

2024



Gladwin County Fair

July 8-12, 2024

Fair Theme: Wizard of Oz

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Section 1 ~ General Gladwin County Fair Rules

1. Exhibitors are responsible for knowing and observing all the rules regarding exhibiting at the Fair. Exhibitors are responsible to check each Department and Section for more specific rules. This will avoid misunderstandings, errors, and complaints. When in doubt, ask a Fair Board Member.
2. Youth Exhibitors are required to be enrolled in the 4-H program with a club designation or, if aged 5-7 years old, a member of the Gladwin County Fair Junior Livestock (GJLA) or Junior Small Animal Association (GJSMA).
3. Gladwin County Fair Junior Livestock Association and Gladwin County Fair Small Animal Association are run under Gladwin County Fair Association DBA. Each association has its own banking account requiring 2 signatures (President and Treasurer.) To join the Gladwin County Fair Junior Livestock or Junior Small Animal Association there will be a \$15.00 fee which entitles you to have \$10,000.00 worth of insurance coverage. The Associations are made up of the President, Treasurer, Secretary of the Gladwin Fair Association and 5 family members of the youth members.
4. All Exhibiting youth that are not members of the Gladwin County 4-H program MUST attend the Gladwin County Livestock/Small Animal Program meetings at the Fair Office on January 16, March 19 & May 21 beginning at 5:00 pm. If you are not able to attend, you must designate a representative to attend on your behalf.
5. The Management reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and to arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions, or differences in regard thereto. It further reserves the right to amend or add to these rules as in its judgment.
6. The Management has given area chairpersons (Superintendents) the final ruling in all matters in their area during fair week. A member of, or the entire Executive Board, will be called upon when the area chairperson cannot settle the question or differences and that Executive decision is final.
7. All participants will be governed by all rules and regulations set by the Gladwin County Fair Board of Directors. These rules will be strictly enforced.
8. Every precaution will be taken to ensure the safety of exhibits, but under no circumstances will the Gladwin County Fair Association be responsible for personal accidents, loss, theft, injury, or damage to an exhibit, by fire, lightning, wind, or any other occurrence beyond our control to such livestock or articles on exhibition or display. Management will use diligence to ensure the safety of livestock and articles to be entered for exhibition or display after their arrival on the grounds. The exhibitor, against all legal or other proceedings, shall indemnify the Gladwin County Fair and Management thereto. Security will be on hand during fair week.
9. A \$50.00 fee will be charged for any check returned from the Bank.
10. Persons starting any arguments or misconduct at the fairgrounds will immediately be removed from the grounds.
11. No smoking in tents, exhibit buildings, and animal barns, near the horse stalls, or in the grandstand or bleachers.
12. No coolers in the grandstand.
13. There will be no refunds of any kind. This includes, but is not limited to, cancellations due to inclement weather or any occurrence beyond our control.
14. NO dogs will be allowed in the grandstands, carnival area, exhibit buildings, or animal barns unless it is a service or therapy dog. All dogs in the campground must be kept on a leash.
15. For the safety of everyone, NO bikes, skateboards, roller skates, or roller blades will be allowed in the midway, it is strictly prohibited. NO bikes through the horse barns.

16. No soliciting for donations may be attempted outside of commercial spaces rented for that purpose. Violators of this rule will be asked to leave the grounds and no refunds will be made. All literature is to be passed out from rented booth space only. Any such group or person deemed unsatisfactory will not be allowed.
17. STATE LAW – Any person who shall wrongfully or maliciously gain admission to the fairgrounds contrary to the rules of said society, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$25.00 dollars or imprisonment not exceeding 30 days or such fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court before whom the offender may be tried.
18. Exhibit buildings will remain open Sunday after the fair from 10 to 2 for cleanup.
19. No animal and/or exhibit will be removed from the Fair before 6:00 a.m. Sunday after fair unless permission is given by the area chairperson (Superintendent).
20. Auction checks will not be available until after the August Fair board meeting and must be cashed within 90 days; any uncashed checks 120 days from the issue date will be considered a donation to the GJLA or GJSMA (whichever account the check is drawn on). If a check is lost, the exhibitor is responsible for paying the stop payment/re-issue fee.
21. All Fair book changes for the next year's fair book must be submitted by September 1st to the Fair Office to be considered for the following year.

SECTION 2 ~ Camping Rules

1. The Gladwin County Fair Association assumes no responsibility for any injury, damage, loss of trailer or contents while on the fairgrounds.
2. 4-H and Junior Livestock exhibitors and immediate family will be the only ones to reserve spots before May 20. No reservations are taken until the Fair Book is out for distribution. To assure that you get the site you want, turn in your registration form with payment. All camping reservations are dated upon receipt of payment. Any spots available after May 20 will be offered to the public on a first come, first served basis.
3. One unit per site and unit size must be on the reservation form.
4. No more than two vehicles allowed per campsite. You will be given two vehicle passes that must be displayed from your rearview mirror. You will not be allowed to go to the campground with a vehicle that doesn't have a vehicle pass. If you are unable to get two vehicles on your campsite you must find an alternate place to park.
5. All campsites are numbered. Do not set up until you contact the camping chairperson or co-chair for your site number.
6. Horse trailers must be parked in designated areas unless you are using it as a camper. This must be noted on the registration form. Once the horse trailer has been parked in the designated area for the horse trailer, it will not be considered a camper.
7. QUIET TIME!! Keep noise down from 11pm to 7am in the campground and around the arena.
8. NO GENERATORS in the campground.
9. No alterations to campsites without permission from the camping chairperson.
10. NO horses allowed on campsites.
11. There will be no side by sides, Golf Carts, 4-wheeler or similar offroad vehicles allowed except Fair Directors, Superintends, and Handicap. Anyone operating must have a permit from office the person with permit is the only one allowed to operate. Anyone caught operating without a permit will lose their camping privilege and asked to leave.

11. Camping fee does not include gate entry fee.
12. All campers are responsible for their trash. Trash must be taken to the dumpster daily.
13. Campfires must be elevated and protected. Do not empty your campfires on the ground; dispose of properly.
ABSOLUTELY NO GROUND FIRES!

SECTION 3 ~ Complaint / Appeals Process

Any exhibitor may file a written complaint regarding any of the following:

- Conflict of interest of the judge
- Disqualification of an exhibit or exhibitor
- Exhibitor, group leader or superintendent's behavior
- Eligibility of exhibit

A leader, parent or exhibitors may not file a complaint or appeal on judging results. All judging results are final.

The following must be included in a written complaint:

- Name
- Mailing Address
- Phone Number
- Complaint fee of \$25.00
- Describe in detail the nature of the complaint

The procedure for filing such a complaint/appeal shall be as follows: In accordance with the annual appropriations act, exhibitors are allowed to file a written complaint within 10 days after the end of the fair, dropped off at the Fair Office or by mailing it to:

Gladwin County Fair
401 S. State Street
Gladwin, MI 48624

Accompanied by a complaint fee of \$25.00, which is non-refundable.

The exhibitor will be notified in writing by the Gladwin County Fair of receipt of his/her complaint/appeal.

The complaint/appeals committee shall consist of the Executive Board and the Area Superintendent or Chairperson of the Gladwin County Fair.

The committee shall meet to review all written complaints/appeals within 15 days of receipt.

The committee shall investigate on a per-case basis by contacting all parties involved to ask questions and clarify details of the stories, as well as reviewing rules and pertinent documentation. The committee shall meet within 15 days of the review meeting to discuss information obtained through the investigation process and will make a final decision regarding the complaint/appeal. The exhibitor will be notified in writing of the committee's decision within 5 days of this meeting.

SECTION 4 ~ Exhibitor Age Requirements

1. Exhibitor's age is determined by age as of January 1st of the current fair year. The age of a Youth Exhibitor is 5 to 19 years old.
2. Youth will follow the age requirements of the Gladwin County Fair, regardless of your 4-H/FFA club or group rules.

3. Children under 5 years of age as of January 1st of the current fair year may not enter exhibits (animal or still) at the Gladwin County Fair.
4. Exhibitors aged 5 to 7 years old must be paid members of the Gladwin County Fair Junior Livestock Association or the Gladwin County Fair Junior Small Animal Association.
5. Exhibitors 5 to 11 years old, for safety reasons, have limitations in certain species areas.
6. Exhibitors 6 to 11 can go through the large animal auction once. Grand and Reserve Champion Dairy winners will be allowed to go through one additional time for this purpose.
7. Exhibitors aged 12 to 19 can go through the large animal auction twice. Grand and Reserve Champion Dairy winners will be allowed to go through one additional time for this purpose.
8. Exhibitors aged 5 to 7 can go through the small animal auction once. Best of Show Still Exhibitors aged 5 to 7 can sell one additional time for this purpose. Grand and Reserve Champion Egg exhibit can sell one additional time for this purpose.
9. Exhibitors aged 8 to 19 can go through the small animal sale ring three times. Best of Show Still Exhibitors aged 8 to 19 can sell one additional time for this purpose. Grand and Reserve Champion Egg exhibit can sell one additional time for this purpose.
10. For Still Exhibits, Exhibitors are limited to youth, 5 to 19 years of age or younger, and exhibitors 26 years or younger, who have been determined to be eligible for special education services by the local school district.
11. Exhibitor ages for Small Animal Showmanship are as follows:
 - Senior (16 – 19 years old)
 - Junior (12 – 15 years old)
 - Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
 - PeeWee (5 – 7 years old)
12. Exhibitor ages for Livestock Showmanship are as follows:
 - Senior (16 – 19 years old)
 - Junior (12 – 15 years old)
 - Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
 - PeeWee (6 – 7 years old)
 - Cloverbud (5 years old)
13. Open Departments are for adults. Adult Exhibitors must be at least 18 years old and are not able to participate in the Youth Department (see youth age requirement above).

SECTION 5 ~ Entries

1. Entry DEADLINE is June 7, 2024, at 4:30 pm. NO late entries will be accepted. By submitting an entry, the exhibitor is stating that they have read, and agree to comply, with all fair rules.
2. Competition is open to all unless otherwise specified.
3. All exhibitors MUST participate in Showmanship for each Specie/Department they are bringing animals for.
4. In all categories, other than animal, antique, or tractor, the exhibitor must be the creator of the article, item, or project.

5. Only 1 entry per exhibitor per class.
6. Application for entries in all departments must be made on printed entry forms and must be in full compliance with the printed instructions in this Fair Book. Only one entry per class number can be entered.
7. All exhibitors must submit and finalize their entry through the Blue Ribbon Online Registration by the deadline, which is June 7, 2024. Computer access is available at the local libraries to submit registrations.
8. Exhibitors can pick up their entry tags on the Saturday before the fair from 9 to 12 at the Fair Office or 12 to 4 at the Fair Office. Entry tags must be on entries or they will not be judged. Articles and animals incorrectly entered will be disqualified.
9. Any remaining exhibits after August 1 of each year will be disposed of.
10. Superintendent has the right to split classes or move exhibitors to appropriate classes to ensure the safety of the exhibitors. NO EXCEPTIONS.
11. Exhibitor fees are as follows, and will be placed in the account of the specific group to improve the exhibition area:
 - \$10 Large Animal (fee will be taken from auction proceed checks)
 - \$10 Horses (fee will be collected at check-in)
 - \$5 Small Animal (fee will be taken from auction proceed checks)
 - \$5 Still Exhibits (fee will be collected at check-in)

SECTION 6 ~ Awards/Judging

1. The Fair Board of Directors reserves the right to withhold awards in instances where applicable rules and regulations have not been complied with or where fraud, misconduct, or deception is evident. Any person, who attempts to deceive, interferes with the judging, or commits fraud in any way shall forfeit any, and all, awards won in any and all departments of the Fair.
2. Awards will be awarded according to the judges' sheets according to the fair book.
3. Open exhibitors; the judge can place up to three awards (A) (B) (C) in each class; under no circumstances does the judge have to award all three places.
4. Items marked N/S (No Show) or placing not circled on the judges' sheet will not be awarded, regardless if there is an award attached. Management is not responsible for the judge not marking the judge's sheet or marking it incorrectly.
5. No person shall be allowed to interfere with the judge during judging.
6. Exhibitors who place first in an individual species for showmanship are required to compete in Overall Showmanship (except PeeWee):

Overall Showmanship

Exhibitors who place first in an individual species for showmanship are required to compete in Overall Showmanship. To be excused from this experience, exhibitors must contact the superintendent of the species they won showmanship in by 5:00 pm on Thursday. The hardship committee will review each case that night. If the exhibitor fails to notify the superintendent in a timely fashion, then the exhibitor is required to participate in the Overall Showmanship class or face consequences set by the Gladwin Fairboard. If the Exhibitor is excused by the hardship committee the Second-place winner in that individual species will be required to participate in the Overall showmanship class. Exhibitors may practice on Friday morning. The livestock arena and small animal barn will be available for use. Since the horse show will be going on at this time, contact the horse barn superintendent to practice with a horse.

