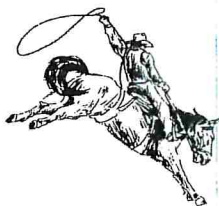


The Dawson County Ag Society consists of four officers and five directors representing all areas of Dawson County. The Ag Society is the governing body for all happenings at the Dawson County Fairgrounds. The buildings and barns at the fairgrounds are rented out throughout the year for various events to assist in paying the expense of repairs and upgrades to the buildings and grounds. They also receive a tax levy from county funds to help support the fairgrounds.

The Ag Society is required by State Law to have a County Fair each year.

Fair Committees 2026

Fair Manager-----	Barb Rohde
Maintenance/Grounds-----	Bryan Martinez
Personnel-----	Corey Bender
Buildings, Grounds-----	Jason Schneider
4-H & Extension-----	Mike Johnson
Racetrack-----	Scott Russman
Rodeo-----	Doug Rohde
Safety-----	Logan Vonderschmidt
Alcohol-----	Blaine Biehl
Landscaping/Aesthetics-----	Beth Rogers
Marketing/Social Media-----	Michaela Kopf
Open Class Superintendant-----	Sara Beck
Ex-Officio-----	All Committees-----Blaine Biehl



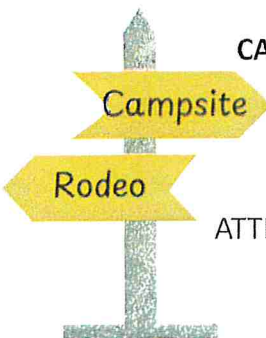
CAMPSITES for 2026 COUNTY FAIR & RODEO

are available @ \$10.00 per day.

Call the Fairgrounds Office to reserve

308-324-3600

ATTENTION: Restrooms/Showers available at the Campground.



America's 250th: Past, Present and Possibilities

2026 Open Class Premium Booklet

Entries:

QUILTS ONLY: Sunday July 12 4:00pm-7:00pm
and Monday July 13 9:00am-11:00am

ALL OTHER ENTRIES: Tuesday July 14th- 4:00pm-7:00pm &
Wednesday, July 15 - 8:00am-12:30pm

Judging

QUILTS ONLY Judging Monday July 13 1:00-?
Open Class Entries Judged Wednesday July 15
1:00-6:00pm

Building Hours: Wednesday, July 15 - 6:00pm-9:00pm
Thursday, July 16 - 4:00pm-9:00pm
Friday, July 17 - 4:00pm-9:00pm
Saturday, July 18 - 10:00am-9:00pm
Sunday, July 19 - 12:00am-4:00 pm
Release : Sunday, July 19 -

*Any items left after Monday, July 20 can be picked up at the fair office.
Items must be picked up by August 7, 2026*

Watch for Daily Demonstrations



Happy 250th

OPEN CLASS DEMONSTRATION EVENTS

Please Get ready to explore your creative side at the open class building, where we're thrilled to introduce a series of engaging in-person demonstrations! Every day, you'll have the opportunity to discover a new skill or craft that might just spark a lifelong passion.

From the intricate art of quilt-making and the traditional techniques of primitive rug hooking to the delicate strokes of watercolor painting and the rewarding process of canning, there's something for everyone. You can even dive into the world of sourdough baking or learn how to capture stunning photographs. Or listen to a Master Gardener explaining ALL THE THINGS!

Each day, a new demonstration will be featured, offering you a unique chance to learn directly from skilled local artisans and experts. Be sure to check the schedule for specific times and join us inside the open class exhibit hall for an enriching and fun experience.

Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity to expand your horizons!

The daily list will be available at the entry table when you bring your entries!

-OPEN CLASS PREMIUM-

Premium List Rules: Open Division

1. The Dawson County Agricultural Society, Inc. will not under any circumstances be liable for personal injury or damage of any kind or for damages of any property whatsoever, no matter how caused.
2. Open Class Entries are to be entered from 4:00pm- 7:00 p.m. on Tues., July 14 or from 8:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. on Wednesday, July 15, 2025. Judging of exhibits begins at 1:00 p.m July 15, 2025. All exhibits will be released after 1:00 p.m. on Sunday July 20th or you may pick up on Monday, July 21 from 9:00 a.m. to Noon.

