This fair is dedicated to every citizen of Stafford County and is conducted for your education and pleasure. Our goal is to raise the standard of all products of Stafford County. We are asking every citizen to do his or her part by providing exhibits in all classes possible. THIS IS YOUR FAIR!

THANK YOU
From the Stafford County Fair Association!

The Officers and Board of Directors of the Stafford County Fair Association would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all who helped make the Stafford County Fair a success! We recognize:

- To those who donated special items such as tractors, trailers, etc.
- To those who served as superintendents, assistants and in other capacities
- The County Commissioners
- To the City of Stafford and their employees who have been of assistance in preparing the grounds
- To all who have supported this county event with their cash donations.

Your help is appreciated more than you know. Without you, the county fair would not be possible. Thank you again for all you do!

Stafford County Fair Association Officers:
- Billy Milton - President
- John Thrasher - Vice President
- Brianna Milton - Secretary

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- Extension Agents: Trisha Greene, Jennifer Gleason, & Baley Doggett
- Office Professionals: Maribel Tovar & Cassie Sanko

Every possible care will be taken to safeguard life and property, but the Stafford County Fair Association and its representatives will not be responsible for any injuries or damage that may be sustained through accident or disease, or from any other cause.

PREMIUM MONEY:

OPEN CLASS:
All OPEN CLASS premium money will be paid out the last day of the fair (Saturday ONLY). From 10:00 am – 12:00. Please see Brianna Milton in the Fair Office.

4-H Premium Checks:
All 4-H ribbon premium checks will be mailed to the 4-H member from the Stafford County Fair Association as soon after the close of the Stafford County Fair as possible.

4-H Premium Auction checks will be mailed to the 4-H member from the Extension Office once all premium money is collected from the buyers.
For any questions regarding **OPEN CLASS information**, please contact Brianna Milton at 620.546.1598 or sfcountyfair@gmail.com.

For any questions regarding **4-H information**, please contact Trisha Greene or Baley Doggett at 620.549.3502 or sf@listserv.ksu.edu.
2024 STAFFORD COUNTY FAIR

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10
9:00 AM  4-H Shopping in Style, 4-H Sewing & Textile Design, & 4-H Fiber Arts Judging
7:00 PM  Public Style Review
Stafford County Annex
Building, Community Room, St John

PUBLIC ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND!
All Judging for Shopping in Style and Sewing & Textile Design takes place at the Stafford County Annex Community Room & Extension Office meeting room.

THURSDAY, JULY 11
5:30 PM  Fair Ground Clean-up

TUESDAY, JULY 16
ALL JUDGING WILL BE AT THE FAIRBUILDING!
8:00-10:00 AM  Open Class Exhibit Check-in
8:30 AM  Open Class Judging Begins
12:30 PM  Vet Check of Livestock
1:00 PM  4-H Static Judging Begins
6:00 PM  Hudson Cream Flour BAKEFEST
- PARTICIPANTS & PUBLIC INVITED!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17
8:00 AM  4-H & Open Class Swine Show
3:00 PM  Poultry & Rabbit Judging
5:00 PM  4-H Dog Show
FARM BUREAU FAMILY, & FRIENDS NIGHT
1:00-9:00 PM  Water Slides
5:00-7:00 PM  Hamburger & Watermelon Feed
6:30 PM  Community Fair Building Ribbon Cutting
7:00 PM  Pedal Pull

THURSDAY, JULY 18
8:00 AM  4-H & Open Class Sheep & Goat Show
4:30-5:30 PM  Open Class Beef/Bucket Calf Check In
5:30 PM  4-H & Open Class Bucket Calf Show
7:30 PM  4-H & Open Class Beef Show

FRIDAY, JULY 19
9:00 AM  Round Robin
1:00 PM  Barnyard Olympics
6:30 PM  Ice Cream Social
- Sponsored by SJNB
7:00 PM  Premium Auction
8:00 PM  Community Night
- Goat Roping hosted by Stafford Saddle Club
- Cornhole hosted by Stafford Recreation
- Concert by Hunter Hathcoat

SATURDAY, JULY 20
10:00-3:00 PM  Check Out all Exhibits

FRIDAY, JULY 26
6:30 PM  Swine Carcass Show, Ellinwood

SUNDAY, JULY 28
5:00 PM  Beef Carcass Show, Ellinwood

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2
6:30 PM  Swine Carcass Show, Ellinwood

""PLEASE NOTE THAT THE SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE""
HAMBURGER & WATERMELON FEED!
5:00 - 7:00

FARM BUREAU ASSOCIATION FRIENDS & FAMILY NIGHT

Stafford County Fairgrounds

SANCTIONED Pedal Pull
7:00 pm
REGISTRATION STARTS AT 6:30

Inflatable Water Slides!

Wednesday July 17th
1:00 - 9:00
2024 STAFFORD COUNTY FAIR BOOSTERS

FAMILY BOOSTERS

Ambrose & Amanda Sandoval Family
Barney & Kathy Ewertz
Bill & Tammy Milton
Brent & Kayla Peterson Family
Cody & Julie Dick
Dean & Pam Moon
Derek & Emilee Foote
Derrick & Holly Ferguson
Double T Horseshoeing - Ty Taylor
James & Carolyn Dickson
Jaret & Julie Byer
Jay & Adrienne Minnis
Jo & Andy Zulkoski
Joe & Katelyn Kraushaar Family
Josh & Jenny Foote
Kanza Coop - Farm Store
Kenton & Diane Ladenburger
Leon & Jan Dunn
Mike & Kim Gantz
Mike, Jill & gang
Orrin Feril Family
Pat & Carolyn Mikesell
Randy & Kim Fritzemeier
Rattlesnake Valley Beef, LLC
Richard & Shelly Brensing
Rodney Lyons
Roger & Fran Dick
Roger Epp
Scott & Jennifer Pfortmiller
Shawn Ward Family
Steve & Tami Brensing
The Frosty Bean
The Wild Mane - Trista Taylor
Tony & Olivia Wilbur

BUSINESS BOOSTERS

Ag 360
Alpers Farms
American Plains Coop
Animal Medical Center
Brummer Ag Consulting
BTI
C & D Irrigation
City of Stafford
Clara Barton Medical Center
Clark Collision
Cornwell Beef
Countryline Ag
Davis Electrical Inc
Dickson Trucking Inc
Duane & June Miller
El Parralito
Eldridge Fencing
Ellinwood Packing Plant
Elroy's Pizza
Equity Bank
Far Away Cattle Co.
Farm Bureau Financial Services
Farm Bureau Financial Services
Farmer Milton Hay
Fisher Agri Service Center
Fisher Service Center
GBT
Gill Chiropractic
Gilly's Liquor
Hoegemeyer Seed
JMAC Farms
Joan's Cafe
Justo's Automotive, Inc
Kansas Dirt
Kansas Pest Inc.
Keesling Trucking
KP Ag
Main Street Market & Deli
Maverick Tree Service
Mid - Kansas Tire
Mid America Seed
Mid Kansas Ag/ Seed
Milton Farms
Milton Hay
Minnis Chapel
Mom's Bar & Grill
Morgan Diesel Inc
Nutrien Ag
P&J Pet Salon
P&S Electric/Security
Paul's Oilfield Service
Peoples Bank
Prairie Bank of KS
Quivira Insurance Agency
Raindrop Repair
RAMA
Reuel & Janell Foote
Rosenberg Dentistry
Sallee Masonry
Shear Madness
SJN Bank of Kansas
Sod Shop
South Fork Veterinary Hospital
Southwest Truck Parts
Squeaks
St.John Lumber
Stafford County Drug
Stafford County Flour Mills
Stafford County Hospital
Stafford Lumber Co
Stafford Saddle Club Inc.
Straight Line Steel Inc.
Sunflower Trailer Sales Inc.
Trinity Community Church
Triplet Automotive
Tyler & Leah Alpers
Van Slyke Body Shop
Ward Farms
Wendelburg Seed
Community Night