Exhibitors are not allowed to use their own animal during the competition. Animals in each species will be selected by the superintendent upon permission of the owner.

The overall showmanship competition is split by large animal and small animals. Exhibitors who win first place showmanship in a large and small animal species are required to compete in both large and small animal overall showmanship. Exhibitors winning showmanship in multiple species within the large and/or small animal division must declare which specie they will be representing by 5:00 pm on Wednesday for small animals and 5:00 pm on Thursday for large animals.

Exhibitors who win showmanship in a following large animal class will compete in large animal overall showmanship Horse, Sheep, Dairy, and Swine, Beef (Prospect and Beef will compete head-to-head with questions posed by the judge).

Exhibitors who win showmanship in a following small animal classes will compete in small animal overall showmanship. Goat, Poultry, and Rabbits.

Classes for this program are divided by age:

- Senior, 16-19 years old
- Junior, 12-15 years old
- Young Member, 8-11 years old

SECTION 7 ~ Health & Tagging Requirements for Livestock Exhibited in Michigan

Michigan Department of Agriculture & Rural Development (MDARD)
P.O. Box 30017 Lansing, MI 48909 Animal Industry: 517-373-1077

All livestock exhibitors and livestock exhibits must be in compliance with animal health and tagging requirements as defined by the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

You can get a copy of the Health Requirements from MDARD's website at www.michigan.gov/mda-exhibitinfo

SECTION 8 ~ Livestock Weigh-in Requirements

Weigh-in for Beef: January 6, 2024

Weigh-in Times: 9:00 am – 11:00 am

1. It is mandatory that all beef projects be on site for the January weigh-in. This is for identification and tagging, but beef projects are not required to be weighed.
2. Beef projects are required to be tagged with RFID tags (provided by the breeder or purchased from the USDA) for admittance to the fairgrounds, including the January weigh-in (see MDARD Rules for Animals and Exhibitions). No exceptions.
3. Beef projects are expected to be halter broke to leave their trailer for weighing. If the project animal is not halter broken, the (adult) owner is expected to tag the animal, at their own risk, with a fair identification tag in the trailer.
4. If an animal poses an obvious danger to the volunteers and the (adult) owner refuses to tag the animal in the trailer, the project animal will not be permitted.

Weigh-in for Sheep, Swine, Prospect Beef, & Dairy Feeders: May 11, 2024

Weigh-in Times: 8:00 am – 11:00 am

1. It is mandatory that all sheep, swine, prospect beef, and dairy feeder projects be on site for the May weigh-in for identification and tagging, but are not required to be weighed.
2. Sheep projects are required to be tagged with USDA scrapie tags for admittance to the fairgrounds (including May weigh-in). No exceptions.
3. Swine projects are required to be tagged with RFID tags (provided by the breeder or purchased from the USDA) for admittance to the fairgrounds (including May weigh-in). Tags will not be available from the Fair or Junior Livestock Associations.
4. Prospect Beef and Dairy Feeders are required to be tagged with RFID tags (provided by the breeder or purchased from the USDA) for admittance to the fairgrounds (including May weigh-in). Tags will not be available from the Fair or Junior Livestock Associations.

SECTION 9 ~ Large Animal General Rules

1. Large animals include beef, prospect beef, dairy, dairy feeder, swine, and lamb.
2. All animal exhibitors in the large animal barns must sign a code of conduct with either the Junior Livestock Association or the 4-H. Code of Conduct forms must accompany the signed entry form. Forms will not be accepted without exhibitor and parent signatures.
3. All animals are required to stay at the Fair the entire show. The area superintendent has the authority to give permission for any other exceptions.
4. Child Exhibitors are non-competitive and are eligible to use another exhibitor's animal for non-competitive classes.
5. All Exhibitors must be able to feed, clean pens, and handle the animal or they will be disqualified. Exhibitors are expected to maintain full control of their animals at all times. If the exhibitor cannot handle the animal safely, the Superintendent has the right to send animal home.
6. All cattle, swine, and sheep, native and out of state, entered in exhibitions, expositions, or fairs must follow the MDA Health Requirements for Livestock Exhibited in Michigan. For the most up-to-date wording refer to the MDA website at www.michigan.gov/mda-exhibitinfo
7. Animal Exhibitors must attend a barn meeting at the barn set up.
8. Youth Exhibitors will not share animals with another Youth Exhibitor; once the animal is shown it cannot be shown by another exhibitor unless it is being shared with a Child Exhibitor for a non-competitive class. The exception would be showmanship and horse.
9. Youth and Child Exhibitors must be present during judging and must handle the animal or they will be disqualified.
10. A veterinarian will be on call, but not necessarily on the grounds.
11. All animals are to be kept clean, fed, and watered by the exhibitor for the entire week of the fair. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning their stalls and pens daily before 9:00 am as well as scheduled barn duty. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action. Please see three strike rules for more information.
12. Any exhibitor/animal deemed unworthy (either by the judge or through rule violations) will not be awarded an Award.

13. Gladwin County Special Policy: Animals will be defined as an animal born on participant's immediate family's owned and operated farm in which the participant has an active part for the duration of the project. Definition of Immediate Family: participant's parent(s), participant's grandparent(s), participant's sibling(s). Participants must be either a Gladwin County 4-H Member or a Gladwin County Junior Livestock member from the time the animal being shown was born. Location of farm must be Gladwin County or a contiguous county to be eligible. Consequence: The participant forfeits the current year's awards and auction rights.

14. At all times that grooming is taking place, the exhibitor is expected to be present and actively participate in the process.

15. No drench feeding, hydrating, or medicating of any animals. Any species requiring drench medication must be approved and supervised by a licensed veterinarian. Tampering and/or misrepresentation of age, ownership, and any other irregularity of showing will be considered fraud and deception. Violation will result in the forfeiture of sale privileges and forfeiture of any ribbons/trophies/special awards earned with the animal(s). Unethical fitting or gluing of the hide or underneath the hide or removal of tissue to alter the shape of the animal, injection of any gas, solid or liquid under the hide to alter the normal conformation of the animal will also result in the forfeiture of sale privileges and forfeiture of any ribbons/trophies/special awards earned with the animal(s).

16. Three Strikes Rule:

STRIKE 1 – Every exhibitor signs a Code of Conduct form stating that they understand and agree to follow the rules as stated in the fairbook. If the exhibitor has to be told to feed/clean/care for their animal or pen, then this is the first strike. STRIKE 2 – Failure to feed/clean/care for an animal or pen a second time will prompt the superintendent create awareness with a 4-H Leader and/or parent of the exhibitor. This is the second strike. STRIKE 3 – A third instance of failure to feed/clean/care for their animal or pen will prompt the superintendent to send the exhibitor home and/or informing the exhibitor that they will not be allowed to return to Gladwin County Fair in the future.

17. There will be no alternate/extra beef, sheep, swine, prospect beef, or dairy feeders weighed in or tagged.

18. If a livestock market animal dies or is incapacitated by an injury/sickness after the initial weigh-in/tagging date, the exhibitor/parent has 24 hours to contact the barn superintendent to apply for a replacement. If you are unable to reach the superintendent, the Fairboard President would be the alternate contact. The replacement committee has 48 hours to get back with the exhibitor/parent to inform them of the decision to allow for a replacement or not. If animal is approved for replacement, the exhibitor has 2 weeks; from replacement committee decision; to secure replacement and have it tagged appropriately. Replacement animals are not eligible for Supreme Grand, Reserve Grand, Rate of Gain or Gladwin County Special Awards.

SECTION 10 ~ Large Animal Market Rules

1. A market livestock exhibitor 6-11 years of age can go through the sale ring once, and those age 12-19 can go through sale ring twice.

2. Exhibitors can only bring the number of market animals for the number of times that they are allowed to go through the auction ring.

3. Exhibitors cannot have multiple entries in the same market class in each species, even if they would be in different weigh classes. (only one market steer, one single lamb, one pen of lambs, one gilt swine, one barrow swine, etc.)

4. Exhibitors must be the owner of market animals.

5. For safety reason Exhibitors 7 years old and under may only show in the following livestock market classes: Dairy feeder, prospect beef, swine, and sheep.

6. All Market Livestock Exhibitors must show in showmanship for the specie(s) they have brought. Safety issues will be determined by the specie superintendent on a case by case basis. Failure to comply will result in not participating in next year's fair.
7. Exhibitors must wear appropriate attire, with no club or personal names on attire, while in the show ring.
8. Any animal not eligible for the auction may be sold by a private transaction after the auction. No posting or advertising of availability can occur until Thursday (following the auction).
9. Youth livestock sellers will have \$45.00 taken out of their auction check for each time through the ring and hauling/trucking fees (\$5.00 per sheep/swine, \$10 per beef) for animals not self-transported. The Exhibitor fee will also be taken from their auction check.
10. The Gladwin County Fair will not be held responsible for any animal that dies before or during the week of the Fair.
11. Final Weight/Identification signs must be hung above stalls on Sunday after weigh-in by 7 p.m.

SECTION 11 ~ Small Animal Market Rules

1. Exhibitors must wear black pants and a white long-sleeved shirt or white lab coat. No club or personal names on attire when showing. No jewelry, dangling earrings, or nail polish. Hair restrained and exhibitor number visible.
2. Small Animal Exhibitors must show in showmanship for the specie(s) they are exhibiting/selling. If they fail to do so, they will forfeit their right to sell at the auction or the ability to participate in future fairs.
3. An exhibitor is eligible to show and sell up to three (3) small animal items if 8 and older. Exhibitors 5-7 years old may sell in the small animal auction once. Best of Show Still Exhibitors can sell one additional time for this purpose. Grand and Reserve Champion Egg Exhibitor can sell one additional time for this purpose.
4. Market pens MUST be weighed on entry day and possibly on show day (at judge's discretion).
5. Pens may not be split for the auction, but can be combined (ie. Market rabbits, broilers, bantams).
6. Rabbit market pens must be a meat breed (Six Class) or will be disqualified by the judge and will not sell at auction.
7. All exhibitors must attend the small animal barn setup and the mandatory barn meeting on Sunday, July 7, 2024 at 1 p.m.
8. Each exhibitor entered in the fair must work at least one shift of barn duty during fair week per species (1 shift for rabbits, 1 shift for poultry) Sign-up for barn duty will be at the pullorum testing, barn setup and check in.
9. Exhibitor is responsible for the processing and delivery of meat animals to their buyers.
10. Youth small animal sellers and Still Exhibit Best of Show sellers will have 10% or up to \$45.00 cap per sale taken out of their auction check for each time through the ring.
11. Gladwin County Special Policy: Animals will be defined as an animal born on participant's immediate family's owned and operated farm in which the participant has an active part for the duration of the project. Definition of Immediate Family: participant's parent(s), participant's grandparent(s), participant's sibling(s). Participants must be either a Gladwin County 4-H Member or a Gladwin County Junior Livestock member from the time the animal being shown was born. Location of farm must be Gladwin County or a contiguous county to be eligible. Consequence: The participant forfeits the current year's awards and auction rights.

