

Steers and Stripes and Newton County Nights



2026

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This year's Fair is dedicated to
CELEBRATING AMERICA'S

250 **BIRTHDAY**

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A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED THE 2025 FAIR & RODEO



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BANK OF 1889

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BOB'S AUTO BODY

BOSTON MOUNTAIN RURAL

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BUBBA'S BUFFALO RIVER STORE

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2026 Schedule of Events

Saturday, July 25- Miss Newton County Pageant – Contestant Check In begins at 8:30 a.m. and pageant begins at 10 a.m.

Friday, August 14- Lawnmower Races – Registration begins at 3:00 p.m. – Mandatory riders meeting and inspection at 4:00 p.m. – Event starts at 6:00 p.m

2026 Chili and Pie Cookoff – Entries accepted from 4:30-5:00 p.m. in Commercial building

Veterans Appreciation Dinner – 5:00 p.m. in the Commercial Building

Saturday, August 15 – ATV Rodeo - Registration begins and gates open at 3:00 p.m. Riders meeting at 5:30 p.m. ATV Rodeo begins at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 22 – Wood Motor Company Truck Pull - Registration begins at 4:30 p.m. Gates open at 5:00 p.m. Truck Pull begins at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 23 – Exhibit check-in from 1 p.m.-5 p.m. & livestock check-in from 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Monday, August 24 – Exhibit Buildings will be closed for judging, which begins at 9 a.m. Buildings reopen after judging until 9 p.m. Livestock show 6 p.m.

Tuesday, August 25 –Buyers' Dinner at 6 p.m. Premium Sale starts at approximately 7 p.m. (All showmen who have animals that make premium sale will be required to participate in the Newton County Fair and Rodeo Parade on Saturday, August 29.) Cookie Jar Scholarship Auction during Premium Sale. All livestock entries will be released after the premium sale.

Wednesday, August 26– closed.

Thursday, August 27 – Grantham Bull Jam - 8 p.m. Arena gates and registration for Mutton Bustin open at 6:30 p.m. Mutton Bustin' at 7:00

Friday, August 28 – Rodeo Jasper presented by Ramsey Motor Company at 8 p.m. Arena gates and Mutton Bustin registration open at 6:30 p.m. Mutton Bustin' at 7 p.m.

Saturday, August 29 – Fair Parade at 10:00 a.m. Line up at Jasper School.

Rodeo Jasper presented by Ramsey Motor Company at 8 p.m. Arena gates and Mutton Bustin registration open at 6:30 p.m. Mutton Bustin' at 7 p.m. Mutton Bustin' championship round during rodeo.

Sunday, August 30 – Check Out ALL Exhibits from exhibit buildings from 12 to 2 p.m. ONLY.

Arena Admissions & Event Tickets

*Purchase your tickets
online today!*

Admission for ALL Arena Events:

Parking	\$2
General Admission (ages 13+)	\$10
Children's Admission (ages 6-12)	\$5
Children 5 and under enter free.	

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General Rules Regulating the Newton County Fair

1. There will be no ice chests or pets allowed inside the rodeo arena area.
2. Lawn chairs will be allowed only on the back row of the bleachers or in grassy area. Horses must be confined to designated area. No horses will be allowed inside the amusement area. No ATVs will be allowed around the stock barns, or in the amusement area. All ATVs must remain parked in designated areas and remain turned off until time for your event. Anyone not obeying these rules will be disqualified and asked to leave.
3. The Newton County Fair Board will not assume or pay any obligation unless prior approval has been obtained from their finance committee!
4. Every precaution will be taken against loss or damage to any article, animal or exhibit and in no case, shall the Fair Board, its members, staff, volunteers, or management of the fair be liable for any theft, loss, or damage that might occur to any person, animal, or articles. The Fair Board will not be liable for any accident that might occur to any exhibitor, contestant, or spectator at the fair.
5. Newton County Fair Officers and Board Members are eligible to enter any contest for prizes.
6. No arena admission or carnival ride tickets can be used the following year. All tickets must be used during the year in which they were purchased.
7. Public address systems are to be used by Fair Board Members only unless advanced written authorization is obtained from the Fair Board.
8. There will be designated parking areas for handicapped.
9. See individual Divisions for Division Rules.
10. See Livestock General Rules and Health Requirements.
11. There will be no rain date and gate admissions will not be refunded.
12. Any and all decisions made by the Newton County Fair Board will be final.
13. Any deviation from these General Rules or Division-specific rules will make the exhibitors ineligible for cash prizes. Once your entry is received or entry fee or admission ticket is paid you agree to any and all rules set by the Newton County Fair Board.
14. The Newton County Fair Board reserves the right to change and modify the rules and regulations governing the fair at any time.

ATV RODEO

★ SATURDAY ★
AUGUST 15

★★★
START TIME:
3:00 PM

REGISTRATION: 12:00 – 3:00 PM
RIDERS MEETING: 3:00 PM

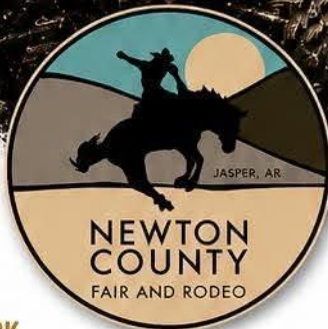
EVENTS:

- ✓ BARRELS
- ✓ LAP RACE
- ✓ OBSTACLE COURSE*
- ✓ DRAG RACE (18+ ONLY)

★ ORDER OF RIDING ★
KIDS (12 & UNDER) RIDE FIRST.
YOUTH & ADULT WILL FOLLOW.



KIDS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY.
YOUTH AND ADULT EVENTS
WILL RECEIVE CASH PAYBACK.



ENTRY FEE:

KIDS (12 & UNDER)

\$10
PER EVENT

YOUTH & ADULTS

\$20
PER EVENT

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

CRYSTAL 870-688-8337
ZACK 870-416-2563

★ RULES & REGULATIONS ★

1. Helmets are required for all riders! All decisions by judges are final.
2. Classes determined by engine size and experience of the rider. Must have 3 entries to make a class. Contestants may only enter once per class.
3. All ATVs must be kept on Fair Grounds at all times. Anyone who leaves the grounds will be eliminated from competition.
4. ATVs must be left on the trailer until it is time for the competition to begin. If the ATV is driven to the grounds, then it must be parked until competition begins.
5. ATVs cannot be driven outside of arena, and nowhere on the midway of the grounds, there are no exceptions.
6. For the safety of competitors and spectators alike there will be no rough housing, no racing, or any unauthorized use of an ATV on the Newton County Fair Grounds.
7. The Newton County Fair Board and Directors are not responsible for accidents, injury or theft of property.
8. Entry in the contest constitutes agreement to release the Newton County Fair and Rodeo, its board of directors, staff, judges, and volunteers from any and all liability.
9. Anyone who fails to abide by these rules will be asked to leave the grounds and is subject to be ineligible in further competition. A representative of the fair board or a deputy will be on hand before, during and after to enforce these rules.

★ NEWTON COUNTY FAIR & RODEO ★

LAWN MOWER

RACES

★ AUGUST 14, 2026 ★



RACING BEGINS AT
5:00 PM

★ FREE ENTRY FOR VETERANS ★
— attending Veterans Dinner —

★ DIVISIONS ★



PEEWEE

AGES 9-12



INTERMEDIATE

AGES 13-15



POWDER PUFF (GALS)

AGES 16+



FEATURED RACE

AGES 16+

(MUST SHOW VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE)



TROPHY
AWARDED IN
EACH DIVISION!



