

**DEPARTMENT NINE
FARM PRODUCTS
DIRECTOR:
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Entries must be made at the Secretary's office beginning Monday, July 21, 2025, and ending at 4:00 p.m. on Monday, August 4, 2025.

Delivery of Exhibits: All entries taken to Crop and Shop Building, Sat., August 16, 10:00 A.M. Noon All Wine due Sun, August 17, 10:00 A.M. -11:00 A.M. Giant Pumpkins due Pumpkins will be weighed at arrival at the Crop & Shop Building

Sun, August 17, Noon - 6:00 P.M. Corn Sweepstakes entries due

Sun, August 17, Noon - 6:00 P.M. All other Farm Products due

Wines are to be delivered to the Crop and Shop Building on Saturday, August 16th between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and Noon. Wine judging will be on Saturday, August 16th at 12:30 P.M.

Judging of all exhibits in Department Nine (except Wine & Home

will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, August 18th.

Judging for Giant Pumpkins will be completed at 11:00 A.M. on Sunday, August 17th. Due to lack of space, judging will be closed to the public. No exhibit will be released before 6:00

Sunday, August 24th. NO EARLY RELEASES.

General Rules

1. The fair board is not responsible for any exhibit remaining in the building after 8:00 p.m. Sunday, August 24th. Wine is to be picked up on Sunday evening between 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

2. Each exhibitor is allowed only one entry per lot with the exception of any "not listed" classes where two entries of differing varieties will be allowed.

3. Display plates & Herb containers will be provided by the fair board for all exhibits and will be available at check-in at the produce department. (Exception Herb Garden)

4. Exhibits in this department must be the product of this year's harvest unless specifically stated.

5. Should spoilage occur during fair the entry will be discarded.

IMPORTANT-PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS

Each exhibitor must place the name of the article and the entry number on every tag at the time of entry. All varieties must be named on the exhibitor's tag. If the above rules are not followed, your entry could be disqualified.

CLASS 268 COMMERCIAL DISPLAY OF PRODUCE
\$50.00 Premium per display. One entry per exhibitor

Lot Description

1 8' X 5' Area - Commercial growers only. Exhibitor responsible for all items needed (table cover, baskets & supplies)

HIGH PRODUCTION CORN SWEEPSTAKES

Sunday, AUGUST 17, 2025

Contest to show the outstanding corn crop produced in the Sandusky County Area.

Rules:

1. Entries should be from a field of production grown corn.

2. Six (6) ears are required for each exhibit.

3. The following information should be included with the entry: **Variety, Variety Maturity, Planting Population and Rainfall.**

4. Entries must be delivered to the Crop and Shop building on Sunday, August 17th between the hours of noon and 6 p.m.

Premiums 1st \$100.00 donated by Lakota Young Farmers. 2nd \$50.00 donated by The Andersons; 3rd \$25.00 donated by Keith Hull Family

CLASS 269 "BOB ZILLES" CORN SWEEPSTAKES

Sweepstakes Entries must be made the Fair Secretary's office beginning Monday July 21st and ending Monday August 4, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. Limited to the first 48 entries.

Lot Description

1 High Production Corn

CLASS 270 SAMPLES OF GRAIN & HAY

Premiums: 1st-\$3.00; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd-\$1.00

**LOT 1-6 MUST BE DISPLAYED IN A 1 QT. CLEAR GLASS JAR.*

All grain & seed exhibited in glass quart jars in lot 1 thru 6 will become the property of the Senior Fair Board.

Lot Description

Winter Wheat:

1.* Any Variety Winter Wheat

Buckwheat

2.* Any Variety Buckwheat

Oats

3.* Any Variety Oats

Rye

4.* Any Variety Rye

Barley

5.* Any Variety Barley

Soybeans

6*. Any Variety Soybeans

7. Stalks (6)

Hay (6" to 8" Wafer)

8. Alfalfa

9. Alfalfa Grass

10. Timothy

11. Clover

12. Any Not Listed

Ear Corn

13.* One Quart Yellow Shelled

14. Largest Ear (by Length)

Sweet Corn (3 Ears)

15. White Corn

16. Yellow Corn

17. Mixed White/Yellow Corn

Popcorn or Ornamental Corn (3 Ears)