live music featuring

HUNTER HATHCOAT

Friday, July 19
8:00 pm
Stafford County Fairgrounds

Cornhole Tournament & Goat Roping begins at 8:00 pm
AWARD PRESENTATION WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, JULY 19 AT 7:00 PM BEFORE PREMIUM AUCTION AT STAFFORD COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- **NEW** Producer fills out paperwork at elevator when they submit wheat sample at the elevator.
- **NEW** Official Crop Data Card will be filled out by the County Agent when sample is taken to be inspected.
- All wheat entries need to be into an elevator or collected by the County Agent by **June 30th, 2024**
- All wheat exhibits shall be produced during the current year in Stafford County.
- All wheat exhibits shall be **COMBINE RUN ONLY**, samples shall consist of approximately 5 lbs. of wheat collected at the elevators in the county. If a producer has grain stored on the farm and wishes to enter, the County Agent should be notified for sample collection.
- **ANY ENTRY WHICH HAS BEEN HAND PICKED AND/OR SCREENED WILL BE DISQUALIFIED**
- Optional but preferred for county fair display purposes: The sample should be accompanied by a sheaf of wheat consisting of 30 heads harvested at approximately 18 inches in length. (Bound 3 times firmly) May submit to Extension Office before the fair or bring to County Fair on Tuesday morning of the County Fair.
- Limitation of entries: Each producer may exhibit one (1) entry per variety up to a maximum of three (3) varieties of wheat grown on exhibitor’s farm. Landlord may enter if tenant does not. A producer is someone who is recognized by the FSA (Farm Service Agency) as a tenant and/or landowner within the county.
- All samples will be graded by the Kansas Grain Inspection Lab (Dodge City or Wichita).
- Premiums will be awarded for 1st-5th places. In case of a tie, premiums will be added together and divided by the number of tying entrants.

SAMPLES WILL BE JUDGED BY THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- **Protein**.............................................................225 points
- **Test Weight...................................................**200 points
- **Dockage Factor...............................................**200 points
- **Shrunken and Broken Kernels..........................**100 points
- **Completeness of Official Crop Data Card........**25 points
- **Variety Selection (milling & baking)..............**250 points
- **TOTAL..........................................................**1000 points

ALL WHEAT VARIETIES SHOWN TOGETHER GUARANTEE PREMIUM TO BE GIVEN AWAY

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- **BTI**—Bucklin, Great Bend, Greensburg, Hoxie, Ness City, Pratt
- **NUTRIEN AG SERVICES**—Macksville
- **AMERICAN PLAINS COOP**—Great Bend, Radium, Seward, Pawnee Rock, Albert, Boyd, Ellinwood
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- **MID KANSAS AG**—St. John
- **PAWNEE COUNTY CO OP**—Larned, Macksville, Garfield, Dartmouth
HUDSON CREAM FLOUR BAKEFEST

Superintendent - Tabra Ward

DAY & TIME: **Tuesday, July 16, 2024**

Stafford County Fair Building
Stafford, Kansas

ENTRIES DUE: 5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Judging Begins at 6:00 p.m.

PRIZES FOR EACH CATEGORY:
1st- $25, 2nd- $15, 3rd- $10, 4th- $5, 5th- $5, 6th- $5

**All entries become the property of the Fair Board and will be sold following the Bakefest.**

GENERAL RULES
- Each recipe must use Hudson Cream Flour and be an original work of the entrant (no mixes). Please note which variety of flour was used on the recipe card. (i.e. whole wheat, white, self rising)
- An entry form (below) & recipe (typed or hand written) must be included with each entry.
- Once a person wins with a given recipe he/she may not enter that recipe again.
- All products and recipes submitted become the property of the Stafford County Fair Board. PLEASE bring items in disposable containers as they will not be returned.
- For food safety purposes, any food with custard or dairy based fillings (i.e. cream cheese, raw eggs) “canned” bread or cakes in a jar, fresh fruit toppings or any food requiring refrigeration (i.e. bacon), or unbaked exhibits with raw flour will be disqualified and not judged.

SPECIFIC CLASS RULES
- Fruit Pies: 1 whole pie, no larger than 9” in aluminum, disposable pie plate. No cream pies or pies using eggs, egg whites or milk in the filling can be accepted.
- Specialty Yeast Breads: 1 whole unit (loaf, tea ring, etc.) or 1 pan of sweet rolls (cinnamon rolls etc.) on a disposable board, or in a disposable container.
- Quick Bread: 1 whole loaf (fruit and nuts may be added/cooked in the batter, no yeast)
- Chocolate Cake: 1 whole cake, must have at least 2 layers, and up to a maximum of 4 layers. Frosting may be used and any frosting using dairy must be cooked (please include frosting recipe with recipe card).
- Kid’s Cookies: 3 cookies
- Kid’s Cake: 1 whole cake, single layer, 8 or 9” round or square. Frosting may be used and any frosting using dairy must be cooked (please include frosting recipe with recipe card).

HUDSON CREAM FLOUR— BAKEFEST ENTRY FORM
Entries Due: Tuesday, July 16, 2024, 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Judging Begins at 6:00 p.m. at the Stafford County Fair Building, Stafford, Ks.

__ Quick Bread Contest
__ Specialty Bread Contest
__ Fruit Pie Contest
__ Chocolate Cake (2+ layer)
__ Kid’s Cookies
__ Kid’s Chocolate Cake (1 layer)

Name: ___________________________ Phone: ___________________________

Please submit an entry form with each item. Additional forms will be available at drop-off.
GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS
RULE 1 -- INTERPRETATIONS, AMENDMENTS, AND VIOLATIONS.
Section I -- The Executive Committee of the Stafford County Fair Association reserve the right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrarily settle all questions arising in connection with the Fair that shall be held under the management of this Board.
Section II -- The Executive Committee reserves the right to amend or add to these rules as they in their judgement, deem it advisable. In the event of a conflict of general and special rules, the latter will govern.
Section III -- Any person who violates any general or special rule will forfeit all privileges and premiums.
Section IV -- In case there is not sufficient premium money to pay all premiums in full, money will be prorated.

RULE 2 - ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Section I -- All entries to the Stafford County Fair are free but no unworthy entry will be received for exhibit.
Section II -- All property of any character entered at the Fair for any purpose shall be subject to the control of the Superintendent in charge.

RULE 3 - EXHIBITOR: DUTIES AND PRIVILEGES
Section I -- Any individual from Stafford County or other counties may exhibit in open class competition but only members of Stafford County 4-H Clubs may exhibit in 4-H competition. Stafford County 4-H Clubs, and open class exhibitors shall have priority over non-residents for exhibit space.
Section II -- If it be ascertained that any exhibitor has or caused to be made any false statement in regard to any exhibit or if any exhibitor shall attempt to interfere with the judges in the performing of their duties, he shall be excluded from all competition or exhibition on the grounds of the Fair Association and any awards that he may have received may be forfeited at the discretion of the board.
Section III -- The decision of the judges shall be final.

RULE 4 - POWER AND LIABILITIES OF THE FAIR ASSOCIATION
Section I -- The management will use every precaution to guard against extortion in any form or the Fairgrounds and any violation of this rule shall result in forfeit of every privilege, contract on money paid in and expulsion from the grounds.
Section II -- The management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit, animal, concession, or show that may be falsely entered, or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, or to remove any sign, banner, identification mark or signature or advertising matter of any kind which may be deemed objectionable.
Section III -- No diseased animal will be permitted to be exhibited or occupy space at the Fair and every precaution will be taken to enforce this rule. However, the management will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may be sustained by anyone through violation of this rule.
Section IV -- No claim for an injury to any person or property shall be asserted or suit instituted or maintained against the Fair Association, its officers or agents, corporation or firms as a result of damage sustained on the grounds at this fair.

