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FERNIE FALL FAIR 2017 BLUE RIBBON ENTRY RULES AND DETAILS

General Rules & Etiquette Entry Categories & Classes

1. Entry Fee: **\$1 per entry**. No fee is required to enter the Pie, Cake and Chili subcategories.
2. Exhibit Registration Times: All entries must be dropped off on Sunday, September 17th between 9:00-10:00am. Late entries will not be accepted.
3. Location: The Fall Fair Exhibit and judging takes place at the City Hall grounds located at 501 3rd Avenue.
4. Entry Tags: All entries will be required to fill out a registration form to participate and entry tags for each of their exhibits.
5. Ownership: All entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
6. Judging: In all cases, the judge's decision is final. Categories may be set up at the discretion of the judges or a class may be subdivided if there are numerous entries. The Danish system of judging is used in this competition. In this system, coloured ribbons are used to indicate the placing in the competition. Each entry is judged against a standard and is given a rating. Each entry will receive a placement ribbon. One first, second and third placing will be awarded per class.
7. Disclaimer: Neither the Fall Fair Organizing Committee, Wildsight, Wildsight Elk Valley nor the Fernie Museum is responsible for any loss; damage or injury of any nature to property while it is on exhibit. The committee shall take reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of all articles.
8. Removal of Entries: Entries may not be removed from the display until after the event is finished at 2:00pm. Any articles remaining unclaimed after 3:00pm on the day of the Fall Fair will become the property of the Fair Committee and Wildsight Elk Valley.
9. Food Safety: Food items must utilize fresh, local ingredients when possible and be prepared, stored and transported in a food safe manner.
10. Approved containers: Pies and cakes must be submitted in Fall Fair approved containers to reduce contamination at event. Containers are FREE and may be collected at the Wildsight Office, located at 891 2nd Avenue, before the Fall Fair. *Please note: All pies must be entered in a no larger than 10" aluminum pan. Cake containers are 10" wide and 4 3/4" high, and fit a cake of maximum 9" width.*

11. Exhibitors: All ages and abilities are welcome to enter.

12. Exhibitors in the Cake, Pie and Chili categories will receive 10 free tickets for carnival games and races in exchange for your product being utilized in subsequent events.

EXHIBITOR SCHEDULE

Drop off entries 9:00-10:00am

Judging and Awards 10:30am-12:00pm

People's Choice 11:30am-12:30pm

On exhibit 11:00am-2:00pm

Pick up 2:00-3:00pm

BLUE RIBBON SUBMISSION CATEGORIES AND CLASSES

Category: HORTICULTURE

Note: All fruit and vegetable exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor.

Class 01 – Largest Fruit / Vegetable

 Subclass 01 – Above Ground

 Subclass 001 – Below Ground

 Subclass 0001 – Largest Sunflower

Class 02 – Unique Fruit / Vegetable

Class 03 – Best Garlic Braid

Class 04 – Harvest Basket Bounty

Category: HANDICRAFTS

Note: All handicrafts must have been created by the exhibitor.

Class 05 – Bouquet in A Boot

Class 06 – Yarn Article

Class 07 – Felted Article

Class 08 – Tole Painting

Class 09 – Folk Art Piece

Class 10 – Needlework (Cross Stitch, Needlepoint, etc)

Category: HOME SKILLS

Note: All jars must be plain, clear glass and labeled, dated and properly sealed.

Class 11 – Chili

Note: Chili must be preheated and brought in a slow cooker. Chili will be utilized in tasting event for community choice voting.

 Subclass 111 – Meat Chili

 Subclass 112 – Vegetable Chili

Class 12 – Pickles

 Subclass 121 – Cucumber (Standard Pickles)

 Subclass 122 – Other Pickled Foods (Carrots, Asparagus, etc)

Class 13 – Jam

Class 14 – Jellies

Class 15 – Relish and Chutneys

Subclass 151 – Relish

Subclass 152 – Salsas

Subclass 153 – Chutneys

Class 16 – Vinegar

Class 17 – Beverages

Subclass 171 – Non-Alcoholic

Subclass 172 – Alcoholic

Class 18 – Pies

Note: Two of the same pies must be entered to qualify. Neither will be returned (1 for pie auction, 1 for judging). Pies must be contained in a Fall Fair approved container.

Subclass 181 – Single Crust

Subclass 182 – Double Crust

Subclass 183 – Savoury Meat

Subclass 184 – Savoury Vegetable

Class 19 – Cakes

Note: Cakes will be utilized during the Cake Walk after judging and will not be returned. Cakes must fit into a Fall Fair approved container.

Subclass 191 – Decorated

Subclass 192 – Undecorated

Class 20 – Bread

Subclass 201 – White

Subclass 202 – Brown / Wholewheat

Subclass 203 – Speciality

Category: AGRICULTURE

Note: Entries must include cage, and feeding and watering supplies.

Class 21 – Backyard Livestock

Subclass 211 – Small Backyard Live stock (ie rabbits, etc)

Subclass 212 – Chickens, Ducks and Other Fowl



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Exhibitor Entry Form



The name and number on your entry form must be identical with the name and number on your Exhibit Tags. ALL exhibits MUST be registered before 10:00am on Sunday, September 17. Entries after this time will not be accepted.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

First and Last Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Are you under the age of 15: YES NO

PLEASE INDICATE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

I understand that:

In all cases the judge's decision is final. Classes may be set up at the discretion of the judges or a class may be subdivided if there are numerous entries.

All entries must be the work of the exhibitor.

Pie, Cake, Chili and Bread entries will be submitted in Fall Fair approved containers to ensure the reduction of contamination. All reasonable precautions on the part of the exhibitor will be made to ensure that all baked, canned and preserved submissions have been prepared in a food safe manner.

Entries may not be removed from the display until after 2:00pm on Sunday, September 17. All entries remaining after 3:00pm will be considered the property of the Fall Fair Organizing Committee unless previous arrangements have been made.

Neither the Fall Fair Organizing Committee, Wildsight Elk Valley, Wildsight, the Fernie Museum or the City of Fernie is responsible for any loss; damage or injury of any nature to property while it is on exhibit. The Committee shall take reasonable precaution to ensure the safety of all articles.

SIGNATURE: _____

SIGNATURE OF GUARDIAN IF EXHIBITOR IS UNDER 18: _____

Each exhibitor must use a separate entry form. All entries must be entered by Sunday, September 17 at 10:00am and will remain on exhibit until 2:00pm. Judging and Awards will be from 10:30am to 12:00pm at the City Hall Grounds. For full category and class listings or Blue Ribbon Contest Rules and Regulations please visit www.ferniecehautauqua.com or contact Courtney at 250-423-8835.

There is a **\$1.00 fee per item to enter** with the exception of Pies, Cakes and Chili entries. Pies, Cakes and Chili are exempt due to the fact that they will be used for further Fernie Fall Fair events such as the Pie Auction, Cake Walk and Great Bowls of Fire Chili Cookoff.

****please note that two (2) pies must be entered as one will be used for judging and one for the Pie Auction****

Entry #	Category	Class #	Subclass #	Item Description
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