

2023 Presidents' Messages



Plans are well underway for the upcoming 169th Highgate Fair on Saturday September 30, 2023. Our theme for this year's fair is "Just a Touch of Country".

Get ready to join us for a day of fun in our community. We look forward to the parade to kick things off, pie auction, exhibits of homegrown crops, crafts, and baking, vendors, and of course the kids' activities – including the ever-popular pedal tractor pull. Stay tuned for some exciting new features!

On behalf of the Highgate District Agricultural Society, we would like to extend a huge thank you to all the generous sponsors and donors who have supported us this year, as well as those who have supported the fair in the past. It also takes a lot of dedication from many volunteers, so thank you to our great team of supporters!

Gather your friends and family and join us this year. We look forward to continuing the annual tradition of the Highgate Fair!

Rob Clark President

The plans have been made and our volunteers are hard at work to bring you the 169th Highgate Fair. Our agricultural society has worked hard over the years to showcase the skills and accomplishments of rural families. This year is no exception. Exhibit or simply take in the sights. View the produce, culinary arts, needlecraft skills and crafts. Enjoy the parade, lively music, great food and fun for all ages.

Thank you to all our talented exhibitors, judges, enthusiastic volunteers and our very supportive community. Hope you all enjoy "Just a Touch of Country"!

Marg Gosnell and the Homecraft Committee

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CLASS A: Agricultural Display

COMMITTEES

CLASS 1: Field Crop Competition: *Jen Woods* (784-7070) Anderson Fenton, Jim Clark

CLASS 3: Cattle: Ken Scott (678-3342)

CLASS 4: 4-H Exhibits James Gardiner (226 229-0711)

CLASS 5: Rabbits: Ken Scott (678-3342)

CLASS 6: Grains & Seeds: *Brad Gosnell* (678-3808) Art Alliet, Bill Eberle, John Gosnell

CLASS 7: Roots & Vegetables: *Kirk Gardiner* (809-3328) James Gardiner, Jeff Mardling **CLASS 8: Flowers & Fruit**: Janet Clark (401-6035) Marg Gosnell, Tom Towers

CLASS 9: Culinary Arts: *Brenda Gardiner* (692-3328) Sandra Litwin, Betty Stirling, Lynn VanMannen, Nellie Boekhorst

CLASS 10: Needlecraft: Edith Clark (678-3256) Nancy Lucio

CLASS 11: Handicrafts: *Sara VanEvery* (226-626-8681) Christine Gosnell

CLASS 12: Organizations: Sara VanEvery (226-626-8681) Christine Gosnell

CLASS 13: Theme Display: Sara VanEvery (226-626-8681) Christine Gosnell

CLASS 14: Youth: Sara VanEvery (226-626-8681) Christine Gosnell CLASS 15: Elementary School: Jen Clark (678-3272) Cindy Goens, Sharon Alliet, Dana Beecroft, Carol Verstraete CLASS 16: SCHOOL FAIR: Sharon Alliet (360-8022) Cindy Goens, Carol Verstraete, Dana Beecroft, Jen Clark

CRAFT & HOBBY SHOW & SALE: *Lynette Scott* 678-3342

PARADE: Rob Clark (678-3480) Brad Gosnell, Marg Gosnell,

GATES & PARKING:

BEAUTIFICATION: Janet Clark (401-6035) Laurie Bateman, Bill Bateman

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. The Society takes precautions to avoid accidents but will not be held responsible should an accident occur.
- 2. Admission: ADULTS \$5.00, Elementary School Children FREE
- 3. Membership: \$5.00 which entitles a member to one admission ticket and entry of exhibits.
- 4. Exhibitors are required to become members.
- All entries must be made and exhibits in place in the Hall after 4:00pm and not later than 9:30 p.m. on Friday, September 29th in Classes A,1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14. These classes will be judged on Saturday morning. Entries in Class 3 will be received until 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 30th. Entries in Class 5 will be received until 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 30th.
- 6. All articles exhibited in *Classes 6, 7 and 8* must be produced in 2023.
- 7. Parties bringing exhibits <u>will be required</u> to give <u>admission tickets or pay the fair entry if not in the</u> <u>possession of a ticket at the gate</u>. If parties choose to leave the grounds, a pass noting payment will be issued in the event the party wishes to return to the fairgrounds.
- <u>NO</u> persons shall remove anything on exhibition off the grounds until <u>4:30 p.m. Saturday, September 30th</u>. Persons removing exhibits before 4:30 p.m. may forfeit prize money.
- 9. Any person placing an exhibit in any class that does not come up to the standard of the exhibit or has not been properly prepared agrees that **the judge** has the power to award the prizes according to merit.
- 10. Only one prize awarded to the same exhibitor in each section.
- 11. All stock must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor at the time of the entry, and all grains, roots, vegetables, flowers, seeds, fruit, and dairy products must be the property of the exhibitor, the growth of the present year, and the production of his or her farm or holding.
- 12. Exhibitors <u>must</u> sign their name on the entry tag. <u>ALL exhibitors, including those in Class 14, must submit a</u> <u>completed entry form to the Secretary.</u> Failure to do so may result in the forfeiture of prize money.
- 13. This Society reserves the right to retain \$5.00 for membership for the next year out of this year's awards of \$5.00 or more. The retained membership entitles the member to one admission ticket for next year's fair which will be enclosed with the prize money.
- 14. Any exhibitor lodging a protest must do so in writing and deliver it to the Secretary by 4:30 p.m. on Fair Day, stating cause plainly, accompanied by \$5.00 cash, which sum will be forfeited to the Society if said protest is not sustained.
- 15. Exhibitors of animals or machinery in motion, and other exhibits liable to occasion accident or damage to persons coming in contact with them, shall guard their exhibits and protect the public from coming in contact therewith, and every such exhibitor shall indemnify the Society from and against all claims, demands, costs, charges, and expenses which it may incur, suffer, or be put to by reason of the accident, or of any such exhibit not being properly protected or the public not being properly guarded there from.
- 16. Any lost article will not be paid for, but all diligence will be used to protect and recover goods.
- 17. Judges are requested to report to the Secretary's office upon their arrival.
- 18. Judges have the full power to classify all exhibits and can exact full and correct authority before awarding prizes. In the HOME CRAFT DEPARTMENT (Class 10), judges are instructed to discard all soiled, defaced, or old work and award prizes only to new, up-to-date work.
- 19. ALL PRIZE MONEY WILL BE PAID BY CHEQUE. PLEASE CASH YOUR CHEQUE PROMPTLY.
- 20. If owing to economic conditions or any other cause, the finances of the Fair do not warrant paying full prize amounts, the directors reserve the privilege of paying on a percentage basis using their own discretion.
- 21. Persons sponsoring DONOR PRIZES are requested to pick up the article *after 4:30 p.m.* September 30th.
- 22. To contact the secretary call 519-859-9272.
- 23. No Alcohol or illegal substances of any kind are allowed on the fairgrounds.