RULE 5 - AWARDS
Section I -- Premiums will be paid on the first, second, and third place exhibits in each class in Open Class unless otherwise stated. Only one first place, one second, and one third place ribbon will be given per open class. Money placings will be $3.; $2.; $1. Unless otherwise stated.
Section II -- It will be left to the discretion of the Superintendent to have the judge award a champion and reserve champion in the open class division.
Section III -- No ribbon or premiums will be awarded on articles not mentioned in this catalog.
Section IV -- Classes will be judged according to quality of entries in that class. Trophies and ribbons will be awarded accordingly. Single entries do not necessarily merit championship or blue ribbon placing.

RULE 6 - MISCELLANEOUS
Section I -- All rights that are applicable shall be made a part of all contracts made with concessionaires.
Section II -- A Superintendent will be appointed for each department, whose duty it shall be to receive exhibits, properly classify them, and assist the judges. Assistant and Junior Superintendents will assist.
Section III -- All Livestock entries shall be made using the open class entry form found in the open class section of this fair book. All open class Livestock entries must be entered on the Open class entry form by July 11th and Shepherd’s Lead entries must be entered on the Open class entry form and sent to 21 Central District Stafford County Extension Office, PO Box 398, St. John, Kansas 67576. An entry is required for each exhibit. Pre entries will be made according to department rules.
Section IV -- NO Stafford County 4-H and/or open class livestock exhibited by Stafford County 4-H’ers, except 4-H Sale Livestock, shall be released before the stated release time. Early removal of exhibits will result in forfeiting of ribbons, trophy, and premiums.
OPEN CLASS --- FLORICULTURE

- All exhibits must be entered between 8 am – 10 am on Tuesday during the fair.
- Competition is open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class.
- All exhibits in the Floriculture department must be grown/made in current year. Plants must have been in possession of the exhibitor at least 60 days with the exception of plant material for floral arrangements. Those may be obtained elsewhere.
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premium and ribbon accordingly.
- All cut specimens MUST be entered in clear glass containers, bottles, bud vases or fruit jars of appropriate size.
- Containers and accessories should be picked up no earlier than noon Saturday.
- Information about exhibiting flowers can be found online in the publication "Preparing Cut Flowers for Exhibit", available at http://www.bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/4H826.pdf
- There will be a professional division, adult division, teen, and youth division for all class numbers. Please mark (P) for professional; someone who grows or designs flowers as their occupation or for resale. (A) for adult (19 and up), (T) for teens (13-18 yrs. of age) or (Y) for youth (5-12 yrs. of age) before each class number to specify age division.
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1 in each class.
- An Overall Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

HOUSE PLANTS
101001. Foliage plant (green, variegated, color, etc.)
101002. Vining Plant (green, variegated, color, etc.)
101003. Fern (any variety; Ex.: Spengeri/Asparagus, True fern, Foxtail, etc.)
101004. Cactus or succulent
101005. Established terrarium
101006. Bonsai Tree

CUT FLOWERS
Annuals & Perennials:
102001. Chrysanthemums
102002. Best collection of cut wildflowers
102003. Best collection of cut annuals—up to 5 varieties
102004. Best collection of cut perennials—up to 5 varieties
102005. Hybrid Tea Rose (1 blossom)
102006. Floribunda Rose (1 blossom)
102007. Miniature Rose (no less than 3 blossoms)
102008. Zinnias, 1 large
102009. Zinnias, 3 small, same variety
102010. Marigold, 1 large
102011. Marigold, 3 small; same variety
102012. Petunia, single bloom, 3 stems
102013. Petunia, double bloom, 3 stems
102014. Snapdragon, 3 stems
102015. Geranium, 1 stem
102016. Domestic Sunflower, 1 stem
102017. Echinacea/Cone Flower, 1 variety, 1 stem
102018. Scabiosa, 3 stems
102019. Sunflower, 1 blossom in bloom
102020. Lily, 1 stem
102021. Hibiscus (1 blossom)
102022. Daisies (3 blossoms)
102023. Any other annual, 1 stem
102024. Any other perennial, 1 stem

FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS
103001. Table Arrangement (seen from all sides)
103002. Seasonal/Holiday themed arrangement (patriotic, fall harvest, winter/Christmas, spring/Easter, etc.)
103003. Dried flower arrangement
103004. Kansas Arrangement using Sunflowers
103005. Teacup/Miniature arrangement not to exceed 5” in height & width. Exhibitor may use actual teacup for vase or other small container to enhance arrangement.) Fresh or artificial flowers may be used.
103006. Cut Flower arrangement (any size & color vase may be used for this class.)
103007. Corsages
   Most Unusual (creative use of object as container and/or use of unusual flowers)
103009. Any other arrangement
POTTED CONTAINERS (1 container)
Exhibitor should attach notecard listing varieties in each collection.

104001. Mixed Variety Hanging Basket—more than 1 variety of flower; planted by exhibitor in hanging basket of their choice. (no pre-planted purchased hanging baskets may be entered/exhibited)

104002. Single Variety Hanging Basket—1 variety of flower; planted by exhibitor in hanging basket of their choice. (no pre-planted purchased hanging baskets may be entered/exhibited)

104003. Potted container - up to 10 varieties; planted by exhibitor in container of choice. (no pre-planted purchased containers may be entered/exhibited)

104004. Most unusual potted container— Creative use of an object as a potted container. May include but not limited to farm implements, discarded kitchen bowls, old boots, hollowed out tree stump, etc. Planted by exhibitor.

104005. Any other potted container

104006. Fairy Garden

OPEN CLASS --- CROPS & GARDENS

DIVISION – CROPS

- All exhibits must be entered by 8 am - 10 am on Tuesday during the fair.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- There will be an adult division, and teen division for all class numbers. Please mark (A) for adult (19 and up), or (T) for teens (13-18 yrs. of age) before each class number to specify age division.
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premium and ribbon accordingly.
- Exhibits and ribbons cannot be removed before noon Saturday.
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1 in each class.
- An Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.
- No duplicate entries will be accepted from one farm.
- Name of hybrid or variety must be listed on the entry tag.
- Each class will be divided into dryland and irrigated production as needed.
- Place a label on the outside of the jar and a label in the grain inside the jar.
- Immature grain sorghum heads will not be penalized for immaturity.
- Exhibit only the number or amount specified in each class.
- Handpicked entries are discouraged.
- To encourage producers to exhibit mature crops, some classes will be harvested the previous year.
- The Market Wheat Show is a separate contest with its own rules.

