

# HORTICULTURE

**Be sure to refer to all applicable state and local rules for the divisions you enter!**

**Entry Fee: Entry Fees to be paid on take in date, fee based on total actual entries received**

**1 – 5 entries/person \$5.00 total**

**6 – 15 entries/person \$7.00 total**

**16 or more entries/person \$10.00 total**

**Entry Deadline: September 22nd , 2025 – 5pm**

Limit: Two (2) entries per class per exhibitor

Location Received: TBD

**Exhibits Received: Wednesday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> , 8-11am**

Exhibits Released: Monday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2 - 7 p.m.

American System of Judging

**In all Classes that have: Any Variety, specify on Entry Form, Please put it in the Description Area!**

\*A Limit of 5 changes will be allowed on the day of take in.

The following Guidelines are factors which the judges usually consider in placing awards:

1. Condition of product, free from insects, injury, blemishes, disease

2. Quality of the product - firm, tender, crisp, fresh

3. Form - typical of variety, uniform

**4. Size - desired by commercial use (commercial grocery/ Market Quality)**

5. Husband and wife are considered 1 exhibitor (see State Rules)

6. The Fair will provide plates for fruit and vegetables displays

7. Judge has the discretion to change, disqualify, or move any item. (Cal. St. III. 4 a.)

**ALL FARM & GARDEN EXHIBITS MUST BE GROWN IN THE ANTELOPE VALLEY BY THE EXHIBITOR.**

**Sweepstakes    1st - \$ 30       2nd - \$20       3rd - \$10**

**Donated by: Los Angeles County Farm Bureau**

**The Sweepstakes Award is given to the exhibitor accumulating the highest number of points in the Horticulture Divisions. Three (3) points for 1st place, two (2) points for 2nd place and one (1) point for 3rd place.**

**PREMIUMS OFFERED PER CLASS:    1st - \$5                    2<sup>nd</sup> - \$3                    3rd - \$2**

Judge's Choice: Rosette Only

Best of Show: Rosette Only

## **DIVISION 1**

**DRY BEANS & PEAS**

Bulk 1 pint placed in a **PINT CANNING JAR**

**CLASS:**

1. Any Variety, specify type on entry form, in Description area

## **DIVISION 2**

**FIELD & GARDEN SEED**

Bulk 1 pint placed in a **PINT CANNING JAR**

**CLASS:**

1. Barley, all varieties, specify on entry form
2. Corn, sweet
3. Sunflower Seeds
4. Wheat, all varieties, specify on entry form

## **FRUITS**

### **DIVISION 3**

APPLES - 5 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Delicious, golden
2. Granny Smith
3. Pippin Newton
4. Gala
5. Fuji
6. Any Variety of Apple not listed, specify type on entry form, in Description area

### **DIVISION 4**

FIGS - 5 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Figs, dark
2. Figs, light

### **DIVISION 5**

GRAPES 2 Bunches

CLASS:

1. Ruby or flame, seedless
2. Thompson, seedless
3. Table Grapes, Other specify on entry form
4. Wine Grapes, specify type on entry form

### **DIVISION 6**

PEACHES/NECTARIENS – 5 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Peaches, any variety, specify on entry form
2. Nectarine, any variety, specify on entry form

### **DIVISION 7**

PEARS - 5 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Winter Neils
2. Bartlett
3. Asian
4. Any Variety of Pear Not Listed, specify type on entry form, in Description area

### **DIVISION 8**

PLUMS - 10 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Any Variety of Plum, specify type on entry form

### **DIVISION 9**

SMALL FRUITS & BERRIES

Standard berry basket for berries, standard commercial basket for small fruits

CLASS:

1. Any Variety of Small Fruits or Berries, specify type on entry form, in Description area

### **DIVISION 10**

SUB TROPICAL FRUITS 3 Specimens

CLASS:

1. Pomegranates
2. Any Other Variety, specify type on entry form

### **DIVISION 11**

DRIED FRUITS 1 cup in baggy (**specify variety**)

CLASS:

1. Apple, any variety, specify on entry form
2. Prune, any variety, specify on entry form
3. Raisins, any variety, specify on entry form
4. Apricots, any variety, specify on entry form

**NOTE: Any not listed see CANNED & PRESERVED FOODS DEPT.**

## **NUTS**

### **DIVISION 12**

ALMONDS - with shells, 2 cups.

CLASS:

1. Drake
2. Mission (or Texas)
3. Non-pareil
4. Any Almond with Shell not listed, specify type on entry form, in Description area

### **DIVISION 13**

ALMONDS - without shells, 1 cup.

