

2017 ALLEN COUNTY ADULT OPEN CLASS EXHIBIT

(18 years of age and above)

Home and Family Arts Building - Allen County Fairgrounds

July 24 – July 30, 2017

Monday	July 24	8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Enter Exhibits
Monday	July 24	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon	Judge Exhibits
Monday	July 24	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Non Exhibit Food Items Released
Tuesday	July 25	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Wednesday	July 26	9:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Wednesday	July 26	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Home & Family Arts Day
Thursday	July 27	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon	Kid's Day Crafts
Thursday	July 27	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Friday	July 28	10:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Saturday	July 29	7:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Sunday	July 30	Noon - 5:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open to Public
Sunday	July 30	6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Release Exhibits (<i>None will be released before this time</i>)

RULES FOR 2017 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 Homemaker 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. Non exhibit food items released from 1:00 – 4:00 pm following judging.
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 Homemaker 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 1:00-4:00 p.m. following 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 Angel or Sponge Cake – unfrosted
- 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 Yeast Dinner Rolls - (six)
- A107 Fancy Rolls - six made with yeast
- A108 Quick Bread - made with baking powder or soda (coffee cake, nut or fruit bread, muffins-six)
- A109 Bread - one loaf made with yeast - any type flour
- A110 Bread - one loaf made with yeast - made in a bread maker
- A111 Candy - (six pieces)
- A112 Fruit Pie
- A113 Miscellaneous - anything not in the above categories

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 NEW 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 Hand Knitted Clothing Item
- C308 Machine Knitted Clothing Item
- C309 Crocheted 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
- D408 Fairy Garden

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:
 - 5 tomatoes 1 head cauliflower 5 beets 1 squash 15 green or wax beans
 - 5 carrots 5 cucumbers 5 onions 1 eggplant 1 head cabbage
 - 1 head broccoli 3 peppers (any color) 3 ears of corn (husk on)
- 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 Quilts - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered – hand-quilted
- H802 Quilts - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered – machine-quilted
- H803 Baby Quilts – pieced, appliquéd, or embroidered, no larger than 45x54"
- H804 Miniature Quilts - squares no larger than 14 x 14 inches; rectangles no larger than 13 x 17 inches
- H805 Quilt Block - 12 ½ inch square pieced quilt block - any pattern (unquilted)
- H806A Needlecraft – needlepoint
- H806B Needlecraft – counted cross-stitch
- H806C Needlecraft – crewel, hardanger, embroidery, tatting, smocking, chicken scratch, cross-stitch items
- H807 Doilies - knitted, crocheted, tatted (**mounted for display**)
- H808 Felted item
- H809 Machine Embroidery
- H810 Decorated Clothing Items and Accessories
- H811 Purses, Handbags, Totes
- H812 Pillows - any form of pillow (like items will be judged together)
- H813 Afghans/Blankets - woven, knitted, crocheted, or any combination
- H814 Comforters - pieced, appliquéd or embroidered (knotted)
- H815 Rugs
- H816 Scrap Craft - (or throw away material) any object made from scraps
- H817 Plastic Canvas Craft
- H818 Paper Mache
- H819 Metal Work – sculptures, punching, etc.
- H820 Glass Work/Etching
- H821 Stained Glass – decorations, ornaments, etc.
- H822 Jewelry – necklace, bracelet, earrings, ring or sets
- H823 Basket Weaving - Woven of reed, straw or other natural materials
- H824 Silk, Dried Flower or Feather Arrangements
- H825 Wood - any item made of wood
- H826 Tole Painting - any surface, except canvas
- H827 China Painting
- H828 Plaster of Paris
- H829 Bisque (Non-glazed)
- H830A Scrapbooking – Single Page
- H830B Scrapbooking – Book
- H830C Scrapbooking - Decorative Cards
- H831 Paper Crafts (origami, quilling, Scherenschnitte, etc.)
- H832 Pre-Printed Coloring Page (Mounted or Framed)
- H833 Miniatures (houses, room, shop, holiday, etc.)
- H834 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 Table Decorations
- J1004 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.



2017 Award Announcement

BALL® FRESH PRESERVING AWARD FOR ADULT LEVEL

presented by:

BALL® & KERR® FRESH PRESERVING PRODUCTS

Newell 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 top two entries in Fruits, Vegetables, Pickles, and Soft Spreads. Entries must be preserved in Ball® Jars and sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands specifically designed for home canning, or preserved in Kerr® Jars sealed with Kerr® Lids and Bands specifically designed for home canning. In addition, entries in the soft spread category must be prepared using Ball® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-Sugar, or Liquid. Proof of pectin purchase in the form of a receipt or product UPC must be submitted with entry.

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 \$6 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 \$6 value) Coupon for Ball® Pectin.