RACER ENTRY FEE

\$20

Includes racer, one pit crew member, and gate admission for both.



SPECTATOR ADMISSION

\$5

At the gate



PAY OUT

Return of your entry fee plus a cool trophy!



SAFETY IS #1!

- ✓ Helmets and neck braces required
- ✓ Long sleeves, gloves & closed-toe shoes
- ✓ Mower blades must be removed
- ✓ Must have kill switch
- ✓ All participants must sign a waiver
- ✓ No alcohol allowed at this venue



REGISTER OR ASK QUESTIONS:

jasonphillips292@yahoo.com



ALL RACERS UNDER AGE 18 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN TO SIGN A RELEASE FORM. NO EXCEPTIONS.

★ NEWTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS ★ JASPER, AR ★





VETERANS
Dinner

★ AUGUST 14TH ★

5 PM

 **FREE CHILI SUPPER
AND PIE DINNER**
TO VETERAN AND ONE GUEST

★

 **FREE ADMISSION TO
LAWN MOWER RACES**
(GET WRIST BANDS AT THE DINNER)



Taking place at the
NEWTON COUNTY FAIR
IN BUILDING 3
★ (IT IS AIR CONDITIONED) ★

— 2026 — TRUCK & TRACTOR PULL



NEWTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
JASPER, ARKANSAS

★ SATURDAY ★
AUG 22
— 2026 —
6 PM

ADMISSION:



- | | |
|----|-------------------|
| 10 | GENERAL – AGE 13+ |
| 5 | KIDS AGE 6–12 |
| 2 | PARKING |

KIDS 5 AND UNDER ENTER FREE



★ REGISTRATION – 4:00 P.M. ★

REGULATIONS FOR TRUCK PULL

Rules and weight limits are set by the SMTTPA (Southern Missouri Truck & Tractor Pulling Association). A Hometown Class may be offered based on participation and interest.

- 1 ALL JUDGES' DECISIONS ARE FINAL.
- 2 CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.
- 3 PULLING VEHICLES MUST BE OPERATED IN A SAFE MANNER AT ALL TIMES WITHIN THE GROUNDS OF THE TRUCK PITS, AND STAGING AREAS. DIRECTOR(S) HAS THE RIGHT TO STOP AND/OR DISQUALIFY ANY VEHICLE IF IT IS NOT BEING OPERATED IN SUCH A MANNER AS WOULD BE CONSIDERED SAFE. ALL VEHICLES ARE REQUIRED ON ALL INCORPORATED TRAILERS.
- 4 THERE WILL BE NO RAIN DATE AND GATE ADMISSIONS WILL NOT BE REFUNDED.

★ GATES OPEN AT 5:00 PM ★

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF POWER,
COMMUNITY AND FAMILY FUN!

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 Newton County Fair & Rodeo



 Jasper, AR

FROM DEEP ROOTS TO LASTING LEGACY



THE GRANTHAM BULL JAM

★ THURSDAY, ★
AUGUST 27TH
— AT 8:00 PM —



★ GATES OPEN
AT 6:00



MUTTON BUSTIN'
★ AT 7:00 ★



HONORING SEVEN GENERATIONS
IN NEWTON COUNTY.

★ SANCTIONED BY THE BULL RIDERS OF AMERICA
AND THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF PROFESSIONAL BULL RIDERS ★



RODEO JASPER



THE MOST DECORATED RODEO
IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

★ FRIDAY ★ ★ SATURDAY ★
AUGUST 28 ★ **AUGUST 29**

GATES OPEN
6:30 PM

MUTTON BUSTIN'
7:00 PM

MAIN RODEO
8:00 PM

★ FEATURING THESE EXCITING EVENTS! ★



TEAM
ROPING



BARREL
RACING



BARE BACK
BRONC RIDING



TIE DOWN
ROPING



STEER
WRESTLING



SADDLE
BRONC RIDING



BULL
RIDING

★ BROUGHT TO YOU BY ★

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ROCKIN P
★ RODEO PRODUCTIONS ★

GR
GENERATIONS
— PRO RODEO —

Ramsey Motor
COMPANY



★ REAL COWBOYS. REAL TRADITION. REAL RODEO. ★



VENDORS *Wanted!*

FOOD ★ GAMES ★ BOUTIQUES & MORE!

The Newton County Fair & Rodeo is looking for
FOOD, GAME, AND BOUTIQUE VENDORS
to be a part of our fun little vendor area!

We want to create a fun, affordable, family-friendly
shopping and snack area that adds to the fair experience
and supports local businesses.

Let's make this
THE BEST
★ fair yet! ★

FOOD VENDORS

*We are especially
interested in items like:*

- Specialty drinks
- Coffee or lemonade
- Snow cones
- Ice cream or sweet treats
- Kettle corn
- Loaded potatoes
- BBQ nachos
- Specialty snacks
- Other unique fair-friendly foods



GAMES & FUN

*Bring some fun
to the fair!*

- Carnival or midway style games
- Skill games
- Interactive fun for all ages



BOUTIQUES

*We welcome
unique finds like:*

- Handmade items
- Boutique clothing
- Accessories
- Home decor
- Jewelry
- And more!



*We want this to be
a fun, affordable,
FAMILY-FRIENDLY
ADDITION TO THE
FAIRGROUNDS
and a great opportunity for
local vendors!*

★ PLEASE NOTE:

To avoid overlap with our concession stand, we are not looking for vendors selling the same main items already offered in concessions, such as hamburgers, hot dogs, nachos, basic candy, chips, or fountain drinks.

LET US KNOW WHICH FAIR EVENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A PART OF!

RODEO



LIVESTOCK
SHOWS



PARADE



CONCERTS



KIDS DAY



OTHER



Interested?

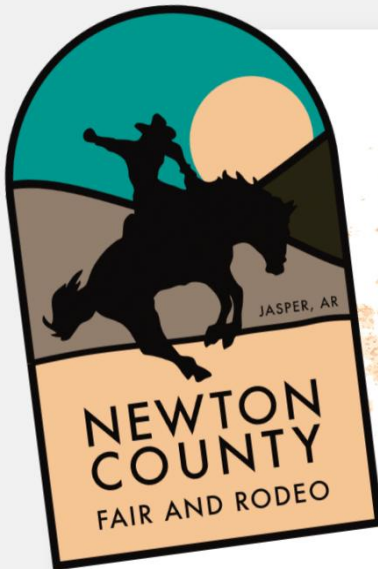
CONTACT:

Julie Campbell
870-688-9704

SPOTS MAY
BE LIMITED!

Don't miss out!