18. Yellow Popcorn

19. White Popcorn

20. Strawberry Popcorn

21. Any Color Popcorn Not Listed

22. Largest Popcorn Ear (by Length)

23. Ornamental (Indian Corn)

24. Tallest Stalk of Field Corn

BEST OF SHOW HAY Rosette & \$5.00

BEST OF SHOW GRAIN Rosette & \$5.00

CLASS 271 VEGETABLES

Premiums: 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00

Potatoes (3)

Lot Description

1. Kennebec

2. Red Varieties

3. Katahdin

4. Superior

5. Yukon Gold

6. Any Potato Not Listed

7. Largest Potato (1) (by Weight)

8. Sweet Potatoes or Yams

BEST OF SHOW POTATOES Rosette & \$5.00

Onions (3)

9. Candy

10. Red

11. Bermuda White

12. Sweet Spanish White

13. Sweet Spanish Yellow

14. Any Onion Not Listed

15. Largest Onion (1) (by Weight)

BEST OF SHOW ONIONS Rosette & \$5.00

Carrots (3)

16. Imperator

17. Baby Spike, Thumbelina, Miniature Variety

18. Chantenay

19. Danvers

20. Any Carrot Not Listed

21. Largest Carrot (1) (by Weight)

BEST OF SHOW CARROTS Rosette & \$5.00

Pickles

22. Chinese Long Cucumber (1)

23. Three Green Slicers (Cucumber Size) (3)

24. Ten Small Pickling (10)

25. Any Pickle Not Listed (1)

26. Largest Cucumber (1) (by Weight)

BEST OF SHOW PICKLES Rosette & \$5.00



Tomato

27. Grape Tomatoes (6)

28. Paste Tomato (3)

29. Celebrity (3)

30. Big Boy (3)

31. Better Boy (3)

32. Rutgers (3)

33. Yellow Pear (6)

34. Red Cherry Tomato (6)

35. Early Girl (3)

36. Golden Boy, Lemon Boy, etc. (6)

37. Beefsteak Varieties (3)

38. Juliet Hybrid Tomato (6)

39. Any Tomato Not Listed (3)

40. Any Heirloom Tomato Variety

41. Largest Tomato (1) (by Weight)

BEST OF SHOW TOMATO Rosette & \$5.00

Beans (5)

42. Blue Lake

43. Golden Wax

44. Stringless Green Beans.

45. Kentucky Wonder

46. Purple String-Any Variety

47. Lima Bean (in pod)

48. Baby Lima Bean

49. Any Bean Not Listed

BEST OF SHOW BEANS Rosette & \$5.00

Peppers

50. Bell pepper- California Wonder, etc. (3)

51. Pimento, Any Variety (5)

52. Cayenne (10)

53. Chili (10)

54. Hungarian Wax (3)

55. Jalapeno (10)

56. Sweet Banana (3)

57. Any Pepper Not Listed (3)

BEST OF SHOW PEPPERS Rosette & \$5.00

Other Vegetables

58. Green Onions (5)

59. Red Table Beet (3)

60. Any Beet Not Listed (3)

61. Parsnips (3)

62. Turnips (3)

63. Rhubarb (5 stalks without leaves)

64. Kohlrabi (3)

65. Eggplant (1)

66. Cauliflower (1)

67. Celery Cabbage (1)

68. Red Cabbage (1)

69. White Cabbage (1)

70. Largest Head of Cabbage (1)

71. Leek (3 stalks)

72. Endive (1 bunch)

73. Celery (1 bunch)

74. Winter Radishes-Any Variety (1)

75. Red Spring Radishes-Any Variety (3)

76. Largest Sunflower Head

77. Tallest Sunflower (Cut at Ground Level)

78. White Spring Radishes-Any Variety (3)
79. Broccoli (1 bunch)
80. Brussels Sprouts (5)
81. Collards (1 bunch)
82. Garlic (3 bulbs)
83. Kale (1 bunch)
84. Okra (5)
85. Asparagus (3 stalks)
86. Rutabaga (2)
87. Spinach (1 bunch)
88. Head Lettuce, Any Variety (1 head)
89. Leaf Lettuce, Any Variety (1 bunch)

BEST OF SHOW VEGETABLES Rosette & \$5.00

Pumpkins

See details for entering Giant Pumpkin Contest - Class 272

90. Jack-Be-Little or Any Other Miniature Variety
91. Yellow Pie, Sugar, New England
92. White Variety, Lomina, etc.
93. Cinderella, Bush Type
94. Orange Pumpkin Varieties
95. Any Pumpkin Not Listed
96. Largest Pumpkin