WHEAT– SEE THE MARKET WHEAT SHOW CONTEST

201001 – Barley – 1 Gallon, any variety
201002 – Oats – 1 Gallon, any variety
201003 – Rye – 1 Gallon, any variety
201004 – Triticale – 1 Gallon, any variety
201005 – Soybeans – 1 Gallon, any variety, Exhibit consists of one gallon sample of seed, 2022 crop
201006 – Soybeans – bundle of 5 plants
201007 – Hybrid Grain Sorghum – ten head exhibit
201008 – Hybrid Forage Sorghum – Exhibit consist of the entire plant; no roots; 10 plants
201009 – Other Forage Sorghum – Exhibit consist of the entire plant; no roots; 10 plants
201010 – Alfalfa Seed – 1 Gallon Sample, any variety
201011 – Alfalfa Hay – Exhibit to consist of one flake or slice from a rectangular bale or a 10 inch section cut from a round bale. The flake or slice should be approximately 6 inches in thickness and tied in two directions.
201012 – Native Grass Hay – Exhibit to consist of one flake or slice from a rectangular bale or a 10 inch section cut from a round bale. The flake or slice should be approximately 6 inches in thickness and tied in two directions.
201013 – Cool Season Grass Hay – Exhibit to consist of one flake or slice from a rectangular bale or a 10 inch section cut from a round bale. The flake or slice should be approximately 6 inches in thickness and tied in two directions.
201014 – Brome Grass Seed – 1 Gallon Sample of Seed
201015 – Other Tame Grasses – 1 Gallon Sample of Seed
201016 – Corn – ten ear exhibit, white
201017 – Corn – ten ear exhibit, yellow
201018 – Corn – 1 Gallon from harvest 2022, Any variety, white
201019 – Corn – 1 Gallon from harvest 2022, Any variety, yellow
OPEN CLASS --- GARDENS

- All exhibits must be entered by 8 am - 10 am on Tuesday during the fair.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class.
- There will be a professional division, adult division, teen, and youth division for all class numbers. Please mark (P) for professional; if you are a commercial grower or grow food products for resale, (A) for adult (19 and up), (T) for teens (13-18 yrs. of age) or (Y) for youth (5-12 yrs. of age) before each class number to specify age division.
- All entries in this department must be grown by the exhibitor in current year.
- Information about exhibiting produce is available in the publication “Exhibiting Fruits and Vegetables” available at the Extension Office or online at www.bookstore.ksre.ksu.edu/pubs/c405.pdf
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premium and ribbon accordingly.
- All garden produce should be exhibited on a sturdy plate, bowl or container that will support the weight of the produce.
- Exhibits and ribbons cannot be removed before noon Saturday.
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1 in each class. Classes 203001-203019 will be one premium of $5.
- An Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

GARDENS

202001. Red potatoes, 5
202002. White potatoes, 5
202003. Russet potatoes, 5
202004. Sweet potatoes, 5
202005. Onions, 5
202006. Cantaloupe, 1
202007. Honeydew melon, 1
202008. Watermelon, 1
202009. Winter squash, 1
202010. Butternut squash, 1
202011. Summer squash, 1
202012. Zucchini, 1
202013. Pumpkin, 1
202014. Table beets, 5
202015. Cabbage, 1 head
202016. Tomatoes, round slicing, 5
202017. Tomatoes, cherry, 5
202018. Tomatoes, any other variety, 5
202019. Carrots, 5
202020. Beans, green, 12
202021. Beans, any other, variety, 12
202022. Sweet peppers, 5
202023. Hot Peppers, 5
202024. Eggplant, 1
202025. Cucumbers, slicing, 5
202026. Cucumbers, pickling, 5
202027. Rhubarb, 5 stalks
202028. Okra, 5
202029. Any other vegetable not listed
202030. Grapes, any variety, 5
202031. Apples, any variety, 5
202032. Peaches, any variety, 5
202033. Pears, any variety, 5
202034. Berries, any variety, 5
202035. Any other fruit not listed

MISCELLANEOUS GARDEN
203001. Largest Onion
203002. Heaviest Beet
203003. Heaviest Watermelon
203004. Heaviest Cantaloupe
203005. Heaviest Pumpkin
203006. Heaviest Honeydew
203007. Heaviest Squash
203008. Heaviest Turnip
203009. Heaviest Sweet Potato
203010. Heaviest Smooth Irish Potato
203011. Heaviest Tomato
203012. Heaviest Cucumber
203013. Heaviest Cabbage
203014. Tallest Corn Stalk
203015. Most Unusual Fruit or Vegetable
203016. Tallest Sunflower (domestic)
203017. Soybean plant with most pods
203018. Corn stalk with most ears
203019. Longest Zucchini

GARDEN DISPLAY
204001. Best Display Garden Produce - a collection of at least 5 different fresh vegetables and/or fruits with not more than 2 varieties of any one kind. The number of specimens of the different vegetables and/or fruits exhibited are: large -1 each, medium - 5 each, small - 12 each

SCARECROWS
205001. Scarecrow - Entry may be made as an individual or as a group project. All scarecrows measuring from floor to top must be under 6 feet, and must be secured to a 6-foot stake. Accessories, if used, must be firmly attached to scarecrow. Entries will be judged on eye appeal, construction, use of materials and durability.
205002. Old Fashioned Scarecrow - a traditional farm or garden scarecrow used to scare birds away from crops
205003. Celebrity or Character Look-Alike Scarecrow - one made to resemble a celebrity, such as entertainer, TV personality, sports figure, cartoon etc. INCLUDE NAME OF CELEBRITY ON ENTRY.
OPEN CLASS --- FOODS & NUTRITION

- All exhibits must be entered between 8 am - 10 am on Tuesday during the fair.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class, but MUST BE from different recipes. Recipes should accompany exhibit.
- All entries in this department must have been made by the person in whose name the entry is made.
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premium and ribbon accordingly.
- Any baked good that can be removed from the pan should be placed on a desirable size disposable plate, covered cardboard cut to fit the size of the product, or disposable container of appropriate size. Place in a clear food grade plastic bag and fasten with a twist tie. If providing the recipe, secure to outside of bag with tape or twist tie.
- NOTE: Recipe is not required for open class.
- For food safety purposes, any food with custard and dairy-based fillings and frostings (ex. Cream cheese), raw eggs, flavored oils, “canned” bread or cakes in a jar, any food requiring refrigeration (ex. Bacon), or unbaked exhibit with raw flour (ex. No-Bake cookies) will be disqualified and not judged. Refer to K-State Research and Extension publication, 4-H888, Judge’s Guide for Food and Nutrition Exhibits for more information to help you make informed, safe food decisions.
- Articles cannot be removed before noon on the last day of fair (Saturday).
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1 in each class. Class 300100 will be one premium of $5.
- An Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

**Class:**

300100. Kitchen Collectibles – Do you have a collection of Aprons, cookie cutters, rolling pins or other kitchen collectibles? Here’s your chance to show them off! Bring at least 7 items from your collection and display them attractively (on a little clothespin, in a shadow box or shelf, on a brightly colored kitchen towel, etc.). Also include a short narrative about your collection on a 3 x 5 card.

**BAKED GOODS**

**Breads**

301001. Yeast bread, white, 1 standard loaf
301002. Yeast bread, whole wheat, 1 standard loaf
301003. Yeast Dinner rolls, white, 3
301004. Yeast Dinner rolls, whole wheat, 3
301005. Specialty Yeast Dough, 1 whole product
301006. Cinnamon or Sweet rolls, 3
301007. Any other yeast product
301008. Muffins, any variety, 3
301009. Quick bread, nut or fruit, 1 standard loaf

**Cakes**

302001. Angel Food, unfrosted, 1 whole
302002. Bundt, 1 whole
302003. Chocolate, 1 whole
302004. Layer cake, any flavor except chocolate, 1 whole
302005. Any other cake, 1 whole.

**Cookies**

303001. Brownies, 3
303002. Any other bar cookie, spread dough in pan, bake and cut, 3
303003. Sugar cookies, 3
303004. Any other rolled cookie, dough is rolled flat and cut into shapes, 3
303005. Chocolate Chip cookies, 3
303006. Any other drop cookie, dough is dropped by teaspoonful onto baking sheet, 3
303007. No Bake cookie, 3
303008. Party or holiday cookie, 3
303009. Molded or pressed cookie, molded - formed into desired shape with hand; pressed - formed in a cookie press, 3
303010. Health cookie- high fiber, sugar free, low cholesterol, made with honey, 3
303011. Oatmeal Cookies, 3
Pies
304001. 1 or 2 Crust Fruit Pie
304002. Crumb Topping Fruit Pie

YOUTH DEPARTMENT
Please specify a (Y) for youth (5-12 yrs. of age) and (T) for teens (13-18yrs of age) before each class number.

