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Fun Competitions

- 50 Largest zucchini – Entry Fee: \$1
1st Prize, \$15 cash – **Alpine Plant World**
- 51 Largest cabbage – Entry Fee: \$1
1st Prize, \$15 cash – **Investor's Group - Kelly Jones**
- 52 Largest pumpkin – Entry Fee: \$1
1st Prize, \$15 cash – **Jean Maskiewich**

Division E2: Fruits

Location: Phyllis Davidson Hall
Convenors: Mavis Smaha, 847-3615
Entry Fee: \$1
Prize Money: 1st, \$4; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$2
Entry Form: Please use General Entry Form

Deadline for entry forms is August 21, 2010. Mailed entry forms must be postmarked no later than August 13, 2010.

Exhibits accepted from 10 am – 4 pm, August 25, 2010.

Fruits not picked up by August 30 will be donated.

See also General Rules.

Exhibitors guidelines

Variety name should be stated on exhibitor's tag. This adds to the education value of the fair.

All vegetables and fruits should be free from pests, blemishes and mechanical injuries.

Entries should be clean but not scrubbed to the point of damaging the surface.

- 01 Crabapples, Dolgo (6)
- 02 Crabapples, other variety named (6)
- 03 Apples, variety named (3)
- 04 Cherries (6)
- 05 Currants, black, stems on (12)
- 06 Currants, white (4 clusters)
- 07 Currants, red (4 clusters)
- 08 Strawberries (6)
- 09 Raspberries, without hulls (6)
- 10 Gooseberries, stems on (12)
- 11 Any other fruit not listed above, named (6)
- 12 Collection of tame fruit, four or more varieties. Each variety to have 1/2 specified quantity as its entry above. Display 18" x 18" max.
1st Prize, \$10 certificate – **Stokes Seeds Ltd.**
2nd Prize, \$5 cash – **Buri, Overstall Barristers & Solicitors**

Divisions E3–E5: Floral Classes

Convenors: Frances Smaha, 250- 847-5357; Nancy Bolen, 250-847-9967; Lorelei Smaha, 250-847-8834

Terminology:

Annual: a plant that grows, blooms, seeds and dies in one year and is reproduced from seeds

Arrangement: a flower arrangement is the art of using the principles of design to control one or more units of plant material to obtain beauty and harmony.

Biennials: a plant that grown the first year and blooms, seeds and dies the second year and is reproduced from seeds

Bloom: a single flower on a stem, foliage removed

Bouquet: cut flowers in a clear container

Collection: a group of cut flowers (not judged on arrangement)

Composition: the art of using the principles of design, utilizing plant material with suitable accessories, to be displayed in one container

Double & Semi-doubles: flower has more than one layer of petals

Kind: shall be used to indicate plant characteristics which are similar and that belong to the same general category; e.g., asters and petunias are kinds of flowers

Perennials: a plant that lives for more than two years, growing from the same root, bulb or tuber each year, wintering either in or out of the ground

Side shoots: a lateral branch, with subsequent branching, but with the main stem excluded

Single: flower has a centre with one layer of petals

Spike: a flower structure with flowers stemless on a common lengthened stalk. Used sometimes where stems of the individual flowers are very short; e.g., gladiolus, snapdragons

Spray: a branch, bearing dependent branchlets or flowers

Variety: plants within the kind that differ from one another in one or more special characteristics

Judging Standards:

Form: Uniformity, proper shape and proper petalage

Stem & Foliage: Strength and or straightness, quality, size and proportion

Colour: Uniformity, intensity, clarity and brilliance

Size: Uniformity and proper size for variety

Condition: Must be free of blemish, pests, disease and damage

RULES:

1. All flowers must be grown by the Exhibitor. House plants must be the property of the Exhibitor for at least six months prior to the fair.
2. All cut flowers should be displayed in clear glass containers provided by exhibitor.
3. Uniformity is very important. Select blooms the same size.
4. Cut stems to same length, not necessarily long.
5. Spent flowers and seed pods should be removed.
6. Please label your entries with the variety name (for educational purposes at the Fair).
7. Plants and cutflowers should be free of disease, insects and blemishes or they will be removed.

8. Arrangements should be in a container of your choice.

9. Exhibitor must be an amateur and not have grown flowers for retail.

10. Judged under Provincial Government Standards rules of perfection.

E3: Cut Flowers

- 01 Antirrhinum (snapdragon), 3 spikes
- 02 Antirrhinum, butterfly flowered, 3 spikes
- 03 Aster, single, 6 blooms
- 04 Aster, double, 6 blooms
- 05 Aster, spider, 6 blooms
- 06 Aster, miniature, 6 blooms
- 07 Calendula, single, 6 blooms
- 08 Calendula, semi double or double, 6 blooms
- 09 Carnation, 6 sprays
- 10 Clematis, single, 3 blooms, one variety
- 11 Cosmo, 6 blooms
- 12 Daisy, single, 6 blooms
- 13 Daisy, double, 6 blooms
- 14 Dahlia, giant, 1 bloom
- 15 Dahlia, cactus, 3 blooms
- 16 Dahlia, pom pom, 3 blooms
- 17 Dahlia, decorative, 3 blooms
- 18 Dahlia, single, 3 blooms
- 19 Gladioli, Giant, not fewer than 8 florets, 1 spike (no side shoots) long stem
- 20 Gladiolus, 3 spikes (no side shots) Gladiolus, Best of Show
- 22 Godetia, 6 sprays
- 23 Lavatera, 3 sprays
- 24 Lily, Oriental, 1 spike
- 25 Marigold, 3" or over, 6 blooms
- 26 Marigold, dwarf, under 3", 6 blooms
- 27 Nasturtium, single, 6 blooms
- 28 Nasturtium, semi double or double, 6 blooms
- 29 Nemesia, 6 sprays
- 30 Nicotiana, 6 sprays
- 31 Pansy, giant, not less than 5 cm. in diameter, 6 blooms
- 32 Pansy, including violas, under 5 cm. in diameter, 6 blooms
- 33 Petunia, single, complete with buds and blooms, 3 sprays
- 34 Petunia, double, complete with buds and blooms, 3 sprays
- 35 Phlox, annual, 6 sprays