BEST OF SHOW PUMPKIN Rosette & \$5.00

Watermelon (1)

97. Round Striped Watermelon-Crimson Sweet, etc.
98. Yellow Doll
99. Oblong Red
100. Sugar Babe
101. Any Watermelon Not Listed
102. Largest Watermelon (by weight)

BEST OF SHOW WATERMELON Rosette & \$5.00

Muskmelon (1)

103. Honey Dew Type Green Melon
104. Any Orange Melon
105. Any Muskmelon Not Listed
106. Largest Muskmelon (by weight)

BEST OF SHOW MUSKMELON Rosette & \$5.00

Squash (1)

107. Acorn
108. Turban
109. Summer Squash, Yellow Crook Neck
110. Summer Squash, Yellow Straight Neck
111. Largest Squash (by weight)
112. Blue Hubbard
113. Buttercup
114. Butternut
115. Banana
116. Zucchini
117. Longest Zucchini (by length)
118. Zucchini (3) not over 10"
119. Spaghetti
120. Any Variety Not Listed

BEST OF SHOW SQUASH Rosette & \$5.00

Gourds

121. Ornamental Gourds (3)
122. Spoon Gourd (3)
123. Swan (1)
124. Birdhouse (1)
125. Big Apple (1)
126. Dipper (1)
127. Bushel (1)

BEST OF SHOW GOURDS Rosette & \$5.00

Class 271 Decorative Display of Farm Products (You provide your own basket for lot 130)

Premiums: 1st \$5.50; 2nd \$3.50; 3rd \$2.50

128. Mixed Vegetables Display (Tray furnished by fair board)
129. Best Decorated Home-Grown Farm Product
130. Decorative Gourds Displayed in Basket

**BEST OF SHOW DECORATIVE DISPLAY
OF FARM PRODUCTS Rosette & \$5.00**

CLASS 272 GIANT PUMPKIN CONTEST

Premiums: 1st \$100.00, 2nd \$50.00, 3rd \$25.00.

Rules

1. Giant Pumpkins entries may be delivered to the Crop & Shop Building on Sunday, August 17th, 2025, between 9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. Pumpkins will be weighed at arrival.
2. Each exhibitor must purchase membership ticket or weekly pass.
3. Entries must be made at the Secretary's Office July 21- August 4
4. Entries must be grown by exhibitor.
5. Each exhibitor is allowed only one entry per lot.
6. Should spoilage occur during the fair the entry will be discarded.
7. **The Fair Board is not responsible for any exhibit remaining in the building after 8 P.M. Sunday, August 24, 2025.**
8. Judges' decision is final.
9. No tampering allowed.

Lot Description

1. Giant Pumpkin

CLASS 273 FRUIT

Premiums: 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00

Lot Description

Apples (6)

1. Red Delicious
2. Golden Delicious
3. Any Variety Not Listed

Crabapple (5)

4. Any Variety Not Listed

Peaches (6)

5. Any Variety of Peach

Pears (5)

6. Bartlett Pears
7. Kieffer
8. Seckel
9. Any Variety Pear Not Listed

Plums and Prunes (5)

10. Any Plums and Prune

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Quince (6)

- 11. Any Variety of Quince

Grapes (3 bunches)

- 12. Any Variety of Grapes

BEST OF SHOW FRUITS Rosette & \$5.00

CLASS 274 - MISCELLANEOUS FARM PRODUCTS

Premiums: 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00

Lot Description

Bee Products

- 1. One Pint Comb Honey
- 2. One Pint Light Honey
- 3. One Pint Amber Honey

Maple Syrup

- 4. One Pint Maple Syrup

BEST OF SHOW MISCELLANEOUS Rosette & \$5.00

CLASS 275 HERBS

All herbs will be shown in suitable containers provided by the fair board and will be watered regularly during the fair. Please have bunches tied and ready to place in containers upon arrival.