350001. One layer cake, 8" or 9", frosted or unfrosted, 1 whole
350002. Bar cookies, 3
350003. Rolled and cut cookies, 3
350004. Molded cookies, 3
350005. Drop cookies, 3
350006. No Bake Cookies, 3
350007. Decorated Cookie, 1 large 8" Cookie or 3 small cookies, creatively decorated.
350008. Muffins, 3
350009. Quick bread, nut or fruit, 1 standard loaf
350010. Yeast bread, 1 standard loaf
350011. Yeast rolls, 3
350012. Ugliest Cake - a real cake must be used. Use your imagination - the uglier the better, but not obnoxious. Decorations must be edible. Entries will be judged on looks only.
350013. Cookie Mix in a Jar - Prepare a cookie mix in a jar. Include recipe. Jars may be decorated as desired
350014. Cupcakes (3) frosted, creatively decorated.
350015. Fruit Pie – 1 or 2 Crust
350016. Fruit Pie – Crumb Topping

FOOD PRESERVATION

- Exhibits must have been preserved since the previous year’s county fair.
- Recipes must be from 1995 to Present and must be adjusted for altitude based on your processing location or it will be disqualified. Processing methods that will be disqualified include: open kettle-canning, oven canning, sun canning, and use of electric multi-cookers, see http://nchfp.uga.edu/publicaitons/nchfp/factsheets/electric_cookers.html. Untested recipes will be disqualified for food safety reasons. Please see page 65 for a list of recipe sources.
- Alcohol is not allowed as an ingredient in food preservation entries. Entries with alcohol in the recipe will be disqualified and not be judged.
- Each exhibit must have the complete recipe and instructions attached with the entry card, or it will be disqualified. Recipe must include exhibitor name, recipe source, date of publication, and altitude where food was processed. If using Mrs. Wage’s or Ball mixes, indicate the date the mix was purchased.
- Exhibits must be sealed in clean, clear standard canning jars, with matching brand (ex: use Ball lids on Ball jars, or Kerr lids on Kerr jars, etc.) two piece lids. Do not use colored jars. Do not add any fancy padded lids, fabric over wraps or cozies as they interfere with the judging process. No fancy packs unless recipe states to do so (ex: Pickled asparagus). Jars must be sealed when entered. For food safety reasons, the size of jars used must not be larger than the jar size stated in the recipe. Note: There are 12-ounce, 24-ounce, and 28-ounce canning jars available and may be used. Use pint jar process recommendations for 12-ounce jars. Use quart jar process recommendations for 24 ounce and 28-ounce jars.
- Each jar exhibited must be labeled. The label must not cover brand name of jar. The label must give: Class No., Product, Altitude where processed, Canning Method (water bath, weighted gauge or dial gauge pressure method), Process Time, Pressure (psi), date processed including month and year, Exhibitor Name, and County. Labels are available from the Extension Office.
- If dried food product must be exhibited in a clear canning jar. Suggested amount: 1/3-1/2 cup, or three or four pieces per exhibit. All meat jerky must be heated to an internal temperature of 160 degrees F before or after drying. This is not the drying temperature! Dried products must include the recipe, preparation steps and heating instructions. Jerky not heated to an internal temperature 160 degrees F will be disqualified and not be judged. Heating information can be found in “Dry meat Safely at Home” www.ksre.ksu.edu/bookstore/pubs/MF3173.pdf
- Classes 401001-406008 will require one jar for each class
Canned Fruit
401001. Apples 401005. Plums—Sandhill
401002. Apricots 401006. Plums—Blue
401003. Cherries 401007. Pears
401004. Peaches 401008. Any other fruits

Sweet Spreads
402001. Jellies—any flavor
402002. Preserves or Jams—any flavor
402003. Butters—any flavor (apple, peach, plum, sandhill plum, etc)

Canned Vegetables
403001. Beans, any variety (Green, yellow, Lima, etc.)
403002. Beets
403003. Corn
403004. Carrots
403005. Tomatoes
403006. Stewed Tomatoes
403007. Potatoes
403008. Okra
403009. Asparagus
403010. Mixed vegetable
403011. Any other vegetable

Pickled Fruit and Vegetables
404001. Dill Pickles
404002. Sweet Pickles
404003. Bread and Butter Pickles
404004. Mixed Pickles
404005. Pickled fruit—watermelon, peaches, etc.
404006. Sauce, any type
404007. Relish, any type
404008. Any other pickled fruit and vegetables

Dried Foods—Oven, dehydrator or natural
405001. Fruit, vegetable, jerky, or fruit leather

Miscellaneous Foods
406001. Salsa
406002. Chili Sauce
406003. Pie filling
406004. Taco Sauce
406006. Spaghetti Sauce
406007. Canned Meat
406008. Other miscellaneous foods
OPEN CLASS TEXTILES

- All exhibits must be entered by 8 am - 10 am Tuesday.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class.
- There will be divisions for professional, adult, teen and youth for all class numbers. Please mark (P) for professional if you are a professional seamstress or produce sewn items for resale, (A) for adult (19 yrs and up), (T) for teens (13-18 yrs of age), and (Y) for youth (5 yrs old—12 yrs old)
- All entries in this department must have been made by the person in whose name the entry is made.
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premium and ribbon accordingly.
- Articles having previously been exhibited at the Stafford County Fair will not be eligible to compete again.
- State Fair Requirements for Quilts is 53" x 82" minimum or larger size unless otherwise specified. Identify pattern name of quilt on Entry Tag.
- Articles cannot be removed before noon Saturday.
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1 in each class.
- An Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

Quilts
501001. Embroidered, hand quilted
501002. Appliqued, hand quilted
501003. Pieced, Hand quilted
501004. Nursery or child’s, hand quilted
501005. Any other, hand quilted
501006. Any type, tied
501007. Any type, machine quilted
501008. Quilt top, any type
501009. Quilted Clothing, any type
501010. Small quilted item
501011. Wall hanging or hoop
501012. My first quilt (for beginner quilters)
501013. Quilt block
501014. Pieced, Machine quilted
501015. Nursery/Child, machine quilted

Crochet
502001. Afghan
502002. Bedspread
502003. Sweater or Vest
502004. Baby Garment
502005 Baby Afghan
502006. Small Crochet Items
502007. Other Crochet Items
502008. Any other crocheted item

Knitting
503001. Afghan
503002. Baby Afghan
503003. Sweater or Vest
503004. Baby Garment
503005. Other Knit Garment
503006. Other Knit Items

Stitchery
504001. Table or Luncheon Cloth
504002. Tea Towels
504003. Doily
504004. Pillowcase
504005. Cross-Stitch (marked)
504006. Cross-Stitch (Counted), Small item
504007. Cross-Stitch (Counted), Large item
504008. Candlewicking
504009. Crewel
504010. Machine Embroidery
504011. Needlepoint
504012. Tatting
504013. Embroidery
504014. Miscellaneous
Special Classification
505001. Decorated clothing
505002. Handbag or tote bag
505003. Holiday decorations
505004. Fabric toys or stuffed animals
505005. Rugs, any type
505006. Textile painting
505007. Pillows
505008. Potholders
505009. Latch hook
505010. Weaving
505011. Fabric dolls
505012. Miscellaneous

Clothing
506001. Children’s garment
506002. 2 or 3 piece outfit
506003. Dress or Jumper
506004. Coat or Jacket
506005. Blouse or Shirt
506006. Skirt
506007. Pants or Shorts
506008. Item made on a serger
506009. Doll clothes
506010. Miscellaneous
506011. Recycled clothing (Ex.: denim jeans made into capris or shorts, embellishments may be added.)