PARADE

Committee: Rob Clark, Brad & Marg Gosnell

THEME: "Just a Touch of Country"

Starts at 12:00 p.m. at the Highgate Legion, Branch 335

PRIZES:

- 1. Best Children's Group Presentation \$30.00
- 2. Best Float by an Organization \$30.00
- 3. Best Theme Float \$30.00
- 4. Best Decorated Bicycle/Wagon/Stroller \$30.00 (Prize money donated by Brad & Marg Gosnell)
- 5. Best Dressed Adult in costume \$20.00
- 6. Best Dressed Child in superhero costume \$20.00
- Antique Tractor \$25.00 (Prize money donated by the family of Don Gosnell)
- 8. Antique/Classic Car \$25.00 (Prize money donated by the family of Don Gosnell)





FAIR SCHEDULE

Friday September 29

4:00 – 9:30 pm – Entries to be brought to the fairgrounds

Saturday September 30

- 08:30 am Gates Open
- 11:00 am Music by Unity Station
- 11:00 am Bubble Lady
- 11:00 11:30 am Parade line up at the Highgate Legion
- 12:00 pm Parade
- 12:45 pm Official Opening
- 1:00 pm Face Painting
- 1:15 pm Pie Action (Proceeds to the Fair Board)
- 2:00 pm Children's Pedal Pull (Sponsored by Gesner Wind Farm)
- 4:30 pm Entries allowed to leave

Activities throughout the day – Music by Unity Station; C.L. Benninger Farm Machinery on display, stop in the exhibit hall and see all the various 4-H achievement day displays.

Activities for the children include – Face Painting, the Bubble Lady, Children's Pedal Pull and hit the ball off the T-Ball Stand, and more!

* Times and Events are subject to change.





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Thank you to all our amazing sponsors for your continued support. It is through your generous contributions that the Highgate District Agricultural Society continues to be able to host our annual country fair that promotes, preserves, and celebrates rural life in Ontario – including right here in our local community.

THANK YOU

Interested in becoming a sponsor? Please check our website for details.

CLASS 1 – FIELD CROP COMPETITION

Committee: Jen Woods, Jim Clark, Anderson Fenton **RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

The rules and regulations of the Department of Agriculture are to govern with additions. Your attention is directed to the Rules and Points awarded.

ENTRIES WILL BE DISPLAYED IN THE WHITE BUILDING (TOWNSHIP GARAGE)

All stock must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor at the time of the entry, and all grains, roots, vegetables, flowers, seeds, fruit, and dairy products must be the property of the exhibitor, the growth of the present year, and the production of his or her farm or holding.

GRAIN CORN: Variety or Hybrid to be indicated

- 1. General Appearance considering:
 - Uniformity and stand of crop 10 points
 - Type of plant and vigor of growth 10 points
- 2. Freedom from disease and insect injury 10 points
- 3. Thoroughness of cultivation 10 points
- 4. Competition finish, neatness, headlands, etc. 10 points
- 5. Yield of fodder and grain considering:
 - Quality and quantity of fodder, proportion of leaf to stock – 10 points
 - Type as regards to size, shape, maturity, yield of ears – 20 points
 - Uniformity of ear, depth of kernels, proportion of corn to cob – 20 points
- 6. Exhibition at the fair 30 points

TOTAL POINTS – 130 points

Minimum size of field – 5 acres Each entry must show 10 ears of corn at the Fair for completion of competition.

PRIZE MONEY for each field crop competition total points: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$15.00, 3rd \$12.00, 4th \$10.00, 5th to 10th \$8.00

FAIR DAY COMPETITION: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$5.00, 3rd to 6th \$2.00



Prize Money Donated by Maizex Seeds Dealer Jenn Woods

SOYBEANS: Variety to be indicated

- 1. General Appearance 15 points
- 2. Plant Growth 20 points
- 3. Freedom from disease and insect injury 15 points
- 4. Thoroughness of cultivation 10 points
- 5. Uniformity of pods and size 20 points
- 6. Weed Control 20 points
- 7. Exhibition at Fair 30 points

TOTAL POINTS – 130 points

Minimum size of field – 5 acres Each entry must show 10 stalks of beans at the Fair for completion of competition.

PRIZE MONEY for each field crop competition total points: 1^{st} \$20.00, 2^{nd} \$15.00, 3^{rd} \$12.00, 4^{th} \$10.00, 5^{th} to 10^{th} \$8.00

FAIR DAY COMPETITION: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$5.00, 3rd to 6th \$2.00



Prize Money Donated by Maizex Seeds Dealer Jenn Woods

CLASS A: AGRICULTURAL PROJECT DISPLAY RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. All entries to be made and exhibits in place no later than 9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept 29th
- 2. Open to any group, organization, club, or individual.
- 3. No entry fee required for organizations and juniors (ages 10-18 years).
- 4. Size: One metre x ½ metre.
- 5. Open to residents of Chatham-Kent.

Prize Money: 1st \$20.00, 2nd \$15.00, 3rd \$10.00, remainder \$5.00



CLASS 3 – CATTLE

Committee: Ken Scott

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Calves to arrive on grounds by 9:30 a.m. Saturday, September 30th and show will start at approx. 1:30pm.

Prize Money: 1^{st} \$20.00, 2^{nd} \$15.00, 3^{rd} \$10.00, 4^{th} to 10^{th} - \$5.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Market Animal (steers & heifers)
- 2. Breeding Heifer
- 3. Calf Class

CLASS 4 – 4-H (open to 4-H members only)

Committee: James Gardiner **RULES AND REGULATIONS**:

- Each 4-H club is allowed to set up one exhibit pertaining to their project. OPEN TO THE MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT. Exhibit judged first will be awarded \$15.00 all others will receive \$10.00. Exhibit to be set up using a back board, and not to measure more than 3ft long and 4ft high. (To be displayed in red barn)
- 2. Woodworking Bandsaw Box (To be displayed in white garage)
- Woodworking Flowerpot holder (To be displayed in white garage)
- Vegetable creature CLOVER BUD MEMBERS ONLY (To be displayed in white garage)



CLASS 5 – RABBITS

Committee: Ken Scott

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. Rabbits to be on grounds by 9:30am day of the fair
- 2. Two entries per exhibitor.

SECTIONS:

- 1. Best Doe 1st \$3.00, 2nd \$2.00
- 2. Best Buck 1st \$3.00, 2nd \$2.00
- 3. Best Pair 1st \$3.00, 2nd \$2.00



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CLASS 6 – GRAIN AND SEED

Committee: Brad Gosnell, Art Alliet, Bill Eberle, John Gosnell

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. All entries must be made and all exhibits in place not later than 9:30pm September 29th.
- No persons will be allowed to remove anything on exhibition off the grounds until 4:30 p.m. September 30th. Persons disregarding this regulation may be subject to forfeiture of prize money.
- 3. A separate exhibit is required for each entry.
- 4. Grain and seed must be grown this year or in 2022.
- 5. Grain and seed to be shown in 1L clear glass jar unless otherwise stated.
- 6. Corn to be exhibited in 8 ear lots unless otherwise stated.
- 7. Grain must be clean and free of foreign matter.
- 8. Variety and/or hybrid to be **<u>named on entry tag</u>**.

