

4-H STILL LIFE EXHIBITS will be in THE DESIGNATED 4-H GENERAL AREA

Each 4-H member showing in this department is responsible for reading and complying with the **General Rules** for the Fair, the 4-H rules and regulations (the Fair General Rules and the 4-H General Rules documents are available on the Fair's website), and the special rules and regulations of this department.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Items entered on display must stay in the 4-H Designated Area the entire time of the Fair. **RELEASE TIME WILL BE ON: SUNDAY, AUGUST 14 after 10 p.m. and MONDAY, AUGUST 15 between 9 a.m. & noon.** If you are unable to be there at that time, please make arrangements to have your exhibits picked up. **Exhibits will NOT be taken to the Extension Office. Remaining exhibits must be picked up by the parent at the Clark County Fair (check in Fair Office for location) on the afternoon of Monday, August 15.**

2. **Entries will be accepted in the designated 4-H area & on Wednesday, Aug. 3, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.** Interview judging will be available to 4-H'ers at the time exhibits are entered if a judge is present in that department. Interview judging is a learning opportunity for 4-H members through feedback on his/her exhibit. Members may select one item per department for interview judging. For further information, (i.e. times and dates), about interview judging in various departments, contact the superintendent listed in the Exhibitor Handbook.

3. **4-H'ers may only exhibit items in projects in which they are enrolled. No school projects.**

4. 4-H members must sign up for activities, demonstration on and presentations on the mailer sent to each family with the June "4-H Newsline." The mailer must be received at the Extension Office by the last business day of June. Members will participate in activities at assigned times, bringing all materials and supplies needed. Participants must arrive at the activity and be prepared to participate at the assigned time. Failure to start at the assigned time may result in forfeiture of time slot, being moved to another time allocation, and/or having the final ribbon lowered at least one placing. **Parents and family members are not allowed in the kitchens when their children are participating in activities, except to take a photograph.** Kitchens are off-limits to the public during this time, with walk-in traffic kept to a minimum. Judges will evaluate member at the time of the activity. Judges' decision are final.

5. Any worksheets needed by participants are mailed to the participants, after pre-registration. These worksheets must be completed and handed to the superintendent before the start of the activity. **They are to be completed in youngsters' handwriting, or typed by older youth.** Incomplete or missing worksheets may result in the lowering of ribbon color at least one placing for the activity. Any photos required for the activity will be attached to the worksheet when it is turned in.

6. **Building Security - Any parent and/or leader, whose child is enrolled in projects displayed or activities in the 4-H Building MUST sign up for a security shift. This may be done by club or individual on the activity sign-up mailer enclosed in the June "4-H Newsline," or call the 4-H Office 397-6060 ext 7701.**

PLEASE NOTE: The Plant Sciences Division Classes will be located in the FFA Building.

PLANT SCIENCES DIVISION

CLASS 948: PLANT SCIENCE

Superintendent:

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Members must be enrolled in the Plant Science Series to enter this class.

RULES & REGULATIONS

All produce and flowers must be grown by the 4-H member. Due to the limited holding time of fresh produce and cut flowers 4-H members may choose to enter one or both exhibitions.

Premium points will be awarded for both displays. Exhibits that have visually degraded will be discarded. Members may exhibit in classes in which they are enrolled.

Entries will be accepted on Wednesday, August 3, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. for the first exhibit and Tuesday, August 9, from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. only for the second exhibit.

See Interview Judging at the beginning of the 4-H Family Living section for information.

Immature melons, pumpkins, or winter squash are not acceptable for exhibit unless otherwise noted below. Containers should be appropriate to the plant. Containers cannot be exhibited if they have been prejudged in July as container gardens!

Suggestions for Vegetable Exhibits at Fairs see EB1610.

CLASS 950: EXPERIMENTAL GARDEN– Educational Display

Points: Blue-24, Red-18, White-13.

LOT: 4 photos required on poster

1. Experimental Vegetable Garden - teaching display showing experimental gardening results.
2. Experimental Container Garden – teaching display showing results of experimental container gardening project.
3. Experimental Ornamental Garden – teaching display showing results of one ornamental garden experiment.
4. Ornamental Maintenance - visual display showing and explaining results.

CLASS 952: CLUB/COMMUNITY GARDEN

(Premium to be paid to club leader who is responsible for division between team members)

CLASS 954: VEGETABLE GARDEN

CLASS 956: FLOWER GARDEN

CLASS 958: CONTAINER GARDEN:

(Herbs, Vegetables, Flowers or all three)

Pre-registration form will be sent in June to 4-H members enrolled in the 4-H Garden Project. In order to sign-up, the pre-registration form must be completed and sent to 4-H Office, WSU/Clark Co. Extension 11104 NE 149 St. C-100 Brush Prairie, WA 98606, no later than the last business day of June.

