlock*



# Antique Tractor Show

Dean Detlefsen - Superintendent – 203-266-5604

Nick Bridge, Ricky Butkus, Shane Collette, Jenn Detlefsen, June Detlefsen,  
Dean Detlefsen Jr., Taylor Detlefsen, Lisa Dillane, Jim Dillane, Susan Ives, Paul Ives,  
Brian Mohr, Michelle Mohr, Steve Romano, Jean Russell, Daniel Russell

Open exhibition of antique farm and garden tractors and equipment.  
Participation awards will be given to all exhibitors.

Please stop by the antique tractor area to vote for your favorite tractor. Voting will be done Saturday afternoon and trophies will be awarded Sunday morning, after the parade. Antique tractors will parade both days.



*Photo by Barbara Moran*

## Antique Tractor Pull

**Saturday, September 8, 2018**

Mike Molzon – 203-266-6663, Bob Worden, Co-Superintendents

Pat Bovat Jr., Marcy Molzon, Nicholas Molzon, Samantha Molzon,  
Richard Sarandrea, Rick Sarandrea, Jerrad Worden, Kathy Worden

Registration: 8:00 am – 11:00 am

Tractor Pull Starts at 11:00 am

Scale closes at Noon

**Cut off Year is 1959**

Normal Rules will apply. Pullers should park in the Silo parking lot on the West Side of Rte 61 just North of the fairgrounds. Weigh-in will take place in the Silo parking lot. Pullers will then enter and exit the drawing pit through the South gate of the fairgrounds.

The Tractor pull will be an open pull, no limit on the number of tractors that a puller can bring to the pull.

No suitcase weights.

# ANTIQUE, CLASSIC, AND SPECIAL INTEREST CARS AND TRUCKS

**Friday Night, September 7, 2018, 5:00 pm**

Chris O'Neill, Superintendent

Brenda McGrath, John McGrath, Mary Munter,

Mike O'Neill, Jon O'Neill, Theresa O'Neill

## **Cut off Year is 1975**

Car, driver, and one passenger - \$10 fee to be put into the Fair Foundation scholarship fund. More than 2 people in a vehicle will pay the Fair admission of \$9 per person unless a child under age 12

Bring your car and have a good time at the Fair. Dash plaques will be awarded to the first 100 vehicles.



*Photo's by Pat Slonina*



*Photo by Donna Whitlook*



*Photo by Jaime Ricard*

# Stock Garden Tractor Pull

**Sunday, September 9, 2018, 10:30 am**

Shawn Uscilla, Superintendent

Thomas Fayer, Thomas Fayer Jr., Steve Palinkas, Scott Rodgers, Tom Rodgers, Kevin Sassetti,  
Henry Tanner, Mike Zambenardi

The pull will be held in the tractor pull area at the South end of the fairgrounds, near the Antique Tractor display area. Pullers should enter the grounds through the South Gate. **FOR MORE INFORMATION Shawn prefers an email: Fire23su@aol.com or, call 203-410-2118.**

## Garden Tractor Pull Rules

☛ **PLEASE BE ON TIME FOR REGISTRATION SO PULL CAN START ON TIME**

**New Requirement:** After having a tractor tip over backwards last year, all tractors from Class 1 to Super Stock must have wheelie bars. More information below.

*Stock garden tractors up to 20 hp – 1 or 2 cylinders, gas or electric. Engine cannot run over 3600 rpm*

All tractors must have a rigid draw bar height. For Big Wheels, classes 7 & 8 will be 12 inches from the ground.

Classes 7 & 8 Economy tractors will have a stock hitch that was original equipment or one built to original specs.

NO BOLT OR DRAW BARS behind the rear axle.

Draw bars must be made of ½" steel-must be bolted to original hitch 4"x4". Must have ½" of steel behind hole.

Can use ¾" washer to raise hitch to 1" below center of axle.

NO LOCKED REAR ENDS PERMITTED – THOSE EQUIPPED CAN NOT USE THEM. WE WILL BE WATCHING!!!