2A: QUILTS ONLY ENTRY DAY

SUNDAY JULY 12th 4:00-6:00pm and MONDAY JULY 13 9:00am-12:30pm.

QUILTS ONLY WILL BE JUDGED Monday July 13 at 1:00pm.

3. Unlawful picketing or demonstrations will be handled as per Nebraska Statute 28-1317, and no leaflets or materials shall be handed out from any location other than commercial display space that has been rented prior to the beginning of the Fair, unless it has been approved prior to the Fair by the Dawson County Ag Society, Inc.
4. Premium money for all classes will be mailed after fair. All checks will be void if not cashed before 90 days.
5. The Board prefers competent out-of-county judges in all departments. Only if Judges away from this area cannot be found, will local judges be used.
6. The Danish system of judging will be used in all departments. All entries will be grouped as Purple 1st, Blue 2nd or Red 3rd. Premiums will be paid for 1st, 2nd or 3rd in all classes. There will be no specifications as to the number or percentage of entries in each group. All could be 1st or all could be 3rd.
7. Any exhibit that has been exhibited and judged at any other 4-H or County Fair cannot be judged and no premiums will be paid.
8. Premiums will be awarded in all divisions.
9. Age groups for Open Class entries include Youth (Y) age 17 and under, Adult (A) age 18 to 59, Senior (S) age 60 and up. And Super Senior (SS) age 75 and up. All entry tags **MUST** have your age group written on them. Without an age group listed it will not be eligible for Best of Show.
10. No exhibitor can be present when the judges are judging if you have an exhibit entered in that department.
11. The premium committee will establish premium amounts, rules and regulations of each department with input from various organizations involved in the fair. They will be approved by the Dawson County Agricultural Society Board of Directors in a regular meeting and will be followed for each ensuing fair unless changes by the Dawson County Agricultural Society Board.

Thank You for Participating in the Dawson County Fair!

To ensure a fantastic Open Class Exhibit, we need your skills and entries to shine.

We are also seeking additional assistance for entry day and building sitters. If you're interested, please reach out to Sara.



Dawson County Fair Open Class

followers following

To showcase Open Class exhibits, communicate with exhibitors and encourage new exhibitors every year.

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Join us on Facebook!

2A: QUILTS ONLY ENTRY DAY

SUNDAY JULY 12th 4:00-6:00pm and MONDAY JULY 14 9:00-11am.

QUILTS ONLY WILL BE JUDGED Monday July 14 at 1:00pm.
NO OTHER ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THAT TIME.

PHOTOGRAPHY DEPT: PER STATE FAIR RULES

PHOTOGRAPHS 8X10 MUST BE MOUNTED ON A WHITE OR BLACK POSTER BOARD 11X14

Age groups for ALL Open Class Entries include

- Youth (Y) age 17 and under
- Adult (A) age 18 to 59
- Senior (S) age 60-75
- Super Senior (SS) age 75 and up

PLEASE be sure to put your age group, if it's not listed your item will not be in the running for Best of Show.

List of Entries!

PHOTOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

All entries by 12:45pm, Wednesday, July 15, 2026

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Lot 145 – Photography –1st - \$4.50, 2nd - \$3.50, 3rd - \$2.50

Dawson county individuals are eligible to have **one entry in any class**, which have not been shown in this fair. Individuals may enter as many classes as they desire.