Prize Money: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

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SECTIONS:

- 1. Red wheat, winter, hard
- 2. Red wheat, winter, soft
- 3. Winter wheat, white
- 4. Oats
- 5. Soybean, any variety
- 6. Field corn, 3 stalks
- 7. Field Corn, hybrid, under 3000 c.h.u.
- 8. Field Corn, hybrid, 3000 3199 c.h.u.
- 9. Field Corn, hybrid, 3200 c.h.u. or more
- 10. Ornamental corn, any variety, 5 ears (include type and variety on tag)
- 11. Wheat, sheaf*
- 12. Soybeans, 3 stalks
- 13. Sunflower, one head
- 14. Corn, ornamental, 4 stalks (include type and variety on tag)
- 15. Corn Silage, 1 gallon jar
- 16. Hay, 1st cutting, ½ bale
- 17. Hay, 2nd cutting, ½ bale
- * A sheaf of grain for exhibition purposes as herein requires, must not be less than three (3) inches in diameter at the binder.

AGRIS CO-OP SPECIALS

- WHEAT, variety indicated, 1L clear glass jar 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$4.00
- 19. OATS, variety indicated, 1L clear glass jar 1^{st} \$5.00, 2^{nd} \$4.00
- 20. SOYBEANS, variety indicated, 1L clear glass jar 1^{st} \$5.00, 2nd \$4.00



A small group of volunteers is currently working to put together an archive of written and photographic items that span the history of the Highgate District Agricultural Society. If you have items that capture our history and you would like to share them with us, please email copies to: highgatedistrictagsociety@gmail.com

Alternatively, we could arrange to have items picked up and scanned (with originals returned) depending on the item. The older...the better!

Help us create an archive that celebrates the impact the Society has had on the local community.

CLASS 7: ROOTS AND VEGETABLES

Committee: Kirk Gardiner, James Gardiner and Jeff Mardling

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. All entries must be made and all exhibits in place not later than 9:30pm September 29th.
- 2. No person shall remove anything on exhibition off the grounds until 4:30 p.m. September 30th. Persons disregarding this regulation may be subject to forfeiture of prize money.
- 3. A separate exhibit is required for each entry.

Prize Money: Sections 1 to 29: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Potatoes, 3L. basket, named
- Hubbard Squash, green, one (1)
- 3. Hubbard Squash, yellow, one (1)
- Buttercup Squash, two (2) 4.
- 5. Pepper Squash, two (2)
- 6. Butternut Squash, two (2)
- 7. Zucchini, one (1)
- 8. Field Pumpkin, one (1)
- 9. Pie Pumpkin, one (1)
- 10. Carrots, six (6), tops removed
- 11. Parsnips, six (6)
- 12. Beets, table, six (6)
- 13. Tomatoes, six (6)
- 14. Cherry Tomatoes, ten (10)
- 15. Hot Peppers, six (6)
- 16. Sweet Peppers, six (6)
- 17. Cauliflower, trimmed, two (2)
- 18. Cabbage, late, trimmed, two (2)
- 19. Cabbage, red, trimmed, two (2)
- 20. Brussel Sprouts, two (2) stalks, no roots
- 21. Watermelon, one (1)
- 22. Muskmelon, one (1)
- 23. Citron, one (1)
- 24. Onions, Spanish, 3L. basket, not peeled
- 25. Onions, Dutch Sets, 3L. basket, not peeled
- 26. Garlic bulbs, three (3)
- 27. Most Unusual Vegetable
- 28. Vegetables, one each, named and not less than 5 varieties. Arrangement of exhibit to count 25%.
- 29. Largest Sugar beet

SPECIALS:

30. Largest Pumpkin or Squash. Must be brought in by 8:30 a.m. September 30th. Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$5.00, 3rd \$3.00

CLASS 8: FLOWERS AND FRUIT

Committee: Janet Clark, Marg Gosnell, Tom Towers **RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

- All entries must be made and exhibits in place not later 1. than 9:30 p.m. Sept 29th.
- 2. No person shall remove anything on exhibition off the grounds until 4:30 p.m. Sept 30th. Persons disregarding this regulation may be subject to forfeiture of prize money.
- 3. A separate exhibit is required for each entry.

Prize Money: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

SECTIONS

APPLES

- 1. Delicious, five (5)
- 2. Macintosh, five (5)
- Any other variety apple, five (5)
- 4. The Largest Apple in Season, five (5)

GRAPES

5. Grapes, any variety, named, 3 bunches

PEARS

- Bartlett pears, five (5) 6.
- Any other variety of pears, five (5) 7.

PLUMS

8. Any variety, named, five (5)

RASPBERRIES

- 9. 250mL (1cup) Everbearing
- 10. Fruit basket (homegrown by exhibitor)

FLOWERS (Bouquets to be shown in suitable container with water unless stated. Buds must have colour to count)

- 11. Chrysanthemums, 3 stalks (1 bloom per stalk)
- 12. Chrysanthemums, 3 sprays, same colour (multi-blooms per stalk)
- 13. Rose, named, one (1)
- 14. Miniature Tea Roses, three (3)
- 15. Dahlia stalks, three (3) large blooms, 4" and over
- 16. 3 Hosta leaves in water 1 variety, any size
- 17. Dahlia stalks, three (3) small blooms, under 4"
- 19. Zinnias, best bouquet (fastened together in a bunch)
- 20. Marigold stalks, over 3" or 7.5 cm bloom, six (6) (measure accurately)
- 21. Lavender Bouquet (does not need to be in water)
- 22. Herbs 3 stems named
- 23. Bridal bouquet for a farmer's daughter (fastened together in a bunch)
- 24. Miniature arrangement, not over 5" or 12.5 cm in any direction, including 1/3 container, 2/3 real flowers
- 25. "Simply Succulent" display using cacti or succulents

- - 18. Gladioli, three (3) (leaves attached)

- 26. Potted fairy garden
- 27. African Violet
- 28. Begonia
- 29. Geranium (potted or cut bloom in water)
- 30. Arrangement of ornamental grasses.
- 31. "Green Thumb" a greenery arrangement, non flowering
- 32. Hanging planter, pot size 6" to 12", non flowering
- 33. Hanging planter, pot size 6" to 12", flowering
- 34. Men Only: using only roadside flowers and weeds in a recycled container

CLASS 9: CULINARY ARTS

Committee: Brenda Gardiner, Betty Stirling, Sandra Litwin, Lynn VanMannen, Nellie Boekhorst

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

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- 3. A separate exhibit is required for each entry.
- 4. All exhibits in competition in the class must be specified or will not be eligible for prizes.
- 5. No sticky icings. No mixes to be used.
- 6. All pies to be on a nine (9) inch or 23cm plate. If using new tinfoil pie plate, bake at 450° for 10 min before using.
- 7. No paper cups on muffins and cupcakes.
- 8. Squares to measure $1 \frac{1}{2}$ x $1 \frac{1}{2}$ or 4 cm x 4 cm and bars to measure 1 ½" x 1" or 4 cm x 2.5 cm
- 9. BAKING TO BE IN CLEAR PLASTIC BAGS EXCLUDING CAKES.
- 10. Tags should be taped or stapled on outside of plastic bag, not inside.