★ THANK YOU FOR HELPING MAKE THE NEWTON COUNTY FAIR & RODEO AMAZING! ★



2026 PARADE

SAT, AUGUST 29

10 AM

This year's theme:

Steers and Stripes, Newton County Nights

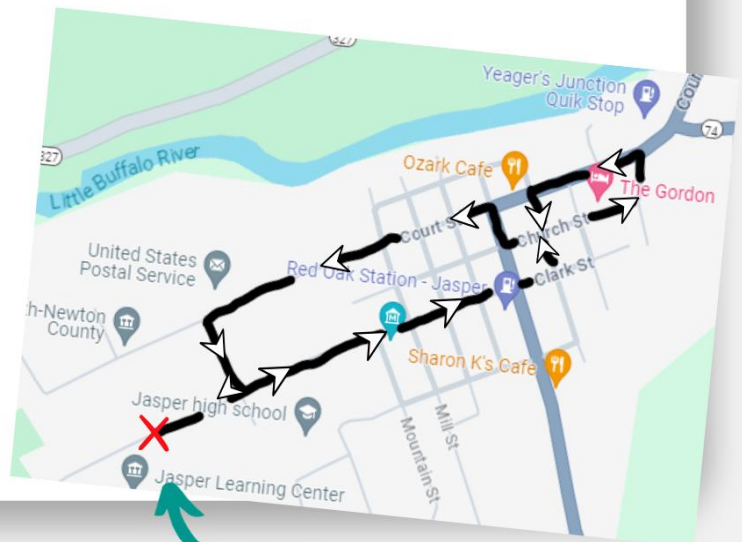
Grand Marshals: 2026 Junior Farmers

Parade will assemble at the Jasper School campus between Boston Mountain Rural Health Clinic and Special Services. All parade entries except horse and horse drawn conveyances should come to the back of the school grounds (through the Nance Addition) & take the next place in line upon arrival. Horses and horse trailers should go directly to Bradley Park and line up. (Coggins papers will be checked on horses and mules as required by start law.) The Color Guard, Grand Marshal, and Royalty will line up beside the Special Services Building on the Clark Street entrance.

Entries will be judged on appearance, theme and originality. All decisions by judges are final. Parade winners will be posted at the Saturday night rodeo.

Trophies presented to:

- *Best Decorated Truck
- *Best Decorated Trailer
- *Best Decorated ATV
- *Best Miss Newton County Royalty Float
- *Best Dressed Junior Cowboy & Cowgirl
- *Best Dressed Senior Cowboy & Cowgirl
- *Best Horse Drawn Conveyance
- *Most Classy Car



LINE UP HERE



Miss Newton County

Empowering girls to live boldly in confidence & grace

Saturday, July 25th

An official Preliminary for
Junior & Miss Arkansas State Fair!

Registration can be found at <https://pci.jotform.com/newtoncountyfair/miss-newton2026>

Congratulations to Montana McEntire, 2025
Miss Newton County and Macy Middleton, 2025
Junior Miss Newton County!

**ALL NEW Open Divisions for ALL
ages to compete for the Miss Sweet
Southern Sass titles. ALL NEW
Boys Divisions for ages 0-6.**

To stay up to date on pageant information,
check our website at
www.newtoncountyfairgrounds.com

For questions,
Call or text Michelle Martin, Pageant Director
at 870-204-2112





Miss Newton County Princess Academy

- ✓ 3 Day Camp
- ✓ Pageant Coaching
- ✓ Breakfast & Lunch provided
- ✓ Daily Tea Party
- ✓ Character Development
- ✓ Princess crafts & lessons

SAVE THE DATE

JULY

15-17, 2026



**EMPOWERING GIRLS
TO LIVE BOLDLY
ON AND OFF STAGE
IN CONFIDENCE & GRACE**

Cookie Jar Auction

The Cookie Jar Auction benefits the Newton County Fair Scholarship Fund. Participating in the cookie jar auction is open to everyone. A scholarship will be awarded each Spring to a graduating high school senior who has submitted an application and participated in the Newton County Fair. Participation includes entering art, education, home economics, or livestock exhibits; competing in the Miss Newton County Pageant, volunteering their time with the Newton County Fair, or participated as a member of the Newton County Tri-Ag Club/JR Fair Board.



Guidelines

- Cookie Jar must be 1/2 or 1 gallon in size, like a pickle or restaurant sized jar, glass or plastic
- Prefer hand decorated, but can be store bought cookie jar
- Must contain cookies (homemade or store bought)
- Must be entered in the exhibit building during check-in on Sunday. Jar will be judged, awarded points, and exhibitors will receive a premium point check during check-out on Sunday.
- All jars will be live auctioned on Tuesday, during the Premium Sale. If more jars than time allows, jars will be auctioned/sold at the remaining events during this year's fair.
- ALL proceeds will be used to establish the Newton County Fair Scholarship Fund.
- Anyone, any age may participate by making and purchasing the cookie jars. Cookie Jar Auction is open to the public and registration will be available before the Premium Sale.





The Newton County Fair & Rodeo wants to support your education goals. Applications are available each Spring through the Newton County Fair Board Members, school counselors, and extension agents. Applications may be submitted by mail or email.

Scholarship Requirements for Applicants include:

- Be a graduating senior planning to enroll in an institute of higher learning.
- Live within the boundaries of Newton County or graduating from a Newton County School.
- Must have participated in the Newton County Fair in previous years. Can be involved in livestock show, exhibit buildings, pageants, Newton County Tri-Ag, or as a volunteer.
- Enclose or attach one picture. Picture may not be returned.
- Have a 2.5 or higher G.P.A. and enclose a copy of high school transcript.
- At least one letter of recommendation

Newton County Fair Livestock Regulations

This year's changes and updates are in bold.

Phillip Martin, Superintendent

Livestock check-in-Sunday, August 23rd, between 8 a.m. and 5 pm. Check-in time will be strictly enforced. No one will be allowed to unload animals before check-in time.

Judging- Monday, August 24th, at 6 pm.

Premium Sale- Tuesday, August 25th at 7 pm. Livestock will be released at the discretion of the livestock superintendent after premium sale.

To guarantee pen(s) in the barn, exhibitors MUST PRE-REGISTER ONLINE AT NEWTONCOUNTYFAIRGROUNDS.COM by August 1st. Online registration will be accepted after August 1st but stall space may be limited.

New, this year there will be no paper registration for livestock **ALL Registration Will be Done Online at newtoncountyfairgrounds.com**. No exhibits will be permitted to show without an entry form. There is also an entry fee for each animal you wish to show.

No Animals are to be unloaded until they have been Checked-in.

Regulations for All Divisions

- 1. All livestock must be possessed, pastured, and shown by members of a Newton County 4H Club age 5 and above or FFA chapter unless participating in Open class. Anyone residing in Newton County may enter**
2. All animals must be owned (30) days prior to exhibit.
3. Cattle are to be halter broken. Neck ropes or collars should be used at night.
4. Livestock can be bedded on sawdust, shavings, straw, or other material provided by the exhibitor. Livestock should be kept clean and the area neat. If space is available, show boxes and other material may be kept in the barn. **No premiums will be paid unless pens are cleaned by check out time.**
5. To qualify for the Premium Sale, animals must be market animals. Exhibitors must pre-register their animals with their Ag. instructor or county agent.
6. Exhibitors are responsible for the care and feeding of animals and must be present for judging. Any exceptions will be determined by livestock superintendent on a case-by-case basis. Decisions by the judges are final.
7. Showmanship ages will be determined at the day of the show.
8. When a division is determined by weight there will be no single-entry class. Exhibit will be placed into the closest weight class.
9. All exhibitor checks will be mailed. No exceptions. Please enclose \$1 with each exhibitor form to cover postage and delivery.
10. Livestock stall will be assigned by the Livestock Superintendent and committee. Any tags or signage on stalls used to attempt to reserve stall space will be removed. Stalls will be assigned based on school or 4-H affiliation, breed, and/or quantity of the animal.
- 11. To guarantee pen(s) in the barn, the exhibitor MUST PRE-REGISTER ONLINE by August 1st. Registrations will be taken after August 1st, but stall space may be limited.**
- 12. NOTE: You must register online at newtoncountyfairgrounds.com . No exhibits will be permitted to be shown without registration. There is also an entry fee for each animal you wish to show.**