Premiums: 1st-\$2.50; 2nd-\$1.50; 3rd-\$1.00

Lot Description

- 1. Sweet Basil
- 2. Chives
- 3. Dill
- 4. Oregano
- 5. Thyme
- 6. Sage
- 7. Tarragon
- 8. Rosemary
- 9. Lavender
- 10. Parsley
- 11. Marjoram
- 12. Mint (Note Type on Exhibitor Tag)
- 13. Any Herb Not Listed

Premiums: 1st \$3.50, 2nd \$2.50, 3rd \$1.50

- 14. Herb product, decorative made from your own herbs, potpourri, Sachet, dried arrangement, etc.
- 15. Herb product, food product made from your own herbs.

Premiums: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$4.00, 3rd \$3.00

- 16. Herb Garden planted in your own container with 4 herbs or more

BEST OF SHOW HERBS Rosette & \$5.00

CLASS 276 EGGS

Premiums as follows: 1st-\$3.00; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd-\$1.50.

- 1. Best Dozen White Eggs
- 2. Best Dozen Brown Eggs
- 3. Largest Hen Eggs (3)
- 4. Largest Goose Egg (1)
- 5. Best Dozen Natural Colored Eggs

BEST OF SHOW EGGS Rosette & \$5.00

Premiums as follows:

1st-\$10.00; 2nd-\$7.50; 3rd-\$5.50

Donated by director in charge of Dept. 9

- 6. Basket of 6 boiled decorated eggs in your own basket

CLASS 277 HOMEMADE WINES

General Rules

1. Wines are to be delivered to the Crop and Shop Building on Saturday, August 16th, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and Noon. The wine judging will be Saturday, August 16th 12:30 p.m.

2. Wines may be made from grapes, other fruit, vegetables, grains, or other suitable ingredients. (Must be indicated on exhibitor ticket.)

3. No commercial wines or dilutions with commercial wines.

4. Containers must be of glass and shall be approximately 1/5 U.S. gallon or about twenty-six ounces. Containers will have wine corks or screw caps and variety labeled on container.

5. Wines may have been made any year or blended from any combination of years; however, any container of wine that wins a premium must be permanently disqualified from future exhibition and judging at the Sandusky County Fair.

6. Wines shall be judged on color, clarity, bouquet, taste, complexity, body, balance, intensity, and finish.

7. Each exhibitor is allowed only one entry per lot with the exception of any "not listed" classes where two entries of differing varieties will be allowed.

8. Wines are to be picked up after 6 p.m. and before 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 24th.

Premiums as follows (except as noted):

1st-\$3.50; 2nd-\$2.00; 3rd-\$1.25

Lot Description

- 1. Dry White Wine from Grapes
- 2. Sweet White Wine from Grapes
- 3. Red Dry Wine from Grapes
- 4. Red Sweet Wine from Grapes
- 5. Rose Wine from Grapes
- 6. White/Rose from Flower Petals Only
- 7. Blueberry
- 8. Cherry
- 9. Dandelion
- 10. Elderberry
- 11. Raspberry
- 12. Sparkling Wines and Coolers
- 13. Any Variety Wine Not Listed (Please Name) (limit of 2 entries)

BEST WINE (Selected from all 1st place winners-\$50.00

Donated by Firelands Winery) The winning bottle will become the property of the Sandusky Co. Ag Society.





**Sandusky County Fair
2025 ENTRY FORM
Departments Nine - Nineteen**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Entries can be made at the Secretary's Office between Monday, **July 21, 2025 - August 4, 2025**. The Secretary's Office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Wednesday the office will be open from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. On Saturday the office is open from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Entry forms may be mailed with payment to the **Sandusky County Ag. Society, 901 Rawson Avenue, Fremont, OH 43420** but must be in the office by **4:00 p.m. August 4th**. Weekly tickets and entry tags will be held at the office for pick up if mail an entry in.

- You must purchase either a Weekly Pass or Membership Ticket to make your Fair entry. Membership Tickets are for Sandusky County Residents, 18 years and older. Memberships must be purchased in person! Only Membership Ticket holders are eligible to vote for Sandusky County Fair Directors on Sunday, August 24, 2025, at the Fair. Any entries or Mailed – in entries will be given a weekly ticket. All Entries must be in the office by 4:00 p.m. Monday August 4th, 2025.

Dept #	Class	Lot	Lot Description

Weekly Tickets _____ @ \$30.00 \$ _____
 Membership Tickets _____ @ \$30.00 \$ _____
 Junior Fair Passes _____ @ \$10.00 \$ _____
 Youth Tickets _____ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____