Get Creative!

OPEN CLASS --- ARTS AND CRAFTS

- Check in will be from 8:00-10:00 am on Tuesday.
- Each entry will use the same class number, each age group of exhibitors will have a letter: A - Adult; T - Teen (Ages 13-18); Y - Youth (Ages 5-12) and C - Child/Preschool (Ages 5 & Under). (Example – 335A - Preschool Stenciling). Please indicate the division by adding the letter before the class number.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class.
- All work must be the work of the exhibitor completed in the last year.
- All drawings and paintings must be securely mounted and have a wire or tab for hanging (teen, and adults only)
- All exhibits cannot be removed before noon Saturday.
- All premiums will be $3, $2, $1 in each class.
- An Overall Grand Champion & Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

FINE ART
601001. Watercolor
601002. Pastel
601003. Acrylics- (landscape, still life, animals, including air brush)
601004. Oil painting
601005. Pencil drawing
601006. Crayon drawing
601007. Ink drawing
601008. Charcoal drawing
601009. Paint by numbers
601010. Ceramics—hand built- coil, slab or sculpture
601011. Ceramics– wheel thrown
601012. Pottery– glazed or stained
601013. Pottery– hand painted
601014. Sculpture (wood, metal, stone, paper mache’, mixed material)
601015. Metal work (tin punch, metal embossing, etc)
601016. Batik
601017. Mixed Media/Collage
601018. Printmaking—(linoleum, wood block, engraving)
601019. Miscellaneous fine art
CRAFTS
602001. Stenciling
602002. Decoupage
602003. Baskets
602004. Jewelry
602005. Paper crafts (quilling, paper cutting, paper casting, etc.)
602006. Woodcarving or wood burning
602007. Leather craft
602008. Cast Ceramics/Painted ceramics
602009. Stained glass
602010. Glass staining or etching
602011. Decorative painting
602012. Duct tape creations
602013. Holiday crafts
602014. Dolls
602015. String art
602016. Beadwork
602017. Printing and rubber stamping
602018. Candles
602019. Wood crafts (items made from clothes pins, pop sickle sticks, toothpicks, etc)
602020. Mosaic
602021. Nature craft
602022. Stonework/carving
602023. Tie Dye
602024. Woodwork items
602025. Refinished woodworking (include before picture)
602026. Models (from kits only)
602027. Mixed Media
602028. Article made from recycled material
602029. 3-D Construction (puzzles, Lego sets, K-Nex, etc)
602030. Scrapbooking - Handcrafted; pages created with scrap book materials
602031. Scrapbooking- Computer Generated; created online
602032. Miscellaneous Craft Item

HOBBIES AND COLLECTIONS
603001. Hobbies/Collections – Exhibit should be displayed in a container appropriate to the hobby/collection. Cardboard boxes with commercial writing visible will not be allowed. Exhibit MUST include a narrative (printed on 8 1/2 x 11 paper, no less than 12 point font or handwritten on large notecard) explaining what the collection is and why and how the collection was started.

Examples: Entomology/Geology, Figurines, Plates, Dolls/Toys, Thimbles, Hats/Caps, Coins, Stamps, Farm/Ranch, International/Travel, Sports, Models, School Items, Keepsake Boxes
OPEN CLASS --- PHOTOGRAPHY

- All Open Class photography will be entered between 8:00-10:00 on Tuesday.
- Competition open to residents of Stafford and adjoining counties.
- Each exhibitor is limited to 2 entries per class.
- Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and pictures taken in the last twelve months.
- Where there is no competition, exhibits will be judged on individual merit and receive premiums and ribbons accordingly.
- Articles previously exhibited at the Stafford County Fair are not eligible for entry.
- Exhibitors may only compete in one division. Divisions are specified as: Youth (Y) - youth (5-12 yrs. Of age) Teen (T) - teens (13-18 yrs. Of age) Adult (A) - (19 yrs. Of age and up)
- Professional (P) - those who are teachers of photography or who make a practice of selling their work.
- When filling out the entry card, please put the appropriate letter (Y, T, A, or P) in front of the class number to specify age division. (Example: 701005A would be a nature photo in the adult division.)
- Classes 701008 & 702008 Digital Composite Image: Finished photo must be created from two or more original images photographed by exhibitor. HDR photos do not qualify for this class. Photos will be judged on photographic merit as well as manipulation technique and process.
- All photos are to be 8 x 10 inches and mounted on 11 x 12.5 studio mount. Studio Mount (mat board) can be purchased from the County Extension Office for $1.50 each. All photos are also required to have a Photo I.D. strip filled out and attached at the bottom of the photo mount. Photo I.D. strips are also available at the Extension Office at no charge.
- Mounting Instructions: Photos are to be mounted across the (11”) dimension of an 11 x 12.5 sheet of white or cream studio mount with the top edge of the print one inch below the top of the mount with the sides of the print equal distance from the two sides of the mount.
- A full coverage permanent mount (spray adhesive recommended) must be made. Each photo is handled numerous times (up to 25) throughout the judging, sorting, and display process
- Remove any borders from enlargement before mounting.
- For exhibiting purposes and to protect the photos, exhibitors must use plastic bags provided by the Extension Office, bags may be purchased at the fair or before fair at the Stafford Co. Extension Office at .10 cents/bag.
- Articles cannot be removed before 10am on Saturday of the fair.
- All premiums will be $3. $2. $1.
- An Overall Grand Champion and Reserve Champion will be selected from all classes combined.

Classes are as follows: please specify age division as stated in rules:

COLOR
701001. People
701002. Animals
701003. Scenic/Landscape
701004. Action
701005. Nature
701006. Human Interest
701007. Miscellaneous
701008. Digital Composite
701009. Agriculture
701010. Humor
701011. Architecture
701012. Selfie

BLACK AND WHITE
702001. People
702002. Animals
702003. Scenic/Landscape
702004. Action
702005. Nature
702006. Human Interest
702007. Miscellaneous
702008. Digital Composite
702009. Agriculture
702010. Humor
702011. Architecture
702012. Selfie
Stafford County Economic Development
2024 Photography Contest
Details and Rules

Stafford County Economic Development sponsors an annual photography contest for images that will be used on promotional materials and/or our website. A $25.00 prize will be given to the winner in each of the 3 categories listed below, and an unlimited amount of honorable mention winners will receive a $5.00 prize for each entry.

CATEGORIES:

PEOPLE: depicting individuals interacting by conversation or work

PLACES: the areas and businesses we utilize, as well as unique locations of Stafford County

COMMERCE: business interactions within our cities or beyond city limits, but WITHIN Stafford County

In all categories, consideration will be given to the clarity of the image, visual appeal, and artistic quality. Photos that include people and portray everyday life are encouraged. Images are valued for their ability to portray a vibrant, progressive culture.