SECTION 12 – Horse and Pony

1. Before horses are placed in their stalls, they must be checked in and inspected by the barn superintendent.
2. The bottom of the buckets and hay bags/nets must be tied no lower than the horse's point of shoulder when empty. Do not hang hay bags or buckets from wire.
3. Stall must be cleaned and horses fed and watered by 8:30 am and 5:30 pm every day. Horses and stalls must be checked by the exhibitor several times throughout the day.
4. Aisles must be clear and neat at all times. Everyone is to take care of themselves.
5. No horses tied in the aisles at any time.
6. No double riding at all.
7. No excessive whipping or spurring.
8. No running or racing on horseback.
9. No sitting on horses in barns.
10. Must wear boots when riding and/or working horses. Must wear closed toed shoes when in horse's stall.
11. Barns and arena will be closed at 10:00 pm with lights out.
12. No horses allowed beyond the north end of the barns or in the camping area.
13. No turning horses loose in either arena. Horses must be attended to at all times.
14. No canopies are allowed around the arena perimeter during show days.
15. No abusive language or disrespectful behavior will be tolerated in the ring, barns, or anywhere on the fairgrounds by adults or children.
16. Only people showing an animal in a class or the owner can ride that animal at the pleasure or speed show. The violator and the horse will be disqualified from further participation at the fair.
17. Times for the main arena to be open will be posted. This is a TBD at the beginning of the fair, due to the volunteers laying brine down in the arena. The main arena will be closed after 8 pm Thursday as speed events will be set up for Friday.
18. All decorations must be down and stalls must be cleaned to the dirt by 10 am on Sunday, the day the fair is over. An inspection by the barn superintendent is a must.
19. If there is someone not abiding by the above rules, the barn superintendent must first be contacted to handle the situation. If the member continues to ignore the above rules, the leader, barn superintendent, member, member's parents will then be notified to handle the situation.
20. If you have a problem or questions, see the barn superintendent first.
21. A three-digit back number will be given to each horse exhibitor. You will only need this number when showing horses. Do not use the three-digit number for showing livestock or small animals...only horses.

SPEED SHOW (FRIDAY)

1. The required clothing will be posted on the board the night before. The weather will determine if long sleeve show shirts or t-shirts will be required.
2. Cloverbuds will complete a shortened pattern in pole bending, stake race, keyhole, and speed & action all at once. The cloverbuds will be done until after lunch. The older exhibitors will then run these patterns (lengthened appropriately.)
3. After lunch, Cloverbuds will complete a shortened pattern in cloverleaf, flag race, and dash. Once completed, the older exhibitors will then run these patterns (lengthened appropriately.)

PLEASURE & SPEED POINTS

1. Points are not accumulated for Halter and Costume Classes.
2. Points are based on how many horses were shown in the class, no more than 6 placings. Points are as follows:

Horses in Class	1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place	4 th Place	5 th Place	6 th Place
6 +	6 Points	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point
5	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point	
4	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point		
3	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point			
2	2 Points	1 Point				
1	1 Point					

RED IS FOR YOUTH CLASSES

BLUE IS FOR ADULT CLASSES

Department 72 – Market Record Book for all Exhibitors

Youth should keep a record of EVERY animal project they do and what they have learned by doing it. Submit project record books into the still exhibit barn by Friday at 12pm.

SECTION H

Class 1838 – Beginner (6-11 years old)

Class 1839 – Intermediate (12-15 years old)

Class 1840 – Advanced (16-19 years old)

Dairy – Department 002

Superintendent: Michelle Jewell
Check-in: Saturday, July 6, 2024 – 6 pm to 8 pm

Judging: Tuesday & Thursday
Location: Show Arena

Dairy Program Rules

- Youth under 9 cannot show any bull including but not limited to: breeding, feeder & showmanship classes.
- All animals must be dehorned & dehorning sites must be fully healed before exhibition of the animal at the fair. No swelling, signs of decay, trauma, drainage, no hanging, etc. allowed.
- Milking cows may leave the barn Thursday at 11 am, but exhibitor must have another live dairy project in the barn.
- Winners of Supreme Grand and Reserve Grand awards are required to be in the barn all week.
- All animals must be tied with a suitable rope halter and neck rope.
- The superintendent and the Junior Livestock Committee reserve the right to disqualify any exhibitor for failure to follow any of the rules set by the Gladwin Fair Junior Livestock Association or if the animal is deemed a safety risk to volunteers, participants, or public. Animals deemed a safety risk may be asked to leave the fairgrounds.

Section A – Dairy Showmanship

Winners of the Dairy Showmanship will compete against Dairy Feeder Showmanship winners to determine who will compete in the Overall Showmanship Class

Class 1100 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1101 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1102 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1103 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old)

Class 1104 – Cloverbud (5 years old)

Section B – Dairy Heifer

Winners in classes 1106-1110 will compete for Dairy Heifer Grand and Reserve Champion Awards.

Class 1105 – Child 5 years old

Class 1106 – Junior Heifer (born between January 1 & June 30 of the current year)

Class 1108 – Senior Heifer (born between July 1 & December 31 of the previous year)

Class 1109 – Yearling Junior Heifer (born between January 1 & June 30 of last year)

Class 1110 – Yearling Senior Heifer (born between July 1 & December 31 two years prior)

Section C – Dairy Cow

Winners in classes 1112-1116 will compete for Dairy Cow Grand and Reserve Champion Awards. Milk will be sold at the auction from Grand and Reserve Champions.

Class 1112 – Cow (2 years old)

Class 1113 – Cow (3-4 years old)

Class 1114 – Dry Cow (3-4 years old)

Class 1115 – Cow (5 years and older)

Class 1116 – Dry Cow (Aged)

Class 1117 – Dam & Daughter (must also be entered in above age class, Section B & C) Winners in each Dam Daughter class will compete for Champion award.

Dairy Cow and Dairy Heifer Grand and Reserve Champion will compete for Supreme Grand and Reserve Champion award.

Section D – Dairy Feeder Showmanship

Winners of the Dairy Feeder Showmanship will compete against Dairy Showmanship winners to determine who will compete in the Overall Showmanship Class.

Class 1118 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1119 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Section C - Gladwin County Special Market Steer

Class 1149 – Gladwin County Special Market Steer (see general rules for eligibility)

Section D – Breeding Stock

Exhibitors may show in the breeding stock classes with a heifer only of any age. Exhibitors in breeding stock are prohibited from selling their heifer project in the auction the week of the fair. Youth Exhibitors 6 and older may compete in the breeding stock division.

Class 1125 – Heifer Class

Prospect Beef – Department 04

Superintendent: Michelle Jewell

Judging: Tuesday & Thursday

Check In: Saturday July 6, 2024 – 6 pm to 8 pm

Location: Livestock Show Arena Prospect

Beef Program Rules

- Prospect beef can be either a heifer or a steer not exceeding an age of eight months by the time of fair.
- Male prospect calves need to be castrated and all prospect calves need to be dehorned.
- All castrated and dehorning sites must be fully healed before the exhibition of the animal at the fair. No swelling, signs of decay, trauma, drainage, no hanging, etc. allowed.
- Prospect calves may be a beef, dairy, or dairy-beef crossbreed.
- First and final weigh in is mandatory to participate in this project. Prospect beef will be weighed in on Sunday at the same time as Dairy. The maximum weight is 550 pounds.
- **Prospect beef will not be required to be sold at the Livestock Auction.**
- Exhibitor will show the animal like a steer. An RFID tag must be in the animal's ear. Prospect beef will be housed in the dairy barn.

Section E – Prospect Beef Showmanship

Winners of the Prospect Beef Showmanship will compete against Market Steer Showmanship winners to determine who will compete in the Overall Showmanship Class.

Class 1150 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1151 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1152 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1154 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old)

Class 1153 – Child (5 years old)

Section F – Prospect Beef Market

Must weigh no more than 550 lbs. to show in competitive market class. Competitive market classes determined at final weigh-in.

Class 1159 – Heifer Prospect Beef

Class 0000 – Steer Prospect Beef

Class 1160 – Rate of Gain

Sheep – Department 06

Superintendent: Elza Hays

Judging: Tuesday & Thursday

Check In: Sunday July 7, 2024 from 12pm - 2 pm

Location: Show Arena

Sheep Program Rules

- Market lambs must be a minimum weight of 90 pounds to be considered for exhibit and sale (each lamb in pen must also meet the 90 pound minimum.)
- Sheep for exhibit at the fair must have proper identification tags. Do not remove the scrapie tags prior to weighin or showing. It is illegal to remove the official USDA individual animal identification.
- Notification must be made to the superintendent that the lamb lost their tag immediately.
- All sheep and lambs must come to the fair illness and parasite free. Animals suspected of being ill at the time of final weigh in will be directed to return to trailer and not allowed to participate.
- All lambs must be show cut prior to arriving to fair. No full sheering at the fairgrounds will be permitted. No coverings allowed on scale during weigh in.

Section A – Lamb Showmanship

Class 1180 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1181 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1182 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1183 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old)

Class 1184 – Cloverbud (5 years old)

Section B – Market Sheep

Class 0000 – Single Market Lamb

Class 1195 – Child 5 years old (Single Lamb) (participation ribbon)

Class 1198 – Rate of Gain (Single Lamb)

Section C – Pen of 2 Market Sheep

Class 0000 – Pen of 2 Market Lambs

Class 1199 – Rate of Gain (Pen of Lambs)

Section D – Gladwin County Special

Class 1200 – Gladwin County Special Sheep (see general rules for eligibility)

Section E – Sheep Breeding Stock

Breeding lambs and yearling sheep regardless of breed will show and compete together in correct classes. Winners from each class will compete for Supreme Grand and Reserve Champion Breeding Stock. Ewe Market lambs are allowed to show in class 1173.

Class 1170 - Yearling Ram (1 year to 2 years old)

Class 1171 - Ram Lamb (under 1 year of age)

Class 1172 - Yearling Ewe (1 year to 2 years old)

Class 1173 - Ewe Lamb (under 1 year of age)

Goats – Department 08

Superintendent: Jim Buzzell

Judging: Monday

Check In: Saturday July 6, 2024 from 6 – 9 pm

Location: Livestock Show Arena

Goat Program Rules

- All goats must wear a collar approved by the superintendent.
- All animals must be in the exhibitor's possession and care no later than May 1 of current year.
- All male goats are to be castrated at least 1 month prior to fair to be eligible for show. The castration site must be healed for the goat to be eligible for show. Male goats not castrated/healed will not be allowed to remain at fair or exhibit in shows. (Exception made for dams nursing kids under 8 weeks of age. Dam must be exhibited in a class.)
- Goats for exhibit at the fair must have proper identification tags. Notification must be made to the superintendent that the goat lost their tag immediately. ~ Page 17 ~
- Hay feeders are required and are to be securely attached to the pen. ABSOLUTELY NO FEEDING OF HAY OR GRAIN ON THE GROUND. All water pails must be secured with a gate latch to the pen.
- Spurs must be 1 inch or less and loose.
- All goats must come to the fair illness and parasite free. Animals suspected of being ill at the time of drop off will be asked to return to trailer and not allowed to participate.
- All pens must have signs that indicate their exhibitor's name(s).
- Auction signs must be hung by Sunday night, indicating sale animals.

Section A – Goat Showmanship

Class 1210 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1211 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1212 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1213 – PeeWee (5 – 7 years old)

Section B – Market Goat

Class 1238 – Wether, market less than a year meat class or (boar)

Class 1239 – Chevron, market over a year meat class or (boar)

**Winners from classes 1238 and 1239 will compete for Best of Show.

Section C – Dairy Goats

Class 1220 – Junior Doe (under 6 Months)

Class 1221 – Intermediate Doe (6 – 12 Months)

Class 1222 – Senior Doe (1 year or older)

**Winners from classes 1220 – 1222 will compete for Best of Show

Section F – All Breeds

Class 1250 – Junior Doe (under 6 Months)

Class 1251 – Intermediate Doe (6 – 12 Months)

Class 1252 – Senior Doe (1 year or older)

Class 1253 – Junior Whether (under 6 Months)

Class 1254 – Intermediate Whether (6 – 12 Months)

Class 1255 – Senior Whether (1 year or older)

**Winners from classes 1250 – 1255 will compete for Best of Show

**Best of Show winners from section B, C, and F will compete for Supreme Grand Champion Goat and Reserve Champion Goat

Section G – Special Classes

Class 1232 – Gladwin County Special (see general rules for eligibility)

Class 1231 – Dam & Kid (mother & 1 or 2 offspring, any gender)

Class 1234 – Costume Class (5 – 19 years old)