NEW RULES FOR PHOTOGRAPHY (as per State Fair rules):

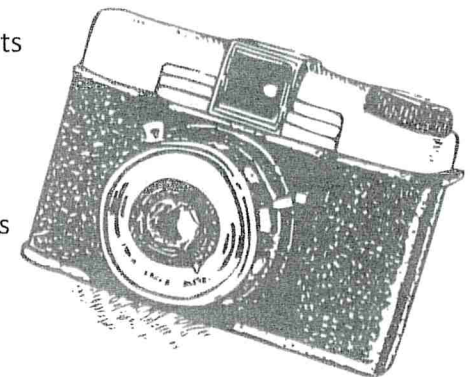
SIZE: 8" x 10" photo on 11" x 14" backing (poster board)

NO OTHER SIZES WILL BE JUDGED

- Photographs must be mounted on a white or black poster board (size above) to support them.
- Use strong adhesive (rubber cement is recommended) to secure the photo on to the backing.
- They should NOT be matted or framed.
- Do not print borders around photo.
- Do not put plastic over the picture.
- Photo must have been taken by the person entering it.
- Note age of entrant and approximate date of photo taken on label on back of backing.
- Photo must be acceptable for display in a public building.

Open Class will provide binder clips for hanging photos. One Photography entry **MAY** be selected by judge as Best in Show and therefore eligible to be entered at the Nebraska State Fair as Best in Dawson County. Entry must then meet State Fair requirements. Entry form will be made available and signed by Dawson County Fair Open Class Manager.

- Class 1. Animals, Birds
- Class 2. Insects
- Class 3. Flowers, Plants
- Class 4. People, portraits, candid, sports
- Class 5. Landscapes, Cityscapes
- Class 6. Sunsets, Sunrises, Weather
- Class 7. Still Life
- Class 8. Patterns, Textures, Abstracts
- Class 9. Buildings, bridges, monuments
- Class 10. Mechanical, transportation
- Class 11. Dawson County Farms
- Class 12 PATRIOTIC



FLORAL DEPARTMENT (continued)

Lot 141a - Roses 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

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| 22. Climber, one spray | 25. Knockout, one spray |
| 23. Hybrid Tea, one stem | 26. Other |
| 24. Miniature Rose, one stem | |

- a. red b. white c. yellow d. pink e. orange f. two-tone
g. blend h. any other color not listed above.

Lot 142 – Floral Artistic Division

Theme: "Past, Present, Possibilities"

1st – \$6.00; 2nd - \$5.00; 3rd - \$4.00

Designer's choice of material (fresh and/or dried). Flowers do not need to be grown by exhibitor. Two accessories permitted in each class. All classes open to youth, adults and seniors and super seniors.

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

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| 1. From the Farm | 5. Red, White & Blue |
| 2. Along the highway
– use native Nebraska materials | 6. Romantic |
| 3. Cowboy Country | 7. Flowers and Herbs |
| 4. Do Your Own Thing | |



ART and PHOTOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

All entries by 12:45 p.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2026

Senior Citizen, Adult and Youth Division in each Lot. Age groups for Open Class entries include Youth (Y) age 17 and under, Adult (A) age 18 to 59, Senior (S) age 60-74 and Super senior (SS) 75+

All entry tags **MUST** have your age group written on them.

Individuals are eligible to have **one entry in any class**, which have not been shown in this fair. Individuals may enter as many classes as they desire.

No paint by number pictures or diamond painting kits will be accepted.

All artwork must have a suitable hanger.

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Lot 143 – Two Dimensional (other than Photography)

1st - \$4.50; 2nd - \$3.50, 3rd - \$2.50

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| 1. Watercolor | 6. Barn Quilts, 2 x2 or larger |
| 2. Acrylic | Paintng on Wood |
| 3. Ink, Pencil or Charcoal | 8. Mixed Media Wall Art |
| 4. Pastels | 9. Miscellaneous |
| 5. Oil | |

Lot 144 – Three Dimensional Art 1st - \$4.50; 2nd - \$3.50, 3rd - \$2.50

1. Sculpture 2. Carvings 3. Mixed Media 4. Miscellaneous

CRAFTS & NEEDLEWORK

All entries by 12:45 p.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2025

JUDGING BEGINS AT 1:00PM

Contestant must have made all crafts and or needlework within the past two years.

All entries must be clean and completely dry before entry.

Each Exhibitor is limited to ONE entry under each lot number.

Please check premium list and know which lot you wish item entered in.

All needlework should be placed in plastic bags for protection.