13. Exhibitor authorizes the Newton County Fair to display exhibit. Any exhibit displayed shall be at the risk of the exhibitor. It is understood that exhibits are entered to be evaluated for prizes only. The exhibitor, his or her guardian or the person who enters the exhibit on the exhibitor's behalf, expressly assumes any and all liability or responsibility for any accident, loss or damage to person or property as a result of his or her participation or arising out of the display of his or her exhibit, whether it be caused by the negligence or otherwise of the Newton County Fair, its Officers, Directors, Employees, Volunteers and Agents. By entering an exhibit, the Exhibitor, his or her guardian or the person who enters the exhibit on the Exhibitor's behalf, agrees to waive any and all claims, damages, demands, or cost against the Newton County Fair Board and its Officers, Directors, Employees, Volunteers and Agents.
14. No smoking or lighted candles, lamps, matches, etc., will be allowed in any stalls or booths on the grounds or in the building and/or tents.
15. Advertising by means of posters, prints, handbills, etc., will not be permitted on the Fairgrounds except upon written agreement of the management.
16. Sale of any article or service is prohibited except where approved by the Fair management through written contractual arrangement.
17. Student exhibitors, parents and/or guardians will not be allowed to sleep overnight on the fairgrounds, except upon written agreement authorized by the Fair Management.
18. All exhibits must have been raised/trained/grown by the student exhibitor.
19. All exhibits must be checked in by the division superintendent(s).
20. The management of The Fair and the Exhibits Department and/or their designee reserve the right to remove and disqualify any exhibit which is not in the best interest of The Fair, or which is objectionable to The Fair, or endangers the public; or is objectionable in any way; or has been entered in violation of these official rules and regulations; or to reject, limit or disqualify the acceptance of, or the display of, any exhibit brought to the fairgrounds.
21. Minimum and/or maximum weights have been added to some of the market classes. Please check the requirements for your exhibit(s).
- 22. In the event of an exhibitor having more than one animal in a class, only members of a Newton County 4H Club or FFA Chapter with an animal registered but not in that class may assist the exhibitor in showing said animals. All others must obtain explicit approval from the Livestock Committee.**
23. Exhibitors of market animals must be at least 5 years of age.

Mandatory Statement from State of Arkansas

The fair board of any county, district, or the state fair reserves the right to have a blood and urine laboratory analysis made for any animal at their fair. Any exhibitor administering a drug to an animal which would render the carcass unfit for human consumption or any exhibitor of an animal producing an analysis indicating the presence of an unapproved drug that can result in a quantitative or qualitative change in the characteristic of the animal will be required to return all premium money and could be banned from further competition. Their name and the lab analysis will be submitted to the USDA and FDA for further investigation and possible prosecution.

ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

COUNTY, JR. DISTRICT, DISTRICT, STATE FAIR LEVEL, AND OTHER SHOWS

1. All animals entering the grounds, including those showing in pet zoos, children's barnyard animals, Old McDonald Farms, etc. must meet the requirements of their particular species.
2. Arkansas livestock (except for Arkansas sheep, goats, horses, steers and rabbits) must be accompanied by a certificate of veterinary inspection issued within ninety (90) days prior to exhibition, showing the following:

ARKANSAS CATTLE

1. If Arkansas is a Class Free State, Arkansas cattle are exempt from brucellosis testing. If Arkansas is not a Class Free State then the following testing requirements must be met: Negative brucellosis test within ninety (90) days prior to exhibition, for females and bulls eighteen (18) months of age and over. All heifers that have calved or are bred must be tested. Animals originating from a Certified Brucellosis Free Herd are exempt if the Certified Free Herd number is shown on certificate.
2. All heifers that are four to twelve (4-12) months of age shall be vaccinated before entering show.
3. Heifers that were born on or after January 1, 1985, that are over twelve (12) months of age and are not official calf-hood vaccinates will not be allowed to show (unless they are from a Brucellosis Certified Free Herd.) This will not apply if Arkansas continues as a Brucellosis Free State. .
4. All rodeo stock exhibited at a rodeo in Arkansas must meet the out of state requirements for brucellosis and tuberculosis for twelve (12) month and older bulls, roping and dogging steers, and heifers even if the rodeo stock originates from Arkansas. Tie down roping calves are exempt from the tuberculosis testing requirements. The exception is a CVI within the state is good for ninety (90) days instead of thirty (30) days.

ARKANSAS SWINE

1. All swine must have an official premise identification.
2. Animals six (6) months old or older to be tested negative for brucellosis within ninety (90) days of exhibition or originate directly out of a Validated Herd, with Validation number and date of last herd test shown on certificate (barrows exempt from brucellosis testing but must be pseudorabies tested.)
3. Animals to be tested negative for pseudorabies regardless of age within ninety (90) days of the exhibition on a test approved by the state veterinarian or originate directly out of a Qualified Pseudorabies Free Herd, with Qualified Herd number and date of last test shown on certificate.
4. Free of other contagious, infectious, and communicable diseases (erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, etc.); otherwise, they will not be allowed to show and will be released from fairgrounds.

ARKANSAS SHEEP AND GOATS

1. Exhibition officials must maintain records of all sheep and goats that are exhibited for a period of five years, to include: A. Identification Number; B. Flock status as defined by the Voluntary Flock Certification Program; C. The name, complete address and phone number of the owner.
2. All instate sheep and goats in the state of Arkansas must be identified by an official USDA tag (scrapie tag) or for goats a legible official goat registry tattoo if accompanied by a registration certificate.
3. Fair personnel, veterinarians, or state-federal personnel may examine sheep on grounds. Any sheep showing clinical symptoms of Scrapie shall be immediately quarantined in isolation and required to undergo any approved diagnostic tests and shall be consigned to slaughter or destruction with submission of tissues to an approved diagnostic laboratory at the exhibitor's expense.
4. Commingling (as defined by the Arkansas Scrapie Regulation) of sheep or goats of different flock status as defined by the Voluntary Flock Certification Program (VFCP) is prohibited and must be reported to the VFCP state official and State Veterinarian.
5. No sheep or goats showing symptoms of disease, particularly foot rot, sore mouth, sheep pox, evidence of fungal infection, evidence of abscesses or with draining abscesses will be allowed to show and may be released by fair officials, veterinarians, or state-federal personnel.

ARKANSAS CERVIDS

1. Certificate of veterinary inspection.
2. Negative cervical tuberculosis test within ninety (90) days.
3. Negative brucellosis test within ninety (90) days;

4. Or originate from a Certified Brucellosis-Free and Accredited Tuberculosis Free Cervid Herd;
5. Or originate from a Brucellosis-Monitored and a Qualified Tuberculosis Cervid Herd within ninety (90) days of exhibition.

ARKANSAS CAMELIDS

1. Individually identified, and certificate of veterinary inspection within ninety (90) days of exhibition.
2. Registration papers when accompanied by registry photographs of the animal are acceptable identification.

ARKANSAS RATITES

1. Certificate of veterinary inspection.
2. Negative avian influenza test within ninety (90) days.
3. Permanent identification.

ARKANSAS POULTRY

An official representing the exhibition shall notify the state veterinarian no later than thirty (30) days prior to the exhibition, giving names, place, inclusive dates, and time of the event.

