

FFA HORTICULTURE

Neal Weisenberger, Chairperson

Entries Close: September 12th, 2025 – 5pm

Entry Fee: None per entry per class

Limit: two (2) entries per class, per exhibitor

Exhibits Received: Tuesday, Sept. 16th, 5pm – 8pm

Location Received TBD

Exhibits Released: Monday, September 29th, 2pm – 7pm

Danish System of Judging

RULES:

1. Potted plants must be owned by the exhibitor at least 60 days prior to the opening day of the Fair.
2. Potted plants to be suitably groomed for exhibit & where appropriate, leaves may be moderately polished.
3. Any plant may be in a hanging basket or potted, unless noted.
4. Liner is 4 inches or smaller and one gallon is 6 inches pot, #1 can or tree pot.

Note: The exhibitor as an integral part of their Supervised Agriculture Experience program must have grown exhibits in the Floriculture Department.

AWARDS:

Sweepstakes (individual) - Grand Champion Plant Divisions 17 - 21

Best Exhibit - Grand Champion Floral, Divisions 18 - 21 Best Chapter Exhibit - \$1 of Premium

= 1 point from Divisions 17 - 21 for each member exhibiting; plus 400 points based on judges scores for Division 22.

RIBBONS OFFERED: 1st – 3rd Place

DIVISION 17

FFA NURSERY PRODUCTS

CLASS:

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| 1. African Violets | 23. Evergreen Shrub, all, any other size |
| 2. Airplane Plants | 24. Day Lily, Fortnight Lily or Agapanthus |
| 3. Begonias | 25. Ferns, Asparagus |
| 4. Bonsai Plants | 26. Ferns, any other |
| 5. Brassia, umbrella tree, all | 27. Ficus, Benjamina, all |
| 6. Cactus or Succulent, plant less than 6 inches | 28. Ficus, any other |
| 7. Cactus or succulent, plant 6 to 18 inches | 29. Geraniums |
| 8. Cactus or succulent, plant over 18 inches | 30. Hanging Basket, three or more kinds or plants |
| 9. Coleus | 31. Hanging Basket, 1 type, not listed in any class |
| 10. Deciduous Tree, all, liner | 32. Herbaceous Perennial, liner |
| 11. Deciduous Tree, all, one gallon | 33. Herbaceous Perennial, one gallon |
| 12. Deciduous Tree, all, any other size | 34. Herbaceous Perennial, any other size |
| 13. Deciduous Shrub, all, liner | 35. Ivy, Hedera |
| 14. Deciduous Shrub, all, one gallon | 36. Ivy, Cissus |
| 15. Deciduous Shrub, all, any other size | 37. Jade Plants |
| 16. Dieffenbachia | 38. Miniature Rose |
| 17. Dracena, all | 39. Palms, all |
| 18. Evergreen Tree, all, liner | 40. Philodendron, any type |
| 19. Evergreen Tree, all, one gallon | 41. Plectranthus, Creeping Charlie |
| 20. Evergreen Tree, all, any other size | 42. Pothos, Devils Ivy, Epipremnum |
| 21. Evergreen Shrub, all, liner | 43. Sansevieria, Snake Plant |
| 22. Evergreen Shrub, all, one gallon | 44. Syngonium, Arrow Head |
| | 45. Wandering Jew, hanging baskets only |
| | 46. Wood Vines & Ground Covers |

FFA HORTICULTURE CRAFTS

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SEE RULES FOR ARTISTIC DESIGN IN OPEN FLORICULTURE DIVISION

Exhibits must be created by the member as part of their previous school year SAE and/or agriculture education program.

DIVISION 18

FFA LIVING HORTICULTURE CRAFTS

CLASS:

1. Cactus Dish Gardens, 3 or more cacti only
2. Combination Cactus and Succulent
3. Living Plant Arrangement, dish garden
4. Terrarium, any size
5. Topiary Plants, any type, any size

DIVISION 19

FFA FLORAL DESIGN - FRESH

CLASS:

1. Potpourri - miniature, less than 4 exhibitor's choice of container & materials
2. Celebration- arrangement depicting a holiday or celebration

DIVISION 20

FFA FLORAL DESIGN - SILK

CLASS:

1. Monochromatic - use of one color with its tints, tones and shades
2. Compliments- use of complementary colors on the color wheel
3. Anything goes - exhibitor's choice

DIVISION 21

FFA FLORAL DESIGN - DRIED

CLASS:

1. My Choice - miniature, less than 4
2. From the Sea-miniature, less than 4
3. Autumn Glory

DIVISION 22

FFA PERMANENT HORTICULTURE CRAFTS

1. Dry Flower Decorated Basket
2. Dry Flower Decorated Wreath
3. Silk Decorated Basket
4. Silk Decorated Wreath.
5. Topiary, made with dried flowers and plant material

FFA LANDSCAPE DESIGNS

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DIVISION 23

FFA LANDSCAPE DESIGN

CLASS:

1. NOVICE - Has not placed in Novice Class and/or never entered Advanced.
2. ADVANCED