

2016 ALLEN COUNTY ADULT OPEN CLASS EXHIBIT

(18 years of age and above)

Home and Family Arts Building - Allen County Fairgrounds

July 26 – July 31, 2016

Monday	July 25	8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Enter Exhibits
Monday	July 25	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon	Judge Exhibits
Tuesday	July 26	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Wednesday	July 27	9:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Wednesday	July 27	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Home & Family Arts Day
Thursday	July 28	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon	Kid's Day Crafts
Thursday	July 28	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Friday	July 29	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Saturday	July 30	7:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Sunday	July 31	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Sunday	July 31	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Release Exhibits (<i>None will be released before this time</i>)

RULES FOR 2016 OPEN CLASS EXHIBIT

1. **Items exhibited must have been finished by the exhibitor since last year's fair. (No exhibits from previous years.)**
2. **There is a \$2.00 fee per exhibit.** No limit on number of exhibits.
Make checks payable to: Allen County Extension Homemakers Clubs.
3. Each participant may enter as many categories as desired but is *limited to two articles per section.*
4. **Judging is closed to exhibitors.**
5. The committee reserves the right to divide sections if the number of entries warrants.
6. All exhibits will receive a ribbon.
7. The Adult Open Class Exhibit is for adults 18 and above due to limited display space. The 4-H program is available for youth, 3rd grade – high school seniors. Extension Homemakers Membership is not required.
8. No items accepted "for display only". All items will be judged.

CATEGORIES AND SECTION NUMBERS

(Please pay extra attention to any notes in individual categories.)

FOODS - Display items on disposable plates, pie pans, etc. Limited to two articles per section. *A small portion of the food item will be used for judging and display. Exhibitors, please pick up remainder of item after 1:00 p.m. on the day of judging.* **Note: REVISED Food Safety Rule:** "Filling, frosting, glazing, pie filling, and meringue, (whether uncooked or cooked) are not permitted to contain cream cheese, sour cream, heavy cream or whipped cream. Additionally, raw milk, raw milk products or uncooked eggs/egg whites are not permitted. Eggs/ egg whites that have been cooked to 160°F; pasteurized are acceptable. No home-canned fruits, vegetables, or meats are permitted in products. (**Recipes must be provided that show which ingredients were used in each part of the product.**) Contestants should carefully wash their hands and make sure that their hands do not have any open cuts before preparing foods. Contestants should not be preparing food exhibits for competition within 48 hours of recovering from any illness. Whenever possible, baked products should be transported and stored in chilled coolers (41° F).

Section

- A101 Yeast Dinner Rolls - (six)
- A102 Frosted or Unfrosted Cake
- A103 Decorated Cake - may be a cake or a cake form. Cake will not be judged - only the decorating.
- A104 Decorated Cupcakes - (six) Cake will not be judged - only the decorating.
- A105 Cookies - six of any kind of baked cookies on paper plate
- A106 Fancy Rolls - six made with yeast
- A107 Quick Bread - made with baking powder or soda (coffee cake, nut or fruit bread, muffins-six)
- A108 Bread - one loaf made with yeast - any type flour
- A109 Bread - one loaf made with yeast - made in a bread maker
- A110 Angel or Sponge Cake – unfrosted
- A111 Candy - (six pieces)
- A112 Fruit Pie

FOOD PRESERVATION - See "Fresh Preserving" Awards on separate sheet. Limited to two articles per section. **Note: Each jar should be labeled with name of product, date, and have a screw band for display. (Recipes, with instructions, processing method, and processing time must be provided.)**

Section

- B201 Canning - one jar of fruit *Regulation canning jar only*
- B202 Canning - one jar of vegetables *Regulation canning jar only*
- B203 Jams and Jellies - one jar of jam or jelly properly sealed *Regulation canning jar only - No paraffin*
- B204 Specialty Products - one jar of sauces, relishes, pickles, etc. *Regulation canning jar only*
- B205 Dehydrated - one item - fruit, vegetable, fruit leather, beef or venison jerky. *Exhibit in zipper-type plastic bag*

CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- C301 Suit - skirt or pants with its own jacket, for men or women
- C302 Sportswear - 2 pieces, a top and bottom such as tee shirt, skirt, shorts, pants etc., for men or women
- C303 Dress - one piece
- C304 Dress with jacket or 2 piece dress
- C305 Child's Clothing - any piece or pieces
- C306 Formal or Wedding Wear
- C307 Knitted Clothing Item
- C308 Crocheted Clothing Item
- C309 Machine Knitted Clothing Item
- C310 Felted Clothing Item
- C311 Miscellaneous - anything not in the above categories