The requirements are as follows:

1. All in-state poultry, which includes domesticated game birds, quail, pheasants, peafowl, guineas, and turkeys, present at exhibition in Arkansas shall have originated from U. S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean or equivalent flocks or have had a negative pullorum-typhoid test within ninety (90) days of the movement to the exhibition (pullorum-typhoid testing on fairgrounds during the fair is prohibited.) This information will be documented on a NPIP Form VS 9-3, 90-Day Certificate, NPIP Flock Certification Form or similar certificate that will accompany the poultry during exhibition.
2. All non-certified birds must be banded (leg or wing band), with a sealed band. Wraparound plastic bands are not acceptable. In-state waterfowl are exempt from pullorum-typhoid requirements.
3. Any poultry showing evidence of infectious or contagious disease or insect infestation will not be permitted to be exhibited.
4. Record Keeping - The sponsor of the exhibition shall compile a list of all poultry present at exhibition. This list shall contain the name and address of each owner, the number, the species, breed, variety, type, sex, and pullorum-typhoid status of all poultry present. A copy of this shall be retained by the sponsor of the exhibition for at least twelve (12) months.

OTHER IN-STATE TAME OR EXOTIC ANIMALS

Please call State Veterinarian's office for information and permit.

Disclosure - Any animal receiving medication for any life-threatening disease or illness must be registered at the time they are entered in the fair.

EXHIBITION HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, AND EXOTIC ANIMALS - GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Certificate of veterinary inspection AND ENTRY PERMITS:
"Certificate of veterinary inspection" refers to a legible record (made on an official form issued from the state of origin) by an accredited veterinarian, which shows that the animals listed thereon meet health requirements of the state of destination. It must bear the identification of each animal and separate certificates must be made for each species of animal entered. Entry permits are required on all out-of-state swine, rodeo bulls, psittacine, passerines, ratites, all other avian species except poultry and turkeys, camelids, or exotic animals. Permits are also required on all cattle entering Arkansas from any

state that is not a tuberculosis free state, unless that state has a reciprocal agreement with Arkansas. Permit numbers can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office (501) 907-2400 from 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. A certificate of veterinary inspection must accompany all out-of-state animals; and

- A. Must be available on request by animal health officials.
 - B. Individually identify all animals, showing positive identification of each animal by tattoo, ear tag, registration number or ear notch. Steers should be identified by description.
 - C. Show required tests, vaccinations, and entry permit number, if applicable.
 - D. Show name and address of owner or exhibitor--this shall be the same name as under which animals are exhibited.
2. Any animal or poultry showing any evidence of infectious or contagious disease, or of external parasitism, and animals with active ringworm lesions (with the resulting loss of hair), multiple warts easily visible without close examination, or atrophic rhinitis, will not be permitted to exhibit.
 3. All animals entering the grounds, including those shown in pet zoos, children's barnyard animals, Old McDonald Farms, etc. must meet requirements of their particular species.
 4. All animals originating out of areas quarantined because of other diseases (vesicular stomatitis, scabies, etc.) shall not be permitted to enter the state.

Those exempt from testing requirements are as follows:

- A. Animals originating out of Class Free states
 - B. Animals originating out of Certified Free Herds provided that the Certified Free Herd number and test date is recorded on the certificate of veterinary inspection. Rodeo bulls participating in a recognized and organized performance group may enter with a negative test for brucellosis within twelve 12 months if they are individually identified and accompanied by an entry permit regardless of state or area status.
5. Tuberculosis Requirements: All sexually intact dairy cattle six months of age and older for interstate entry into Arkansas will be required to have a negative tuberculosis (TB) test within sixty (60) days prior to entry.
 - A. These same dairy cattle will also be required to have an entry permit and a certificate of veterinary inspection prior to entry, as well as the negative test and must be officially identified.
 - B. Sexually intact dairy cattle under six months of age can be permitted under a hold order direct to a premise or designated facility and held there until they are tested negative at six months of age, at owner's expense.
 - C. The new regulation exempts dairy cattle that originate from accredited free TB herds (but not free states). Neutered dairy feeder cattle, and dairy cattle delivered direct to slaughter, or delivered to a market for sale direct to slaughter.
 6. Rodeo Stock
 - A. All rodeo bulls twelve (12) months of age and older must have a tuberculosis test annually (12 months) before entry into Arkansas for a rodeo. This requirement applies to all rodeo bulls regardless of their origin state or area status, and even rodeo bulls from Arkansas. All bulls must be individually identified with some type of USDA official ID. Out of state rodeo bulls are required to have a thirty (30) day CVI and an entry permit.
 - B. All roping and dogging steers and heifers must have an annual tuberculosis test (every 12 months) before entry into AR for a rodeo. This requirement applies to all steers and heifers regardless of the origin, state or area status, and even steers and heifers from Arkansas. All steers and heifers must be individually identified with some type of USDA official ID. All tie-down and roping calves are exempt from this regulation. In addition, M branded (Mexican) steers and heifers must have two negative annual tests for TB or one negative yearly test plus a sixty (60) day negative TB Test. Out of state steers and heifers are required to have a thirty (30) day CVI and an entry permit.

7. All breeding beef cattle 12 months of age and older entering Arkansas must meet one (1) of the following requirements:
 - A. Originate from a tuberculosis-free state;
 - B. Originate from a tuberculosis-free herd. The herd number and current herd test date must be shown on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection;
 - C. Test negative within sixty (60) days of shipment;
8. These same beef cattle will also be required to have a certificate of veterinary inspection and will be required to have a permit if entering from a state that has lost its tuberculosis-free status.
 - D. Originate from a state having a reciprocal agreement with Arkansas;
 - E. All sexually intact cattle and bison, from any foreign country or part thereof with no recognized tuberculosis status comparable to the Uniform Methods and Rules standards of the U.S. Bovine Tuberculosis Eradication Program, imported for reasons other than immediate slaughter or feeding for slaughter must meet the following criteria:
 1. Obtain a permit issued by the Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission prior to entry, and
 2. Be quarantined to the Arkansas premises approved in the entry permit pending two (2) consecutive negative tuberculosis tests. The first test to be conducted not less than ninety (90) nor more than one hundred twenty (120) days after arrival and the second test to be not less than two hundred ten (210) days nor more than two hundred forty (240) days after arrival in Arkansas; or
 - F. Importation of steers and spayed heifers from Mexico,
 1. Steers and spayed heifers from Mexican states that have been determined by the State Veterinarian of Arkansas, based on the recommendations of the Bi-National Committee, to have fully implemented the Control/Preparatory Phase of the Mexican Tuberculosis Eradication Program may enter Arkansas provided they have been tested negative for tuberculosis in accordance with the Norma Oficial Mexicana (NOM) within sixty (60) days prior to entry into the United States and obtain an entry permit prior to entering Arkansas.
 2. Steers and spayed heifers from Mexican states that have been determined by the State Veterinarian of Arkansas, based on the recommendations of the Bi-National Committee, to have fully implemented the Eradication Phase of the Mexican Tuberculosis Eradication Program by March 1, 1997, may enter Arkansas provided they have been tested negative for tuberculosis in accordance with the Norma Oficial Mexicana (NOM) within sixty (60) days prior to entry into the United States. Steers and spayed heifers from herds equal to U.S. Accredited TB-Free herds may enter Arkansas without testing provided they are moved directly from the herd of origin across the border as a single group and not commingled with other cattle prior to arriving at the border and obtain an entry permit prior to entering Arkansas.
 3. Steers and spayed heifers from Mexican states that have been determined by the State Veterinarian of Arkansas, based on the recommendation of the Bi-National Committee, to have achieved Accredited Free status may enter Arkansas without testing provided they are moved as a single group and not commingled with cattle of a different status prior to arriving at the border and obtain an entry permit prior to entering Arkansas.
 4. Holstein and Holstein-cross steers and spayed heifers from Mexico are prohibited from entering Arkansas regardless of test history.
 5. Rodeo stock from Mexico must be tested negative for tuberculosis within sixty (60) days prior to their utilization as rodeo or roping stock under the supervision of a USDA/APHIS port veterinarian or a U.S. accredited veterinarian, retested for tuberculosis every twelve (12) months thereafter, and obtain an entry permit prior to entering Arkansas. No sexually intact rodeo stock from Mexico will be permitted into Arkansas.
 6. Rodeo stock from any state that has lost its tuberculosis (TB) accreditation must be tested negative for tuberculosis within sixty (60) days prior to their utilization as rodeo or roping stock and retested for tuberculosis every twelve (12) months thereafter.
9. The State Veterinarian may designate high incidence areas within certain states that must meet additional import restrictions and retest requirements.