## WHEEL WEIGHTS — CLASSES 1 THRU 8

1. 8" thru 12" CAN BE HOMEMADE-not to exceed 75 lbs. per wheel. Big wheels — manufactured only — not to exceed 140 lbs. per wheel. NOTE: weights may be weighed at any time at discretion of an official. They must be removable.
2. Under mounted mowers are allowed. No chains over 10" long to hold mower deck to tractor. No other attachments.
3. No cut tires, no tire chains, dual wheels, 4x4's, crawlers, steel wheels, pit bulls, c-pels, or professional pulling tires.
4. WHEELIE BARS. They must be strong enough to support tractor. Bars must be made of 2" sq. tubing 1/8" thick or flat stock 1/4" x 2 1/4" max. Brace 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 1/8" angle. Cross brace must not interfere with hitch or chain. Bars must not extend more than 4" behind the exterior of the tire, no more than 6" from the ground. They must have wheels or pads.
5. Cub cadets – MUST have a shield to deflect any flying parts to the ground in event of a mishap. Shields must be made of 16-gauge steel or 1/8" aluminum and surround the clutch housing on top and both sides.
6. **STOCK SEATS ONLY** – NO CAR, TRUCKS, BUCKET SEATS, ETC.
7. DRIVER MUST SIT IN THE SEAT – NO SITTING ON THE REAR EDGE OF THE SEAT OR LEANING BACK FURTHER THAN THE REAR OF THE SEAT. NO BOUNCING – ONE HAND ON THE WHEEL AT ALL TIMES. WE WILL BE WATCHING!!!
8. FLAGRANT VIOLATORS OF ANY RULES WILL NOT PULL PER DECISION OF OFFICIAL.

## SUPER STOCK RULES — CLASS 9

1. Garden tractors, up to 20 hp. One or two cylinder, 4 cycle, gasoline engines.

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## Stock Garden Tractor Pull, *continued*

2. Frame cannot be lengthened more than four inches. Hood cannot be raised more than 3". Tractors must have wheelie bars that are strong enough to support the tractor, must extend 4" behind the exterior of the tire and will be no more than 6" from the ground. See Stock tractor rules for requirements.
3. All tractors must have a rigid draw bar. Max height will be 14". Bars must not extend rearward more than 15" from center of the axle. Rear engine tractors accepted, with rigid bars being as close as possible to the engine.
4. Maximum engine rpm must not exceed 4000 rpm's and may be checked at any time. All tractors must have sufficient shielding of belts, chains, clutches, etc. to deflect any flying parts to the ground.
5. Any type of tire may be used. Tires can be modified. Max. size will be 31/15.5/15. No dual wheels, tire chains or studs.
6. Super stock tractors cannot pull in any other class. Tractor may not weigh more than 1700 lbs. with 31/15.5/15 tires, and 1800 lbs. with 26/12.5/12 tires. Weight may be added to achieve these weights.
7. NOTICE: Super Stock tractors will be weighed. There will be a one-time fee for the scale to be paid by the puller. Tractors may be rechecked at any time at a later pull at no fee and at the discretion of the official.

### GENERAL RULES

CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF FOURTEEN WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IN THE PIT EXCEPT WHEN PULLING – IF TWO OR MORE ARE PULLING WITH THE SAME TRACTOR, CHILDREN WAITING MUST WAIT OUTSIDE THE PIT.

1. A full pull will be 8 feet. If your first pull is less than 2 feet you will have the option to try again. **NOTE:** this is your first pull only.
2. Boundary lines will be 10 feet apart. If tractor or stone boat hits the boundary lines, the driver and tractor will be disqualified.
3. **NO JERKING STONE BOAT.** You must tighten the chain before pulling.
4. Drivers must remain seated IN THE SEAT!!! Not on the back edge of the seat. Drivers must keep one hand on steering wheel at all times while pulling. NO leaning back further than the back edge of the seat.
5. **ADULTS** – only one person per tractor per class. Two children from immediate family per tractor may pull in same class.
6. Kids 6-14 years must be able to safely operate the tractor to the satisfaction of our officials. Kids must also have an adult coach at ALL TIMES. Coaches must remain outside the boundary lines at time of pull.
7. Officials will "class" and check all the tractors. Their judgments are final.
8. No horseplay or alcoholic beverages allowed. No passengers on tractor.
9. NO cheating: **CHEAT ONCE — WARNING**  
**CHEAT TWICE — MISS TWO PULLS**  
**CHEAT 3 TIMES — KIDS OUT FOR SEASON — ADULTS OUT PERMANENTLY**
10. All tractors must have clevis or hole in draw bar large enough to accept hook from stone boat. Hole must be at least 2" diameter.
11. Class winners will be allowed to move up to next class pull – they will compete for fun only, NOT for ribbons.
12. Pulling committee and officials reserve the right to add any additional rules or correct any problems that happen at a pull.
13. After pulling and taking your tractors to your vehicles – No speeding through the grounds or parking lots – no driving around the grounds – take your tractor to the truck or trailer they will be loaded on. **NO PASSENGERS ON YOUR TRACTOR ON GROUNDS OR IN**

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## Stock Garden Tractor Pull, *continued*

PARKING LOT.