HOUSEPLANTS - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- D401 Potted House Plant (propagated) - any variety in free standing pot, not a hanging pot. Plant should be one you have propagated---started from cutting, seed or any other propagating method.
- D402 Potted House Plant or Plants (purchased) - any variety in free standing pot, not a hanging pot. Purchased plants - that you have cared for at least 6 months.
- D403 Potted Outdoor Plant (**pot limited to 14" diameter**) – purchased plant must have been cared for at least 2 months.
- D404 Plant growing in medium other than soil (hydroponics) - in free standing container.
- D405 Terrariums - suitable for table display
- D406 Cactus - table top
- D407 Succulents

FLOWER ARRANGING - Fresh flowers - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- E501 Miniature - up to 6 inches from table to top of arrangement
- E502 Bud vase
- E503 Centerpiece
- E504 One Sided Arrangement
- E505 Corsage - 3 or more blooms
- E506 Small Bouquets or Nosegays
- E507 Bouquet in a Vase

WREATHS - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- F601 Seasonal
- F602 Dried
- F603 Fresh
- F604 Other Wreaths

GARDEN PRODUCE - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- G701 **Bring three different varieties of vegetables** in numbers as listed below:
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|-------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 5 potatoes | 5 tomatoes | 1 head cauliflower | 3 ears of corn (husk on) |
| 1 squash | 1 head cabbage | 5 carrots | 3 peppers (any color) |
| 5 cucumbers | 5 onions | 1 head broccoli | 15 green or wax beans |
| 1 eggplant | 5 beets | | |
- G702 Fruit and/or Vegetable Centerpiece - An arrangement made from fresh fruits and/or vegetables; it will be judged on overall appearance. Accessories may be used. For centerpieces only; exhibitor need not grow items.
- G703 Dehydrated Fruit and/or Vegetable Centerpiece - Accessories may be used. It will be judged on overall appearance.

ARTS AND CRAFTS - Limited to two articles per section. **Note: All articles should be finished and ready to use (example: pictures should be framed, etc.).** Provide documentation on quilts.

Section

- H801 Scrap Craft - (or throw away material) any object made from scraps
- H802 Wood - any item made of wood
- H803 Pillows - any form of pillow (like items will be judged together)
- H804 Basket Weaving - Woven of reed, straw or other natural materials
- H805 Plastic Canvas Craft
- H806 Silk, Dried Flower or Feather Arrangements
- H807 Decorated Clothing Items and Accessories
- H808 Afghans - woven, knitted, crocheted, or any combination
- H809 Doilies - knitted, crocheted, tatted (**mounted for display**)
- H810A Needlecraft – needlepoint
- H810B Needlecraft – counted cross-stitch
- H810C Needlecraft – crewel, hardanger, embroidery, tatting, smocking, chicken scratch, cross-stitch items
- H811 Felted item
- H812 Machine Embroidery
- H813 Comforters - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered (knotted)
- H814 Quilts - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered – hand-quilted
- H815 Quilts - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered – machine-quilted
- H816 Baby Quilts – pieced, appliquéd, or embroidered, no larger than 45x54"
- H817 Miniature Quilts - squares no larger than 14 x 14 inches; rectangles no larger than 13 x 17 inches
- H818 Quilt Block - 12 ½ inch square pieced quilt block - any pattern (unquilted)
- H819 Rugs
- H820 Tole Painting - any surface, except canvas
- H821 Metal Work – sculptures, punching, etc.
- H822 Stained Glass – decorations, ornaments, etc.
- H823 Glass Work/Etching
- H824 Jewelry – necklace, bracelet, earrings, ring or sets
- H825 Purses, Handbags, Totes
- H826A Scrapbooking – Single Page
- H826B Scrapbooking – Book
- H826C Scrapbooking - Decorative Cards
- H827 Paper Crafts (origami, quilling, Scherenschnitte, etc.
- H828 Miniatures (houses, room, shop, holiday, etc.
- H829 Miscellaneous - any item that does not fit in the other categories

WALL HANGINGS - Limited to two articles per section. **Note: Mounting and frames will be judged. Initial and date needlework.**

Section

- I901 Pictures and Wall Hangings - any form of needlework.
- I902 Wall Hanging - natural material (grape vine, corn husk, pine cones, etc.)
- I903 Quilted Wall Hangings
- I904 Miscellaneous - any item that does not fit in the other categories

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS - Limited to two articles per section. **Note: All articles should be finished and ready for use. (Example: pictures should be framed, etc.)**