Showmanship

International Association of Fairs and Exposition National Code of Show Ring Ethics

Exhibitors of animals at livestock shows shall at all times deport themselves with honesty and good sportsmanship. Their conduct in this competitive environment shall always reflect the highest standards of honor and dignity to promote the advancement of agricultural education.

This code applies to junior as well as open class exhibitors who compete in structured classes of competition. This code applies to all livestock offered in any event at a livestock show. In addition to the "IAFE National Code of Show Ring Ethics," fairs and livestock shows may have rules and regulations which they impose on the local, county, state, provincial and national levels.

All youth leaders working with junior exhibitors are under an affirmative responsibility to do more than avoid improper conduct or questionable acts. Their moral values must be so certain and positive that those younger and more pliable will be influenced by their fine example.

Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers and absolutely responsible persons who violate the code of ethics will forfeit premiums, awards and auction proceeds and shall be prohibited from future exhibition in accordance with the rules adopted by the respective fairs and livestock shows.

Exhibitors who violate this code of ethics demean the integrity of all livestock exhibitors and should be prohibited from competition at all livestock shows in the United States and Canada. The following is a list of guidelines for all exhibitors and all livestock in competitive events:

1. All exhibitors must present, upon request of fair and livestock show officials, proof of ownership, length of ownership and age of all animals entered. Misrepresentation of ownership, age, or any facts relating thereto is prohibited.
2. Owners, exhibitors, fitters, trainers, or absolutely responsible persons shall provide animal health certificates from licensed veterinarians upon request by fair or livestock show officials.
3. Direct criticism or interference with the judge, fair or livestock show management, other exhibitors, breed representatives, or show officials before, during, or after the competitive event is prohibited. In the furtherance of their official shall be treated with courtesy, cooperation and respect and no person shall direct abusive or threatening conduct toward them.
4. No owner, exhibitor, fitter, trainer, or absolutely responsible person shall conspire with another person or persons to intentionally violate this code of ethics or knowingly contribute or cooperate with another person or persons either by affirmative action or inaction to violate this code of ethics. Violation of this rule shall subject such individual to disciplinary action.

Newton County Fair Livestock Premium Sale Guidelines

1. Livestock sold are the junior exhibitor's animals. All proceeds from the auction go directly to the junior exhibitor livestock owners.
2. Eligibility - The Newton County Fair Livestock Premium Sale is limited to members of a Newton County 4H Club or FFA Chapter. Exhibitors may participate in the sale no longer than the fall after graduating from high school. An animal may sell in only one Newton County Premium Sale during its show career.
3. Ownership and Feeding Instructions - Participants must own their own animals, must have acquired title and taken possession of same at the beginning of and throughout the feeding and fitting period. Animals must be fed, cared for and exhibited by the individual member under the supervision and direction of a Vocational Agriculture Instructor or a County Extension Agent. All market animals must be owned and nominated 30 days prior to show date in order to receive premium money.
4. Showing Animals - Each exhibitor must lead or drive his/her own animal in the sale.
5. Sale Order - The order for Premium Sale will be selected by the Livestock Stock Show Committee headed by the Grand and Reserve Grand Champions.
6. Only animals in the market classes will be eligible for the Newton County Fair Livestock Premium Sale.
7. Only one animal of any species per exhibitor can be sold at the Premium Sale. Should an exhibitor qualify two animals for the premium sale, the exhibitor must choose which one will be sold.
8. All Grand and Reserve Grand Champions will sell in the Premium Sale unless circumstances arise that violate number 6 shown above.
9. The Newton County Livestock Premium Sale Committee will handle the arrangements and details of the photographers, keep the official records of the sale and help solicit buyers.



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Premium Sale

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 25TH



The Buyer's Dinner is provided
FREE OF CHARGE for all prospective
donors and supporters of the
Livestock Premium Sale.



Dinner will be served at **6:00 PM**
in the **Commercial Building**
(the building located closest
to the Livestock Barn).



This special event gives exhibitors
selected for the Premium Sale an
opportunity to meet and introduce
themselves to potential buyers
and donors prior to the sale.



**ALL EXHIBITORS WITH ANIMALS ELIGIBLE
FOR THE PREMIUM SALE **MUST ATTEND**
AND PARTICIPATE IN THIS VALUABLE
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2025 Livestock Premium Sale Buyers

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Department 1 - Cattle

Points - First 10, Second 7, Third: 5

Grand Champion plus 5 points

Reserve Grand Champion plus 3 points

Beef Showmanship - Junior and Senior

All cattle must be free of warts, if there is any indication of warts the cattle will be disqualified and removed from grounds.

Replacement Heifer Show

(only Grand and Reserve eligible for premium sale)

1. Heifers must have baby teeth at time of show.
2. Heifers must be raised and shown by members of a Newton County 4H or FFA chapter.
3. Heifers must be shown by a junior exhibitor.
4. Heifers will be in three divisions by breed group.
 - A. English Crosses-Polled Hereford, Hereford Angus, Red Poll, or other English Breed.
 - B. European Crosses-Simmental, Charolais, Limousin, etc.
 - C. Indian or American Crosses-Brahman, Beefmaster, Brangus, Santa Gertudis and others.

Commercial Heifer Show

(not eligible for premium sale)

1. Heifers must have baby teeth at time of show.
2. Heifers must be shown by a junior exhibitor.
3. Heifers will be in three divisions by breed group.
 - A. English Crosses-Polled Hereford, Hereford Angus, Red Poll, or other English Breed.
 - B. European Crosses-Simmental, Charolais, Limousin, etc.
 - C. Indian or American Crosses-Brahman, Beefmaster, Brangus, Santa Gertudis and others.

Market Steer

Market Steers must have baby teeth at time of show.

Classes will be divided by weight.

The minimum weight for Market Steers will be 850 lbs.

Market Steers that do not meet weight requirements will be placed in a Prospect/Feeder class.

Registered Cattle

Classes include - A. Angus, B. Polled and Horned Herefords, C. Shorthorns/Polled Shorthorns, D. Simmental, E. Charolais, F. Limousin, G. Any Recognized Breed

Dairy Cattle

Classes will be determined according to the participating entries.

Allowable breeds - Holstein, Jersey, Brown Swiss, Milking Shorthorn, Ayrshire, Guernsey

Cow/Calf Pair

Open to lactating cow with calf at side. Calf must be born after January 1, 2024. Entries in this class may be entered in other classes as long as requirements for those classes are met. Classes will be determined according to the participating entries.

Bottle Calf

Exhibitor can show only one calf. Exhibitor must lead calf. Calves must be born after June 1, 2026.

Department 2 -Swine

Any out of state swine will require an International Certificate of Veterinary Inspection, as well as, the necessary permits, before it will be eligible for the show.

