

## **FLOWERS - DIVISION F**

### **Entry Fees:**

1. **NO ENTRY FEES FOR THIS DIVISION**

### **Entries Accepted:**

1. **Entries will be accepted until 6:00 pm on Wednesday August 24, 2022.**
2. Entries for the Flower Division are made in the Open Class building, located under the main grandstands.
3. Entry form follows this section and can also be found on our website on the forms tab.
4. **Junior Class** just add the letter "J" behind the class number. You are junior if you are in the grades of 9-12.
5. Floral entries must be made by 6:00 pm on Wednesday of Fair week. The actual flower exhibit must be in place by 8:30 am Thursday of fair week.
6. **NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE JUDGED.**

### **Release of Flower Exhibits:**

Exhibits will be released on Saturday, August 27 Between 4:00-6:00 p.m. (no early dismissals) this time is subject to change and will be posted in the Open Class Pavilion and announced during the fair week.

### **Specific Rules:**

1. All cut flowers must have been grown by the exhibitor.
2. All plants must have been grown in container, and in possession for at least 60 days before opening of Fair.
3. The Fair Board will not be responsible for any plants or container, but will use a great care for the preservation.
4. PLEASE pay special attention to the following:
  - ❖ Choose most perfect specimen in each classification.
  - ❖ Have the right number of blooms required for the class
  - ❖ Label with variety name, if possible
  - ❖ **Containers for fresh flowers will be provided.**
  - ❖ Groom flowers and foliage, includes removing of bugs

Exhibits in this section will be judged as follows:

1. Perfection of form, bloom and texture
2. Depth and purity of color
3. Condition of Flower
4. Size, according to type

5. Foliage consideration being equal, preference will be given to new and liner varieties in each class.
6. Ribbon will not be given unless entry merits it
7. One entry per lot, per exhibitor
8. All fresh flowers must have foliage attached

*Some Helpful Hints for Conditioning Your Flowers*

Gather flowers when it is cool, usually early in the morning or late in the evening. Place stems immediately in warm water. Set container in a cool place. Use a sharp knife and cut stems on slant. Crush woody stems (chrysanthemums, Roses, etc.) for at least 2 inches. Remove foliage for arrangements that will be below the water line. Dahlias can either be singed with a flame, or place the end of the stem in boiling water for no more than 30 seconds (protect the bloom with a collar of paper). Then place in cool water. Annuals such as marigolds and asters require only immediate submersion in warm water. Gladiolus, snapdragons and larkspur stalks should be cut when approximately half of the lower blossoms are open.

**DEFINITIONS:**

Bloom --- An individual flower, one bloom to a stem, such as a pansy.

Specimen --- A single bloom stalk, such as zinnia

Spray --- A portion of a plant with a number of flowers on one stem, such as a petunia

Spike --- A stalk carrying many stem--less or nearly stem--less flowers, such as gladiola