2023 CONTEST RULES:

- All exhibits must be entered by 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 17th, 2024.
- Exhibitor must be the person who took the photo.
- Exhibitors are only allowed 2 photos per category (6 photos maximum for contest).
- All photos are to be 5x7 inches and are to be mounted on an 11x12.5 studio mount that can be purchased at the Stafford County Extension Office. Landscape or Portrait orientation photos are acceptable, but all must be mounted following the rules outlined in the Stafford County Fair book. The mounting board must be vertically oriented.
- Photos must be taken in Stafford County, Kansas
- Please complete the Release Form and attach it to the back of the studio mount.
- Photos should be in full color. (No Black and White)
- Winners will be selected by representatives of Stafford County Economic Development, Wednesday evening during the fair.
- A digital file in .jpg format must be provided before prize money will be paid. Only photos receiving a prize will be used for promotional materials.
OPEN CLASS LIVESTOCK ENTRY BLANK
Stafford County Fair
Stafford, Kansas July 16 - 20

OPEN CLASS SHEPHERD’S LEAD and OPEN LIVESTOCK
ENTRY DEADLINE IS JULY 16, 2024

PLEASE SEE GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS
AND GENERAL LIVESTOCK RULES

SEND OPEN CLASS ENTRIES TO:
21 Central District Extension Office
P.O. Box 398, St. John, Kansas 67576

Class No.
____________________________________________________________________

Class Description
____________________________________________________________________

Breed No.ID/Tag No
____________________________________________________________________

No. Of Animals_______ No. Of Stalls or Pens Needed _________

NAME OF EXHIBITOR
____________________________________________________________________

ADDRESS
____________________________________________________________________

PHONE
____________________________________________________________________
OPEN CLASS --- GENERAL LIVESTOCK RULES

- All open class livestock entries should be submitted on an OPEN CLASS ENTRY FORM by Tuesday, July 16 to 21 Central District Stafford County Extension Office, P.O. Box 398, St. John, KS 67576.
- All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with active lesions, of ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infectious or contagious disease, will not be permitted to exhibit.
- No animals are required to have a health certificate for 2023.
- Non Stafford Co. Open Class livestock will work out of trailers. Non Stafford Co. Open Class livestock will be released after their respective shows. No stall fee is required, but trailer area MUST be cleaned prior to checkout.
- Stafford County 4-H members exhibiting both 4-H and Open Class animals will stall them on the fairgrounds for the duration of the fair.
- No animal exhibitor may be awarded more than two prizes in any one class.
- Any animal exhibited must be owned by the exhibitor since May of 2023.
- The management will not be responsible in case of fire, escape, or disease of any kind.
- Every effort will be made to select competent persons for judging exhibits. No person should act as judge in any class in which he is an exhibitor.
- Judges will make awards on merit of exhibits and may refuse to award first, second or any other prizes, regardless of number of exhibits in that class.
- No exhibitor or other persons shall in any manner interfere with the judges on duty, under penalty of forfeiture of premium award.
- An exhibitor who shall tear off or cause to be torn off any permit, card or ribbon in the presence of the judges, or otherwise insult them shall be excluded from further competition and his said premium that may have been awarded him shall be such an act be deemed forfeited and the association shall be under no obligation to pay the same.
- The management reserves the right to reassign any stall, pen, coop or concession space at any time. No exhibitor, or concessionaire will be allowed to sublet or sell any space, privilege, stall, or pen without written permission of the management.
- The management reserves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit, animal, stand or show that may be falsely entered or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning a reason therefore, and if necessary to return any money already paid for spaces, concessions, or stalls, which shall exonerate the management from any claim whatsoever on the part of the exhibitor or purchaser.
- Livestock shown in Open Class Division will not be eligible to sell in the premium auction.
- Official Announcements at Show: Sometimes it is necessary to make a change in the Show which involves a rule change. In such cases, official announcements will be made. These announcements take precedence over written policy or procedures.
- Please see each species section for specific rules.

Livestock Originating from Other States:

- All livestock entering Kansas shall follow all KDAH import requirements. The import requirement list is available at www.agriculture.ks.gov/animalhealth or by calling KDAH at (785) 564-6601. In addition, all livestock must meet the following requirements:
  - Be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with lesions of ringworm, warts, infested with mange, or any other infectious disease, as determined by exhibition staff, will not be permitted to exhibit.
  - Be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) issued within 30 days before exhibit. This must be available upon request, to the exhibition staff.
  - All cattle, swine, sheep and goats, including steers and spayed heifers, must be individually identified by a USDA-approved ear tag (metal, 840-compliant, or premises tag), official breed registration tattoo or tag, or breed association ear notch for swine.
  - All identification numbers must be individually listed on the accompanying CVI.
  - If registration tattoos are used, the registration papers must be available for inspection, and both the FULL registration number and tattoo number must be written on the CVI.
  - All required test must be conducted by a state-approved laboratory.
  - TB testing, if required, must be conducted by a veterinarian who is licensed and accredited in the state of origin.
  - All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives.
OPEN CLASS --- BEEF

- Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules
- All exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor since May 2024.
- Market Steers must have been born after Jan. 1, previous year.
- Bucket calf classes must be born between December 1, previous year and May 1, current year. Classes will be based on Exhibitor Age as of January 1 of the current year.
- All premiums will be $5. $3. $2. Except where designated.
- All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with active lesions, ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infections or contagious disease will not be permitted to show.
- Kansas origin cattle require no test. Cattle originating from other states must meet the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements.
- The classification for judging will be based upon breed. Animals in each breed will then be divided by weight deemed advisable by the Superintendents so as to make two or more uniform classes.
- Market Steers failing to meet the minimum weight of 1000 pounds will be shown in an underweight class and are not eligible to be shown as champions.
- Each breed will use the same class numbers, but add the letter: H - Hereford; A - Angus; S - Shorthorn; C - Crossbreed; E - Exotic after each Class Number Example: Class 801001C - Market Beef Crossbred.

MARKET STEER
NOTE: If numbers warrant classes will be split by weight as determined by the Beef Superintendents. Steers under 1,000 lbs. will show in an underweight class.

CLASS
801001. Market Steer

BREEDING CLASS
802001. Junior Heifer calf - born after Jan. 1, current year
802002. Senior Heifer calf - born September 1-December 31, previous year
802003. Summer Yearling Heifer - born between May 1 and August 31, previous year
802004. Junior Yearling Heifer - born between January 1 - April 30, previous year
802005. Senior Yearling Heifer - born between September 1 - December 31, 2 years previous
802006. Two year old or over - BORN BEFORE September 1, 3 years previous
802007 Cow-Calf Pair - Commercial and/or Registered, with a calf dropped after January 1, current year.
Animals will be halter shown
802008. Junior Bull Calf - born after January 1, current year
802009. Senior Bull Calf - born between September 1 - December 31, previous year

BUCKET CALF CLASS
901001. Jr. Bucket Calf - Exhibitor Age 7-9
901002. Sr. Bucket Calf - Exhibitor Age 10-12

OPEN CLASS SHEEP & BREEDING SHEEP

- Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules
- All exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor since May 2024.
- At any time, sheep may be inspected by exhibition staff or their representatives for signs of sore mouth, active fungal infections (i.e. ringworm, club lamb fungus), infectious skin lesions, and general health. Any lamb found to be infected with active fungal lesions or other health problems will be asked to leave the fair grounds immediately.
- Sheep originating from other states must meet the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements. These requirements are listed on Page 28. In addition to the general requirements, sheep entering Kansas shall be free of any signs of sore mouth or active fungal (ringworm) infection, including club lamb fungus. Sheep must be identified with an official USDA premises ID tag (Scrapie tag).
- All sheep including wethers must be identified with an official USDA premise ID tag (Scrapie tag).
- Market Lambs must be born after January 1, current year.
- Wethers must be free from testicle and castration scar tissue.
- Shearing: All lambs must be “slick shorn” above the knee and hock joints, including the head. A maximum of 0.2 (two tenths) inch of wool is permitted.
- Any lamb shown in the market class cannot be shown in the breeding class and vice versa.
- Market Lambs failing to meet the minimum weight of 75 pounds will be shown in an underweight class and are not eligible to be shown as champions.
MARKET LAMB
NOTE: Any breed or cross may be exhibited. Wether or Ewe lambs may compete but NO rams may be shown.

