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# FARM CROPS RULES CLINTON COUNTY FAIR Co-superintendents – Steve Diedrich, 563-357-3944 Spencer Paysen, 563-726-2820

## SCHEDULE:

Entry	Friday, July 12 <sup>th</sup> , 9 am – 3 pm in Commercial Exhibits Building
Judging	Saturday, July 13 <sup>th</sup> , 9 am in Commercial Exhibits Building
Display	Wednesday, July 17 <sup>th</sup> – Sunday, July 21 <sup>st</sup> , in Commercial Exhibit Building
Released	Sunday, July 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2:30 pm in Commercial Exhibits Building

**PREMIUMS**: Purple - \$2.00 Blue - \$1.50 Red - \$1.00

## **GENERAL RULES**

- 1. Open to all 4-H and FFA members.
- 2. Exhibitors are permitted one entry per class.
- 3. Each entry tag must show variety name. If no variety is listed, the entry will not be placed.
- 4. Champion and Reserve Champion will be named in each division.
- 5. All entries must be picked up at release time listed at top of this page. No entries will be released before release time.
- 6. Entries not picked up by Monday following fair may be destroyed.

## **FIELD CORN - DIVISION 1**

- 1. Ears of corn must be in natural conditions at both ends and have no more than 1% of kernels missing. Do not cut off or remove tips of ears.
- 2. The name of the variety or hybrid must be shown on the entry tag.
- 3. The judges may disqualify any entry in classes which they feel is not mature, exhibits insects or disease damage, is of poor quality, is not the previous year's crop, or has been previously shown at the Fair.

## CLASSES

- 11. Single Ear, any variety or hybrid
- 12. Longest Ear Field Corn
- 13. Ten Ears any variety or hybrid.
- 14. Shortest Ear, any variety or hybrid.
- 15. Ten Ears Popcorn, any variety or hybrid.
- 16. Deformed Ear, any variety or hybrid.

## SMALL GRAINS FULL GALLON SAMPLES - DIVISION 2

- 1. One full gallon of product is required for each entry.
- 2. Entries previously shown at the Fair will be disqualified.
- 3. The variety name is required on all entry tags.
- 4. Entries will be weighed and undergo visual judging.

CLASSES

- 21. Barley
- 22. Corn
- 23. Oats
- 24. Rye
- 25. Soybeans
- 26. Wheat

#### **SHEAF GRAINS - DIVISION 3**

- 1. Entries must be shown in sheaves, three inches in diameter at the center band.
- 2. Judges will penalize over and undersized sheaves.
- 3. Heads must be left in natural condition.
- 4. Variety name must be specified on each entry tag.
- 5. Exhibits previously shown at the Fair will be disqualified.

## CLASSES

- 31. Barley
- 32. Rye Seed
- 33. Wheat
- 34. Oats

#### FORAGES, GRASSES, AND LEGUMES SHEAVES - DIVISION 4

- 1. All entries in this division will be judged from the standpoint of the usefulness as hay.
- 2. Entries are to be shown in sheaves, three inches in diameter at the center band.
- 3. Variety name must be specified on each entry tag.
- 4. All sheaves must be dried. The exhibit is to be dry hay quality for the show.

## CLASSES

- 41. Alfalfa
- 42. Alsike Clover
- 43. Birdsfoot Trefoil
- 44. Smooth Bromegrass
- 45. Reeds Canary
- 46. Red Clover
- 47. Orchard Grass
- 48. Sweet Clover
- 49. Timothy

#### **HAY SLICES - DIVISION 5**

- 1. Crops in this division will be displayed as space is available.
- 2. Variety name must be specified on each entry tag.
- 3. Hay slices should not exceed 24 inches by 4 inches. The slice should be taken from a bale of hay. If the bales are larger than 24 inches by 24 inches, a slice cut from a larger bale is permitted. Care should be taken to try to maintain the actual quality and condition of the stored forage. The hay sample must be wrapped tightly in clear plastic. You can use shrink wrap, garbage bags, clear plastic food wrap or other suitable material. A hole will be made in the wrap for judges to access the sample.

#### CLASSES

- 51. Grass/Alfalfa Mix
- 52. Alfalfa
- 53. Grass
- 54. Other Mix



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# **Clinton County Fair Farm Crops Show**

Club/Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address

**Fair Entry** – Complete this portion at time of exhibit entry.

# of Crop Entries \_\_\_\_\_

# Circle your entries. One entry per class. Turn in completed form at entry table.

**Ribbon Color** 

Division 1 – Field	l Corn				
Class 11	Class 12	Class 13	Class 14	Class 15	Class 16
Single Ear	Longest Ear	Ten Ears	Shortest Ear	Ten Ears	Deformed
				Popcorn	Ear

Division 2 – Full Gallon Samples					
Class 21	Class 22	Class 23	Class 24	Class 25	Class 26
Barley	Corn	Oats	Rye	Soybean	Wheat

Division 3 – Sheat	f Grains		
Class 31	Class 32	Class 33	Class 34
Barley	Rye Seed	Wheat	Oats

Division 4 – Forag	ge, Grass & Legun			
Class 41	Class 42	Class 43	Class 44	Class 45
Alfalfa	Alsike Clover	Birdsfoot Trefoil	Smooth Brome	<b>Reeds</b> Canary
Class 46	Class 47	Class 48	Class 49	
Red Clover	Orchard Grass	Sweet Clover	Timothy	

Division 5 – Hay S	lices		
Class 51	Class 52	Class 53	Class 54
Grass/AlfalfaMix	Alfalfa	Grass	Other Mix

# of Purple \_\_\_\_\_ X \$2.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

# of Blue \_\_\_\_\_\_ X \$1.50 = \_\_\_\_\_

# of Red \_\_\_\_\_ X \$1.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total Premium = \_\_\_\_\_