DEPARTMENT 13 - VEGETABLES

Section 1 - Vegetables

Co-Chairpersons

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1. See General Rules & Regulations
2. Adults only - 19 years & older.
3. **ALL ENTRIES MUST BE PRE-ENTERED and also will be accepted on Sunday July 9 from 1:30 -3:30 pm.** If there is a question that a certain vegetable will be ready or not at fair time, pre-enter anyway. No late entries will be accepted fair week.
4. In selecting vegetables for exhibition, choose such specimens that would bring the highest market price. Do not select the largest: select medium size specimens. If at all possible, do not mix varieties.
5. The following factors are generally used by an expert vegetable judge:
   a. Trueness to variety. If at all possible, pick the specimens from one variety.
   b. Uniformity in shape, size and color.
   c. Be sure to pick out a perfect specimen, then select the others as similar to it as possible. Never mix specimens of different maturity.
   d. Free from dirt, disease, infection, and mechanical damage. Select specimens that are perfect and show no blemishes of any kind.
   e. Condition and maturity. Be sure that exhibits are of high quality. Size does not necessarily indicate quality.
6. It shall be the responsibility of the exhibitor to make known the proper name of the vegetable he is entering. **Any item entered improperly will be disqualified to receive a prize.**

Class	Premiums $3.00	$2.50	$2.00	$1.50	$1.00
1. Lima Beans (20) in pods					
2. Snap Beans (20) - Green Pod					
3. Snap Beans (20) - Yellow Pod					
4. Snap Beans (20) - Corn					
5. Beets (5 topped 2" to 3") - Globe shaped					
6. Beets (5 topped 2" to 3") - Half long					
7. Cabbage (1) - Chinese					
8. Cabbage (1) - Round					
9. Cabbage (1) - Flat					
10. Cabbage (1) - Red					
11. Carrots (5 topped 2" to 3")					
12. Sweet Corn (5) husk on - no windows - White					
13. Sweet Corn (5) husk on - no windows - Yellow					
14. Sweet Corn (5) husk on - no windows - Other					
15. Cucumbers - Pickling, under 3" (10)					
16. Cucumbers - Pickle, 3"-5" (5)					
17. Cucumbers - Slicing, over 5" (5)					
18. Eggplant (1)					
19. Muskmelons (1) - Large type (6" or over)					
20. Muskmelons (1) B. Small type (under 6")					
Onions (5) free of dirt, but let the outer skin layer on, leave 2-3" top					
21. Onions - Spanish					
22. Onions - White flat					
23. Onions - White globe					
24. Onions - Yellow flat					
25. Onions - Yellow globe					
26. Onions - Other					
27. Peppers, Hot (5)					
28. Peppers (5) - Bell - Green					
29. Peppers (5) - Bell - Red					
30. Peppers (5) - Bell - Yellow					
31. Peppers (5) - Yellow Sweet					
32. Peppers (5) - Other					
33. Potatoes (5) - Kennebec					
34. Potatoes (5) - Red Variety Pontiac					
35. Potatoes (5) - Red Variety Red Norland					
36. Potatoes (5) - Yukon Gold					
37. Potatoes (5) - Other					
38. Potatoes (5) - Largest Potatoes (5)					
39. Sweet Potatoes (5) note rule 5-c					
Squash - Summer, round stem (1) leave on 2" stem					
40. Squash - Summer - Bush Scallop - patty pan					
41. Squash - Summer - Cocozelle					
42. Squash - Summer - Crookneck					
43. Squash - Summer - Straightneck					
44. Squash - Summer - Zucchini					
45. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Acorn - Table Queen					
46. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Boston Marrow or Delicious					
47. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Buttercup					
48. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Butternut					
49. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Hubbard					
50. Squash - Winter - Large (1) - Mammoth - Sweet types					
51. Squash - Winter - Large (1)G. Largest single squash, specify weight on entry card					
52. Tomatoes - Large fruited(5), remove stem - Italian					
53. Tomatoes - Large fruited(5), remove stem - Mature green					
54. Tomatoes - Large fruited(5), remove stem - Pink					
55. Tomatoes - Large fruited(5), remove stem - Red					
56. Tomatoes - Large fruited(5), remove stem - Yellow					
57. Tomatoes - Small fruited(10), remove stem - Cherry					
58. Tomatoes - Small fruited(10), remove stem - Pear shaped					
59. Tomatoes - Small fruited(10), remove stem - Plum shaped					
60. Rhubarb any variety - 5 stalks					
61. Home Garden: 10 or more kinds of vegetables **not less than 3 specimens of each kind** attractively displayed. *All other entries -$3.00-Rosette to First Place*	$10.00	$9.00	$8.00	$7.00	$6.00
62. Market Basket: 5 or more kinds of vegetables attractively displayed *All other entries -$2.00-Rosette to First Place*	$8.00	$7.00	$6.00	$5.00	$4.00
63. Gourds (5)	$3.00	$2.50	$2.00	$1.50	$1.00
64. Herbs, collection (cut) The collection must have 5 different herbs and must be entered Monday	$3.00	$2.50	$2.00	$1.50	$1.00
65. Herbs, collection (potted) The collection must have 5 different herbs and must be entered Monday	$3.00	$2.50	$2.00	$1.50	$1.00
66. Vegetables, Freaks					Ribbon only
67. Scarecrow	$10	$ 9	$8	$7	$6
68. Dress up a broom	$10	$9	$8	$7	$6

ANGEL FOOD CAKE CONTEST RULES

1. Open to any individual who is a Pennsylvania resident.
2. **Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Angel Food Cake contest at any other fair in 2017.**
3. Entry must be an Angel Food Cake made from "scratch".
4. **Pennsylvania produced & packed eggs** are requested to be used if at all possible. Please look for the PEQAP or PA Preferred logo or PA packaging dates on the carton.
5. Refrigeration is NOT available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.
6. The entire Cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)
7. Recipe(s) listing the ingredients and the preparation instructions must be submitted with the entry (*printed on one-side of 8-1/2" x 11" size paper).* Entrant's name, address and phone # must be printed on the back of all the pages. (All recipes and cakes will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will not be returned.)
8. Judging will be based on the following criteria:

Flavor (smell, taste, flavoring)	30 points
Inside Characteristics (texture & lightness)	25 points
Overall Appearance (surface, size, color)	20 points
Creativity	15 points
Topping, Icing or Decoration	10 points

PRIZES: 1st = $25 2nd = $15 3rd = $10

*First Place Winner is eligible for the **2018 PA Farm Show** competition.*
Prizes for the PA State Angel Food Cake Winners: 1st = $500 2nd = $250 3rd = $100
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