Points - First 10, Second 7, Third: 5
Grand Champion plus 5 points
Reserve Grand Champion plus 5 points
Showmanship - Junior and Senior

Market Hog

Market classes will be divided by weight.
The minimum weight for Market Hogs will be 130 lbs. Maximum will be 300 lbs.

Market Hogs that do not meet weight requirements will be placed in Feeder or Heavyweight classes.



* Feed to Finish Hog Show*

Established in 2024, the Feed to Finish Hog Show was created to allow any student in Newton County the opportunity to experience and participate in a county livestock show. 25 quality piglets were purchased from one supplier and distributed to each of the four school campuses. One hog was reserved to be shown on behalf of the Newton County Fair Board. A qualified judge will be recruited to evaluate the Feed to Finish Hogs on qualities of a true market hog ready for butcher.

Requirements of prospective exhibitors:

1. All exhibitors will be residents of Newton County or attend a Newton County school and be of school age.
2. Exhibitors will work with market hogs in preparation for show but will strictly feed corn 60 days leading up to the livestock show. This is much more cost effective for families and more strictly in line with industry standards for finishing an animal.
3. Animals must be shown in that year's Feed to Finish Hog Show. The top two hogs selected will participate in the Premium Sale. Feed to Finish hogs are not eligible for jackpot money.
4. Exhibitors must choose to either butcher the animal for their families' consumption or choose to auction the animal after the Premium Sale on Tuesday. Funds from the auction may be kept by the exhibitor.
5. The hog reserved to be shown on behalf of the Newton County Fair Board will be raffled with all funds donated to the Feed to Finish program in order for the program to be funded the next year. Raffle tickets will be \$5 each or 5 for \$20. The winner will be drawn during the Saturday night of the rodeo. The hog won will be processed at Makin' Bacon and can be picked up by the winner.

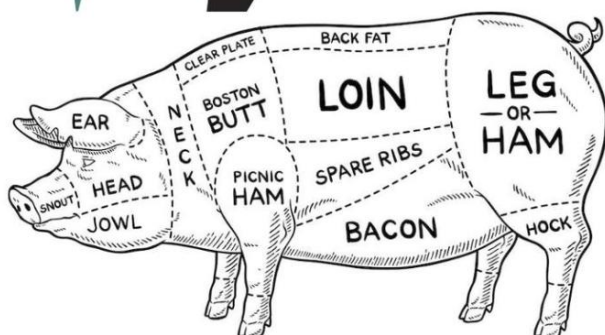


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Newton County Fair Livestock Dept**

Department 3 - Sheep

Points - First 10, Second 7, Third 5

Grand Champion plus 5 points

Reserve Champion plus 3 points

No sheep showing symptoms of disease, particularly foot rot, sore mouth, sheep pox, and scrapie will be allowed to show.

All sheep must be shaved or rough shaved before entering fairgrounds.

Market Sheep

Market classes will be divided by weight.

The minimum weight for Market Sheep will be 70 lbs.

Market Sheep that do not meet weight requirements will be placed in Prospect/Feeder classes.

Breeding Sheep

1. Yearling ram
2. Senior ram (9-12 months)
3. Junior ram (less than 9 months)
4. Yearling ewe lamb
5. Senior ewe lamb (9-12 months)
6. Junior ewe lamb (less than 9 months)



Department 4 - Goats

Points - First: 10, Second: 7, Third: 5

Grand Champion plus 5 points

Reserve Champion plus 3 points

No goats showing evidence of abscesses and certainly draining abscesses will be allowed to show and may be released by fair officials, veterinarians or state-federal personnel. Goats showing evidence of any other disease may be released.

Market Goat

Market classes will be divided by weight.

The minimum weight for Market Goats will be 30 lbs.

***Market Goats that do not meet weight requirements will be placed in a Prospect/Feeder class.**

Dairy Goat

1. Junior Kid, birth to 6 months
2. Senior Kid, 6 - 12 months
3. Yearling, 12 - 24 months
4. Doe, 2 and 3 years
5. Doe, 4 years and over

Meat Goat

Breeding stock only.

Wether Dam Goat

Wether Dam Goats are defined as any crossbred animal, or may be purebred provided it is not tattooed. Minimum weight for Wether dams is 30 pounds. There is no maximum weight. Wether Dam Goats may not have more than four permanent teeth. Goats may be horned but must be tipped (no specific length). Wether Dam Goats will be shown in two divisions: Slick Shorn Wether Dams and Haired Wether Dams.



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Each year during the Livestock Show

Department 9 - Poultry

Points - First: 4, Second: 3, Third: 2

Grand Champion plus 5 points

Reserve Grand Champion plus 3 points

An official representing the exhibition shall notify the State Veterinarian no later than thirty (30) days prior to the exhibition giving names, place, inclusive dates, and times of the event. The requirements are as follows:

1. All in-state poultry, which includes domesticated game birds, quail pheasants, peafowl, guineas, and turkeys, present at exhibitions in Arkansas shall have originated from U.S. Pullorum-Typhoid Clean or equivalent flocks or have had a negative pullorum-typhoid test within ninety (90) days of the movement to the exhibition (pullorum-typhoid testing on fairgrounds during the fair is prohibited). This information will be documented on a NPIP Form VS 9-3, 90 Day Certificate, NPIP flock Certification Form or similar certificate which will accompany the poultry during the exhibition.
2. All non-certified birds must be banded (leg or wing band), with a sealed band. Wraparound plastic bands are not acceptable. In-state waterfowl are exempt from pullorum-typhoid requirements.
3. Any poultry showing evidence of infection or contagious disease or insect infestation will not be permitted to exhibit.
4. Record Keeping - The sponsor of the exhibition shall compile a list of all poultry present at exhibition. This list shall contain the name and address of each owner, the number, the species, breed, variety, type, sex, and pullorum-typhoid status of all poultry present. A copy of this shall be retained by the sponsor of the exhibition for at least twelve (12) months. Contact: Adam Willis at (870) 446-2240 before 4:30 p.m. for Pullorum-Typhoid test date. Testing must be done at least two (2) weeks before the exhibition date.

Chickens

**Exhibitor must provide feed and container and waterer.

Categories may be added if there are enough entries of that variety to justify an additional grouping.

Classes will be separated by Large and Bantam Breeds.

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| 1. Cock | 5. Pair, Hen and Rooster |
| 2. Cockerel | 6. Trio, 1 Male, 2 Females |
| 3. Hen | 7. Pen of Three Hens |
| 4. Pullet | 8. 4H Poultry Chain |

Ducks**

Hens and Drakes

Turkeys**

Hen and Tom

Miscellaneous Poultry**

Allowable Species - Geese, Peacocks, Quail, Guineas, Pheasants, Pigeons, and Any Other Variety - Female and Male

***Exhibitor must provide cage, feed and container, and waterer for all poultry.*

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Rabbits

Points - First 4, Second 3, Third 2

Grand Champion plus 5 points

Reserve Champion plus 3 points

Rabbits will be inspected on grounds. No rabbits showing symptoms of disease will be allowed to show. Rabbit entries will consist of a single rabbit. All varieties will compete within their own variety. Example: Does with Does, Bucks with Bucks.

1. Junior Buck, under 6 months
2. Senior Buck, 6 months and over
3. Junior Doe, under 6 months
4. Senior Doe, 6 months and over



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Home Economics Department

All entries, including baked goods and flowers, are to be entered between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. Sunday, August 23.