Each member is required to sign-up for a two-hour herdsmanship shift. You are also required to sign up for 4-H in Action for a one hour presentation about your project in the 4-H Home Economics Department during the Clark County Fair. During the presentation, you are asked to talk to the public about your garden. One suggestion is to video tape your garden with you explaining and pointing out what you have done. A television with a VCR will be available for you to use for your presentation if you decide to do this. You will need to sign-up on the 2005 Pre-Fair 4-H Building Activity Flyer in the June 2005 4-H Newsletter. If you choose not to do herdsmanship, you will not receive your 4-H garden premiums. Herdsmanship hours are from noon to 6 p.m. August 5 through August 14.

Points: Blue-25, Red-20, White-15.

LOTS:

A. Junior: 3,4,5 grade completed

B. Intermediate: 6,7,8 grade completed

C. Senior: 9th grade and over

A Master Gardener will visit each home to judge the 4-H member's garden. The judges will ask to see your Record Book, or more specifically, the Garden Record - C0833. If you are turning your Record Book in for judging be sure to keep an extra copy of your Garden Record C0833. You can receive Fair premiums for a container garden, flower, herb, and/or vegetable garden. For a herb container, you must have a minimum of four varieties in the container or garden. Judging of gardens is considered showmanship in the garden project. Pictures of each garden, plus ribbon given, will be on display in the 4-H Building.

CLASS 960: INDIVIDUAL VEGETABLE EXHIBITS

Points: Blue, 8; Red, 6; White, 4.

Exhibitors may enter one entry per lot.

LOTS:

1. Artichoke, (Globe) one bud
2. Artichoke, (Jerusalem) three tubers
3. Asparagus, one bunch 2"- 3" diameter
4. Beans, (dry or shelled) one pint
5. Beans, (snap) ten pods
6. Beans, (lima) ten pods
7. Beets, (baby or pickling) five roots
8. Beets, (table) five roots
9. Broccoli, one head
10. Brussels sprouts, ten sprouts
11. Cabbage, (any type) one head
12. Carrots, five roots
13. Cauliflower, one head
14. Celery, one plant
15. Chard, one plant
16. Cucumbers (slicing & large pickling) three fruits
17. Cucumbers (pickling 3-1/2" or less) three fruits
18. Dill, one bunch 1" diameter
19. Eggplant, one fruit
20. Garlic, three bulbs
21. Horseradish, one root
22. Kale or Collards, one plant
23. Kohlrabi, three stems
24. Leeks, three plants
25. Lettuce, one plant or head
26. Melon, (any type), one fruit
27. Mustard Greens, one plant
28. Okra, five pods
29. Onions, (dry) three bulbs
30. Onions, (green bunching) five plants
31. Parsley 1" diameter bunch
32. Parsnips, three roots
33. Peas, ten pods
34. Peppers, (bell), three fruits
35. Peppers, (other types), five fruits
36. Potatoes, three tubers
37. Pumpkin, one fruit
38. Radish (summer), five roots
39. Radish, (winter), three roots
40. Rhubarb, three petioles
41. Rutabaga, three roots
42. Spinach, one plant
43. Spinach (New Zealand), three tips
44. Squash, (summer), three fruits

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45. Squash, (winter), three fruits
46. Tomatoes, (slicing), one fruit
47. Tomatoes, (cherry or salad), ten fruits
48. Turnips, three roots
49. Watermelon, one fruit
50. Herbs
51. Bouquet of herbs (3-5)
52. Gourde (decorative)
- 53 Other, specify
54. Other, specify
- 55 Other, specify

CLASS 962 : LARGEST VEGETABLE

(Three placings in each Category, not all entries may receive ribbons)

Points: Blue-8, Red-6, White-4.

LOTS:

1. Largest onion
2. Largest pumpkin, must not have more than 50% green color.
3. Largest ripe tomato
4. Largest zucchini

CLASS 964: VEGETABLE TRAYS

Collection exhibits of three or five types of vegetables exhibited on 18-1/2" x 14-1/2" x 2-3/4" trays. Vegetable categories are as follows:

Junior Gardeners will exhibit 1 vegetable tray out of 3 lots.

Intermediate and Senior Gardeners will exhibit 1 vegetable tray out of 5 lots.

Points:	Blue	Red	White
Junior Gardeners	10	6	4
Intermediate & Senior Gardeners	14	10	8

LOTS:

1. One head of cabbage, cauliflower, lettuce, kale, etc.
2. One melon, pumpkin, squash or slicing cucumber.
3. One bunch (five plants) of radishes, green onions, garlic or pickling cucumbers.
4. Three tomatoes, peppers, or eggplants.
5. Five pods each of beans or peas.