### GARDEN TRACTOR CLASSES

CLASS 1: Stock, Kids 6-10 years old, up to 12HP with 23/10.5/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 2: Stock, Kids 11-14 years old, up to 12HP with 23/10.5/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 3: Stock, Kids 6-14 years old, 14-20HP with 26/12/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 3G: Gravely-Kids 6-14 years old, with 26/10.5/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 4: Stock, Adult, 15 years and up, with 23/10.5/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 5: Stock, Adult, 15 years and up, with 12-16HP with 23/10.5/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 6: Stock, Adult, 15 years and up, 20HP with 26/12/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 6G: Gravely-Adult, 15 years or up with 26/12/12 or smaller tires.

CLASS 7: Stock Big Wheels, Kids 6-14 years, up to 20hp with 16/24 tires, none larger than 8.3x24 or 9.5.

CLASS 8: Stock Big Wheels, Adult, 15 years and up, 20hp with 16/24 tires, none larger than 8.3x24 or 9.5.

CLASS 9: Super Stock, Adult, 15 years and up.

**IMPORTANT:** THE AGE OF THE PULLER ON MAY 1st will determine the class he/she will pull for the entire season.

**NOTE:** There are a few tractors with factory stock 15" rims. These will be classed on an individual basis.

**FYI:** A 23/10.5/12 tire is 23" tall 10.5" wide and on a 12" rim. A 26/12/12 is 26" tall; 12" wide and on a 12" rim.



*Photo by Pat Slonina*

# BETHLEHEM FAIR — 19TH ANNUAL HOLLERIN' CONTEST

Aline Rossiter, Superintendent

Jim Brooks, Bill Donnelly, Janet Hubert, Maureen McCurdy,  
Blake Rossiter, Colette Rossiter, Edie Rupe

Sunday, September 9, 2018 at 10:00 AM

MAIN STAGE

*Challenge your friends and neighbors to see who hollers the  
**Loudest!!***

Classes for Men, Women and Kids

First Prize – \$25

Second Prize – \$20

Third Prize – \$15

No Entry Fee

No sign ups after 10:00 am, Sunday – Main Stage



*Photo's by Donna Whitlock*



# BETHLEHEM FAIR

## Farmer's Night Out

Don Swendsen, Superintendent - 203-266-7391

Joan Butkus, Jocelyn Gilbert, Jennifer Meade, Adam Swendsen,  
Chris Swendsen, Margie Swendsen, Pam Swendsen, Whitney Troy

**Contest Time and Place:** 4:00 pm – Saturday — at the South Ring.

**Entry Fee:** No separate entry fee

**Registration:** Starts at 2:00 pm until event begins at 4:00, Saturday, South Ring

**Please Sign up Early**

Events	Description	1st	2nd	3rd
1. <b>Woman's Skillet Throwing</b>	— Throw a skillet the farthest within boundaries	\$25	\$15	\$10
2. <b>Hay Bale Throwing</b>	35-40 lb bale thrown the farthest without breaking and staying within the boundaries. (Broken bales disqualify)			
Separate divisions for men and women by age as follows:				
A.13-18	B.19-39	C.40 and over	D.60 and over	E.Special class for 12 and under (#4 Egg Toss event only).
		\$25	\$15	\$10
3. <b>Back Seat Driver</b>	—Male driver of a garden tractor is blind folded and directed to navigate an obstacle course by a female riding in a trailer. Open to couples, one male and one female, age 16 and over.	\$25	\$15	\$10
4. <b>Egg Toss (Partners*)</b>	— 2 lines keep tossing until egg breaks taking a step back after each toss. See Hay Bale Throwing for ages. Male- female combined-No over 60 in this class.	\$25	\$15	\$10

\*Partners must be in the same age group



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*Congratulations*  
to the Winners of the  
2018 Bethlehem Fair Scholarships



**Stella Brooks**  
Forman School



**Hailey Cowles**  
Litchfield High School

**Kaitlin Damiani(in college)**  
University of New England



**Emily Desgardins**  
Westover School



**Alec Diloranzo**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Brooke Geddes**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Alexandre Gonzales**  
Nonnewaug High School

— **Scholarship Criteria** —

- ◆ Academic Achievement ◆ Participation in School and Community Activities ◆  
◆ Financial Need, and ◆ Participation in The Bethlehem Fair ◆

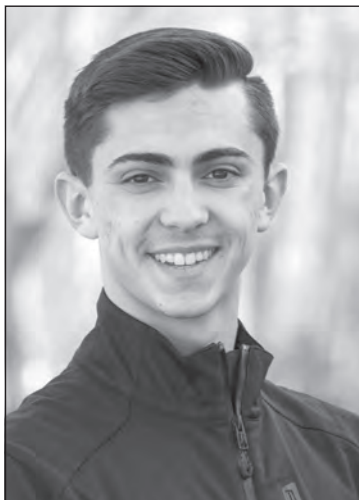


**Angela Guerreiro**  
Nonnewaug High School

*Congratulations*  
to the Winners of the 2018  
Bethlehem Fair Scholarships



**Conor Hanaggi**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Dean Jones**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Jackie Johnson**  
Northwest Regional High School