Class 1235 – Anything in Milk

Class 1236 – Agility Class

Swine – Department 10

Superintendent: Jim Bailey

Judging: Tuesday & Thursday

Check In: Sunday, July 7, 2024 from 6 – 11 am

Location: Livestock Show Arena

Swine Program Rules

- Swine projects will weigh no less than 200 pounds with a maximum weight of 300 pounds to compete for Champion awards. Buyers will only be charged for the maximum weight. (Example: If your hog weighs 310 pounds the buyer will only be charged for 300 pounds)
- Swine not meeting the minimum weight requirements will be able to show in the showmanship class only and will not be eligible for the auction.
- Swine exceeding the maximum weight will compete for class placing, but not be included in Rate of Gain, or Final Drive to compete for Supreme Grand. These animals will sell after all market swine meeting weight requirements in the order of placing in the overweight class.
- Market Swine can be a barrow or gilt.
- Swine for exhibit at the fair must have proper identification tags, which includes a Gladwin County Fair Tag along with an RFID tag. The RFID tag must be provided by the breeder or purchased through the USDA. Do not remove the RFID tag prior to weigh-in or exhibition. Gladwin County Fair tags will only be available at May weigh in.
- Gladwin County Fair is a Ractopamine free fair. The management reserves the right to test any or all animals exhibited at the event.
- Notification must be made to the superintendent that the swine lost their tag immediately.
- Swine weight parameters determined by the Gladwin County Jr Livestock Association in partnership with the Gladwin County Fairboard, class splits will be determined by the weights below along with the number of exhibitors in the class:
 - ♣ Lightweight = 200 – 220 lbs
 - ♣ Medium Lightweight = 221 – 240 lbs
 - ♣ Mediumweight = 241 – 260 lbs
 - ♣ Medium Heavyweight = 261 – 280 lbs
 - ♣ Heavyweight = 281 – 300 lbs
 - ♣ Super Heavyweight = 301 lbs & over

**Overall Grand & Reserve Champion market swine selected from divided classes, except super heavyweight class.

Section A – Swine Showmanship

Class 1270 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1271 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1273 – Young Member (6 – 11 years old)

Class 1274 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old)

Class 1275 – Cloverbud (5 years old)

Section B – Gilt Market Swine

Class 0000 – Gilt Market Swine

Class 1292 – Rate of Gain Gilt

Section C – Barrow Market Swine

Class 0000 – Barrow Market Swine

Class 1292 – Rate of Gain Barrow

Class 1285 – Child 5 years old (Barrow/Gilt)

Section D – Gladwin County Special

Class 1295- Gladwin County Special Swine (see general rules for eligibility)

Poultry – Department 12

Superintendent: Lori Bergman 435-9432 (msg)

Judging: Wednesday

Check In: Sunday July 7, 2024 from 7 am -12 pm

Location: Small Animal Show Arena

Poultry Program Rules

- Water and foods containers cannot be stored on or below cages and pens. Food must be in sealed plastic containers and can be stored on the shelves in the Small Animal Show Area.
- Barn duty is required for all small animal exhibitors. Sign up is available during barn setup, pullorum testing and during check in.
- All birds coming to the fair (broilers are exempt) are to be pullorum tested by certified testers on June 20 OR 21, 2024 from 5-8 pm at the Gladwin County Fair Grove or provide proper paperwork showing a clean test within 30 days of fair result by a veterinarian or certified tester before birds will be allowed to enter the barn for show. Pullorum paperwork must be provided at check in. Waterfowl (ducks, geese, etc.), pigeons, and doves do not need to be tested for pullorum.
- Members MUST be present to remove their birds from pens during judging or the project will not be judged and no award will be given.
- Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class. Each bird the exhibitor brings to the fair may only be exhibited in one class (besides Showmanship.)
- Birds must be bathed and parasite free prior to check in at the fair on Sunday. Best practice is to bath the birds 3 to 4 days prior to checking them in at the fair. Birds found dirty or infested with parasites will not be allowed to enter the barn for exhibit.
- Pens may not be split for the auction, but may be combined as a single unit (ie. Market rabbits, broilers, bantams).
- No birds may be replaced or substituted without prior approval of the Gladwin Junior Livestock Committee and the Fairboard.

Section A – Poultry Showmanship

Class 1300 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1301 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1302 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1303 – PeeWee (5 – 7 years old)

Section B – Broiler Meat Project

- Broilers are shown at a separate event on June 24, 2024 at 6 p.m. at the Livestock arena.
- Poster boards are required for display at the fair for sale purposes and to complete the project.
- Be aware of the rules regarding the donated project birds and be sure to adhere to those rules as well.
- Birds are to be clean and show ready, in cages that are accessible and can be moved.
- Exhibitors will be required to participate in Showmanship during the fair in order to be able to participate in the auction and this event. Please prepare to have another animal to use for this purpose during the fair.

- Age requirements for broilers; 8 weeks minimum AND a minimum of 5 pounds each to be eligible for awards.
- Pen and single are sold as one unit if participating in auction.
Class 1337 – Meat Birds, pen of 3 (or 2 if all that remains of original group)
Class 1339 – Meat Bird, single

**Winners will be awarded Best of Show Broiler Pen and Best of Show Broiler Single

Section C – Gladwin County Special

- Must be hatched and raised on the exhibitor’s farm. Can be chickens, ducks, turkeys, or geese. Birds must be at least 1 day old but no older than 2½ weeks with more fluff than feathers. Gladwin County Special poultry project is a live display project only, chicks may not be used in any showmanship/breed classes. Exhibitors must include an educational 4x6 index card about their entry with a small picture of their animal. A designated check-in time will be given for Sunday evening. Chicken and turkeys will be tested for Pullorum upon arrival.

DO NOT BRING THIS PROJECT TO SUNDAY MORNING CHECK IN

Class 1345 – Gladwin County Special Poultry

Weight and age minimum requirements for the following classes are set by the Junior Livestock Committee in partnership with the Fairboard. Exhibitors must be able to show the project meets the minimum age requirement if asked, by producing bill of sale/invoice/or receipt showing date of purchase. Best of show winners from sections E, F, G, H and J will compete for Supreme Grand Champion Poultry:

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| Pheasant – 8 weeks | Production Class Young Pen – 12 weeks |
| Ducks – 8 weeks | Geese – 14 weeks, minimum 6 lbs. |
| Breeding pair – 12 weeks | Turkey – 16 weeks, minimum 8 lbs. each |

Section E – Bantam Class

- Class 1306 – Cockerel
- Class 1307 – Pullet
- Class 1308 – Rooster
- Class 1309 – Hen
- Class 1310 – Breeding Pair

**All “A” ribbon winners from section E will compete for Best of Show

Section F – Standard Bird Class

- Class 1306 – Cockerel
- Class 1307 – Pullet
- Class 1308 – Rooster
- Class 1309 – Hen
- Class 1310 – Breeding Pair

**All “A” ribbon winners from section F will compete for Best of Show

Section G – Turkey Class

- Class 1328 – Two Birds

Class 1329 – Single Bird

**All “A” ribbon winners from section G will compete for Best of Show

Section H – Waterfowl (Ducks/Geese) Class

Class 1331 – Two Birds (same breed)

Class 1332 – Single Bird

**All “A” ribbon winners from section H will compete for Best of Show

Section J – Game Birds Class (quails, doves, pigeons)

Class 1328 – Two Birds (same breed)

Class 1329 – Single Bird

**All “A” ribbon winners from section J will compete for Best of Show

Section K – Pheasants

Pheasants will not be brought to the fairgrounds. In place of the birds, youth will make a poster board showing their project progression from beginning to end with descriptions of their projects at various stages. NAME OF YOUTH MUST BE ON THE BACK OF THE POSTER AND THE EXHIBITORS SHOULD NOT BE IDENTIFIABLE ON THE FACE OF THE POSTER.

Class 1320 - Pheasant Project Poster

Section L – Production Class (Standard birds only)

Class 1311 – Old Pen (3 hens) Over 1 year old

Class 1312 – Young Pen (3 pullets) Under 1 year old

**All “A” ribbon winners from section J will compete for Best of Show

**All Best of Show winners from section E, F, G, H, J, and L will compete for Supreme Champion and Reserve Champion Poultry Exhibit.

Section M – Egg Classes

Class 1314 – Dozen Standard White OR Brown (all same color)

Class 1315 – Dozen Standard Colored (all same color)

Class 1316 – Dozen Bantam (all same color)

Class 1317 – Dozen Game Bird (all same variety)

Class 1318 – Half Dozen Duck OR Goose OR Turkey (all same variety)

Class 1319 – Most “Eggs”ellent Costume Class (participation only – all ages) – watch website for details

**All “A” ribbon winners from classes 1314-1318 will compete for Best of Show and Honorable Mention and be able to sell a dozen eggs at the Small Animal Auction. (A fresh set of eggs will be delivered to the buyer.)

Rabbit – Department 14

Superintendent: Lori Bergman 435-9432 (msg)
Check In: Sunday July 7, 2024 from 9 am -12 pm

Judging: Tuesday
Location: Small Animal Show Arena

Rabbit Program Rules

- Water and foods containers cannot be stored on or below cages and pens. Food must be in sealed plastic containers and can be stored on the shelves in the Small Animal Show Area.
- All rabbits MUST have a tattooed ID in their left ear.
- Members MUST be present to remove their rabbits from pens during judging.
- No Does with litters will be accepted for show.
- Barn duty is required for all small animal exhibitors. Sign up is available during barn setup, pullorum testing and during check in.
- There will be a mandatory barn meeting on Sunday, July 7, 2024, at 1 p.m.
- All rabbit exhibits must be examined on Sunday, July 7, 2024, from 9am to noon by the barn superintendent or designee before entering the barn.
- Rabbits without a pedigree or registration should use the Mix Breed Section for entry

Section A – Rabbit Showmanship

Class 1380 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
Class 1381 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
Class 1382 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
Class 1383 – PeeWee (5 – 7 years old)

Six Class Rabbits Award for this project area is broken into best of breed and best of opposite sex. Those will compete for best overall in this project. All rabbits in these classes must be purebred and a copy pedigree paperwork provided at check in.

Section B – Californian

Section C – Flemish Giant

Section D – New Zealand

Section E – Satins-Solid/Broken

Section F – Any Other Six Class Breed

Class 1386 – Senior Buck (6 months & over)
Class 1387 – Senior Doe (6 months & over)
Class 1390 – Junior Buck (3 – 6 months old)
Class 1391 – Junior Doe (3 – 6 months old)

Four Class Rabbits

Award for this project area is broken into best of breed and best of opposite sex. Those will compete for best overall in this project. All rabbits in these classes must be purebred and a copy pedigree paperwork provided at check in.

Section G – Dutch

Section H – Lion Head

Section I – Holland Lops

Section J – Mini Lop: Solid or Broken

Section K – Mini Rex: Solid or Broken

Section M – Netherland Dwarf

Section N – Any Other 4 Class Breed

Class 1395 – Senior Buck (6 months & over)

Class 1396 – Senior Doe (6 months & over)

Class 1397 – Junior Buck (3 – 6 months old)

Class 1398 – Junior Doe (3 – 6 months old)

**Best VI Class and Best IV Class rabbits will compete for Supreme Best of Show

Section O – Mix Breed (without pedigree papers)

Class 1395 – Senior Buck (6 months & over)

Class 1396 – Senior Doe (6 months & over)

Class 1397 – Junior Buck (3 – 5 months old)

Class 1398 – Junior Doe (3 – 5 months old)

Section Q – Meat Rabbit

Market rabbit pens and single fryers must be between 3-5 lbs and 70 days old or less. Single roaster rabbits must be between 5-8 lbs and less than 6 months old. Exhibitors who show both a single fryer and a market pen may combine their rabbits together and consider them as one sale unit.

Class 1400 – Market Pen (3 rabbits, fryer age)

Class 1401 – Single Fryer

Class 1402 – Single Roaster

Section R – Gladwin County Special

Class 1396 – Gladwin County Special Rabbits (see general rules for eligibility)

Department 16 – Horses & Ponies

Superintendent: Dennis Maxwell

Check In: Sunday, July 7, 2024 from Noon – 3 PM & no later than 7 am Monday July 8, 2024

Judging: Monday & Friday

Location: Horse Show Arena

Horse & Pony Vaccination Paperwork Requirements

Horses that show at the Gladwin County Fair are required to have the following:

- 4 in 1 (includes Eastern & Western Encephalomyelitis, Tetanus and Equine Flu)
- Current calendar year Coggins Test.
- It is recommended that exhibitors also deworm and vaccinate their horses/ponies against Potomac Fever & West Nile virus before exhibiting at the fair
- Coggins test must be done within the current year and the horse/pony must test negative. Positive horses will not be allowed to show or compete and will not be allowed on the fairgrounds

- Proof of negative coggins and proof of required shots must be submitted to the fair office 30 days prior to the fair. All horses must have proper paperwork turned in order to participate at fair.
- Failure to provide proper documentation of shots and vaccinations on time will result in a case-by-case review by a committee of fair board members and the horse superintendents. The committee will review dates of the shots & test and explanation of missed time to determine if an exception can be made. The committee reserves the right upon review to deny an entry for failure to provide proper paperwork on time.

