



**2018**

## **Marion County Fair**

# **Judged Exhibit Listing and Guidelines**

**September 26th - 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.**

Registration for Canning, Gardening, other  
Agricultural Products and Cultural Arts  
Registration for Flower Show and Baking

**September 27th - 8:00 -10:00 a.m.**

Registration for exhibits continues

**5:00 p.m. - Fair Opens**

**September 29th - Fair Closes**

**Pick up entries 7:00 - 9:00 p.m**

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**The Marion County Fair**  
**September 27-29**  
**Exhibits and Categories Youth and Adult Divisions**

Each exhibitor will be limited to one article per class. All entries must have been completed within the last year.

**Registration - Wednesday, September 26th - 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.**  
**Thursday, September 27th - 8:00 -10:00 a.m**

Register individual exhibits in **Canning, Gardening, Other Agricultural Products, and Cultural Arts**. These exhibits will be judged Thursday, September 27 and will be displayed through Saturday. Exhibits must be picked up Saturday, September 29, between 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.

**Canning**

All canned entries must be standard jars.

**I. Jellies, Jams and Preserves (1/2 pint or pint jar)**

- A. Apple Butter
- B. Plum Butter
- C. Apple Jelly
- D. Grape Jelly
- E. Plum Jelly
- F. Blackberry Jelly
- G. Blackberry Jam
- H. Peach Preserves
- I. Pear Preserves
- J. Strawberry Preserves
- K. Grape Jam
- L. Muscadine Jelly/Jam
- M. Miscellaneous Jellies, Jams and Preserves

**II. Pickles/Relishes (pint or quart)**

- A. Pickled Beets
- B. Bread and Butter Pickles

- C. Chow-Chow or Sweet Relish
- D. Corn Relish
- E. Cucumber - Sweet
- F. Cucumber - Dill
- G. Green Tomato Pickle
- H. Hot Pepper
- I. Pickled Okra
- J. Peach Pickle
- K. Pepper Relish
- L. Salsa
- M. Squash Pickle
- N. Tomato Catsup
- O. Miscellaneous Pickles/Relishes

**III. Canned Fruit (pint or quart)**

- A. Apples
- B. Apple Sauce
- C. Blackberries
- D. Cherries
- E. Grape Juice with or without grapes
- F. Peaches
- G. Pears
- H. Miscellaneous Canned Fruit

**IV. Canned Vegetables (pint or quart)**

- A. Beets
- B. Carrots
- C. Corn, Creamed
- D. Corn, Whole Kernel
- E. Crowder Peas
- F. English Peas
- G. Green Beans
- H. Kraut
- I. Lima Beans
- J. Okra
- K. Red Pimentos
- L. Soup Mixture
- M. Squash
- N. Tomatoes
- O. Tomato Juice
- P. Tomato Sauce
- Q. Miscellaneous Canned Vegetables

## Gardening

### I. Vegetables & Fruits

- A. Asparagus
- B. Cauliflower
- C. Cabbage
- D. Onions - green (1 bunch)
- E. English peas
- F. Beets

- G. Radishes
- H. Carrots
- I. Broccoli
- J. Collard Greens
- K. Turnip Green
- L. Leaf Lettuce
- M. Mustard Greens
- N. Turnips
- O. Strawberries
- P. Misc. fruits or vegetable

### II. Other Agricultural Products

- A. Eggs (dozen)
- B. Honey Pint or Quart jar
- C. Gourds (1)
- D. Hay

## Horticulture (Flowers)

Cut flowers shall consist of a single specimen of the flower in a clear glass container. The flowers must be grown by the exhibitor.