CLASS:

1. Drake
2. Mission (or Texas)
3. Non-pareil
4. Any Almond without shell not listed, specify type on entry form, in Description area

### **DIVISION 14**

Any Other Nut, all must be in Pint Canning Jars

CLASS:

1. Peanuts, with shells, any variety, specify type on entry form **2 cups**
2. Peanuts, without shells, any variety, specify type on entry form **1 cup**
3. Pistachio with Shells **2 cups**
4. Pistachio without Shells **1 cup**
5. Any Nut not listed with shells, specify type on entry form **2 cups**

## **VEGETABLES**

## **DIVISION 15**

### **Fruit & Pod Vegetables**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Beans, bush and pole, green, 1/2 pound.
2. Beans, Lima, 1/2 pound
3. Beans, any variety, not listed specify type on entry form, 1/2 pound
4. Eggplant, 2
5. Eggplant, Japanese, 2
6. Okra, 6 **No larger than 4in**

## **DIVISION 16**

### **PEPPERS**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Peppers, Anaheim, 5
2. Peppers, bell red, 3
3. Peppers, bell green, 3
4. Peppers, chili, 5
5. Peppers, jalapeno, 5
6. Peppers, Habanera, 5
7. Peppers, Wax (banana), 5
8. Peppers, Serrano, 5
9. Peppers, Dried 1 cup
10. Peppers, any variety, not listed specify type on entry form, 5

## **DIVISION 17**

### **TOMATOES**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Tomatoes, pear, 12
2. Tomatoes, large yellow or red, 3
3. Tomatoes, red cherry (small red **NO VINE**), 12
4. Tomatoes, Roma or Italian, 5
5. Tomatillo, 12
6. Tomatoes, Beef Steak, 3
7. Tomatoes, mini on vine, 12
8. Tomatoes, any variety, not listed specify type on entry form, 5

## **DIVISION 18**

### **LEAFY & STEM VEGETABLES**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Chard Swiss, 4 leaves 6in minimum height from stem to top
2. Kale, 4 Leaves 6in minimum height from stem to top
3. Basil, 2 bunches
4. Sage, 2 bunches
5. Rosemary, 5 sprigs
6. Any Other Fresh herbs, 2 bunches
7. Corn, sweet, white, 3 ears
8. Corn, yellow, 3 ears
9. Corn, Indian, 3 ears
10. Any other corn, 3 ears
11. Rhubarb, all varieties, 3 stalks
12. Any Variety of Leafy or Stem Vegetable not listed, specify type on entry form, 3

## **DIVISION 19**

### **ROOT, BULB, TUBER VEGETABLES**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Beets, garden 5
2. Carrots, tops trimmed, 5
3. Garlic, 3 heads
4. Garlic, Elephant, 3 heads
5. Leeks, heads topped 5
6. Onions, dry red, 3
7. Onions, yellow or brown, 5
8. Onions, green tops trimmed 6in tall, 12
9. Onions, white, 3
10. Potatoes, red, 3
11. Potatoes, russet, 3
12. Potatoes, Yukon Gold, 3
13. Potatoes, any variety, not listed, specify type on entry form, 3
14. Radishes, icicle topped, 12
15. Radishes, globe topped, 12
16. Sweet Potatoes, 3
17. Turnips, all varieties, 5
18. Yams, 3
19. Any Variety of Root Bulb or Tuber Vegetable not listed, specify type on entry form, 3

## **DIVISION 20**

### **VINE CROPS**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Cucumber, Armenian 14in Maximum, 1
2. Cucumber, Green slicing 7in maximum, 3
3. Cucumber, pickling Dill 5in maximum, 3
4. Cucumber, yellow lemon type, 3
5. Cucumber, any other variety not listed, specify on entry form, 3
6. Melons, Cantaloupes, 2
7. Melons, Casabas, 1
8. Melons, Honeydew, 1
9. Melons, any other variety, not listed, specify on entry form, 1
10. Pumpkins, Jack Belittle (15 oz. and under), 2
11. Pumpkins, Small, 1-10lbs, 1
12. Pumpkins, Medium, 11-25lbs, 1
13. Pumpkins, Large, 26-49lbs, 1
14. Pumpkins, X-Large, 50-79lbs, 1
15. Watermelons, small any variety, 1
16. Watermelons, large any variety, 1

## **DIVISION 21**

### **SQUASH**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Squash, Banana pink, 1
2. Squash, Butternut, 1
3. Squash, Crookneck, 7in maximum, 3
4. Squash, Hubbard, 1
5. Squash, Buttercups, 3
6. Squash, Scallop, table size, 3
7. Squash, Spaghetti, 1
8. Squash, acorn, 2
9. Squash, Zucchini, green, 6in- 8in maximum, 3
10. Squash, Zucchini, yellow, 6in– 8in maximum, 3
11. Squash, any other variety, not listed specify on entry form in Description area

## **DIVISION 22**

### **HORTICULTURE MISCELLANEOUS - No Decorated Gourds**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Sunflowers, 2 heads, uniform clean & dry
2. Gourds, assorted, 5

## **DIVISION 23**

### **MONSTROSITIES**

Rosettes Ribbons to 4th Place

#### **CLASS:**

1. Any single extra- large agricultural product (Excluding Pumpkins)
2. Monstrosities Pumpkin (minimum 80 lb. requirement)

## **DIVISION 24**

### **UNUSUAL SHAPE / BASKET DISPLAY- Fruits and/or Vegetables**

Rosettes Ribbons to 4th Place

**UNUSUAL SHAPE - that has no commercial value but has eye appeal to the public.**

#### **CLASS:**

1. Unusually shaped agricultural products.
2. Basket display maximum of 12 in. Basket due to space, and Limited to seven (7) items either vegetables or fruit, or mixed.