Horse & Pony Rules/Regulations

- All horses/ponies must be at the fairgrounds by 7 am, Monday the first day of fair and horse shows. Horses and Ponies may come in on Sunday between noon and 3:00 pm.
- Horses/ponies may be used by siblings, so long as they aren't in the same age group.
- Exhibitors may exercise their horses/ponies in the horse arena or makeup arena only. Exhibitors are required for safety to walk their horses to and from the barn to these areas. Exhibitors must take care to be considerate of other horses and riders in these areas.
- All horse/pony exhibitors must show in showmanship and one other class.
- Ponies are designated as less than 56", equine taller than that will be designated as horse.
- Pregnant mares 7 months gestation and over cannot be ridden at the Gladwin County Fair. However, the mare can be used for showmanship. Burden of proof is on the exhibitor.
- No loose animals in the horse arena or the make-up arena.
- ALL bareback classes require an ASTM-SEI riding helmet.
- Challenged Rider Classes; open to exhibitors ages 8-19 years old by January 1st of the current year, which have been determined to be eligible for special education by the local school district. Exhibitors ages 8-19 have the choice to register in either the age specific showmanship classes of horses or the challenged rider class; but cannot register for both. Any exhibitor with a disability may designate an assistant to help them in the show ring.
- If bringing two horses, exhibitor must show both in the same age division or Novice Rider (Walk/Trot) with both.
- If exhibitor wins Overall Novice (Walk/Trot) in a year, they must move to their age division for following years.

Section A – Halter

Class 1458 – Gelding

Class 1459 – Mare

Overall Grand & Reserve Halter

Section B – Showmanship

Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)

Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)

Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)

Class 1456 – PeeWee 6-7 years old (Walk/Trot)

Class ##### - Cloverbud 5 years old (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)

Class 1457 – Challenged Rider (8 – 19 years old)

Section C – English Equitation

Section D – English Pleasure

Section E – English Bareback

- Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
- Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
- Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
- Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony
- Class 1454 – Pony Class 1455 - PeeWee (6 – 7 years old) (Walk/Trot)
- Class 1456 – Cloverbud (5 years old) (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)

Section F – Western Horsemanship

- Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
- Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
- Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
- Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony
- Class 1454 – Pony Class 1455 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old) (Walk/Trot)
- Class 1456 – Cloverbud (5 years old) (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)
- Class 1457 – Challenged Rider (8 – 19 years old)

Section G – Western Pleasure

Section H – Western Bareback

- Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
- Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
- Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
- Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony
- Class 1454 – Pony Class 1455 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old) (Walk/Trot)
- Class 1456 – Cloverbud (5 years old) (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)

Section I – English/Western Riding

Section X – Western Reining

- Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
- Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
- Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
- Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony
- Class 1454 – Pony

Section J – Trail

Section K – Costume (will be held with the fun show)

- Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
- Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
- Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
- Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony

Class 1454 – Pony
Class 1455 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old) (Walk/Trot)
Class 1456 – Cloverbud (5 years old) (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)

Friday Speed Classes – Start time 6:00 pm

Section L – Pole Bending

Section M – Stake Race

Section N – Speed & Action

Section O – Keyhole

Section P – Cloverleaf

Section Q – Indiana Flag

Section R – Dash Race

Class 1450 – Senior (16 – 19 years old)
Class 1451 – Junior (12 – 15 years old)
Class 1452 – Young Member (8 – 11 years old)
Class 1453 – Novice Rider (Walk/Trot), Horse or Pony
Class 1454 – Pony
Class 1455 – PeeWee (6 – 7 years old) (Walk/Trot)
Class 1456 – Cloverbud (5 years old) (Walk/Trot participation ribbon only)

Youth Still Exhibits

Superintendent: Kelli Trevillian (989) 359-1775
Check-In: Saturday, July 6, 2023, 9 am - Noon
Judging: Still Exhibit Barn

Still Exhibit Program Rules

- Set up is Friday, June 21, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.
- All Still Exhibit participants are expected to help with setup and tear down.
- All exhibits must be the original product of the exhibitors and produced in the current project year (fair to fair.)
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Judging includes a one-on-one interview with the judge. Parents are not to be involved in the interview/judging process and must remain behind the barrier.

Department 60 – Youth Exhibitor Needlecrafts

- All exhibited clothing must be cleaned and pressed. Exhibitor may exhibit one project in each class.
- It is recommended that the garment not be wore prior to exhibit. All classes maybe divided or combined at the discretion of the Superintendent.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Sewing 16-19 years old

Class 1500 – Apparel
Class 1506 – Blanket/Quilt
Class 1508 – Placemats
Class 1512 – Others

Section B – Sewing 12-15 years old

Class 1500 – Apparel
Class 1506 – Blanket/Quilt
Class 1508 – Placemats
Class 1512 – Others

Section C – Sewing 8-11 years old

Class 1500 – Apparel
Class 1506 – Blanket/Quilt
Class 1508 – Placemats
Class 1512 – Other

Section D – Sewing 5-7 years old

Class 1500 – Apparel
Class 1506 – Blanket/Quilt
Class 1508 – Placemats
Class 1512 – Other

**All “A” ribbon winners from section A through D will compete for Best of Show

Section E – Knitting 16-19 years old

Class 1525 – Apparel
Class 1526 – Afghan
Class 1527 – Others

Section F – Knitting 12 – 15 years old

Class 1528 – Apparel
Class 1526 = Afghan
Class 1527 – Other

Section G – Knitting 8 – 11 years old

Class 1528 – Apparel
Class 1526 – Afghan
Class 1527 – Other

Section H – Knitting 5-7 years old

Class 1528 – Apparel
Class 1526 – Afghan
Class 1527 – Other

**All “A” ribbon winners from section E through H will compete for Best of Show

Section I – Crocheting 16-19 years old

Class 1530 – Apparel
Class 1531 – Afghan
Class 1532 – Other

Section J – Crocheting 12-15 years old

Class 1530 – Apparel
Class 1531 – Afghan
Class 1532 – Other

Section K – Crocheting 8-11 years old

Class 1530 – Apparel
Class 1531 – Afghan
Class 1532 – Other

Section L – Crocheting 5-7 years old

Class 1530 – Apparel
Class 1531 – Afghan
Class 1532 – Other

**All “A” ribbon winners from section I through L will compete for Best of Show

Section M – Needlecraft 16-19 years old

Class 1540 – Needlework (embroidery, needlepoint, crewel, etc.)
Class 1541 – Hooking
Class 1542 – Weaving
Class 1544 – Counted Cross-Stitch
Class 1548 – Other

Section N – Needlecraft 12-15 years old

Class 1540 – Needlework (embroidery, needlepoint, crewel, etc.)
Class 1541 – Hooking
Class 1542 – Weaving
Class 1544 – Counted Cross-Stitch
Class 1548 – Other

Section O – Needlecraft 8-11 years old

Class 1540 – Needlework (embroidery, needlepoint, crewel, etc.)
Class 1541 – Hooking
Class 1542 – Weaving
Class 1544 – Counted Cross-Stitch
Class 1548 – Other

Section P – Needlecraft 5-7 years old

Class 1540 – Needlework (embroidery, needlepoint, crewel, etc.)
Class 1541 – Hooking Class 1542 – Weaving
Class 1544 – Counted Cross-Stitch
Class 1548 – Other

**All “A” ribbon winners from Section M through P will compete for Best of Show

Department 61 - Youth Exhibitor Food & Nutrition

- Exhibits should be brought to judging ready to show (appearances matter).
- After judging a portion must be left on display (preferably on a disposable plate), the remainder may be taken home.
- All projects must be scratch made and recipe must be provided at judging. No box mixes will be accepted.
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Judging includes a one-on-one interview with the judge. Parents are not to be involved in the interview/judging process and must remain behind the barrier.
- All decorative elements and embellishments must be edible.
- The superintendent can combine classes as necessary.

Section A – Baking (Batter Products) 16 – 19 years old

Class 1560 – Biscuits (4 to 6 on plate)

Class 1561 – Muffins, any kind (6 to 8 on plate)

Class 1562 – Cake, one layer-unfrosted

Class 1565 – Cake, frosted

Section B – Baking (Batter Products) 12 – 15 years old

Class 1560 – Biscuits (4 to 6 on plate)

Class 1561 – Muffins, any kind (6 to 8 on plate)

Class 1562 – Cake, one layer-unfrosted

Class 1565 – Cake, frosted

Section C – Baking (Batter Products) 8-11 years old

Class 1560 – Biscuits (4 to 6 on plate)

Class 1561 – Muffins, any kind (6 to 8 on plate)

Class 1562 – Cake, one layer-unfrosted

Class 1565 – Cake, frosted

Section D – Baking (Batter Products) 5-7 years old

Class 1560 – Biscuits (4 to 6 on plate)

Class 1561 – Muffins, any kind (6 to 8 on plate)

Class 1562 – Cake, one layer-unfrosted

Class 1565 – Cake, frosted

**All "A" ribbon winners from section A though D will compete for Best of Show

Section E – Baking (Cookies) 16 – 19 years old

Class 1563 – Drop cookies (6 to 8 on a plate)

Class 1564 – Bar cookies, brownies, etc. (6 to 8 on a plate)

Section F – Baking (Cookies) 12 – 15 years old

Class 1563 – Drop cookies (6 to 8 on a plate)

Class 1564 – Bar cookies, brownies, etc. (6 to 8 on a plate)

Section G – Baking (Cookies) 8-11 years old

Class 1563 – Drop cookies (6 to 8 on a plate)

Class 1564 – Bar cookies, brownies, etc. (6 to 8 on a plate)

Section H – Baking (Cookies) 5-7 years old

Class 1563 – Drop cookies (6 to 8 on a plate)

Class 1564 – Bar cookies, brownies, etc. (6 to 8 on a plate)

**All “A” ribbon winners from section E though H will compete for Best of Show

Section I – Baking (Yeast Breads) 16 – 19 years old

Class 1569 – Bread (1 loaf)

Class 1570 – Yeast Rolls (6 to 8 on plate)

Section J – Baking (Yeast Breads) 12 – 15 years old

Class 1569 – Bread (1 loaf)

Class 1570 – Yeast rolls (6 to 8 on plate)

Section K – Baking (Yeast Breads) 8 – 11 years old

Class 1569 – Bread (1 loaf)

Class 1570 – Yeast rolls (6 to 8 on plate)

Section L – Baking (Yeast Breads) 5 – 7 years old

Class 1569 – Bread (1 loaf)

Class 1570 – Yeast rolls (6 to 8 on plate)

All “A” ribbon winners from section I though L will compete for Best of Show

Additional Fruit Pie Rules

Fruit pies may be any variety of fruit.

Must come in a pie dish or tin (disposable pie tins are recommended) No cream or custard-based pies

Additional Candy Rules

Use appropriate display container like a candy box or foam plate to put suckers in.

Candy may be painted or plain.

Candy may come in as 1 large piece or three small pieces.

Suckers must come in displays of three.

Sugar Eggs are classified as candy and must have all edible decorations.

Filled candy are allowed; Please make a note if they must be refrigerated.

Brittle and taffy are classified as candy.

After judging a portion must be left on display (preferably on a disposable plate), the remainder may be taken home.

Section M – Decorative Desserts & Candies 16 – 19 years old

Class 1573 – Fruit Pie

Class 1574 – Candy (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Class 1575 – Fudge (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Section N – Decorative Desserts & Candies 12 – 15 years old

Class 1573 – Fruit Pie

Class 1574 – Candy (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Class 1575 – Fudge (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Section O – Decorative Desserts & Candies 8 – 11 years old

Class 1573 – Fruit Pie

Class 1574 – Candy (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Class 1575 – Fudge (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Section P – Decorative Desserts & Candies 5 – 7 years old

Class 1573 – Fruit Pie

Class 1574 – Candy (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

Class 1575 – Fudge (6 – 8 medium to large size pieces)

All “A” ribbon winners in Sections M through P will compete in Best of Show

Section R – Cake/Cookie Decorating All Ages

Decorated cakes are judged on the decorating only and; in this class only; can be fake (foam/carboard/etc.). All decorated cakes must be on a board and the board should not exceed 2” beyond cake.

Class 1576 – Cake

Class 1577 – Cookie(s)

Additional Food Preservation Rules

Entries must be in standard canning jars with a 2-part lid or ring.

Use of paraffin will not be accepted.