### I. Annuals

- A. Marigold, Small
- B. Marigold, Large
- C. Coleus
- D. Petunia
- E. Geranium
- F. Any other annual

### II. Roses

- K. Hybrid Tea
- L. Floribunda
- M. Miniature Climbers
- N. Any other rose

### III. Perennials

- O. Dahlias, Small
- P. Dahlias, Large
- Q. Coreopsis
- R. Aster
- S. Daisy
- T. Chrysanthemum
- U. Any other perennial

### IV. Artistic Design - Flower Arrangements

- A. Wildflower
- B. Mixed Garden Flowers
- C. Dried Arrangement
- D. All Green Arrangement (A variety of foliage and/or seed pods, fruits, etc. may be used)
- E. Arrangement featuring Roses

Space allowed for each arrangement will be 24"x30"

## Cultural Arts

### I. Photography

- A. Buildings
- B. Scenery
- C. People
- D. Animals
- E. Miscellaneous Photography

(Photos should be mounted or framed to no larger than 12" X 14")

### II. Drawings & Paintings

- A. Drawings - any media
- B. Watercolors
- C. Oils
- D. Acrylic
- E. Other media

### III. Hand Crafts

- A. Ceramics
- B. Knitting
- C. Crocheted Item
- D. Counted Cross Stitch

- E. Other Embroidery
- F. Needlepoint
- G. Plastic Canvas
- H. Wood Craft - Carving
- I. Wood Craft - Construction
- J. Holiday Craft
- K. Quilting
- L. Scrapbooking - one page
- M. Jewelry - hand made
- N. Miscellaneous hand craft

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## Baking

### I. Cakes (whole)

- A. Pound Cake
- B. Sheet Cake
- C. Layer Cake
- D. Decorated Cake
- E. Bundt Cake - any kind

### II. Cookies (plate of 3)

- A. Decorated cookies
- B. Any other cookies

### III. Bread

- A. Biscuits (plate of 3)
- B. Cornbread (plate of 3 cut pieces or 3 muffins)
- C. Banana Bread (1/2 loaf)
- D. Other loaf bread (pumpkin, zucchini, strawberry, etc.) (1/2 loaf)
- E. Yeast bread (1/2 loaf)
- F. Yeast rolls (plate of 3)

### IV. Pies

- A. Fruit pie (whole)
- B. Other pie (whole)
- C. Fried pies – fruit (plate of 3)
- D. Fried pies – other (plate of 3)

## GENERAL RULES & INFORMATION

(Rules are subject to change without notice)

- \* Ribbons will be awarded in each class and Best of Show in each category.
- \* Exhibits must have been processed and grown or made since the 2017 Fair.
- \* All Departments will have both an Adult and Youth Division unless otherwise noted.
- \* Each exhibit and entry must be listed in the NAME OF THE BONA FIDE OWNER and must be the work of the person entering it.
- \* All exhibitors must see that all their entries are properly tagged before leaving. Only fair workers and authorized personnel are allowed in the exhibit area during registration and judging.
- \* Where there is no competition, the judge shall have the authority to place according to merit of the exhibit and entry.
- \* While every precaution will be taken to safeguard exhibits and entries; it should be understood that the Fair will not be responsible for damage, accident or loss that may occur.
- \* All exhibits shall be under the control of the fair during exhibition. No exhibits shall be removed from the Fair before pickup times specified. Baked goods and flowers and perishable gardening exhibits not picked up by close of fair on September 29 will be discarded.

- \* No person shall enter more than one item per class.
- \* All entries must contain the amount called for in its class to be eligible for judging. Any entry that does not fit in any class will be displayed only.
- \* The Fair reserves the right to refuse any item considered unsuitable for fair exhibit.
- \* Only persons residing in, working in or going to school in Marion County are eligible to enter.
- \* Youth are defined as being in the 12th grade and under during the school year (2018-19).
- \* All exhibits and entries must be removed on Saturday, September 29 between 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.
- \* Advertising on the grounds by means of posters, handbills, samples, etc., will not be permitted except upon agreement with the Fair board.
- \* No soliciting of funds, selling etc. will be permitted except with the agreement of the Fair board.
- \* No pets will be permitted in the exhibit or livestock areas.

## Cash Awards

A \$10 best of Category premium will be awarded for Youth and Adult in each Category (Canning, Gardening, Other Agricultural Products, Cultural Arts, Horticulture (Flowers) and Baking.