One Craft & Needlework entry MAY be selected by judge as Best in Show and therefore eligible to be entered at the Nebraska State Fair as Best in Dawson County.

Entry must then meet State Fair requirements.

Entry form will be made available and signed by Dawson County Fair Open Class Manager.

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Paint by number kits will not be allowed.

Lot 100 ~ Novelties & Crafts. 1st- \$2.50; 2nd- \$2.00; 3rd-\$1.50

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| 1. Toys | 9. Leather Work |
| 2. Pillows | a. Belts, wallets, b. holsters, c. key chain/jewelry, d. other |
| 3. Jewelry | 10. Wall Art/Décor |
| 4. Table Decor | 11. Wreaths – a. Seasonal, b. Misc. |
| 5. Bead & Sequin | 12. Repurposed Art – a. Mixed Media, b. Wood craft, c. other. |
| 6. Scrapbooks/Altered Books | 13. Holiday/Seasonal Crafts |
| 7. Handmade Greeting Cards | 14. Other |
| 8. Macramé – | |
| a. Jewelry, | |
| b. Wall Art, | |
| c. Home Décor, | |
| d. Miscellaneous | |

Lot 101 ~ Dolls & Animals. 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Soft Sculpture 2. Crochet 3. Any Other

Lot 102 ~ Ceramics & Plaster craft 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Unfired Stains. 2. Over glaze, Luster, etc. 3. Plaster Craft 4. other

Lot 103 ~ Decorator Panels/Items 1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$2.50; 3rd - \$2.00

1. Wicker & Straw
2. Latch Hook
3. Cross Stitch
4. Tatting
5. Needlepoint on Canvas
6. Crochet
7. Macramé
8. Wood Craft
9. Mixed Media
10. Other

CRAFTS & NEEDLEWORK (continued)

Lot 104 ~ Models. 1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$3.00; 3rd - \$2.00

(All models must be made from kits or materials NOT purchased complete)

1. Airplanes. 2. Cars. 3. Truck 4. Other

Lot 105 ~ Tole Painting & Woodworking 1st - \$5.00; 2nd - \$4.00; 3rd - \$2.00

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| 1. Tole on Wood or Metal | 4. Turned Article | 7. Small Wood Project |
| 2. Wood Carving | 5. Wooden Toy | 8. Birdhouse |
| 3. Wood Burning | 6. Large Wood Project | 9. Other |
- (Chair, table, etc)

Lot 106 ~ Crocheting

1. Afghans	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
2. Bedspreads	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$2.00
3. Doilies	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
4. Hot Dish Mat/Potholder	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
5. Slippers/mittens/hats	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
6a Stole 6b Scarf	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
7. Baby & Doll Articles	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
8. Sweaters	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00
9. Purse	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
10. other	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50

Lot 107 ~ Knitting

1. Afghans	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
2. Bedspreads	\$10.00	\$6.00	\$2.00
3. Doilies	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
4. Hot Dish Mat/Potholder	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
5. Slippers/mittens/hats	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
6. Stole or Scarf	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
7. Baby & Doll Articles	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
8. Sweaters	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00
9. Other	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50

Lot 108 ~ Embroidery, Candlewick, Swedish Weave, Drawn Thread or Appliqué (Not Quilted)

1. Pillow Cases (2)	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
2. Picture	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
3. Other	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50

Lot 109 ~ Cross Stitch

1. Stamped	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
2. Counted	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
3. Other	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50

Lot 110A ~ Sewing Machine ~ (not garment or quilted)

1. Bag	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
2. Towel	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
3. Other	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50

FLORAL DEPARTMENT (continued)

Lot 140 – Annuals and Bulbs 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