CLASS 966: CONTAINER GARDENING EXHIBIT

Plants grown by exhibitor from seed or small transplants in suitable containers, minimum 6" pots. Plants must be mature when entered. Please provide saucers or trays for drainage with the containers during the stay at the Fair. Along with Entry Form, include a 3"x 5" card with leader's signature and stating date when planted, and how propagated.

If transplanted rather than seeded, state the size of original container. Hanging plants may be entered, but cannot have been part of the garden pre-judging done in July.

Plants must be under the exhibitors care for a minimum of 45 days.

One entry per Lot, including Combination Pots

LOTS:	Blue	Red	White
1. Fruiting tomato (patio or determinant type)	15	10	7
2. Fruiting pepper (Bell or chili type)	15	10	7
3. Fruiting eggplant (any variety)	15	10	7
4. Leaf lettuce	8	6	4
5. Head lettuce	8	6	4
6. Chives	8	6	4
7. Parsley	8	6	4
8. Begonia	15	10	7
9. Fuchsia	15	10	7
10. Geranium	15	10	7
11. Marigold	15	10	7
12. Petunia	15	10	7
13. Zinnia	15	10	7
14. Flowers			
A. combination of perennials	15	10	7
B. combination of annuals	15	10	7
C. combination of corms, tubers, bulbs	15	10	7
D. any combination of A, B, C	15	10	7
15. Herb			
A. one	8	6	4
B. collection of 3 or more in one pot – minimum size 8"	8	6	4
16. Combination vegetables - minimum size 8"	15	10	7
17. Experimental	15	10	7
18. Other, Vegetables	8	6	4
19. Other, Flowers	15	10	7

CLASS 968: FRUITS

The plants from which fruits are selected for exhibit must have been under the care of the exhibitor for a period of at least one year. The record book must be brought for inspection at the time of entry and must show a record of annual care (spraying, pruning, fertilizing, and other necessary care).

Exhibits should be free of disease, blemish, and malformation. Judging will be based on uniformity and a grading system aimed at market quality. Unripe fruits will be acceptable. Exhibitors may enter one entry per lot for fruits.

Points: Blue-10, Red-8, White-6

LOTS:

1. Crabapples, ten apples with stems and from same tree
2. Apples, three apples with stem, from same tree
3. Pears, three pears with stem, from same tree
4. Peaches, three peaches with stem, from same tree
5. Nectarines, three nectarines with stem, from same tree
6. Apricots, three apricots with stem, from same tree
7. Quince, three quince with stem, from same tree
8. Plums, ten plums
9. Cherries, ten cherries with stems, from same tree
10. Currants, one pint
11. Gooseberries, one pint
12. Raspberries, one pint
13. Blueberries, one pint
14. Strawberries, one pint
15. Blackberries, one pint
16. Marionberries, one pint
17. Boysenberries, one pint
18. Loganberries, one pint
19. Blackcaps, one pint
20. Tay, one pint
21. Kiwi, three
22. Filberts, ten nuts, must be shucked
23. Walnuts, ten nuts, must be shucked
24. Beechnuts, ten nuts, must be shucked
25. Chestnuts, ten nuts, must be shucked
26. Other

FLOWER GROWING AND ARRANGING

Flowers will be accepted on Wednesday, August 3 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Tuesday, August 9, from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. only.

Flowers must be grown and maintained by the 4-H Member.

Members must furnish own clear glass bottle for display appropriate to flower size. Name of flower needs to be on the entry form.

Flower Hints

1. Cut your flowers in late afternoon of day before they are exhibited, place immediately in deep lukewarm water, keeping out of drafts and in dark place.
2. Select material in its prime and pest free, cutting stems as long as possible.
3. Foliage and stems count in judging, as well as blossoms; groom plants well.

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4. Flowers must carry own attached foliage. All stems should be in proportion to flower.
5. Flower shows are meant to be educational as well as beautiful, so NAME varieties if possible; it increases value of exhibit, and adds extra points in judging.
6. Roses should be named. They should have healthy stems and foliage. Bloom should be half inch to three quarters open. Hybrid tea must be grown disbudded.
7. Gladiolus: half inch open buds and florets should be 50% of total flower-head, have none removed, and long, stiff, straight stem with 1 leaf attached. Remove side shoots.
8. Dahlias should have 2 or 4 leaves. Check underside. No buds. Varieties over 4" must be grown disbudded. Disbud all varieties before show. Center should show ONLY in single or collarette varieties.
9. Pots and containers MUST be clean.
10. African violets must be single crown.
11. Removal of pistillate bloom optional in Tuberous Begonias.