Prize Money: Section 1 to 77: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

SECTIONS

BAKED GOODS

- 1. Bread, white, yeast, entire crust, one (1) loaf
- 2. Bread, 60% whole wheat, yeast, entire crust, one (1) loaf
- 3. Bread, raisin, entire crust, one (1) loaf
- 4. Bread, cinnamon-raisin, machine-made, entire crust, one (1) loaf
- 5. Banana Bread
- 6. Buns, white, joined together, six (6)
- 7. Raisin Cinnamon Buns, 8 x 8 pan, no icing
- 8. Chelsea Buns, 8 x 8 pan
- 9. Tea Biscuits, six (6)
- 10. Bran Muffins, plain, six (6)
- 11. Brownies, iced, six (6)

- 12. Pumpkin loaf, plain
- 13. Lemon loaf
- 14. Zucchini loaf
- 15. Chocolate Layer cake, iced
- 16. Carrot cake, 8 x8 pan, iced
- 17. Banana Layer Cake, iced
- 18. Angel Food Cake
- 19. Cupcakes, plain iced, six (6)
- 20. Cupcakes, decorated, six (6)
- 21. Coffee Cake, no yeast
- 22. Scones (6)
- 23. Cloverleaf Rolls, six (6)
- 24. Butter Tarts, six (6)
- 25. Strawberry Jam Tarts, six (6)
- 26. Cherry Pie
- 27. Elderberry Pie
- 28. Apple Pie
- 29. Pumpkin Pie
- 30. Raspberry Pie
- 31. Raisin Pie, seedless
- 32. Peach Pie
- 33. Blueberry Pie
- 34. Pecan Pie
- 35. Plate of Party Squares, 3 varieties, 3 of each variety (squares to be $1\frac{1}{2} \times 1\frac{1}{2}$)
- 36. Plate of Party Cookies, 3 varieties, 3 of each variety (not to exceed 3" or 7.5 cm
- 37. Shortbread, decorated, six (6)
- 38. Sugar-free Pie for diabetic, recipe attached (judge's choice)
- 39. Honey, extracted, 1 pint or 500ml, this year's product
- 40. Maple syrup, 1 pint or 500 ml, this year's product
- 41. Hen eggs, 12 fresh, brown shell
- 42. Hen eggs, 12 fresh, white shell
- 43. 225 grams or ½ lb. Plain vanilla fudge
- 44. 225 grams or ½ lb. Chocolate fudge, microwave
- 45. 225 grams or ½ lb. Almond Bark

BOTTLED GOODS-must be in PINT JAR or 500 ml, sealed, use new rings. Rings loosened for judging

- 46. Cherries, sweet
- 47. Cherries, sour
- 48. Raspberries, red
- 49. Peaches
- 50. Pears
- 52. Apple Sauce
- 53. Black Currant Jelly

- 58. Blueberry Jam
- 59. Black Raspberry Jam
- 60. Grape Jelly

- 51. Strawberries

 - 54. Plums
 - 55. Raspberry Jam
 - 56. Strawberry Jam
 - 57. Peach Jam

- 61. Any berry Jam your choice
- 62. Red Currant Jam
- 63. Apricot Jam
- 64. Marmalade
- 65. Diabetic Strawberry Jam
- 66. Tomatoes
- 67. Pickles, Bread & Butter
- 68. Pickles, Icicle
- 69. Pickles, Beet
- 70. Pickles, Dill
- 71. Vegetable, pickled non-cucumber (e.g. carrots, beans, onion, etc.)
- 72. Chili Sauce
- 73. Tomato Sauce (without meat)
- 74. Green Pickle Relish
- 75. Salsa Sauce
- 76. Corn Relish
- 77. Gift basket of 5 different homemade food items from Class 9 in pint or 500 ml jars.

Special:

\$25.00 to the person with the most points in Class 9, Sections 1 to 77. 2019 & 2022 winners not eligible (2020 & 2021 fairs cancelled).

HDAS BAKING CONTESTS

SECTIONS:

- 78. Family Favourite Strawberry Jam 1st Prize of a gift basket of jam supplies, sponsored by Bill & Brenda Gardiner. Best Homemade Strawberry Jam as selected by the fair. Judging will be based on appearance, taste, texture and recipe creativity.
- 79. Any recipe featuring maple syrup 1st prize of a 1 litre bottle of syrup, sponsored by Clark's Maple Syrup, Jim Clark. Winner selected based on maple flavor, appearance, and recipe creativity.

DISTRICT & PROVINCIAL BAKING COMPETITIONS

SECTIONS:

 Chocolate Chip Cookie Competition- Open to youth ages 10 to15. 1st prize \$10.00

8 cookies displayed on a firm plate (no paper plate). Cookies must be no larger than 2.5" or 6.5 cm and no smaller than 2" or 5 cm. Winner will be eligible to enter at the District Competition.

81. Butter Tarts Competition (no fruit or nuts) – Open to all ages. Entries must be made solely by the person entering competition (including pastry). 6 full size tarts displayed on a clean plate (no paper plate) inside of a clear plastic bag. No nuts or any other fruit allowed. Winner will be eligible to enter at the District Competition. 1st prize \$10.00

- 82. NEW *** Maple Syrup Competition Exhibitor shall exhibit two (2) curved Kent style glass bottles (D&G #505188 Syrup Bottle with Handle), or equivalent, of Maple Syrup, Canada Grade A – Amber, each having a capacity of 250 mL. Entries must be labelled on the BOTTOM of the containers only with a supplied entry number or identifier. No other labels will be permitted. All maple syrup should have a flavour characteristic of its respective colour class and be free from any objectionable odour or taste. Any maple syrup entry containing any form of foreign material will be disgualified from the competition. An approved maple syrup colorimeter will be used to assess the colour. Maple syrup will be judged using the standards published by the OAAS in Agriculture & Horticulture Judging Standards for Ontario Fairs. If the exhibitor has won at more than one fair, the one closest to the exhibitor's home address is the agricultural society from which the entry will be sent to the district competition. The other agricultural societies may send their secondplace winner into the district competition. An exhibitor may only enter into one district competition. Winner will be eligible to enter at the District Competition. 1st prize \$10.00
- 83. NEW *** Liquid Honey Competition Exhibitors of honey must be registered beekeepers and the exhibits shown by them must be pure honey from floral sources in their apiaries. Liquid Honey exhibits shall consist of two clear glass containers, each having a capacity of 500 grams (375 ml). Entries must be labelled on the BOTTOM of the containers only with a supplied entry number or identifier No other labels will be permitted. Any honey entry containing any form of foreign material will be disgualified from the competition. An approved colorimeter will be used to assess the colour. Honey will be judged using the standards printed in the OAAS Agriculture & Horticulture Judging Standards for Ontario Fairs. If the exhibitor has won at more than one fair, the one closest to the exhibitor's home address is the agricultural society from which the entry will be sent to the district competition. The other agricultural societies may send their second-place winner into the district competition. An exhibitor may only enter into one district competition. Winner will be eligible to enter at the District Competition. 1st prize \$10.00