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| 1. Ageratum, three sprays | 16. Marigold, small up to 1", three blooms |
| 2. Aster, Single, three sprays | 17. Marigold, medium, 1-2 1/2", one bloom |
| 3. Aster, double, three sprays | 18. Marigold, large over 2 1/2", one bloom |
| 4. Bachelor button, three stems | 19. Nasturtium, three stems |
| 5. Balloon Flower, one stem | 20. Pansies, three stems |
| 6. Bells of Ireland, one spike | 21. Petunia, single, one stem |
| 7. Canna, small bloom, one stem | 22. Petunia, double, one stem |
| 8. Canna, Hybrid, one stem | 23. Petunia, ruffled, one stem |
| 9. Celosia (cockscomb) crested, one stem | 24. Salvia, three stems – |
| 10. Celosia, (cockscomb) plume, one stem | a. red, b. blue, c. any other color |
| 11. Coleus, one stem | 25. Scabosia, three stems |
| 12. Cosmos, any color, three stems | 26. Snapdragons, miniature, three stems |
| 13. Dahlia, any | 27. Snapdragons, large, one stem |
| 14. Geranium, one stem in bloom | 28. Statice, three stems |
| 15. Gladiolus, all entries, one spike | 29. Sunflower, one stem |
| a. white, b. yellow or blend, | 30. Verbena, three stems |
| c. orange or blend, d. pink or blend, | 31. Zinnia, pompom, three blooms |
| e. red, f. violet, g. purple or blend, | 32. Zinnia, large, one stem |
| h. rose or blend, i. any other color | 33. Zinnia, any other |
| | 34. Any other annual not listed |

Lot 141 – Perennials 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

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| 1. Aster, 3 stems | 13. Feverfew, single, 1 spray |
| 2. Chrysanthemum, cushion, 1 spray | 14. Hibiscus, 1 bloom |
| 3. Chrysanthemum, large, 1 bloom | 15. Hosta, Green - |
| 4. Chrysanthemum, pompom, 1 spray | a. small, 3 stems, |
| 5. Daisy, 3 stems | b. medium, 3 stems, |
| 6. Daisy, Shasta, three stems | c. large, 1 stem |
| 7. Daylily, Hemerocallis, 1 spray | 16. Hosta, variegated - |
| a. red, b. yellow, c. pink, | a. small, 3 stems |
| d. orange, e. other color | b. medium, 3 stems |
| 8. Delphinium, common, 1 stem | c. large, 1 stem |
| 9. Delphinium, hybrid, 1 stem | 17. Lily, Asiatic or Oriental 1 stem |
| 10. Dianthus, single, 3 stems | 18. Phlox, 1 stem |
| 11. Dianthus, double, 3 stems | 19. Sedum, small, 3 stems |
| 12. Feverfew, double, 1 spray | 20. Yarrow, 1 stem |
| | 21. Other |

PRODUCE DEPARTMENT (continued)

Lot 137 – Miscellaneous 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Rhubarb stalks (3)
2. Swiss Chard, plant (2)
3. Radishes (6)
4. Cauliflower (1 head)
5. Vegetable Novel es
6. Parsnips (3)
7. Turnips (3)
8. Black Walnuts (6)
9. Beets (3)
10. Kohlrabi (3)
11. Herbs (3)
12. Parsley (3)
13. Broccoli (1 head over 3 1/2")
14. Eggplant (1)
15. Miscellaneous

Lot 138 – Fresh Fruit exhibitor must raise all fruit

1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Summer Apples (3)
2. Winter Apples (3)
3. Strawberries (8)
4. Pears (3)
5. Plums, wild (10)
6. Plums, tame (10)
7. Grapes (2 bunches)
8. Peaches (3)
9. Raspberries (10)
10. Crab Apples (3)
11. Apricots (3)
12. Miscellaneous (3)

FLORAL DEPARTMENT

All entries by 12:45p.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2026

Exhibitors are to furnish their own containers of SIZE to hold flowers. Only one person from each family may make an entry in any ONE class but may enter as many classes as they desire. The exhibitor must have grown all. Not responsible for containers left after Monday July 20, 2026. Any items left can be picked up at the Fair office. Foliage with specimen desired. The exhibitor must have grown houseplants for three months. Plants and flowers freshly potted for the garden will be disqualified. Specimen not qualified will not receive a ribbon.