Three jars of single batch will constitute as an entry.

After judging, the open jar should be taken home and the remaining jars left on display for the week.

Method, pressure, time, and recipe must be listed on project sheet.

Section S – Food Preservation 16 – 19 years old

Class 1579 – Jelly/Jam/Freezer Jam

Class 1580 – Fruit

Class 1582 – Vegetables

Class 1583 – Pickles

Class 1586 – Relish

Class 1587 – Dehydrated

Section T – Food Preservation 12 – 15 years old

Class 1579 – Jelly/Jam/Freezer Jam

Class 1580 – Fruit

Class 1582 – Vegetables

Class 1583 – Pickles

Class 1586 – Relish

Class 1587 – Dehydrated

Section U – Food Preservation 8 – 11 years old

Class 1579 – Jelly/Jam/Freezer Jam

Class 1580 – Fruit

Class 1582 – Vegetables

Class 1583 – Pickles

Class 1586 – Relish

Class 1587 – Dehydrated

Section V – Food Preservation 5 – 7 years old

Class 1579 – Jelly/Jam/Freezer Jam
Class 1580 – Fruit
Class 1582 – Vegetables
Class 1583 – Pickles
Class 1586 – Relish
Class 1587 - Dehydrated

**All “A” ribbon winners from section S through V will compete for Best of Show

Section W – Charcuterie Boards 8 – 19 years old

Class 1500 – Meats/Cheeses
Class 1501 – Fruits
Class 1502 – Vegetables
Class 1503 – Sweets
Class 1504 – Other

Department 062 – Youth Exhibitor Fine Art

- Must be original work of exhibitor.
- Artwork exhibited at the fair in the previous years may not be exhibited again.
- One (1) exhibit allowed per class per exhibitor.
- Maximum size for art work will be 8”x10”
- Once judging is complete, the piece will be displayed in a plastic sheet protector and pinned to a board.
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Judging includes a one-on-one interview with the judge. Parents are not to be involved in the interview/judging process and must remain behind the barrier.

Section A – Drawing & Painting 16 – 19 years old

Painting Classes Any Subject

Class 1600 – Acrylic painting
Class 1602 – Finger painting
Class 1609 – Oil painting
Class 1606 – Watercolor

Ink/Pencil Classes Any Subject

Class 1607 – Pencil
Class 1608 – Pen/Ink
Class 1610 – Charcoal

Other Medium Classes Any Subject

Class 1601 – Crayon
Class 1603 – Marker
Class 1604 – Pastels
Class 1605 – Textile
Class 1611 – Any other medium/mixed medium

Section B – Drawing & Painting 12 – 15 years old

Painting Classes Any Subject

Class 1600 – Acrylic painting
Class 1602 – Finger painting
Class 1609 – Oil painting
Class 1606 – Watercolor

Ink/Pencil Classes Any Subject

Class 1607 – Pencil
Class 1608 – Pen/Ink
Class 1610 – Charcoal

Other Medium Classes Any Subject

Class 1601 – Crayon
Class 1603 – Marker
Class 1604 – Pastels
Class 1605 – Textile
Class 1611 – Any other Medium/Mixed Medium

Section C – Drawing & Painting 8 – 11 years old

Painting Classes Any Subject

Class 1600 – Acrylic painting
Class 1602 – Finger painting
Class 1609 – Oil painting
Class 1606 – Watercolor

Ink/Pencil Classes Any Subject

Class 1607 – Pencil
Class 1608 – Pen/Ink
Class 1610 – Charcoal

Other Medium Classes Any Subject

Class 1601 – Crayon
Class 1603 – Marker
Class 1604 – Pastels
Class 1605 – Textile
Class 1611 – Any other Medium/Mixed Medium

Section D – Drawing & Painting 5 – 7 years old

Painting Classes Any Subject

Class 1600 – Acrylic painting
Class 1602 – Finger painting
Class 1609 – Oil painting
Class 1606 – Watercolor

Ink/Pencil Classes Any Subject

Class 1607 – Pencil
Class 1608 – Pen/Ink
Class 1610 – Charcoal

Other Medium Classes Any Subject

Class 1601 – Crayon
Class 1603 – Marker
Class 1604 – Pastels

Class 1605 – Textile

Class 1611 – Any other Medium/Mixed Medium

**All “A” ribbon winners from section A through D will compete for Best of Show

Department 63 – Youth Exhibitor Folk Art

- Projects must be made by the exhibitor within the current fair year. Must be original work of exhibitor. May be displayed in clear plastic.
- Exhibits that hang (wall hanging, pictures, etc.) must be displayed on an easel and secured to the easel and displayed at the exhibitor’s own risk.
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Judging includes a one-on-one interview with the judge. Parents are not to be involved in the interview/judging process and must remain behind the barrier.

Wood Working Classes

Section A – Woodworking 16 – 19 years old

Class 1639 – Cutting Boards

Class 1640 – Shelves/Gun Rack/Quilt Rack

Class 1641 – Small Table/Foot Stool

Class 1642 – Furniture

Class 1643 – Bird House/Feeder

Class 1644 – Lawn/Outdoor Decorations

Class 1645 – Any other

Section B – Woodworking 13 – 15 years old

Class 1639 – Cutting Boards

Class 1640 – Shelves/Gun Rack/Quilt Rack

Class 1641 – Small Table/Foot Stool

Class 1642 – Furniture

Class 1643 – Bird House/Feeder

Class 1644 – Lawn/Outdoor Decorations

Class 1645 – Any other

Section C – Woodworking 8 – 11 years old

Class 1639 – Cutting Boards

Class 1640 – Shelves/Gun Rack/Quilt Rack

Class 1641 – Small Table/Foot Stool

Class 1642 – Furniture

Class 1643 – Bird House/Feeder

Class 1644 – Lawn/Outdoor Decorations

Class 1645 – Any other

Section D – Woodworking 5 – 7 years old

Class 1639 – Cutting Boards

Class 1640 – Shelves/Gun Rack/Quilt Rack

Class 1641 – Small Table/Foot Stool

Class 1642 – Furniture
Class 1643 – Bird House/Feeder
Class 1644 – Lawn/Outdoor Decorations
Class 1645 – Any other

**All “A” ribbon winners in section A through D will compete for Best of Show

Youth Ceramics Classes

Section E – Ceramics 16 – 19 years old

Class 1650 – Over Glaze, Under Glaze, Glaze Ceramics
Class 1652 – Stain (any item)
Class 1653 – Porcelain (any item)
Class 1655 – Any other ceramic project

Section F – Ceramics 12 – 15 years old

Class 1650 – Over Glaze, Under Glaze, Glaze Ceramics
Class 1652 – Stain (any item)
Class 1653 – Porcelain (any item)
Class 1655 – Any other ceramic project

Section G – Ceramics 8 – 11 years old

Class 1650 – Over Glaze, Under Glaze, Glaze Ceramics
Class 1652 – Stain (any item)
Class 1653 – Porcelain (any item)
Class 1655 – Any other ceramic project

Section H – Ceramics 5 – 7 years old

Class 1650 – Over Glaze, Under Glaze, Glaze Ceramics
Class 1652 – Stain (any item)
Class 1653 – Porcelain (any item)
Class 1655 – Any other ceramic project

**All “A” ribbon winners from section E through H will compete for Best of Show

Youth Folk Craft Classes

Section I – Crafts 16 – 19 years old

Class 1682 – Beaded craft
Class 1684 – Glass craft
Class 1688 – Jewelry
Class 1689 – Leather craft
Class 1691 – Metal crafts/tin punching
Class 1692 – Plant arrangement (fake or real)
Class 1699 – Stained glass
Class 1700 – Holiday decorations (ornaments, gift wrapping, wreaths, etc.)
Class 1706 – Recycled material craft
Class 1707 – Rubber stamping craft (card or other creative projects)
Class 1708 – Vinyl applique project
Class 1709 - Other

Section J – Crafts 12 – 15 years old

Class 1682 – Beaded craft
Class 1684 – Glass craft
Class 1688 – Jewelry
Class 1689 – Leather craft
Class 1691 – Metal crafts/tin punching
Class 1692 – Plant arrangement (fake or real)
Class 1699 – Stained glass
Class 1700 – Holiday decorations (ornaments, gift wrapping, wreaths, etc.)
Class 1706 – Recycled material craft
Class 1707 – Rubber stamping craft (card or other creative projects)
Class 1708 – Vinyl applique project
Class 1709 – Other

Section K – Crafts 8 – 11 years old

Class 1682 – Beaded craft
Class 1684 – Glass craft
Class 1688 – Jewelry
Class 1689 – Leather craft
Class 1691 – Metal crafts/tin punching
Class 1692 – Plant arrangement (fake or real)
Class 1699 – Stained glass
Class 1700 – Holiday decorations (ornaments, gift wrapping, wreaths, etc.)
Class 1706 – Recycled material craft
Class 1707 – Rubber stamping craft (card or other creative projects)
Class 1708 – Vinyl applique project
Class 1709 - Other

Section L – Crafts 5 – 7 years old

Class 1682 – Beaded craft
Class 1684 – Glass craft
Class 1688 – Jewelry
Class 1689 – Leather craft
Class 1691 – Metal crafts/tin punching
Class 1692 – Plant arrangement (fake or real)
Class 1699 – Stained glass
Class 1700 – Holiday decorations (ornaments, gift wrapping, wreaths, etc.)
Class 1706 – Recycled material craft
Class 1707 – Rubber stamping craft (card or other creative projects)
Class 1708 – Vinyl applique project
Class 1709 - Other

**All "A" ribbon winners in Section I through L will compete for Best of Show

Department 064 – Youth Exhibitor Photography

- Must be original work of exhibitor.
- Fair exhibits must be new photographs not previously exhibited.
- Must be taken within the exhibit year (fair 2023 to fair 2024).
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging. Name and model of camera MUST be noted.
- Single photos must be 8"x10" and a plastic sheet protector must be brought for display after judging.
- All photographs MUST be presented in a plastic sheet protector with exhibit info on the back.
- Exhibits that hang (wall hanging, pictures, etc.) must be displayed on an easel and secured to the easel and displayed at the exhibitor's own risk.
- Once judging is complete, the piece will be displayed in the plastic sheet protector you bring and pinned to a board.
- Judging includes a one-on-one interview with the judge. Parents are not to be involved in the interview/judging process and must remain behind the barrier.

Section A – Photography 16 – 19 years old

- Class 1720 – One 8x10 black & white
- Class 1721 – One 8x10 color
- Class 1723 – Scene/landscapes
- Class 1724 – Collage
- Class 1725 – Portraits
- Class 1726 – Sports/activities
- Class 1727 – Still life (tabletop set up, close up flowers, fruit, etc.)

Section B – Photography 12 – 15 years old

- Class 1720 – One 8x10 black & white
- Class 1721 – One 8x10 color
- Class 1723 – Scene/landscapes
- Class 1724 – Collage
- Class 1725 – Portraits
- Class 1726 – Sports/activities
- Class 1727 – Still life (tabletop set up, close up flowers, fruit, etc.)

Section C – Photography 8 – 11 years old

- Class 1720 – One 8x10 black & white
- Class 1721 – One 8x10 color
- Class 1723 – Scene/landscapes
- Class 1724 – Collage
- Class 1725 – Portraits
- Class 1726 – Sports/activities
- Class 1727 – Still life (tabletop set up, close up flowers, fruit, etc.)

Section D – Photography 5 – 7 years old

- Class 1720 – One 8x10 black & white
- Class 1721 – One 8x10 color
- Class 1723 – Scene/landscapes
- Class 1724 – Collage
- Class 1725 – Portraits
- Class 1726 – Sports/activities
- Class 1727 – Still life (tabletop set up, close up flowers, fruit, etc.)

**All "A" ribbon winners from section A through D will compete for Best of Show

Department 067 – Youth Exhibitor Floriculture

- Flowers MUST be watered/tended/freshened every morning.
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging with kind and variety name listed.
- Fresh cut plants/flowers are to be displayed in a stable jar/vase.