CLASS 970: CUT FLOWERS

Entries will be accepted on Wednesday, August 3, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Tuesday, Aug. 9, from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. only. All specimens must be of same variety and same color. Foliage must be attached to each specimen.

Each exhibitor may enter 10 lots only. One entry per lot except Lots 15,16,17 which are limited to three (3) entries each of different varieties (not colors).

Points: Blue-8, Red-6, White-4.

LOTS:

1. Aster (3 stems)
2. Cosmo (any color, 3 sprays, 10" to 15" long)
3. Marigold (3 blooms)
4. Petunia (3 sprays)
5. Tuberous Begonia (1 bloom)
6. Zinnia (3 blooms)
7. Carnation (3 blooms)
8. Chrysanthemum (1 spray)
9. Pansy (foliage attached, 1 or more varieties, 3 stems)
10. Phlox (1 stem)
11. Delphinium (1 spike)
12. Rose (1 stem)
13. Gladiolus (one spike, approx. 1/3 open)
14. Dahlia (small up to 4", one bloom, one stem with a pair or set of leaves, may leave 2 sets of leaves, disbudded.)
15. Dahlia (medium, 4" to 8", one bloom, one stem with a pair or set of leaves, may leave 2 sets of leaves, disbudded.)
16. Dahlia (large, 8" and over, one bloom, one stem with a pair or set of leaves, may leave 2 sets of leaves, disbudded.)
17. Sunflower Small
18. Sunflower Large
19. Other, specify

CLASS 975: FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS AND CORSAGES

Lots 1 through 9 are open to 4-H members enrolled in a garden or foods project. Lots 10 and 11 are also open to members enrolled in Clothing projects. Flowers need not be grown by exhibitors in this class. Accessories may be used only where stated. Each exhibitor may enter 4 lots only; one entry per lot.

Points: Blue-10, Red-8, White-6.

LOTS:

1. Bouquet of mixed flowers
2. Collection of annuals (eight stems)
3. Miniatures (under 5")
4. Coffee table - free standing (under 8")
5. Bedside (under 12")
6. Buffet (under 18")
7. Line arrangements: Hogarth upright, triangular, or horizontal.
8. All dry materials
9. Arrangement with figurine or driftwood feature
10. Arrangement with vegetables
11. Other specify
12. Corsages using fresh flowers
13. Corsages, (other)

CLASS 977: POTTED PLANTS

Individual plants grown by exhibitor for a minimum of 90 days in pot that is being displayed along with Entry Form, include a 3" x 5" card with Leader's signature and stating date when planted and how propagated. If transplanted rather than seeded, state the size of original container. Hanging plants may be entered but cannot have been part of the garden pre-judging done in July.

Each person may enter five (5) lots, three varieties per lot.

Points: Blue-15, Red-10, White-7.

LOTS:

1. Foliage plant
2. Fern
3. African Violet
4. Succulent
5. Dish Garden, 10" maximum
6. Terrarium
7. Ornamental/houseplant
8. Other

PLEASE NOTE: The Vegetable ID Contest will be located south of the FFA Orchard

CLASS 980: GARDEN VEGETABLE ID CONTEST

Superintendent:

Colleen Sawyer, (360) 574-7774

Points: Blue 20, Red 15, White 10

Friday August 12, 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the designated 4-H Area (south of the FFA Orchard)

This contest is open to 4-H Juniors, Intermediates & Seniors enrolled in a Food or Garden Project.

Exhibitors are asked to identify fruits, nuts, berries, herbs and vegetables, and to judge various types of vegetables and fruits.

Intermediates give written reasons and seniors will give oral reasons on one of the classes. The purpose of this contest is to acquaint 4-H members with a variety of garden and orchard produce and to qualify for the Garden Judging Contest at the State 4-H Fair. Seniors and Intermediates receiving a blue ribbon are eligible to advance to the state activity, but may not be mixed as a team. If the county cannot provide enough qualified participants for a state team on each level, 4-Hers can participate as individuals. You must sign up with our county's State Fair Coordinator in order to participate in judging activities at the state level. Participating as a member of an ineligible team may result in disqualification of all members.

CLASS 984: ENTOMOLOGY

4-H members enrolled in Entomology, a Garden or the Environmental Stewardship project may enter this class. All insect exhibits must be labeled to give the order and common name of insects in the collection, and the scientific name to as many as possible. All work, including labeling, must be that of the member.

LOTS:	Blue	Red	White
1. At least three items made for insect collecting	10	8	7
2. Insect collection containing 25 insects including at least 5 orders	16	12	9
3. Exhibit of life stages from egg to adult	20	15	11
4. Insect collection mounted and named including order and family, 50 insects involving 10 orders	24	18	13