NOTICE for houseplant entrants: Our volunteers strive to do the best we can to care for your houseplants while at the fair. Leave watering instructions with your houseplant. If for any reason, you feel you are not able to trust your plant to our care, PLEASE DO NOT ENTER THE PLANT. – Thank you - Management

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Lot 139 – House Plants 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.50; 3rd - \$2.00

1. African Violet, Single
2. African Violet, double
3. Begonia
4. Cactus
5. Geranium - must be blooming
6. Ivy
7. Philodendron
8. Succulent
9. Fern
10. Any other potted plant not listed above

CRAFTS & NEEDLEWORK (continued)

Lot 110b ~ Sewing Machine (Garments)

1. Dress	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
2. Skirt	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
3. Blouse	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
4. Shirt	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
5. Jacket	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
6. Slacks	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
7. Apron	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
8. Baby & Doll Clothes	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50
9. Other	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.50

Lot 111 ~ Pillows 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Cross Stitch
2. Patchwork or Pieced
3. Novelty
4. Other

SHOWCASING

APRONS FOR

2026!

Double Purple for top prize!

QUILT DEPARTMENT

All Quilt entries by 12:30 p.m., Monday July 13, 2026

PLEASE NOTE THE DIFFERENT ENTRY DAY FOR QUILTS

One Quilt entry **MAY** be selected as Best in Show and therefore eligible to be entered at the Nebraska State Fair as Best in Dawson County. Entry must then meet State Fair requirements. Entry form will be made available and signed by Dawson County Fair Open Class Manager.

Each Exhibitor is limited to **ONE entry under each entry number**. Two person quilts will be accepted for entry. Make note on of this while entering. For example: Quilt top pieced by (name) and quilted by (name). One premium will be paid per quilt item.

**It must be a 3 layer piece (top batting and backing)
to be considered a quilt**

Every year, the Plum Creek Quilters' Guild choose a category in the Quilt Department to sponsor for a special \$20 prize. For 2026 the category is:

QUILTED Red White & Blue Quilt ~ Twin to Larger size.

We appreciate this group of women for their help with set up and the encouragement they give to other quilt makers as well. Thank you, Plum Creek Quilters' Guild!!

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Lot 112 ~ Large Quilts (full to king size bed) 1st - \$12.00; 2nd - \$10.00; 3rd - \$6.00

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| 1. Tied Comforter | 5. Hand Appliqué | 8. Hand Quilted |
| 2. Cross Stitch | 6. Pieced by Machine | 9. Longarm Quilting |
| 3. Embroidered | 7. Pieced by Hand | 10. Other |
| 4. Machine Appliqué | | |

Age groups for Open Class entries include Youth (Y) age 17 and under, Adult (A) age 18 to 59 and Senior (S) age 60-74 and Super Senior(SS) 75 and up.

All entry tags **MUST** have your age group written on them.

QUILT DEPARTMENT (continued)

Lot 112 ~ Crib Size or Small Bed or Lap Quilt

1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd - \$5.001

11. Tied Comforter 12. Cross Stitch. 13. Embroidered.
14. Machine Applique 15 Hand Applique 16 Pieced by Machine
17. Pieced by Hand. 18. Hand Quilted. 19 Other

Lot 112 ~ Miniature Quilt (4 inches or less pieced blocks, Max size 24"x24")
1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd - \$6.00

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| 20. Tied Quilt | 25. Pieced by Machine | 30. Pieced, quilted vest |
| 21. Cross Stitch | 26. Pieced by Hand | 31. Garment, other than vest |
| 22. Embroidered | 27. Hand Quilted | 32. Holiday Item |
| 23. Machine Appliqué | 28. Table Runner | 33. Doll quilt |
| 24. Hand Appliqué | 29. Pillow | 34. Other |

Lot 112 ~ Quilted Wall Hangings 1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd - \$6.00

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| 35. Mixed Media Fabrics | 39. Hand Appliqué | 43. Holiday Theme |
| 36. Cross Stitch | 40. Pieced by Machine | 44. Other |
| 37. Embroidered | 41. Pieced by Hand | |
| 38. Machine Appliqué | 42. Hand Quilted | |

Lot 112 ~ Scrappy Quilts 1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd - \$6.00

*State fair Guidelines Scrappy Quilts have 75 different fabrics.