DETACH & SEPARATE EXHIBIT LABELS BELOW – ATTACH TO YOUR PROJECTS

OPEN CLASS
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Exhibitor # _____

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Section # _____

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Category _____

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

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Judge's Comments: _____

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2017 OPEN CLASS ENTRY BLANK

Please fill out and return by Wednesday, July 19, 2017, 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.**

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City, State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

FOODS		_____ E506	Small Bouquets or	_____ H831	Paper Crafts
_____ A101	Angel or Sponge Cake (unfrosted)	_____ E507	Nosegays	_____ H832	Pre-Printed Coloring Page
_____ A102	Frosted or Unfrosted Cake	WREATHS	Bouquet in Vase	_____ H833	Miniatures
_____ A103	Decorated Cake	_____ F601	Seasonal Wreaths	_____ H834	Miscellaneous
_____ A104	Decorated Cupcakes	_____ F602	Dried Wreath	WALL HANGINGS	
_____ A105	Cookies	_____ F603	Fresh	_____ I901	Needlework Wall Hangings
_____ A106	Yeast Dinner Rolls	_____ F604	Other Wreaths	_____ I902	Natural Wall Hangings
_____ A107	Fancy Rolls	GARDEN PRODUCE		_____ I903	Quilted Wall Hangings
_____ A108	Quick Breads	_____ G701	Vegetables	_____ I904	Miscellaneous
_____ A109	Bread (yeast) - by hand	_____ G702	Fruit or Vegetable Centerpiece	CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS	
_____ A110	Bread (yeast) - bread machine	_____ G703	Dehydrated Fruit and/or Vegetable Centerpiece	_____ J1001	Tree Ornaments
_____ A111	Candy	ARTS & CRAFTS		_____ J1002	Wall Decorations
_____ A112	Fruit Pies	_____ H801	Quilts – hand-quilted	_____ J1003	Table Decorations
_____ A113	Miscellaneous	_____ H802	Quilts – machine-quilted	_____ J1004	Miscellaneous
FOOD PRESERVATION		_____ H803	Baby Quilt	CERAMICS	
_____ B201	Canning Fruit	_____ H804	Miniature Quilts	_____ K1101	Ceramics
_____ B202	Canning Vegetables	_____ H805	Quilt Block	FINE ARTS	
_____ B203	Jams and Jellies	_____ H806A	Needlecraft - Needlepoint	_____ L1201	Oil
_____ B204	Specialty Product	_____ H806B	Needlecraft – Counted	_____ L1202	Charcoal
_____ B205	Dehydrated	_____ H806C	Cross-Stitch	_____ L1203	Water Color
CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION		_____ H807	Needlecraft	_____ L1204	Pastels
_____ C301	Suit	_____ H808	Doilies	_____ L1205	Acrylic
_____ C302	Sportswear	_____ H809	Felted Item	_____ L1206	Ink
_____ C303	Dress (one piece)	_____ H810	Machine Embroidery	_____ L1207	Colored Pencils
_____ C304	Dress (two piece)	_____ H811	Decorated Clothing and Accessories	_____ L1208	Mixed Medium
_____ C305	Child's Clothing	_____ H812	Purses, Handbags, Totes	PHOTOGRAPHY	
_____ C306	Formal, Wedding Wear	_____ H813	Pillows	_____ P1401A	35 mm Photography (1 enlarged)
_____ C307	Hand Knitted Clothing	_____ H814	Afghans/Blankets	_____ P1401B	Digital Photography (1 enlarged)
_____ C308	Machine Knitted Clothing	_____ H815	Comforters	_____ P1401C	Creative Photography (1 enlarged)
_____ C309	Crocheted Clothing Item	_____ H816	Rugs	_____ P1402A	35mm Photography (3 snapshots)
_____ C310	Felted Clothing Item	_____ H817	Scrap Craft	_____ P1402B	Digital Photography (3 snapshots)
_____ C311	Miscellaneous	_____ H818	Plastic Craft Canvas	_____ P1402C	Creative Photography (3 snapshots)
HOUSEPLANTS		_____ H819	Paper Mache	_____ P1403A	35mm Salon Print
_____ D401	Potted House Plant (propagated)	_____ H820	Metal Work	_____ P1403B	Digital Salon Print
_____ D402	Potted House Plant (purchased)	_____ H821	Glass Work	_____ P1403C	Creative Photography Salon Print
_____ D403	Potted Outdoors Plant	_____ H822	Stained Glass		
_____ D404	Plant Growing in Medium (hydroponics)	_____ H823	Jewelry		
_____ D405	Terrariums	_____ H824	Basket Weaving		
_____ D406	Cactus	_____ H825	Silk, Dried Flower or Feather Arrangements		
_____ D407	Succulents	_____ H826	Wood	_____ S1501	Table Coverings
_____ D408	Fairy Garden	_____ H827	Tole Painting	_____ S1502	Aprons
FLOWER ARRANGING		_____ H828	China Painting	_____ S1503	Bed Linens
_____ E501	Miniature Flower Arrangement	_____ H829	Plaster of Paris	_____ S1504	Curtains
_____ E502	Bud Vase	_____ H830A	Bisque (Non-glazed)	_____ S1505	Slip Covers
_____ E503	Centerpiece	_____ H830B	Scrapbook-Single Page	_____ S1506	Doll Clothes
_____ E504	One Sided Arrangement	_____ H830C	Scrapbook-Book	_____ S1507	Dolls & Stuffed Toys – Any style or form
_____ E505	Corsage		Scrapbook-Decorative Cards	_____ S1508	Miscellaneous