

PRODUCE SHOW

A Family Fair - Where Farm Meets Fun!

Chairman: John Bell

******RULES FOR PRODUCE SHOW******

1. Entries will be accepted:
Thursday, September 7: 6:00pm – 10:00pm
Friday, September 8: 7:30am – 9:00am.
2. Exhibitor must legibly print the name and variety of each entry on a supplied entry card with the correct number of entries on each plate.
3. Judging will begin at 9:00am on Friday (9/8). Public not allowed in the Jerry Mulchay Memorial Building during judging. The building will reopen as soon as possible after 11:00am
4. The exhibitor must grow all entries.
5. All entries become the property of the Yorktown Grange Fair.
6. Each entry will be judged independently and according to the standard of excellence for that particular variety. It is important that your entry is correctly named as to species and variety. The judges will also be looking for table quality, and uniformity in color and size, not oversized or over-ripe. Please: Read descriptions in seed catalogs and on seed packets.
7. Entries should be cleaned but not polished.
8. Decision of the judges is final.
9. Containers used in special collections must be picked up between 6pm & 7pm on Sunday. They should be labeled with your name if you are picking them up. We are not responsible for any containers that are lost or damaged.
10. Ribbons and awards may be picked up in the Produce tent between 7:00 and 8:00 pm Sunday (9/10).



SPECIAL RIBBONS

BEST OF SHOW – PLATE
BEST OF SHOW – FARM MARKET
BEST OF SHOW – YOUTH
BEST OF SHOW – COMMERCIAL GROWER
BEST OF SHOW – TOMATOES
BEST OF SHOW – CIVIC ORGANIZATION
BEST OF SHOW – PEPPERS
BEST OF SHOW – HEIRLOOM VEGETABLES & FRUIT
BEST OF SHOW – WINTER or SUMMER SQUASH
BEST OF SHOW – HOME GARDEN ARRANGEMENT
BEST OF SHOW – ORGANIC GARDEN ARRANGEMENT
BEST OF SHOW – PUMPKIN and GOURD COLLECTION
BEST OF SHOW – VEGGIE CREATURE
BEST OF SHOW – GARDEN FREAK OR NOVELTY
BEST OF SHOW – SUMMER SQUASH

The Annual PRODUCE AUCTION will be held in the Produce Tent at **7:00 pm on Sunday (9/10/16)**. The auction is the Yorktown Grange Fair Finale. Be sure to come and bid on your Halloween Pumpkin, fruit and vegetables.

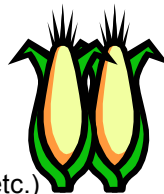
We sincerely appreciate those who generously donate their fruit and vegetables to the Yorktown Grange Fair.

SECTION I – VEGETABLES and FRUIT

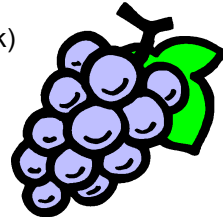
CLASSES:

- A. Youth - up to Age 11
- B. Junior - Ages 12 - 17
- C. Adult - Ages 18 and over
- D. Commercial

- 3 Bean pods (wax, snap, pole, lima, dried, etc.)
- 3 Beets (trim tops to 1"0)
- 1 Broccoli head
- 1 Broccoli, small heads in a bunch 5" in diameter
- 5 Brussels Sprouts
- 1 Cabbage (head)
- 3 Carrots (trim tops to 1")
- 1 Celery (bunch)
- 3 Ears of Corn
- 2 Cucumbers



- 1 Eggplant
- 1 Endive
- 1 Kale, complete plant
- 3 Kohlrabi
- 3 Leek, leaves trimmed
- 1 Lettuce (head)
- 5 Crabapples, Plums or Figs
- 5 Apples, Pears, Peaches, Quinces, Nectarines
- 5 Strawberries, or other berries
- 1 Bunch of Grapes (white, red or black)
- 1 Melon
- 5 Okra
- 5 Onions
- 3 Parsnips (trim tops to 1")
- 5 Peas (pods)
- 3 Peppers all ripe or unripe
- 5 Potatoes
- 1 Pumpkin
- 2 Rutabaga
- 5 Rhubarb (stalks)
- 1 Squash small, Acorn, Zucchini, Butternut, etc. (< 10")
- 1 Squash large, Blue Hubbard, etc.
- 3 Swiss Chard (leaves)
- 6 Cherry Tomatoes all ripe or all unripe
- 3 Paste Tomatoes, all ripe or all unripe
- 3 Standard Tomatoes, all ripe or all unripe



Herbs, potted plant grown in a pot not less than 1 month

Herbs, 1 or 3 sprigs, without flowers

Miscellaneous – any fruit or vegetable not listed above

New & Unusual Varieties – please attach catalog pictures or information

SECTION II – HEIRLOOM VEGETABLES & FRUIT

CLASSES:

- A. Youth - up to Age 11
- B. Junior - Ages 12 - 17
- C. Adult - Ages 18 and over
- D. Commercial

SECTION III – VEGGIE CREATURES

To be made with vegetables, fruit, nuts and organic materials

- A. Youth - up to Age 11
- B. Junior - Ages 12 - 17
- C. Adult - Ages 18 and over

SECTION IV – SPECIAL COLLECTION

Class A. Home Garden Arrangement

- A display of vegetables or fruit & vegetables to fill a 3' x 4' space. A garden basket or suitable container may be used in the display. Produce must have been raised in exhibitor's own garden. Accessories permitted.
- Judged on quality, quantity, and artistic arrangement.
- Blue Ribbon winner receives a \$25.00 gift certificate.

Class B. Organic Garden Collection

- For the gardener who practices organic gardening
- Judged on number of varieties and quality.
- Blue Ribbon winner receives a \$25.00 gift certificate



Class C. A Collection of Gourds

- Judged on number of varieties and quality.
- Blue Ribbon winner receives a \$15.00 gift certificate



Class D. Novelty corner

- For the garden freak or novelty
- Winner receives a Blue Ribbon

Class E. Biggest Pumpkin of 2016

- The "BIGGEST" Pumpkin is determined by weight.
- Special Ribbon winner receives a \$20.00 gift certificate.

SECTION V – FARM MARKET and COMMERCIAL GROWERS EXHIBITS:

THEME: "FRUITS and VEGETABLES FOR PROFIT"

Class A. Farm Market
Class B. Commercial Growers

SECTION VI – CIVIC ORGANIZATION AWARD

Best display exemplifying cooperative group effort of a non-profit organization