- The Classifications for judging will be based upon color markings and weights. Market Lambs under 75 pounds will be shown in an underweight class.
- Animals to be divided by weight deemed advisable by the superintendents so as to make two or more uniform classes.

CLASS
1001001. White Face/ Speckled Black Face

Stafford County Bred Market Lamb
NOTE: Stafford County Bred Class is being offered and a lamb shown in this class MUST be a lamb bred and owned by OR purchased from a Stafford County Sheep producer, or a lamb bred and owned by or purchased from a 4-H’er enrolled in the Stafford County Sheep Project. All lambs shown in this class will be shown together and sub classes determined by weight, not breed. All lambs under 75 lbs. will show in an underweight class.

BREEDING SHEEP
The Classifications for judging will be based upon color markings and date of birth with the day of judging being the base date.

CLASS
1002001. Ewe Lamb - born after January 1, current year
1002002. Fall Born Ewe Lamb - born between September 1- December 31, previous year
1002003. Yearling Ewe - born before September 1, previous year, 2 year old and older Ewe - born 3 years previous

SHEPARD’S LEAD
This event will give participants an opportunity to show well-groomed sheep as well as exhibit a wool outfit. Livestock shown in this class can be breeding ewes or market lambs which are conditioned, fitted, and trained to show at halter. Exhibitors must furnish their own garment which may be sewn, knitted or crocheted, but must be constructed of at least 60% wool fabric or yarn, excluding accessories. Outfits may be purchased or hand constructed.

Entries will be judged on: outfit, poise and appearance 60% and control and presentation of their animal 40%.

Pre-entries for Shepherd’s Lead should be submitted on an Open Class Entry Form by JULY 5th. A short summary of background and activities of exhibitor and a description of the participant’s outfit should be turned into the Open Fair Office by Noon, Thursday, July 13th

Premium in classes 103001-103003 will be $15. $10. $5.

CLASS
103001. Youth - 10 and under
103002. Youth - 11 - 19
103003. Adult - 20 and over
DAIRY GOAT

- Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules.
- Entries will be placed in classes by age with the day of judging the base date.
- All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with signs of sore mouth, active lesions, ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infections or contagious disease will not be permitted to show.
- Goats originating from other states please see the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements. In addition to the general requirements, goats entering Kansas must be identified with a registered tattoo or official USDA premises ID tag (Scrapie tag). Goats identified with registration tattoos must have legible tattoos and must have the registration papers for these available for inspection.
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- Exhibitors should be neatly and appropriately dressed (preferable in white) when exhibiting their animals.
- Each exhibitor is limited to a maximum of two dairy goats per class. Only does are allowed to show.
- Purebreds and Grades will show together.
- All premiums will be $5. $3. $2. Except where designated.
- Horns: it is suggested that goats be dehorned. However, if horns are left, they should be tipped and rounded. Animals will not be allowed to exhibit with sharp horns.
- Goats shown in dairy classes cannot be shown in meat classes, and meat goats shown in meat classes cannot be shown in dairy classes.
- Junior Does are animals that are not in milk or have not previously freshened. Senior Does are animals that are in milk or have previously freshened.

JUNIOR DOE CLASS **Twenty-four months of age, not in milk**

1101001. Doe up to 6 months of age
1101002. Doe 6 - 12 months of age
1101003. Doe 12 - 24 months of age

SENIOR DOE CLASS **Any age in milk or previously freshened.**

1102001. Doe up to 24 months
1102002. Doe 2 years or older

Grand Champion Dairy Goat will be selected with all classes competing.

OPEN CLASS --- MEAT GOATS

- Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules.
- Exhibitors should be neatly and appropriately dressed when exhibiting their animals.
- All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with signs of sore mouth, active lesions, ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infections or contagious disease will not be permitted to show.
- Goats originating from other states please see the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements. In addition to the general requirements, goats entering Kansas must be identified with a registered tattoo or official USDA premises ID tag (Scrapie tag). Goats identified with registration tattoos must have legible tattoos and must have the registration papers for these available for inspection.
- Exhibits will be limited to two market animals.
- Purebreds and Grades will show together. Market goat classes will be divided by weight. For breeding classes, entries will be placed in classes by age with the day of judging the base date.
- Goats shown in meat classes cannot be shown in dairy classes and dairy goats shown in the dairy classes cannot be shown in the meat classes.
- Market Meat Goats failing to meet the minimum weight of 50 pounds will be shown in an underweight class, and not eligible to be shown as champions.
- Market Goats MUST have milk teeth in place at fair weigh-in and be under 1 year of age.
- Horns: It is suggested that goats be dehorned. However, if horns are left, they should be tipped and rounded. Animals will not be allowed to check in with sharp horns.
- Shearing: All goats must be “slick shorn” above the knee and hock joints including the head. A maximum of 0.4 (four tenths) inch of hair is permitted on market goats. Hair on the tail switch may be left on goats.
Showing: Exhibitors may use a collar, a collar with a short lead, or a halter when showing.
Market goats are bred for meat purposes. Does and wethers of any breed will be judged on merits of meat production.
All premiums will be $5. $3. $2. Except where designated.
All goats must be identified with a registration tattoo or an official USDA premise ID tag (Scrapie tag). 
Goats identified with registration tattoos must have legible tattoos and must have registration papers for these animals available for inspection.

CLASS
1201001. Market Goats (Wethers and Does)
1202001. Meat Breeding Does - Under 6 months
1202002. Meat Breeding Does - 6 - 12 months
1202003. Meat Breeding Does– Over 12 months

OPEN CLASS SWINE
MARKET BARROWS AND GILTS

- Please read Open Class GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS, and the General Livestock Rules
- All animals are subject to examination by the exhibition staff or their representatives, and shall be free of clinical signs of infectious or contagious disease. Animals with active lesions, ringworm, infested with mange, multiple warts, or any other infections or contagious disease will not be permitted to show
- Kansas has obtained Stage V status in the National Pseudorabies Program, and the state is classified free of swine brucellosis. Negative pseudorabies and brucellosis tests are not required for Kansas origin swine.
- Swine originating from other states please see the “Livestock Originating from Other States” general requirements. In addition to the general requirements all swine entering Kansas must meet one of the following:
  - Originate from a qualified pseudorabies-free/validated brucellosis-free herd. The current qualified/validated number must appear on the CVI. (Hogs from monitored pseudorabies herds do not qualify under this requirement)
  - Originate from a state of State IV or V status in the National Pseudorabies Program and originate from a Swine Brucellosis free state.
  - Any swine not originating from Stage IV or V National Pseudorabies program states, and any swine not originating from swine brucellosis free states, must show evidence on the CVI that swine have been tested negative to official tests for pseudorabies and brucellosis within 30 days before entry into Kansas, and that the herd of origin has had no positive cases of pseudorabies within the previous 12 months
- NOTE: SWINE VACCINATED FOR PSEUDORABIES SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED INTO KANSAS FOR EXHIBITION OR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.
- All animals in this division shall have been born on or after January 1, current year.
- The classification for judging will be based upon weight. All barrows and gilts will be weighed as they are checked in. Swine failing to meet the minimum weight of 220 pounds or exceeding the weight limit of 290 pounds will be shown in underweight or overweight classes. These animals will not be eligible to show as champions.
- All market barrows regardless of breed will show together. Champion barrow will compete with Champion gilt for determining Grand Champion Market Hog.
- All market gilts regardless of breed will show together. Champion gilt will compete with champion barrows for determining Grand Champion Market Hog.
- The Stafford County Fair is a Ractopamine Hydrochloride (PAYLEAN) free show. Any pigs found to have been fed Ractopamine Hydrochloride will be automatically disqualified and will forfeit any awards and/or premium money.

CLASS
1301001. Market Barrow
1301002. Market Gilt