Section A – Live Flowers & Plants 5 – 19 years old

Class 1750 – Cactus

Class 1751 – Foliage potted plant

Class 1752 – Fresh annuals (4)

Class 1753 – Fresh perennials (3)

Section B – Arrangements – Live Plants 5 – 19 years old

Class 1756 – Dish Garden

Class 1757 – Fresh flower arrangement

Class 1758 – Flower/plant container creation

Class 1759 – House plant arrangement

Class 1760 – Terrarium

**All “A” ribbon winners from section A through B will compete in Best of Show

Department 70 – Youth Exhibitors Natural Resources

- Project sheets must accompany project.
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Recommended exhibitors use poster size 22” x 28” or 22” x 14” when preparing projects

Section A – Natural Resources (5 – 19 years old)

Class 1800 – Wildflowers/Wildlife/Entomology

Class 1801 – Bee Keeping

Class 1802 – Recycling/Environment

Department 071 – Youth Exhibitors Literary (5-19 Years Old)

- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- All stories are not to be over 2 pages typed, minimum font size of 12 pt. (final draft) Written (printed) book format also acceptable.
- All writings should be in a folder with entry tag on front indicating your name and class.

Section D – Literacy 8-19 Years Old

Class 1815 – Prose, writing using ordinary language or speech which is not poetic. No more than 2 pages

Class 1816 – Poem, literature written in metered or rhymed composition. No more than 2 pages.

Class 1817 – News/Information article

Department 072 – Education: Individual Entries (5-19 Years Old)

- Projects must have an educational topic and all articles in it should related to the topic
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.
- Poster should be free standing or able to be hung on a peg board

Section A – Individual Entries (12 to 19 Years Old)

Class 1830 – Poster

Class 1831 – Poster & notebook

Class 1832 – Educational article

Class 1833 – Notebook

Class 1834 – Public speaking

Section B – Individual Entries (5 to 11 Years Old)

Class 1830 – Poster

Class 1831 – Poster & notebook

Class 1832 – Educational article

Class 1833 – Notebook

Class 1834 – Public speaking

**All "A" ribbon winners from Section A through B will compete for Best of Show

Department 076 – Youth Exhibitors Collections/Misc.

- No more than 10 items for exhibit and they must be exhibited in an organized/artistic manner
- Items must be collected by the exhibitor or inherited
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging and must include a description of the entire collection.

Section A – Miscellaneous Articles 5 – 19 years old

Class 1820 – Collections; any age-appropriate items appropriate for public display

Class 1825 – Genealogy (must go back a minimum of 3 generations)

Class 1827 – Cemetery rubbing (should be dated before 1940, type the history of that person and why you chose them)

Department 078 – Youth Exhibitors Individual Entries: Upcycled/Recycled products

- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.

Section A – Upcycled/Recycled 16 – 19 years old

Class 1850 – Metal

Class 1851 – Plastic

Class 1852 – Paper

Class 1853 – Other

Section B – Upcycled/Recycled 12 – 15 years old

Class 1850 – Metal

Class 1851 – Plastic

Class 1852 – Paper

Class 1853 – Other

Section C – Upcycled/Recycled 8 – 11 years old

Class 1850 – Metal
Class 1851 – Plastic
Class 1852 – Paper
Class 1853 – Other

Section D – Upcycled/Recycled 5 – 7 years old

Class 1850 – Metal
Class 1851 – Plastic
Class 1852 – Paper
Class 1853 – Other

**All “A” ribbon winners in section A through D will compete in Best of Show

Department 080 – Youth Exhibitors Individual Entries: LEGOS

- MUST be built by participate alone within the project year (Fair 2023 – Fair 2024)
- Project sheets (available on the fair website at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>) must be filled out and presented with each exhibit at judging.

Section A – Lego Buildings (historical/current) All Ages

Class 1854 – Expert Builder (5000 + pieces)
Class 1855 – Advanced Builder (1000 – 4999 pieces)
Class 1856 – Intermediate Builder (500 – 999 pieces)
Class 1857 – Beginner Builder (100 – 499 pieces)

Section B – Lego Farmscapes – All Ages

Class 1854 – Expert Builder (5000 + pieces)
Class 1855 – Advanced Builder (1000 – 4999 pieces)
Class 1856 – Intermediate Builder (500 – 999 pieces)
Class 1857 – Beginner Builder (100 – 499 pieces)

Section C – Lego Automotive – All Ages • 2-3 Vehicles, must be functional and moving

Class 1854 – Expert Builder (5000 + pieces)
Class 1855 – Advanced Builder (1000 – 4999 pieces)
Class 1856 – Intermediate Builder (500 – 999 pieces)
Class 1857 – Beginner Builder (100 – 499 pieces)

Section D – Lego Fantasy/Magical/sci-fi – All Ages

Class 1854 – Expert Builder (5000 + pieces)
Class 1855 – Advanced Builder (1000 – 4999 pieces)
Class 1856 – Intermediate Builder (500 – 999 pieces)
Class 1857 – Beginner Builder (100 – 499 pieces)

**All “A” ribbon winners from section A through D will compete for Best of Show

Adult Still Exhibits

Superintendent: Kelli Trevillian (989) 359-1775

Check-in: Saturday, July 6, 2024, 2 – 4 pm

Judging: Still Exhibit Barn

Still Exhibit Program Rules

- All exhibits must be the original product of the exhibitors.
- Projects must be the work of the exhibitor from the past year.
- Projects exhibited the year before cannot be resubmitted for exhibit and judging.
- Project sheets must be filled out and presented with each exhibit.
- Project sheets are available at the fair office & online at <http://www.gladwinfair.com/>

Department 40 - Adult Open Class Needlecrafts

- Articles may be displayed in clear plastic. No kits allowed.
- No article or work previously exhibited at this fair will be accepted until a period of at least 3 years has passed.
- Exhibits that hang (wall hanging, pictures, etc.) must **MUST** be attached to an easel for display.
- Clothing must be on a hanger and attached to the hanger in such a way that it does not fall off.
- Superintendent has discretion on where to place items

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A - Afghans

Class 400 – Crocheted

Class 401 – Crocheted with Embroidered

Class 402 – Knitted

Class 404 – Any other

Section B - Crocheting

Class 406 – Non-Wearable (tablecloth, napkins, placemats, potholder, etc.)

Class 407 – Wearable Items (clothing of any type)

Class 415 – Any other

Section C - Knitting

Class 418 – Non-Wearable (tablecloth, napkins, placemats, potholder, etc.)

Class 419 – Wearable Items (clothing of any type)

Class 422 – Any other

Section D - Needlecraft

Class 427 – Needle punch Projects (any item)

Class 430 – Cross Stitch Projects (any item)

Class 433 – Crewel Projects (any item)

Class 436 – Needlepoint Projects (any item)

Class 439 – Candle Wicking Projects (any item)

Class 440 – Plastic Canvas Projects (any item)

Class 441 – Any Other (any item)

Section E - Quilts

- Class 445 – Cotton Pieced
- Class 446 – Cotton Appliquéd
- Class 447 – Embroidered
- Class 448 – Painted
- Class 449 – Candle wicked
- Class 450 – Tied
- Class 451 – Machine Stitched
- Class 452 – Hand Quilted
- Class 453 – Multi Technique
- Class 454 – Any Other

Section F - Rugs

- Class 457 – Braided
- Class 458 – Crocheted
- Class 459 – Hooked
- Class 460 – Other

Section G - Sewing

- Class 465 – Non-Wearable Items (flags, sports items, toys, etc.)
- Class 466 – Wearable Items (shirt, pants, costumes, etc.)
- Class 472 – Any other

Department 041 – Adult Open Class Food & Nutrition

- Exhibits must be on paper plates in a closed plastic bag or in the original dish
- After judging a portion must be left on display, the remainder maybe taken home
- Project sheets must be filled out and presented with each exhibit, along with a project summary card & recipe. More than one entry may be made, but only one entry per class

Section A - Adult Food Preparation

- Mini loaf pans may be used.
- Exhibits must have been prepared by exhibitor.
- All foods must be edible.
- Recipes must accompany exhibits.
- After being judged a portion must be left on display and remainder may be taken home.
- Adult classes receive a best of class rosette and those will compete for 1st, 2nd, 3rd .
- The superintendent can combine classes as necessary.

Class 503 – Any cake undecorated

Class 509 – Bread

Class 510 – Muffins, plate of 6

Class 511 – Biscuits, plate of 6

Class 512 – Rolls, 1 dozen

Class 518 – Simple cookies (refrigerated, shaped, dropped, rolled, etc.)

Class 519 – Bar Cookies, 1 dozen

Section B - Adult Special

Class 547 – Great Grandma’s Recipe (50 years old) copy of recipe needed

Decorative cakes rules

Cakes may be sheet cakes, 8” 2 layer, or 2 layer 9” round. Cakes may NOT be made from a mix. Boards should not exceed 2” beyond cake. All decorated cakes must be on a board, with the exception of single layer sheet cake. Project sheets must be filled out and presented with each exhibit, along with a project summary card & recipe.

Fruit Pie Rules

- Fruit pies may be any variety of fruit.
- Must come in a pie dish or tin (disposable pie tins are recommended).
- No cream or custard-based pies.
- Project sheets must be filled out and presented with each exhibit, along with a project summary card & recipe.

Candy Rules

- Use appropriate display container like a candy box or Styrofoam plate to display suckers.
- Candy may be painted or plain.
- Candy may come in as 1 large piece or three small pieces.
- Suckers must come in displays of three.
- Sugar egg are classified as candy and must have all edible decorations.
- Filled candy are allowed, please make a note if they must be refrigerated.
- Brittle and taffy are classified as candy.
- Exhibitors must bring in at least 6 medium to large size pieces on either a paper or foam plate that can be covered.
- Project sheets must be filled out and presented with each exhibit, with a project summary card & recipe.

Section C- Adult Decorative Desserts & Candies

Class 504 – Decorative cake

Class 533 – Any fruit pie

Class 534 – Fudge (any type)

Class 539 – Any candy

Department 041 - Adult Open Class Food Preservation & Canning

- Project Sheets must accompany exhibit.
- Entries must be in standard canning jars with a 2-part lid or ring. Do not cover lids.
- Use of paraffin will not be accepted.
- One jar of single batch will constitute as an entry. It is encouraged that exhibitors bring three jars of the same batch for exhibiting.
- All exhibits must be left on display for the fair week.
- Pressure and time must be listed on entry.
- Adult classes receive a best of class rosette and those will compete for 1st, 2nd, 3rd.
- The superintendent can combine classes as necessary.
- Beer and wine have special rules, make sure before entering in the class.

Section D – Naturals & Dehydrated

All flowers and leaves must be pesticide free. Judged on flavor, color, & eye appeal.

Class 542 – Dehydrated foods

Class 543 – Honey

Class 544 – Maple syrup

Class 545 – Herbal vinegars/vinaigrettes

Class 546 – Wine or Beer Making

RULES: Bring in two 750 ml. bottles - one for testing & one for display. Bottles should be labeled. If a wine exhibit, label by grape or produce variety and vintage. The produce used to make wine /beer in this competition must be a 100% Michigan grown. Use of commercial equipment to produce this exhibit is prohibited. Judged based on color clarity, aroma, bouquet, sugar-acid tannin balance, after-taste and general overall quality.

Section E – Fruits

Class 554 – Any fruit

Section F – Vegetables

Class 559 – Any vegetables

Section G – Soup, Sauces & Juices

Class 561 – Fruit juice

Class 563 – Vegetable juice

Class 565 – Soups

Class 566 – Sauces

Class 567 – Any Other

Section H – Pickled Foods/Relishes

Class 569 – Pickles

Class 560 – Pickled vegetables

Class 563 – Pickle relish

Class 561 – Any other pickled item or relish

Section I – Jams/Jellies/Preserves

Class 566 – Fruit jam/jelly

Class 570 – Any other jam/jelly

Class 571 – Marmalade

Class 572 – Fruit preserves

Class 573 – Fruit butter

Department 42 – Adult Open Class Fine Art

- Must be original work of exhibitor.
- All framed items must be wired and ready for hanging.
- Maximum size for artwork will be 48" in any direction.
- Framed items must be wired to the frame, not the cardboard backing, and must accept the weight of the item on a pegboard hook.
- Pictures showing signs of falling will be removed from display and placed in safe storage.
- Saw tooth hangers and paper-hook stick-ones ARE NOT acceptable for use.
- Matted items may use eyelet stick-ones, which will accept the size and weight of the matted piece. • Use sturdy tape on backs.
- **NO PAINT BY NUMBER KITS**
- Pictures may be put on table props if deemed necessary by the supt.
- Superintendent has discretion on where to place items.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Oil & Acrylics

Class 600 – Oil painting (any subject)

Class 601 – Acrylic painting (any subject)

Section B – Water Color

Class 606 – Watercolor (any subject)

Section C – Ink, Pencil & Other

Class 613 – Ink drawing (any subject)

Class 614 – Pencil/Charcoal Pencil/Color Pencil (any subject)

Class 620 – Calligraphy

Class 622 – Mixed Media

Department 043 – Adult Open Class Folk Art

- Must be original work of exhibitor. May be displayed in clear plastic. Exhibits that hang (wall hanging, pictures, etc.) must have a wire hanger attached to the back. No saw tooth hangers will be accepted.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Baskets

Class 633 – Any basket type

Section B – Dolls Handmade

Either the doll, outfit, or both must be handmade by the exhibitor.