Stalk --- Stiff stem, which may branch with one or more flowers, such as phlox

Double --- More than one row of petals

**PREMIUMS FOR OPEN CLASS FLOWERS**

1<sup>st</sup> Place        \$4.00

2<sup>nd</sup> Place        \$2.00

3<sup>rd</sup> Place        \$1.00

**Class #**

1700 Aster, Single, 1 stem

1701 Aster, Powder Puff, 1 stem

1702 Aster, Perennial (Michaelmas Daisy), 1 stem

1703 Begonia, Tuberous, Double, 1 bloom, foliage and bud, floated

1704 Begonia, Picotee, 1 bloom, foliage and bud, floated

1705 Begonia, Fibrous, 1 stalk

1706 CALENDULA --- 3 STEMS

1707 COSMOS --- 3 SPRAYS

1708 Chrysanthemum, Large Flowered, 1 stem

1709 Chrysanthemum, Button

- 1710 Chrysanthemum, Cushion, 1 cluster
- 1711 Chrysanthemum, Other
- 1712 Daisy, Single 3 stems with foliage
- 1713 Daisy, Shasta 3 stems 3 stems with foliage
- 1714 Daisy, Double Gloriosa 3 stems with foliage
- 1715 Daisy, Single Gloriosa 3 stems with foliage
- 1716 Daisy, Cone Flower 3 stems with foliage
- 1717 DELPHINIUM --- 1 STALK
- 1718 Dianthus, Single 3 stems
- 1719 Dianthus, Double 3 stems
- 1720 Dianthus, Carnation, garden variety 3 stems
- 1721 Dahlia, Decorative, 8" and over with foliage
- 1722 Dahlia, Decorative, 4' to 8" with foliage
- 1723 Dahlia, Any other type, 1 bloom over 4" with foliage
- 1724 Dahlia, Miniature, 3 blossoms with foliage
- 1725 Dahlia, Pompom, 3 blossoms with foliage
- 1726 Dahlia, Bouquet, 5 varieties, 1 each color with foliage
- 1727 FLOWERING VINES - 3 STEMS DISPLAYED WITH FOLIAGE ATTACHED
- 1728 Gladiolus, Large flowered, 1 stalk 1/3 open
- 1729 Gladiolus, Miniature, 1 stalk 1/3 open
- 1730 Gladiolus, Basket of mixed, 3 or more stalks 1/3 open
- 1731 Geraniums, Ivy Leaf 1 stalk
- 1732 Geraniums, Martha Washington 1 stalk
- 1733 Geraniums, Zonal 1 stalk
- 1734 Geraniums, Other 1 stalk
- 1735 HOLLY HOCK, 3 SHORT STALKS WITH FOLIAGE
- 1736 Lilies, Oriental, 1 stem
- 1737 Lilies, Day 1 stem
- 1738 Lilies, Other 1 stem
- 1739 Marigold, French double 1 spray with foliage
- 1740 Marigold, French single 1 spray with foliage
- 1741 Marigold, African Double, 1 bloom with foliage
- 1742 Marigold, African single, 3 blooms with foliage
- 1743 Nasturtiums, Single, 3 stem with foliage
- 1744 Nasturtiums, Double, 3 stems with foliage
- 1745 PANSIES --- 3 STEMS WITH FOLIAGE
- 1746 Petunia, Double, 2 sprays
- 1747 Petunia, Single, 3 sprays
- 1748 Phlox, Annual,
- 1749 Phlox, stems
- 1750 Phlox, Dwarf, 3 stems
- 1751 Phlox, Perennial, 1 stalk
- 1752 Roses, Hybrid Tea, 1 bloom with foliage
- 1753 Roses, Floribunda, 1 spray with foliage
- 1754 Roses, Climber, 1 bloom lateral with foliage
- 1755 Roses, Miniature Rose, 1 spray with foliage
- 1756 Roses, Collection, 5 blooms, 1 each color with foliage
- 1757 Snapdragons, One variety, 3 stalk
- 1758 Snapdragons, Mixed colors, 3 stalks
- 1759 Snapdragons, Dwarf, 3 stalks

- 1760 Sunflower, Largest --- one stem
- 1761 Sunflower, Bouquet small --- 3 stems with foliage
- 1762 SWEET PEAS --- 3 STEMS WITH FOLIAGE
- 1763 VERBENA 3 BLOOMS WITH FOLIAGE
- 1764 VIOLAS 3 STEMS WITH FOLIAGE
- 1765 Zinnia, Small flowered 4" and under 3 blooms same color with foliage
- 1766 Zinnia, Large flowered 4" and over 3 blooms same color with foliage
- 1767 Zinnia, Collection large zinnias, 3 blooms one each color with foliage
- 1768 Zinnia, Collection small zinnias, 3 blooms one each color with foliage
- 1769 ANY OTHER WORTHY HORTICULTURAL EXHIBIT
- 1770 Display of Cut flowers, Giant flowered, 4" and over, 3 blooms
- 1771 Display of Cut Flowers, Small flowered, 4" and under, 3 blooms
- 1772 Display of Cut Flowers, Any other, 2" to 4", 3 blooms
- 1773 Shrubs, Berried, 1 branch
- 1774 Shrubs, Flowered, 1 branch
- 1775 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Fern
- 1776 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Philodendron
- 1777 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Swedish Ivy
- 1778 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Piggy Back
- 1779 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Coleus
- 1780 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Wandering Jew
- 1781 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Ivy
- 1782 Non-Flowering, potted plants, Other
- 1783 Flowering, potted plants, African Violet, single
- 1784 Flowering, potted plants, African Violet, double
- 1785 Flowering, potted plants, African Violet, miniature
- 1786 Flowering, potted plants, Geraniums
- 1787 Flowering, potted plants, Spider
- 1788 Flowering, potted plants, Other
- 1789 Miscellaneous, Dish garden
- 1790 Miscellaneous, Terrarium
- 1791 Miscellaneous, Hanging basket: Plant, Pot and Hanger will be judged together
- 1792 Miscellaneous, Plant grown in most unusual container
- 1793 Miscellaneous, Succulents: Jade plant, Hens & Chickens, etc.
- 1794 Cactus, Small variety, 4" or under diameter or height, 1 specimen
- 1795 Cactus, Large variety, 4" or larger diameter or height, 1 specimen
- 1796 ARRANGEMENTS FEATURING GRAINS GROWN IN SHERMAN COUNTY  
Grains must be at least half of content. Must be in place by 6:00 pm Wednesday
- 1797 Blanket Flower, 3 stems
- 1798 Coreopsis, 3 stems
- 1799 Windflower, 3 stems