CLASS 9: DONOR SPECIALS

Winning entries to become the property of the Donor (names listed with prize money below)

- 84. Lemon loaf (In memory of Sonny Garrod) 1st \$15.00
- 85. Chocolate cake 9 x 13, iced (Marion Garrod) 1st \$15.00
- 86. One 8x8 pan of date squares (in memory of Louise Scott) – 1st \$15.00
- One pint or 500mL Raspberry Jam (in memory of Louise Scott) – 1st \$15.00
- Raisin Cinnamon Buns 8" x 8" (in memory of Carolyn Gentes) – 1st \$20.00
- Bate Nut loaf (In memory of Telfor Stirling) 1st
 \$20.00
- 90. Banana Loaf (In memory of Ruth Stirling) 1st \$20.00
- 91. Gooseberry Pie (Jim Clark) 1st \$15.00
- 92. Rhubarb Pie (Ken & Lynette Scott) 1st \$15.00
- 93. Maple Syrup Pie (In memory of Lyle Clark) 1st \$15.00
- 94. Pumpkin Pie (Dale Clark) 1st \$15.00
- 95. Blueberry Pie (Dale Clark) 1st \$15.00
- 96. Pecan Pie (Morley & Judy Clark) -1^{st} \$20.00
- 97. Caramel Corn-1 pound (Dale Clark) 1^{st} \$10.00
- 98. Strawberry Rhubarb Pie (Rob & Becky Clark) 1st
 \$15.00; (Shawn & Marianne Fenton) 2nd \$10.00
- 99. Peach Pie (Brad & Marg Gosnell) 1st \$20.00
- 100. Apple Pie (in memory of Mary Attridge) 1st \$25.00
- 101. Apple-elderberry Pie (Shawn & Marianne Fenton) 1st \$20.00





The Farmer's Creed By Frank Mann

I believe a man's greatest possession is his dignity and that no calling bestows this more abundantly than farming.

I believe hard work and honest sweat are the building blocks of a person's character.

I believe that farmers, despite its hardships and disappointments is the most honest and honorable way a man can spend his days on earth.

I believe my children are learning values that will last a lifetime and can be earned no other way.

I believe farming provides education for life and that no other occupation teaches so much about birth, growth and maturity in such a variety of ways.

I believe many of the best things in life are indeed free: the splendor of a sunrise, the rapture of wide open spaces, and the exhilarating sight of your land greening each spring.

I believe true happiness comes in watching your crops ripen in the field, your children grow tall in the sun, and your whole family feel the pride that springs from their shared experience.

I believe that by my toil I am giving more to the world than I am taking from it, an honor that does not come to all men.

I believe my life will be measured ultimately by what I have done for my fellow man, and by this standard I fear no judgment.

I believe when a man grows old and sums up his days, he should be able to stand tall and feel pride in the life he's lived.

I believe in farming because it makes all this possible



CLASS 10: NEEDLECRAFT

Committee: Edith Clark, Nancy Lucio

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. A separate exhibit is required for each entry and only one exhibit allowed in each section.
- 2. No articles to be shown more than two (2) years.
- 3. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 4. All work to be **new** in the last two years. **NEW MEANS NEVER USED** (i.e. No stains, etc.)

Prize Money: Sections 1 to 49: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

SECTIONS:

LIVING ROOM ACCESSORIES

- 1. Wall hanging made of fabric
- 2. Polar fleece tied throw
- 3. Cushion, crocheted
- 4. Homemade pet bed
- 5. Piece of needlepoint or cross-stitch or crewel work in frame
- 6. Machine quilted cushion
- 7. Throw cushion (1)

KITCHEN ACCESSORIES

- 8. Homemade place mat
- 9. Tea pot cozy, one (1)
- 10. Decorated tea towel
- 11. Table Runner, any size
- 12. Homemade napkins, two (2)
- 13. Oven Mitts, one pair
- 14. Apron
- 15. Cup Cozy
- 16. Homemade dishcloth
- 17. Decorate a re-usable grocery bag

BEDROOM ACCESSORIES

- 18. Handmade stuffed animal (not over 18" or 45 cm high, with sample material)
- 19. Pillow case, one (1) decorated for child
- 20. Reading pillow
- 21. Runner suitable for bedroom, min. length 36" or 90 cm

CHILDREN'S WEAR

- 22. Halloween costume
- 23. Baby sweater and bonnet or hood, crocheted or knitted
- 24. Child's sweater
- 25. Child's slippers
- 26. Young girl's dress
- 27. Any outerwear using polar fleece
- 28. Child's hat and mittens
- 29. Baby bib
- 30. Hair accessories

- 31. Baby's blanket, crocheted, knitted or quilted, not less than 36" x 36" or 90cm x 90cm
- 32. Tooth Fairy Pillow, not larger than 4" x 6" or 10cm x 15 cm

LADIES' WEAR

- 33. Hat, knitted or crocheted
- 34. Elastic waist skirt
- 35. Something recycled from denim clothing
- 36. Sweater
- 37. Swimwear cover-up
- 38. Ladies' bathrobe
- 39. Lady's dress, wash and wear material
- 40. Fashion socks
- 41. Scarf- any style
- 42. Fabric bag with zipper (makeup or travel bag)
- 43. Shawl or poncho, knitted or crocheted

MENS' AND BOYS' WEAR

- 44. Sweater
- 45. BBQ apron
- 46. Mitts
- 47. Slippers
- 48. Scarf
- 49. Pyjama pants

QUILTS AND SPECIALS (please provide pattern if possible) Please note 64 & 65 for measurements to proceed to next level of competition.

- Quilt, pieced, appliqued, embroidered or crazy quilt, hand quilted by exhibitor – 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- Quilt/wall hanging, machine quilted by exhibitor - 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- 52. Quilt, top done by exhibitor, machine quilted by other -1^{st} \$10.00, 2^{nd} \$8.00
- Quilted wall hanging, any size, machine quilted by exhibitor – 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 54. Quilt top, appliqued 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 55. Quilt top, pieced 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 56. Crib quilt, hand quilted 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- 57. Crib quilt, tied 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- 58. Rag quilt 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 59. Knitted afghan 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 60. Crocheted afghan 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- Lap quilt, approximately 50" X 65" 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- 62. One quilt block, mounted 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00
- 63. Any quilted item not listed above 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00

OAAS ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP QUILT COMPETITION

Grand Champion Quilts at local fairs will be eligible to compete in the District 9 Competition in November. If you do not want to have your quilt entered into the regional competition, please state this clearly on your tag. Please write on the back of your tag if the quilt has already been a "Best of Show" winner.