**Jakob Kelsey**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Eli Skilton**  
Wamogo Regional High School



**Kevin Smolkis**  
Nonnewaug High School

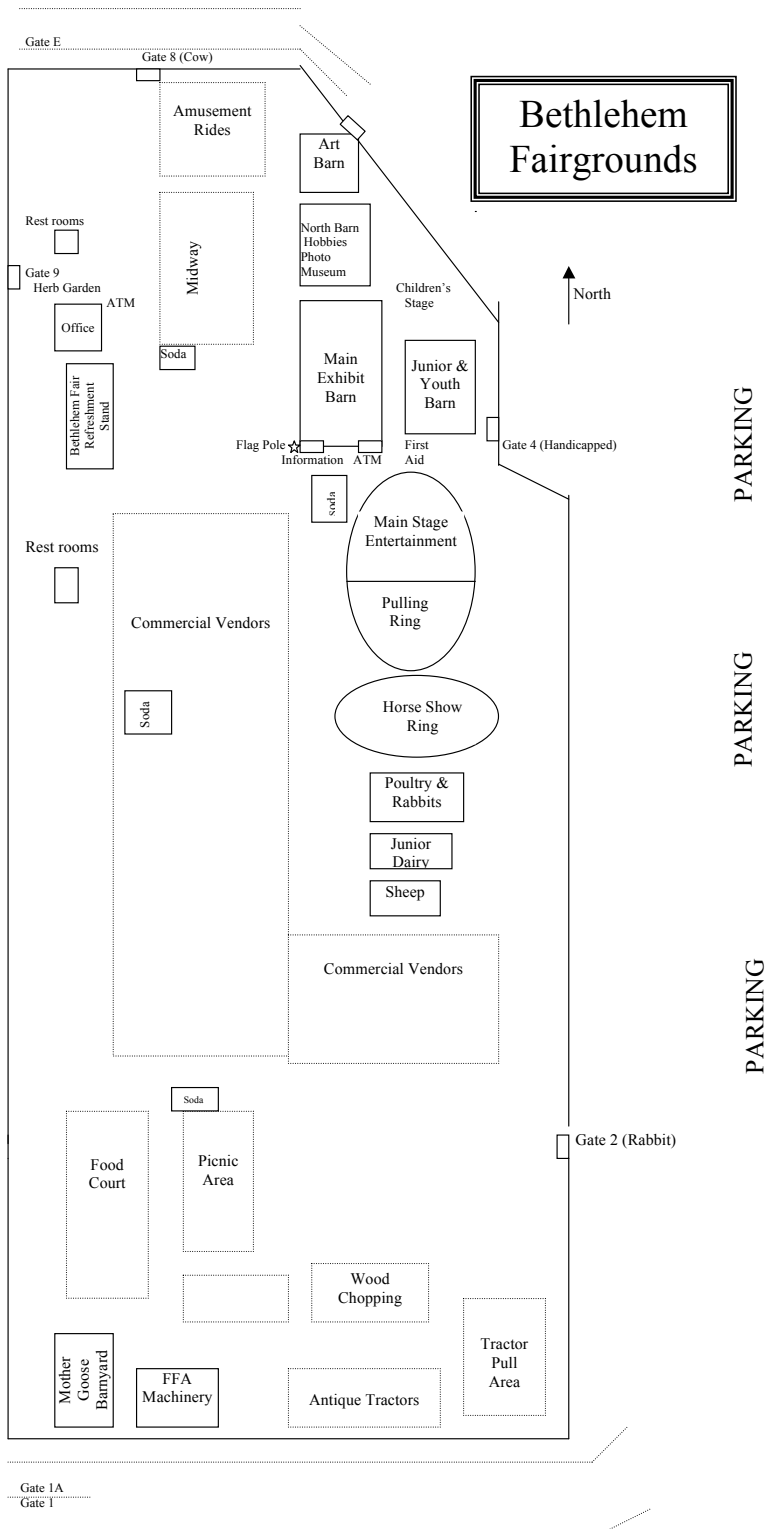
*Congratulations*  
to the Winners of the 2018  
Bethlehem Fair Scholarships



**Lyndsay Tupy**  
Nonnewaug High School



**Pamela Schork**  
Nonnewaug High School



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