

DIVISION 8- HOMESTEADING

DOMESTICS DEPARTMENT RULES STILL APPLY.

NEW DIV.

PLEASE READ DIVISION 8 RULES THOROUGHLY.

Entries accepted 9 am - 5 pm Saturday, August 10th, 2024

RULES:

1. *** **EXHIBITOR IS TO HAVE 1 ITEM FROM EACH DIVISION 8 SECTION INCLUDED IN YOUR "HOMESTEAD"*****
2. You **MUST bring two (2) items JARS for sections 2,4,6, and the starred items of canned fruits and canned vegetables, one to taste and one to display.** Tasted items may be picked up after judging. Opened entries will be disposed of after Wednesday, Unless requested.
3. **Each Homestead is to be contained within something,** weather it be a box, basket, whatever the "homesteader" may choose it just must be easy to move around (the container must weigh no more than 10lbs) and be self contained.
4. Presentation of homestead is noted while judging, so looks do matter for this exhibit.
5. Homesteads without 1 class from each section will be disqualified. Meaning exhibitor should have a total of 6 items within their homestead. Each Item representing 1 class from each of the 6 sections listed.
6. NO WEAPONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
7. FOOD ITEMS MAY BE TASTED.
8. There may be separate rules that apply for each of the 6 sections within the Homestead division. Read each section carefully.
9. FRUITS,VEGETABLES, AND FLOWERS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THIS DIVISION, PLEASE ENTER THEM UNDER DEPARTMENTS 05 OR 08.
9. DOMESTICS RULES WILL APPLY TO DIVISION 8. PLEASE REVIEW THEM.

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE HOMESTEADING SECTION PLEASE REACH OUT TO THE FAIR SECRETARY AT 315-719-4825.

HOMESTEADS ARE TO BE ENTERED **SATURDAY AUGUST 10TH BETWEEN 8AM-3PM.**
NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

PRIZES FOR DIVISION 8

1st	2nd	3rd
\$75.00	\$50.00	\$25.00

CLASS:

SECTION 1- SOURDOUGH STARTERS

A 3 X 5 RECIPE CARD WITH DIRECTIONS MUST BE ATTACHED.

1. Liquid Sourdough Starter (most common)
2. Stiff Sourdough Starter
3. Rye Sourdough Starter
4. Pasta Madre
5. Potato Flake Starter
6. Amish Friendship Bread Starter
7. Polish
8. Yeast Water
9. Chocolate Sourdough Starter
10. Whey or Yogurt Starter

SECTION 2- PRESERVES

You MUST bring two (2) items JARS for section 2 and the starred items of canned fruits and canned vegetables, Jam or jelly, pickled or condiment, one to taste and one to display. Tasted items may be picked up after judging. Opened entries will be Disposed of after Wednesday, unless requested.

1. Fruit
2. Vegetables
3. Condiment
4. Jam or Jelly
5. Meat
6. Pickled

SECTION 3- HOMESTEAD LAYOUT

Layout must include a cover page, title, and not exceed 8 1/2" x 11" . Creativity counts towards judging. Consider this a small map and guide for your homestead.

1. Provide a 1 -2 page Homestead Layout showing the following:
 - A. Home
 - B. poultry area
 - C. Any other Livestock areas
 - D. A full garden layout with labels for each area and where things are grown.

SECTION 4- HOMEMAKERS ITEM

You MUST bring two (2) items for section 4 and the starred items of lotions, salve, candles etc., one to test and one to display. Tasted items may be picked up after judging. Opened entries will be disposed of after Wednesday, unless requested.

Item must have a label on it, so judges know what it is used for. No Company labels Please. Label must be simple and only state the Item and its use. Company labeled products will not be judged.

1. Candles
2. Lotion
3. Bar Soap
4. Salve or lip balm
5. Liquid Soap or wash
6. Not otherwise listed.

SECTION 5- POULTRY

No loose eggs will be accepted. Judged based on color, size and note card.

Homesteader to prove a 3 x 5 card stating the type & breed of poultry producing them.

1. 1 dozen Eggs, sorted in a carton or egg holder.

SECTION 6- FREESTYLE

You may pick up to 2 classes from Section 6.

This section is treated as a "bonus" to your overall Homestead being judged.

1. Any second Item from any of the previous 5 sections. Rules for each section still apply.
2. Beekeepers:
 - A. Extracted Comb - must be contained in a frame, and able to view both sides.
 - B. Jar of Honey (Section 2 Rules apply.)
 - C. Paper Guide (Section 3 Rules Apply)
3. Fishing or Hunting accessory (1 Item)
 - A. No Guns, bows or weapons will be accepted.
 - B. Flies , traps, pelts, paper guide etc.. If safety provisions are Needed for your item,exhibitor must supply (a.k.a. Traps).
4. Sustainable Cleaning (1 Item), Must include a 3x5 notecard of ingredients along with its use.
5. Sewing, stitch,weaving,crochet etc.. (1 Item)
6. Not otherwise listed. -Please Check with secretary if you fall in this class.

Questions about Division 8 Homesteading please call the
Secretary at 315-719-4825.