The Grand Champion and Reserve grand Champion are judged from all first and second prize eligible quilts. (Note: If an exhibitor's entry wins Grand Champion at more than one fair, the exhibitor must consider the Agricultural Society nearest his/her home address as the one from which the quilt will be sent to the District meeting.)

The first prize quilt from the District is then entered in the OAAS competition which is held at the convention in Toronto in February. The exhibitor will retain ownership of the quilt at all levels of competition. Please attach samples to every entry and include the name of the pattern.

Other helpful hints: Attention must be given to general appearance and design; keep backing smooth and free of wrinkles; a quilt or quilted article must have 3 layers, a front, a filling and a back; no pencil or stencil markings should be visible; points and corners mitred or rounded.

- 64. Quilt must be solely made and <u>hand quilted</u> by the exhibitor. Quilts must be minimum of 324" measured on the perimeter. They may be square or rectangular. The Grand Champion Quilt (hand quilted) judged the best of show will be chosen from Section 50 and will be eligible to compete in the District 9 Competition. Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00
- 65. Quilt/Wall hanging must be solely made and <u>machine</u> <u>quilted</u> by the exhibitor. Quilts must have visible machine quilting. Quilts may have a sleeve attached to the back for the purpose of hanging the quilt. Quilts must be a minimum of 324" measured on the perimeter. They may be square or rectangular. The Grand Champion Machine-Quilted Quilt judged best of show will be chosen from Section 51 and will be eligible to compete in the District 9 Competition. Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$8.00

Special:

\$25.00 to the person with the most points in Class 10, Section 1 to 65. 2019 & 2022 winners not eligible (2020 & 2021 fairs cancelled).

CLASS 11: HAND CRAFTS

Committee: Sara VanEvery, Christine Gosnell RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. A separate exhibit is required for each entry.
- 2. Only one exhibit allowed in each section.
- 3. No articles to be shown more than two (2) years.
- 4. All exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 5. All work to be **NEW** in the last two (2) years. <u>NEW</u> <u>MEANS NEVER USED</u>.

PRIZE MONEY: Sections 1 to 37: 1^{st} \$4.00, 2^{nd} \$3.00, 3^{rd} \$2.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Door decoration any type
- 2. Homemade bird feeder
- 3. Homemade article of jewelry
- 4. Homemade fridge magnet
- 5. 3 photos of barns (mounted)
- 6. An article of embroidery
- 7. Article of counted cross stitch
- 8. A decorated pie pumpkin
- 9. Hand painted ceramic item
- 10. Bouquet of dried flowers
- 11. Decorated lawn or garden ornament
- 12. Greeting card of your choice handmade only
- 13. Painted porch sign
- 14. Decorated flower pot
- 15. Homemade toy
- 16. Pot holder any fabric or style
- 17. Paint by number (mounted or framed)
- 18. Painting with water colours framed
- 19. Acrylic / oil painting (framed)
- 20. Thanksgiving Table decoration
- 21. 1 photo (mounted) showing "Garden in bloom"
- 22. 3 photos (mounted) of Harvest
- 23. Scrapbooking, one side only, one page
- 24. Photo Black and white (mounted)
- 25. Diamond Dotz item
- 26. 1 photo (mounted) of "Your pets"
- 27. 1 photo (mounted) of "An Abandoned Place"
- 28. Recycled useful article
- 29. 3 gift tags handmade
- 30. Item made of macramé
- 31. Draft stopper for the door

CHRISTMAS CORNER (All homemade)

- 32. Christmas stocking
- 33. Christmas centre piece
- 34. Christmas card
- 35. Christmas table runner
- 36. Christmas tree skirt
- 37. Christmas tree ornament

Special:

\$25.00 to the person with the most points in Class 11, Sections 1-37. 2019 and 2022 winners are not eligible (2020 & 2021 fairs cancelled).

ANTIQUE CORNER

Committee: Jean Gillard RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. All entries must be at least 50 years old.
- 2. Please indicate age of item, if known. This is not a requirement but adds interest.
- 3. Condition is an important consideration.

Prize Money: Sections 38 to 43: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

- 38. Souvenir item showing the late Queen Elizabeth II
- 39. Old (ball) or Farmer's cap advertising a farm business or product
- 40. Chamber pot
- 41. Three (3) old valentines displayed on a box lid
- 42. "Mother of Pearl" handled silver-plate serving tool
- 43. Maple sap bucket

To the person scoring the most points in Antique Corner -\$20.00 -- (Donated by Jean Gillard)

Class 11: HAND CRAFTS (continued)

OVER 60 YEARS OF AGE - No entry fee required

Prize Money: Sections 44 to 52: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

- 44. Any card, handmade
- 45. Fridge magnet
- 46. Any nature craft, ex driftwood, shells etc.
- 47. 1 page of adult "therapy" colouring
- 48. Homemade shopping bag
- 49. 1 photo of "vintage/classic car", mounted
- 50. 1 photo of "Look at that Smile", mounted
- 51. Collection of 4 photos of flowers, mounted
- 52. Penmanship write the following on lined paper:

Every Thing On It

I asked for a hot dog With *everything* on it, And that was my big mistake, 'Cause it came with a parrot, A bee in a bonnet, A wristwatch, a wrench, and a rake. It came with a goldfish, A flag, and a fiddle, A frog, and a front porch swing, And a mouse in a mask -That's the last time I ask For a hot dog with *everything*.

-Shel Silverstein



CLASS 12: ORGANIZATIONS

Committee: Sara VanEvery, Christine Gosnell RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Open to all exhibitors.

Prizes sponsored by the Palmyra Women's Institute

SECTIONS:

- Craft: a hand-crafted gnome created in an autumn theme
 Prize Money: 1st \$15.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd \$5.00
- 2. Baking: an Orange Cake baked in a nine inch round pan, and turned out on a plate, using the following recipe

Prize Money: 1st \$15.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd \$5.00

Orange Cake

1 ½ cups brown sugar	1 tsp. soda
¾ cup butter	1 orange
2 eggs	¾ cup raisins
¾ cup buttermilk	1 ½ cups flour

Cream sugar and butter. Add beaten eggs. Put the orange and raisins through a food chopper and add to the mixture. Dissolve soda in buttermilk. Add flour and buttermilk alternatively to the mixture, begin and end with the flour. Bake in a prepared pan at 350 degrees.

CLASS 13: THEME DISPLAY

Committee: Sara VanEvery, Christine Gosnell RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. Open to any organized group.
- 2. There is no entry fee.

Prize Money: 1st \$15.00, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd \$8.00, remainder \$5.00

"Just a Touch of Country"

Display to be one (1) metre wide Minimum of 8 items labeled of things connected with the theme

Judged by Points:

- Attractiveness of display 20 points
- Workmanship (texture, colour, line, etc.) 20 points
- Originality 10 points

CLASS 14 - YOUTH

Committee: Sara VanEvery, Christine Gosnell RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- Exhibitor <u>must</u> be registered with Secretary. There is no entry fee but an exhibitor's number <u>is required</u>.
 Exhibitor must have an exhibitor number and leave a completed an entry form with the secretary.
- 2. Open to all pupils 10 to 18 years of age (with the exception of Sections 27 and 28).
- 3. Entries 1-20, 27 & 28 to be displayed in white garage; entries 21 – 26 to be displayed in red barn.