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| 45. Miniature (max size 24" x 24") | 49. Twin Bed Size |
| 46. Baby Size Quilt | 50. Full to Very Large Bed Size |
| 47. Wall Hanging | 51. Any Other |
| 48. Lap Quilt | |

Lot 112 ~ Quilted Seasonal/Holiday Items 1st - \$3.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

(small, decorative items such as placemats(must have 4) dresser scarves, wall hangings, couch throw)

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| 52. Valentine's Day | 56. Thanksgiving |
| 53. Easter | 57. Christmas |
| 54. 4th Of July | 58. Any Other |
| 55. Halloween | |

Every year the **Plum Creek Quilters' Guild** sponsor an additional prize for a quilt project. For 2026, the guild has voted to sponsor a 'Red White & Blue' Quilt Twin to Large Size for the \$20 prize.

Lot 133 – Peppers 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Green Bell Peppers (3) 2. Sweet Peppers(3) 3.Yellow Sweet Peppers (3)
4. Hot Peppers, any color (5)

Lot 134 – Potatoes - DO NOT WASH 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

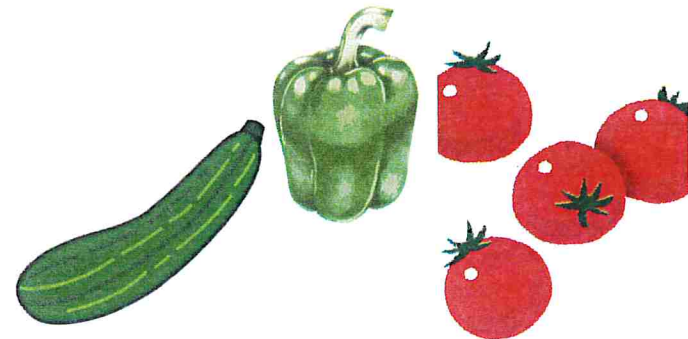
1. Red (3) 2. White (3) 3. Other

Lot 135 – Pumpkins and Squash 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Hubbard, matured (2)
2. Butternut, matured (2)
3. Halloween Type Pumpkins (2)
4. Gourds (5)
5. Straight neck, edible (2)
6. Large Pumpkin (1)
7. Crookneck, Edible (2)
8. Zucchini, edible (2)
9. Acorn type, matured (2)
10. Mini pumpkins (5)
11. Scallop, edible (2)
12. Miscellaneous

Lot 136 – Tomatoes 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Red (3) 2. Small Red, (8) under 2" in diameter 3. Yellow (3) 4. Other



PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

All entries by 12:45 p.m., Wednesday, July 16, 2026

The exhibitor must grow all entries in the 2026 crop year (unless otherwise stated.) All displays will be exhibited; however, premiums will be paid only to the ones listed in premium list. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry under each entry number. Uniformity of display is very important. Check requirements of each lot carefully.

Refrigeration prior to show causes deterioration. Do not wash potatoes.

Lot 124 – Field Corn (grown in 2026)

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Yellow (5 ears)

Lot 125 – Sweet Corn 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Yellow (5 ears)

Lot 126 – Beans 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Green (6 pods) 2. Wax (6 pods) 3. Miscellaneous (6 pods)

Lot 127 – Cabbage 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Red (1 head) 2. Flat (1 head) 3. Round (1 head)

Lot 128 – Carrots 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Short (not over 4.5") (5) 2. Medium Long (5) 3. Long (5)

Lot 129 – Cucumbers 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Slicing Cucumbers (2) 2. Pickling Cucumbers (5)

Lot 130 – Watermelon 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Round (1) 2. Long (1)

Lot 131 – Muskmelons/Cantaloupes 1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Muskmelons/Cantaloupes (1) 2. Honey Dew (1)

Lot 132 – Onions (Onions should be mature and not peeled)

1st - \$3.00; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Red Onion (3) 2. Yellow Onion (3) 3. White Onion (3)
4. Largest 4" and over, any color (1)

HOMEMAKING

All entries by 12:45 p.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2025 All entries will be judged upon their individual merits. Items must have been made since September 1, 2025. Exhibitor must have made each item. **Baked goods** must have been baked before Midnight on Tuesday, July 14, 2026 (must be homemade and placed in plastic bags for exhibiting).