Class 635 – Doll clothing/costume

Class 640 – Teddy bears

Class 643 – Sock doll

Class 644 – Any other

Section C – Hand Weaving

Class 653 – Any hand weaving

Section D – Holiday Decorations

Class 655 – Ornaments

Class 656 – Creative gift wrapping

Class 657 – Any holiday wreaths

Class 663 – Any other holiday decoration

Section E – Leathercraft

Class 669 – Any leathercraft

Section F – Spinning

Class 672 – Hand Spun, 50-100 yd. skein

Class 673 – Item made from hand spun yarn

Section G – Textile Painting

Class 675 – Clothing

Class 676 – Personal accessories (handbags, barrettes, etc.)

Class 677 – Household accessories (pictures, tablecloths, etc.)

Section H – Woodworking

Class 686 – Crafted woodworking

Class 687 – Refinished wood project

Section I – Woodcarving

Class 692 – Woodcarving (any subject)

Section J – Miscellaneous Crafts

Class 703 – Stained glass

Class 706 – Taxidermy; animal/bird/fish

Class 707 – Floral arrangement display

Class 709 – Metal work/Tin Punching

Class 710 – Rubber stamping (3 sheets)

Class 712 – Jewelry

Class 711 – Other

Section K – Ceramics & Sculpture

Class 720 – Porcelain; figurine-decorated

Class 721 – Ceramics/earthenware (any type)

Class 724 – Glaze (any spill, frit, pattern, or glaze combination)

Class 725 – Unfired stains (dry brush, air-brush, stain combination with glaze, combination stain & textured glaze, etc.)

Class 727 – Hand thrown (coiled, slab, free form, etc.)

Class 728 – Glass (kiln fired) any article of art glass (glass or different colors used to form a composition)

Class 729 – Any other

Section L – Misc. Molding

Class 732 – Molded-any item (clay, plaster, etc.)

Class 734 – Mold making

Department 44 – Adult Open Class Photography

- Must be original work of exhibitor.
- All framed items must be wired and ready for hanging or they will not be judged.
- Maximum size is 8x10.
- All photographs must be in a sheet protector.
- Matted items may use eyelet stick-ones, which will accept the size and weight of the matted piece.
- Use sturdy tape on backs.
- Table props may be used for display if deemed necessary by superintendent.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Amateur Black & White (amateurs only, no professionals or teachers of photography)

Class 750 – Single photo (any subject)

Section B – Professional Black & White

Class 750 – Single photo (any subject)

Section C – Amateur Color Photography (amateurs only, no professionals or teachers of photography)

Class 765 – Single photo (any subject)

Section D – Professional Color Photography

Class 765 – Single photo (any subject)

Section E – Amateur Digital Photography (amateurs only, no professionals or teachers of photography)

Class 765 – Single photo (any subject)

Section F – Professional Digital Photography

Class 765 – Single photo (any subject)

Department 045 – Adult Open Class Antique Exhibits

- Must be more than 50 years old and labeled as to what the item is and its use.
- Cannot have been shown in the last three previous years.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Small Antiques

Class 799 – Kitchen/Pantry
Class 800 – Dining room
Class 801 – Setting room
Class 802 – Bedroom/personal
Class 803 – Sports/workshop
Class 804 – Collectable
Class 805 – Clothing
Class 806 – Gardening
Class 807 – Farming
Class 808 – Lumbering
Class 809 – Harness/Cowbells, Horse shoes

Section B – Large Antiques

Class 820 – Farm equipment
Class 821 – Household
Class 822 – Recreation
Class 823 – Horse drawn equipment
Class 824 – Horse buggy/sleigh
Class 825 – Gas operated engine
Class 826 – Dairy equipment

Department 046 – Adult Open Class Agriculture-Farm Crops

- Must be a product (grown or made) by the exhibitor
- Only one entry per class including “any other class”.
- Items in “any other class” must not be able to be exhibited in another class.
- One half peck to constitute an exhibit of grain.
- One quart to constitute an exhibit of seed.

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Small Grains

Class 840 – Wheat, any variety
Class 841 – Oats, any variety
Class 842 – Barley, any variety
Class 843 – Soybeans, from previous year
Class 844 – Beans, white pea from previous year
Class 845 – Beans, red kidney from previous year
Class 846 – Corn, shelled
Class 847 – Any other

Section B – Corn

Class 848 – Yellow dent, 2 ears
Class 849 – Green field, 2 stalks, any variety
Class 850 – Popcorn, 2 ears
Class 851 – Any other corn, 2 ears

Section C – Forage Crops

Class 852 – Clover, any variety
Class 853 – Alfalfa, any variety

Department 047 – Adult Open Class Floriculture

- Exhibitor must water as they see fit
- Entries must be grown by the exhibitor
- Exhibitor must furnish own container

AWARDS 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Section A – Annuals

Class 860 – Asters, 2
Class 861 – Cosmos, 2
Class 862 – Marigold, 2
Class 863 – Nasturtiums, 2
Class 864 – Petunias, 2
Class 865 – Sunflower, 1
Class 866 – Impatient, 2
Class 867 – Snap Dragons, 2
Class 868 – Zinnia, 2
Class 869 – Pansies
Class 870 – Other, 2

Section B – Perennial

Class 875 – Day Lily
Class 876 – Chrysanthemums, 1 spray
Class 877 – Shasta daisy, 1 stem
Class 878 – Phlox, 3 stems, 1 color
Class 879 – Dahlia, 1 bloom
Class 880 – Miniature dahlia, 1 bloom
Class 881 – Gladiolus, 3 spikes, one color
Class 882 – Hybrid Tea Rose, 1 bloom
Class 883 – Floribunda Rose, 1 spray
Class 884 – Polyantha Rose, 1 spray
Class 885 – Grand Flora Rose, 1 spray
Class 886 – Old Rose, 1 bloom
Class 887 – Iris, 3 stems
Class 888 – Peony, 1 bloom
Class 889 – Any other perennial

Section C – Live Plants & Arrangements

- Class 893 – Mixed bouquet
- Class 894 – Any kind of blooming plant
- Class 895 – Any kind of foliage plant
- Class 896 – Vine plant
- Class 897 – Dining table arrangement
- Class 898 – Kitchen arrangement
- Class 899 – Miniature arrangement, not more than 6"
- Class 900 – Arrangement in most unusual container
- Class 901 – Holiday arrangement
- Class 902 – Any other arrangement

Section D – Floral Arrangements

- Class 904 – Dried
- Class 905 – Live
- Class 906 – Silk
- Class 907 – Holiday

Department 48 - Adult Open Class Horticulture

- Entries must be garden grown by exhibitor and free of dirt and bugs or article will be rejected
- Articles must be labeled by variety (cards available at registration)

Section A – Fruit

- Class 920 – Apples, any variety, plate of 2
- Class 921 – Berries, one qt, any variety
- Class 922 – Cherries, one qt., any variety
- Class 923 – Grapes, 1 bunch, any variety
- Class 924 – Mellon, one, any variety
- Class 925 – Peaches/Pears, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 926 – Plums, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 928 – Rhubarb, 4 (four) 2in. stems, no leaves
- Class 930 – Any other fruit, one full plate

Section B – Vegetables

- Class 937 – Beans, plate of 6, any variety
- Class 938 – Beets, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 939 – Broccoli, one head
- Class 940 – Cabbage, one head, any variety
- Class 941 – Carrots, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 942 – Cauliflower, one head
- Class 943 – Celery, one plant with roots
- Class 944 – Corn, 2 ears, any variety
- Class 945 – Cucumbers, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 946 – Dill, 3 stalks
- Class 947 – Eggplant, one individual
- Class 948 – Lettuce, one head/plate of leaf, any
- Class 949 – Onion, plate of 1/bunch of 2 any variety, 4" tops
- Class 950 – Peas, plate of 6, any variety
- Class 951 – Peppers, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 952 – Any other, one full plate

- Class 953 – Potatoes, plate of 2, any variety
- Class 954 – Pumpkin/Squash, one, any variety
- Class 955 – Radishes, bunch of 3" tops
- Class 956 – Tomatoes, plate of 3., any variety
- Class 957 – Herbs, one bunch, any variety

Section C – Special

- Class 964 – Largest vine products
- Class 965 – Most unusual garden product, grown in Mid-Michigan area
- Class 966 – Collection of 5 varieties of single kind of vegetable.
- Class 967 – Box of mixed vegetables, Gladwin County Grown, at least 9 varieties.
- Class 968 – Farm Market Display, Gladwin County Grown, 12 varieties
- Class 969 – General Farm Display, Gladwin County Grown, 6 varieties, must include corn, potatoes, oats, alfalfa, clover

Department 055 – Adult Open Class Educational

- Exhibits judged on originality, neatness and effectiveness
- Poster or exhibit must be able to be read from a distance of six foot
- Four feet of table space allotted to each group
- Entries must be the work of the exhibitor.

Section A – Group Exhibits

- Class 970 – Service clubs
- Class 971 – Senior citizens
- Class 972 – Study groups
- Class 973 – Homemakers
- Class 974 – Any other groups

Section B – Individual Exhibits

- Class 978 – Educational exhibit (20 years and older)

Department 56 – Adult Open Class Literary

- Project sheet must accompany exhibit.
- All stories are not to be over 2 pages typed, minimum font size of 12 pt. (final draft) Written (printed) book format also acceptable.
- All writings should be in a folder with entry tag on front indicating your name and class.

Section C – Literacy

- Class 980 – Prose, writing using ordinary language or speech which is not poetic. No more than 2 pages
- Class 981 – Poem, literature written in metered or rhymed composition. No more than 2 pages.
- Class 982 – News/Information article
- Class 983 – Any other

Department 57 – Adult Open Class Collections

- Exhibits must not have been shown previously.
- No more than 20 items in the exhibit.
- List of items and use must accompany exhibit.

Section F – Collections

- Class 1005 – Collection; any item appropriate for display

Department 58 – Adult Open Class Commercial/ Special Display

- A plaque will be awarded in each building for the best commercial exhibit.

Section A – Commercial Awards

Class 1010 – Commercial building

Department 090 – Parade Entries (open to all)

RULES: Parade line up is at 4:00 p.m. Sunday, July 7, 2024.

Your entry form must be turned in to Fair office by this time.

Judging will be on originality and for the promotional value of the entry.

Rosette Award

Section A- Parade Classes

Class 1015 – Club or Group

Class 1016 – Antique/Classic Autos

Class 1017 – Any type animal entry

Class 1018 – Other

Department 091 - Adult Open Class Homemaker of the Year

Section A - Homemaker of the year

Class 1025 - Homemaker

Open to Gladwin County residents only. No entry fee. Last year's winner is not eligible to compete this year. You must be entered in order to participate. County homemakers must participate in five of the following divisions.

Horticulture

Floriculture

Folk Arts

Baked Goods

Needle Craft

Canning

Drawing & Painting

Photography

Tuesday, July 9, 2024, between 1:00 pm & 3:00 pm exhibitors may arrange a display (in a designated area) consisting of articles previously judged. Other articles may be used in the display but will not be used to count points. Must bring own card table 30" x 30". Must include theme card, filled out and turned in sheet on home and family. Must include exhibits from 5 ribbon categories listed above. Must have interview with judge from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm, Tuesday. (Set up time with superintendent on Sunday). The exhibit will be judged on the display theme and their choice of 5 exhibits to fit their theme from the above categories. Exhibits do not have to be all blue-ribbon winners.

There are 50 points total. Points will be totaled on:

12 points display

8 points following the theme

4 points neatness

6 points written questions

7 points interview with the judge

25 points from ribbon values: First place ribbon, 5 pts., second place ribbon, 4 pts, third place ribbon, 3 pts, etc.

Homemaker of the Year Award is given to the homemaker with the most points. The top five participants will receive a special award.