Prize Money: Sections 1 to 26 -- 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Four (4) decorated cupcakes
- 2. Handmade puppet
- 3. Picture made with grain
- 4. Rice Krispies creature no larger than 15 cm.
- 5. Create a vegetable character
- 6. An "edible" necklace
- 7. Put together a First Aid kit in a shoe box
- 8. A Lego Creation no kits permitted on a firm base
- 9. A decorated pair of sunglasses
- 10. Handmade bracelet
- 11. A rock monster any variety of material may be used.
- 12. One decorated hardboiled egg
- 13. Duct tape item, made of duct tape
- 14. Handmade Card
- 15. Photo, "Pet", mounted
- 16. Animal made of play dough on a firm base
- 17. Any design using wood, not to measure bigger than $8 \frac{1}{2}$ x 11" or 21cm x 28 cm
- 18. Original art 8 1/2 x 11 (any medium), mounted
- 19. Paint by number
- 20. A decorated hat

SECTIONS 21 to 26 to be exhibited in RED barn

- 21. 21. Soybeans, 1L clear glass jar
- 22. Corn, hybrid labeled, six (6) ears
- 23. Wheat, 1L clear glass jar
- 24. Oats, 1L clear glass jar
- 25. Kidney Beans, 1L clear glass jar
- 26. White Beans, 1L glass jar



27. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL

Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Penmanship -- Highschool – cursive writing of the poem "The Fog" by Carl Sandburg

28. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Craft – Highschool – create a "sock" puppet

To the person scoring the most points in Class 14 - \$20.00, 2nd highest points - \$10.00 -- (Donated by Joyce Woods)

CLASS 16 – SCHOOL FAIR

Committee: Sharon Alliet, Cindy Goens, Carol Verstraete, Dana Beecroft, Jen Clark

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. All classes are open to children who live in Ontario.
- 2. Children must register with the secretary and receive an exhibitor number and complete an entry form.
- 3. No entry fee charged for exhibits in School Fair.
- 4. No more than one entry per exhibitor per section.
- 5. Grain and seed must be grown this year.
- All entries must be made and all exhibits in place in the Hall after 4:00pm and no later than 9:30 p.m. Friday September 29th, in Classes 16-1, 16-6, 16-7, 16-8. These entries will be judged Saturday morning.
- Entries will be received and exhibits may be placed in Class 16-3 & 16-5 until 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 30th.
- 8. No exhibits shall be removed before Saturday at 4:30 p.m.
- 9. Sections 16-6, 16-7 to be grown or produced at home.
- 10. **ANNOUNCEMENT TO PARENTS**: Parents are urged to allow the children to do the work and preparation of the exhibits without assistance. Encourage them in every way, but remember that every bit of work you do for them helps defeat the object of the School Fair. Please observe all rules and regulations.
- 11. <u>Children are to use the entry tags that are stamped</u> <u>"SCHOOL". In September, tags can be picked up in</u> <u>advance in Highgate at the Gravediggerz Restaurant,</u> <u>Ridgetown Independent Newspaper office or by</u> <u>contacting the fair secretary</u>.

CLASS 16-1 - HOBBY CLASS

Prize Money: Sections 1 to 43: 1^{st} \$2.25, 2^{nd} 2.00, 3^{rd} 1.75, 4^{th} 1.50, 5^{th} 1.25, 6^{th} 1.00

ALL work must be NEW Items to be entered according to your grade level AS OF JUNE 2023.

Children must have an exhibitor number and leave a completed an entry form with the secretary.

SECTIONS:

Preschool

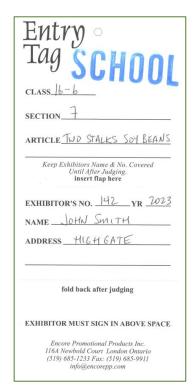
- 1. Make a mud pie (pie to be in a pie plate)
- 2. Colour a picture from a colouring book
- 3. Make a King's Crown (King's Coronation)

<u>JK/SK</u>

- 4. Decorate a rock, max. size 15cm x 15cm
- 5. Make an animal face out of a paper plate
- 6. Make a flower using your handprint. (size 8.5 x 11)
- 7. Using your footprint make a picture (size 8.5 x 11)
- 8. Make a mud pie (pie to be in a pie plate)
- 9. Colour the front cover page of the prize list
- 10. Print the following "O Canada"
- 11. Paint a picture with a brush (size 8 ½ x 11)
- 12. Display a button creation (size 8.5 x 11)
- 13. A Bunny's breakfast, arranged on a paper plate

Grades 1 and 2

- 14. Make a mud pie (pie to be in a pie plate)
- 15. Decorate an old boot
- 16. Draw and colour a picture of a garden (size 8 ½ x 11)
- 17. Make an emoji
- 18. Make a craft with a Grandparent or Older Adult
- 19. Make a King's Crown (King's Coronation)
- 20. Colour the front page of the prize list
- 21. Make a snowman using any material (i.e., clay pots, wood, styrofoam balls, etc. maximum size 40 cm)
- 22. Leaf rubbing with a coloured pencil (8.5 x 11, white paper)
- 23. Make a candy kebob on a bamboo skewer (place in a Ziploc bag)



Grades 3, 4, and 5

- 24. Make a corn cob race car
- 25. Make a toad or fairy house in a pie plate of dirt
- 26. Print on lined paper 3 times, "169 years of Just a Touch of Country"
- 27. Make a Mario character out of recycled material (maximum height 40 cm)
- 28. Colour the front cover of the prize list
- 29. Make a design or picture using buttons (maximum size 8.5 x 11)
- 30. Decorate a flowerpot (Flowerpot not to exceed 5 inches in diameter)
- 31. Make an edible dog treat
- 32. Make a stained-glass window using tissue paper (size 8.5 x 11)
- 33. Ugliest Barbie Doll, maximum height 30cm

Grades 6, 7, and 8

- 34. Make a picture with seeds (size 8.5 x 11)
- 35. Print 10 Road names that are in Orford Township
- 36. Largest homemade cookie
- 37. Make a scene out of rocks and / or stones
- 38. Using nuts or cones make an animal (i.e., acorns, evergreen cones etc.)
- 39. 4 photos mounted that tell a story without words
- 40. Decorate a sports ball (i.e., tennis, soccer, etc.)
- 41. Make a candy cabob on a bamboo skewer (place in a ziplock bag)
- 42. Colour a page from a colouring book
- 43. Make a rice krispy tractor

44. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL

Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Penmanship -- Grades Kindergarten to 3 – print 4 lines of the rhyme "Twinkle, twinkle, little star"

45. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL

Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Penmanship -- Grades 4 to 8 – cursive writing of the poem "The Fog" by Carl Sandburg

46. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL

Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Craft -- Grades Kindergarten to 3 – create a "sock" puppet

47. PALMYRA WOMEN'S INSTITUTE SPECIAL Prize Money: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00 Craft -- Grades 4 to 8 – create a "sock" puppet

48. Design Fair Book Cover (Open to all ages)

Top 5 entries become the property of the Highgate Fair board and may be used to promote next year's fair. Design a cover for the 2024 Highgate Fair Book. <u>Design</u> <u>to be created in black & white only</u>, may be hand drawn or done on computer and **signed by exhibitor**.