Each exhibitor is limited to **ONE entry under each entry number.**

No premiums will be offered for frozen foods in the Homemaking Department.

No cake or commercial mixes allowed.

Best of show award in this division, \$10.00

Baked Goods

Lot 114 – Bread 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

Three-Fourth loaf, baked in single pan, about 5" x 9", top measurement for White, Whole Wheat, Nut Bread and all other to be optional as to size of pan. Mini Loaf need 2 loaves.

1. Nut. 2. White. 3. whole wheat 4. Pumpkin 5. Zucchini 6. Banana. 7. Other

Lot 114b – Bread (4 per exhibit) 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Muffins 2. Scones 3. Biscuits

Lot 114c – Sour Dough Bread (no discard recipes) 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Traditional Loaf 2. Round Boule 3. White 4. Wheat 5. Inclusions (fruits or herbs).

Lot 115 – Rolls (4 per exhibit) 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Cinnamon 2. Dark Bread 3. Light Bread 4. Other

Lot 116 – Cookies (4 per exhibit) 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1. Butterscotch. 2. Oatmeal 3. Sugar. 4. Chocolate Chip 5. Brownies.
6. Peanut Butter 7. No Bake. 8. Other

HOMEMAKING (continued)

Lot 116A~Pies 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd- \$1.50

(entrant may pick up pie after 6pm Wednesday)

1.Apple. 2. Cherry. 3. Rhubarb. 4. Peach. 5. Other

Lot 116B - Cakes - no mixes 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd- \$1.50

(entrant may pick up cake after 6pm Wednesday)

1.Chocolate. 2. Decorated. 3. White. 4. Angel Food Cake.
5. Other

Lot 116C - Candy 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd- \$1.50

1.Fudge 2. Divinity 3. Other

Canned/Preserved Foods

Lot 117- Fruits. 1st - \$2.50; 2nd - \$2.00; 3rd - \$1.50

1.Any pie filling. 2. Apple Sauce. 3. Apricots 4a.Cherries (pitted)

4b.Cherries(with pits). 5.Rhubarb. 6.Peaches 7. Pears.

8. Plums. 9. Other

Lot 117A-Freeze Dried (must be visible in a jar)

1.Fruits 2. Vegetables 3. other

Lot 118- Vegetables

1.Canned Soup 2. Carrots. 3. Corn. 4. Green Beans 5. Salsa

6.Tomatoes 7. Yellow Beans. 8. Other

Lot 118A Dried/Dehydrated Vegetables

1.Tomatoes 2. Onions 3. Peppers. 4. Corn. 5. Carrots 6. Herbs

7.Other

Lot 118B Fermented

1.Pickles 2.Sauerkraut 3.Other

HOMEMAKING

Canned/Preserved Foods (continued)

1st-\$2.50; 2nd- \$2.00; 3rd- \$1.50

Lot 119- Jams - Made of juice combined with sugar and cooked until thick.

1.Apricot 2. Choke Cherry. 3. Grape. 4. Strawberry. 5. Other

Lot 120 - Jellies. -

1.Apple. 2. Choke Cherry. 3.Grape. 4. Wild Grape. 5. Plum.

6.Wild Plum 6. Other

Lot 121 - Juices

1.Apple 2. Grape. 3.Tomato 4.Other

Lot 122 Pickles

1.Beet. 2.Dills 3.Sweet. 4.Cinnamon 5.Sliced 6.Peppers 7.Relish

8.Other

Lot 123 Meat

1.Beef 2.Poultry. 3.Other

Lot 123A Jerky

1.Beef 2.Turkey 3.Other