Section

- J1001 Tree Ornaments
- J1002 Wall Decorations
- J1003 Miscellaneous - items other than ornaments or wall decorations

CERAMICS - Limited to two articles per section. **Note: All articles should be finished and ready for use. (Example: pictures should be framed, etc.)**

Section

- K1101 Any Ceramic Item - finished from clay or green ware and fired

FINE ARTS - Originals of Amateurs - paintings, drawings, or sketches in any art medium. All articles should be finished and ready for use. Limited to two articles per section. **Note: Mounting and frames will be judged. (Frame size will be limited to 30"x36".)**

Section

- L1201 Oil
- L1202 Charcoal
- L1203 Water Color
- L1204 Pastels
- L1205 Acrylic
- L1206 Ink
- L1207 Colored Pencils
- L1208 Mixed Medium – *Specify medium used on label.*

PHOTOGRAPHY - Limited to two articles per section. **Original photo; NO manipulation, EXCEPT Creative Photography category. Creative Photography entries MUST INCLUDE ORIGINAL attached to back. Note: Mounting and frames will be judged.**

Section

- P1401A 35mm Photography - one single print enlarged to a 5 x 7 or 8 x 10 matted or framed.
- P1401B Digital Photography - one single print enlarged to a 5 x 7 or 8 x 10 matted or framed.
- P1401C Creative Photography - one single print, digitally manipulated, enlarged to a 5 x 7 or 8 x 10 matted or framed w/original attached.
- P1402A 35mm Photography - snapshots, three 4 x 6 prints mounted on board and framed.
- P1402B Digital Photography - snapshots, three 4 x 6 prints mounted on board and framed.
- P1402C Creative Photography - snapshots, three 4 x 6 prints, digitally manipulated, mounted on board and framed w/original attached.
- P1403A 35mm Salon Print - one black & white or color print, no smaller than 7 x 9 inches or larger than 11 x 14 inches printed from any size negative. **(Must be mounted on standard 16 x 20 inch salon mount, displayed vertically. Wrap to protect. NO hanger or frame.)**
- P1403B Digital Salon Print - one black & white or color print, no smaller than 7 x 9 inches or larger than 11 x 14 inches printed from any size negative. **(Must be mounted on standard 16 x 20 inch salon mount, displayed vertically. Wrap to protect. NO hanger or frame.)**
- 1403C Creative Photography - salon print - one black & white or color print, digitally manipulated, no smaller than 7 x 9 inches or larger than 11 x 14 inches printed from any size negative. **(Must be mounted on standard 16 x 20 inch salon mount, displayed vertically. Wrap to protect. NO hanger or frame.)** Attach Original.

SEWING - Limited to two articles per section.

Section

- S1501 Table Coverings - runners, napkins, placemats, etc.
- S1502 Aprons
- S1503 Bed Linens - pillow cases, shams, comforters, etc.
- S1504 Curtains
- S1505 Slip Covers
- S1506 Doll Clothes
- S1507 Dolls & Stuffed toys - any style or form
- S1508 Miscellaneous

Note: The Allen County Extension Homemakers are not responsible for loss or damage to any article at the Allen County Fairgrounds, but we will take every precaution available to insure their safety.



2016 Award Announcement

BALL® FRESH PRESERVING AWARD FOR ADULT LEVEL

presented by:

BALL® & KERR® FRESH PRESERVING PRODUCTS

Jarden Home Brands, marketers of Ball® and Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products, is proud to recognize today's fresh preserving (canning) enthusiasts. Awards for 1st and 2nd place will be presented to individuals whose home canned entry is selected the best in the category.

A panel of judges will select the 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® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-Sugar, or Liquid.

Entries from each category honored with the First Place award will receive:

- Two (2) Five-Dollar (\$5) Coupons for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and
- One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

Entries from each category honored with the Second Place award will receive:

- One (1) Five-Dollar (\$5) Coupon for Ball® or Kerr® Fresh Preserving Products and
- One (1) Free (up to \$5 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

DETACH & SEPARATE EXHIBIT LABELS BELOW – ATTACH TO YOUR PROJECTS

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Please Attach Label
To Each Exhibit

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Section # _____

Category _____

The exhibitor made this item since last year's fair.

Judge's Comments: _____

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2016 OPEN CLASS ENTRY BLANK

Please fill out and return by July 20, 2016, to: Vickie Hadley, Allen County Extension Office, 4001 Crescent Avenue, Fort Wayne, IN 46815-4590. Note: There will be a \$2.00 entry fee per exhibit. No limit of exhibits. **Please include check made payable to: Allen County Extension Homemaker Clubs.**

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Address: _____ City, State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

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