Prize Money: 1^{st} \$6.00, 2^{nd} \$5.00, 3^{rd} \$4.00, 4^{th} \$3.00, 5^{th} \$2.00

Text to be included is as follows:

170th Highgate Fair Prize List "Big Dreams in a Small Town" Saturday, September 28th, 2024

CLASS 16-3 – LIVESTOCK

Prize Money: 1st \$5.00, 2nd \$4.50, 3rd \$4.00, 4th \$3.50

SECTIONS:

- 1. Calf, dairy, heifer
- 2. Lamb, breeding ewe, must be docked

CLASS 16-5 – RABBITS

Prize Money: 1st \$2.25, 2nd \$2.00, 3rd \$1.75, 4th \$1.50, 5th \$1.25, 6th \$1.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Best Doe
- 2. Best Buck
- 3. Best Pair
- 4. Best Doe and Litter
- 5. The rabbit with the longest ears

CLASS 16-6 – FARM PRODUCTS

 Prize Money:
 1st \$2.25, 2nd \$2.00, 3rd \$1.75, 4th \$1.50, 5th \$1.25, 6th \$1.00

SECTIONS:

- 1. Oats, any variety, 5 kg
- 2. Fall Wheat, White, 5 kg
- 3. Red Wheat, winter, hard 5 kg
- 4. Red Wheat, winter, soft 5kg
- 5. Pea Beans, any variety, 5 kg
- 6. Soybeans, any variety, 5 kg
- 7. Two Stalks Soybeans
- 8. Hybrid Corn, under 90 days, 5 ears
- 9. Hybrid Corn, over 100 days, 5 ears
- 10. Hybrid Corn, 90 100 days, 5 ears
- 11. Ornamental corn, 5 ears

CLASS 16-7 - ROOTS AND VEGETABLES

Prize Money: 1^{st} \$2.25, 2^{nd} \$2.00, 3^{rd} \$1.75, 4^{th} \$1.50, 5^{th} \$1.25, 6^{th} \$1.00

SECTIONS:

Grades Kindergarten to Grade 4

- 1. Zucchini squash, one
- 2. Potatoes, any variety, named, 6 qt basket, washed
- 3. Garden Beets, dark red, 5 specimens, washed
- 4. Carrots, any variety, 5 roots, washed
- 5. Onions, Dutch Sets, 5, not peeled
- 6. Onions, Spanish type, 5, not peeled
- 7. Parsnips, Hollow Crown, 5, washed
- 8. Pumpkin, Pie variety, one
- 9. Pumpkin, Field variety, one
- 10. Cabbage, white, 2 heads, trimmed, no roots
- 11. Cabbage, red, 2 heads, trimmed, no roots
- 12. Squash, Hubbard, one
- 13. Squash, Pepper, two
- 14. Squash, Butternut, one
- 15. Squash, Buttercup, one
- 16. Sweet Peppers, 3
- 17. Field Tomatoes, 5

Grade 5 to Grade 8

- 18. Zucchini squash, one
- 19. Potatoes, any variety, named, 6 qt basket, washed
- 20. Garden Beets, dark red, washed
- 21. Carrots, any variety, 5 roots, washed
- 22. Onions, Dutch Sets, 5, not peeled
- 23. Onions, Spanish type, 5, not peeled
- 24. Parsnips, Hollow Crown, 5, washed
- 25. Pumpkin, Pie variety, one
- 26. Pumpkin, Field variety, one
- 27. Cabbage, White, 2 heads, trimmed, no roots
- 28. Cabbage, Red, 2 heads, trimmed, no roots
- 29. Squash, Hubbard, one
- 30. Squash, Pepper, two
- 31. Squash, Butternut, one
- 32. Squash, Buttercup, one
- 33. Sweet Peppers, 3
- 34. Field Tomatoes, 5



CLASS 16-8 – FLOWERS

 Prize Money:
 1st \$2.25, 2nd \$2.00, 3rd \$1.75, 4th \$1.50, 5th \$1.25, 6th \$1.00

SECTIONS:

Kindergarten to Grade 4

NOTE: Arrangements by pupils. ALL flowers to be shown in TIN CANS with water except Section 9, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23 when any desired container can be used.

- 1. Snapdragons, 3 spikes
- 2. Zinnia, 6 large blooms, 5cm & over
- 3. Zinnia, 6 small blooms, 5cm & under
- 4. Petunia, single, 6 stems
- 5. Chrysanthemums, 3 sprays
- 6. Marigold, 6 blooms, over 5 cm
- 7. Marigold, 6 blooms, under 5 cm
- 8. Gladioli, 3 spikes
- 9. An arrangement in a shoe

Grade 5 to Grade 8

NOTE: Arrangements by pupils. ALL flowers to be shown in TIN CANS except in Section 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23 when any desired container may be used.

- 10. Snapdragons, 3 sprays
- 11. Zinnia, 6 large blooms, 5 cm & over
- 12. Zinnia, 6 small blooms, 5 cm & under
- 13. Petunia, single, 6 stems
- 14. Chrysanthemums, 3 sprays
- 15. Marigold, 6 blooms, over 5 cm
- 16. Marigold, 6 blooms, under 5 cm
- 17. Gladioli, 3 spikes
- 18. An arrangement in a shoe

SPECIALS: Open to ALL Grades

Where appropriate, display in a glass container. No tin cans allowed.

 Prize Money:
 1st \$2.25, 2nd \$2.00, 3rd \$1.75, 4th \$1.50, 5th \$1.25, 6th \$1.00

- 19. Dahlia
- 20. Tea Rose
- 21. Arrangement in shades of orange and yellow
- 22. An arrangement for a teacher in a tea cup
- 23. An arrangement using 3 different kinds of wild flowers
- 24. Largest sunflower \$10.00, \$6.00, \$4.00 (prize money donated by Joyce Woods)

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Entry Form – Please read rules in prize book I certify that the following entries are made in accordance with the rules in the Prize list.

Name:		
911 Address / P.O. Box:		
Town:	Postal Code:	
Email address:		
Exhibitor Number:	Telephone Number:	

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Hold Harmless Agreement:

I, <u>(name of exhibitor</u>) shall indemnify and hold Harmless the Highgate District Agricultural Society, their Members, agents, and employees for and against all claims, losses, costs, damages, suit or proceedings by any third parties that may arise out of, or may attribute to, all operations performance by or carried out by the Highgate District Agricultural Society, its agents, employees, or servants, or anyone for whose acts it may be held liable, however caused.

Signature of Exhibitor