Div. E1: Vegetables; E2: Fruits; E3: Cut Flowers

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- 36 Phlox, perennials, 3 sprays
- 37 Pinks, 6 sprays
- 38 Rose, hybrid tea with foliage, 1 bloom
- 39 Rose, rugosa, 3 sprays
- 40 Rose, Floribunda, 1 spray
- 41 Scabiosa, 3 spikes
- 42 Stocks, 3 spikes
- 43 Sweet Peas, 6 spikes
- 44 Zinnia, large, 3 blooms
- 45 Zinnia, dwarf, 6 blooms
- 46 Collection of cultivated flowers, 3 of each kind (no limit on varieties, annual, perennial, varieties named) 1st Prize \$10 Cash - **Jean Maskiewich**
- 47 Cultivated flowers not listed elsewhere, 3 stems, 1 variety only
- 48 Everlasting flowers, names, 3 varieties, 2 of each
Best of Class (01-48), Ribbon; 1st Prize, \$25 - BV Farmer's Market

E4: Floral Arrangements

- 01 Foliage and or flowers suitable for vertical arrangement, 12-20" overall
- 02 Arrangement suitable for tea table, overall height 8"
- 03 Corner arrangement, use own discretion
- 04 Teacup and saucer arrangement
- 05 Miniature floral arrangement, 2" and under overall
- 06 Arrangement using dried flowers, materials, driftwood, accessories permitted
- 07 Arrangement in a kitchen utensil item
- 08 MEN ONLY - Own choice of arrangement & container under 16 inches
- 09 Sunflower Bouquet, 24" maximum. Ribbon
- 10 Composition: "Wonders of the Bulkley Valley" - Gift Certificate \$50 Cash - **Fink's Sawmill Ltd**
- 11 CHILDREN ONLY (5 - 12 yrs age) Own choice of arrangement & container under 16 inches
- 12 Hanging Basket: one solid color - your choice - pot not to exceed 10" - has to be your own creation
Best of Class (01-10), Ribbon + \$25 Cash - Alpine Plant World

E5: House Plants

Pots not to exceed 12".

- 01 African violet, single, one crown only
- 02 African violet, miniature, one crown only
- 03 African violet, double, one crown only
- 04 African violet, frilled, double, one crown only
- 05 African violet, frilled, single, one crown only
- 06 Begonia
- 07 Ivy
- 08 Fuchsia
- 09 Cactus
- 10 Foliage House Plant - not a fern
- 11 Geranium
- 12 Unusual plant noted for its rarity or oddity
- 13 Cyclamen
- 14 Impatiens
- 15 Prayer Plant
- 16 Succulent (Jade, Bilbergia, etc.)
- 17 Shamrock
- 18 Plant not listed elsewhere, named
- 19 Collection of house plants in one pot
- 20 Fern, not hanging
- 21 Cactus garden grown in container minimum of three months
- 22 Outdoor plants, not hanging, patio planter maximum 24" overall
- 23 Terrarium
Best of Class (01-23), Ribbon + \$25 cash - Fink's Sawmill

Division E6: Grains & Forage

Location: Phyllis Davidson Hall

Entry fee: \$1

Prize money: 1st \$15, 2nd \$10, 3rd \$5

Entry form: Use General Entry Form

Must be grown on exhibitor's farm.

- 01 Sheaf barley, variety named
- 02 Sheaf oats, early, variety named
- 03 Sheaf oats, late, variety named
- 04 Sheaf spring wheat, variety named
- 05 Sheaf fall wheat, variety named

Note: Sheaves should be arranged in compact form and must be 3 1/2 inches in diameter just below the heads. Cereal grains must be stripped of leaves and roots, also free of excess moisture to prevent mould. A tag designating the variety must accompany each sheaf.

- 06 Baled Hay Contest - 2010 crop: Grass and mixed legume hay (no cereal hay), one bale to be entered
- 07 Round Bale - 2010 crop: core sample displayed in one litre ziplock bag
Most Points (01-07), \$20 cash - B.V. Credit Union

DIVISION F: FOODS

Location: Lisbeth Johnstone Hall

Contact: Karen Perreault, 847-0121; Janet & John McDivitt, 846-9093

Entry Fee: \$1

Prize Money: 1st \$4, 2nd \$3, 3rd \$2

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GUIDELINES FOR FOODS

Cakes: should have a flat or slightly rounded top, moist, fine grained, slightly glossy surface, fine velvety texture. Does not crumble significantly when cut, is tender, has a characteristic, pleasant flavour. All cakes use layered 8" or 9" square pan. Cut cake into 9 pieces; display centre and one corner only.

Baking Powder Biscuits: should have fairly smooth surface, delicately browned, tender-crisp crust with a slightly moist interior, flaky and tender, and pleasant flavour.

Quick Breads and Muffins: should be lightly browned, symmetrical, bumpy rough surface, tiny holes, not tunnels.

Yeast Breads: should have smooth rounded top, evenly brown, thin crust, moist interior. Fine even interior texture, light pleasant taste and pleasant aroma.

JUDGING STANDARDS

General appearance: 30%

Internal appearance or texture: 30%

Flavour/odour: 40%

Division F1A: Baking

Yeast bread: pan size 9" x 4 1/2" x 3", 1 lb. loaf.

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