Rules and Regulations

1. Exhibitors must be a resident of Newton County, or a member of a Newton County 4-H, FFA or EHC Club. Each exhibitor will be issued an ID number that will remain the same for every entry and will be assigned the same number year after year if possible.
2. All articles and products must be the work of the exhibitor and should NOT have been exhibited in previous years. Articles must have been completed within the previous year.
3. No exhibitor shall duplicate entries in any class within a department
4. Unfinished or soiled articles will not be accepted.
5. Rules and regulations for the department apply to adult, junior, and child exhibitors.
6. ONLY AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL WILL BE ALLOWED IN BUILDING DURING JUDGING. Judges will be provided and their decisions will be final. Chairmen in each division will be present to assist judges at time of placing awards. All awards will be awarded on a point system.
7. No premium will be awarded on articles not listed in this premium list.
8. Every precaution will be taken against loss or damage of any article or exhibit and in no case, shall management or the fair board be held liable for any loss or damage that may occur to such articles or for any accident that may occur to any exhibitor or spectator.
9. Exhibits will be judged on their merits and judges will award 1st, 2nd or 3rd, or no rating as their judgment will indicate.
10. Articles will be judged Monday, August 18. The educational buildings will be closed throughout judging.
11. REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS: Exhibits may be removed from the department from 12 to 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 24. Removal before Sunday will result in premium being forfeited.
12. Age divisions are as follows: Children - ages 0 to 8 years. Juniors - ages 9 to 19, Adult - ages 20 +. For each class or division in the senior division, there will be a corresponding one in the junior and child division
13. Participants may not enter if he/she makes his/her living by an art or game.
14. In the case of no competition in any class, or where there are fewer exhibits shown in any class than the number of premiums offered, the judges may at their discretion award a prize or prizes of such grade as the exhibit deserved.

Department 12: Horticulture

No diseased or bug infested exhibits will be accepted. Please bring exhibits in small bottles or inexpensive containers/ preferably clear glass, no larger than 12 inches in diameter for cut foliage. No purchased flowers will be accepted. All specimen classes will be judged for cultural perfection, the container will not be considered. Each specimen should have a minimum of 2 leaves except for roses which should have at least 5 to 7 leaves on the stem. No flower should rest on the neck of the container. Stems must be long enough to prevent this and to display the flower above the container. Exceptions are large crested celosia and gladiolus. Multiple entries of the same specimen/plant type will not be accepted unless clearly belonging in separate classification.

12A - Cut Foliage (Bloom)

Section#-Class (A,B,C, etc.) Points

1. Ageratum	3 2 1	21. Lavender, 1 stem	3 2 1
2. Asters, 1 spray or stem	3 2 1	22. Sedum, 1 stem	3 2 1
3. Bachelor button	3 2 1	23. Phlox, 1 stem	3 2 1
4. Begonia	3 2 1	24. Zinnia	3 2 1
5. Celosia, 1 stem	3 2 1	25. Non-crop sunflower	3 2 1
6. Chrysanthemum, 1 stem	3 2 1	26. Hollyhock	3 2 1
7. Cosmos, 3 stems	3 2 1	27. Black-eyed Susan	3 2 1
8. Cockscomb	3 2 1	28. Columbine	3 2 1
9. Coleus	3 2 1	29. Candy Corn Flag	3 2 1
10. Crepe Myrtle	3 2 1	30. Snapdragon	3 2 1
11. Dahlia	3 2 1	31. Morning Glory	3 2 1
12. Gladiolus, 1 stem	3 2 1	32. Oriental Poppy	3 2 1
13. Hibiscus	3 2 1	33. Daisy	3 2 1
14. Impatiens	3 2 1	34. Bleeding Heart	3 2 1
15. Lantana	3 2 1	35. Sweet William	3 2 1
16. Marigold	3 2 1	36. Surprise Lillie	3 2 1
17. Nasturtiums, 5 stems	3 2 1	37. Sweet Pea	3 2 1
18. Petunia	3 2 1	38. Rose Bud	3 2 1
19. Roses	3 2 1	39. Texas Star	3 2 1
A. Hybrid tea, 1 bloom		40. Trumpeter	3 2 1
B. Cluster type, 1 stem		41. Rose of Sharon	3 2 1
C. Climber type, 1 stem		42. Other	3 2 1
20. Crepe Myrtle, 1 stem	3 2 1		

12B - Cut Foliage (No Bloom)

1. Coleus (1 stem)	3 2 1
2. Hosta Large	3 2 1
4. Caladium (1 leaf)	3 2 1
5. Elephant Ear (1 leaf)	3 2 1
6. Other	3 2 1



12C - Potted Plants

Entries should be mature specimens. A plant grown primarily for its bloom must have blooms present to enter: i.e.; African violets, gloxinia, orchids, etc. The judges will not consider the container unless otherwise noted.

1. African violet	3 2 1	22. Topiary	3 2 1
2. Begonia	3 2 1	23. Tropical plant	3 2 1
3. Gloxinia, 1 plant	3 2 1	24. Ornamental peppers	3 2 1
4. Ferns	3 2 1	25. Planter maximum 12x8	3 2 1
5. Flame Violet	3 2 1	26. Other small blooming plant	3 2 1
6. Dracena	3 2 1	27. Other small non-blooming plant	3 2 1
7. Geranium	3 2 1	28. Norfolk Island Pine	3 2 1
8. Cactus	3 2 1	29. Impatiens	3 2 1
9. Stonecrop succulent family	3 2 1	30. Spider Plant	3 2 1
10. Orchids	3 2 1	31. Wandering Jew Plant	3 2 1
11. Petunia	3 2 1	32. Swedish Ivy	3 2 1
12. Philodendron	3 2 1	33. Succulent Plant	3 2 1
13. Lilies	3 2 1	34. Terrariums	3 2 1
14. Elephant Ears	3 2 1	35. Caladium	3 2 1
15. Lambs Ear	3 2 1	36. Sweet Mary	3 2 1
16. Jacob's Ladder	3 2 1	37. Rabbit Food	3 2 1
17. Solomon's Seal	3 2 1	38. Fig Tree	3 2 1
18. Bonsai	3 2 1	39. Flower Garden up to 15"	3 2 1
19. Ivy	3 2 1	40. Flower Garden Over 15"	3 2 1
20. Herb (s)	3 2 1	41. Other	3 2 1
21. Shamrock	3 2 1		

12D - Hanging Baskets

1. Begonia	3 2 1	5. Spider plant	3 2 1
2. Fern	3 2 1	6. Vines	3 2 1
3. Geranium	3 2 1	7. Other	3 2 1
4. Petunia	3 2 1		

DEPARTMENT 13 -FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

Please bring exhibits in inexpensive containers no larger than 12 inches in diameter except where noted. No purchased flowers accepted. All arrangements must have background foliage or offset specimen. Dried arrangements must be new this year, not previously exhibited. All points for floral arrangements will be awarded as 3 points for first place, 2 points for second place, and 1 point for third place.

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| 1. Large mixed arrangements in container 6 inches tall or taller. | 8. "Summer Garden" mass arrangement |
| 2. Small mixed arrangement in container 6 inches or less. | 10. Arrangement in a cup and saucer |
| 3. Arrangement of marigolds | 12. "Lonesome" using only 1 flower & foliage |
| 4. Arrangement of dahlias | 13. Weathered wood using roadside material |
| 5. Arrangement of roses | 14. Dried beauty (natural) |
| 6. Arrangement of zinnias | 16. Arrangement of foliage (3 kinds) |
| 7. Mixed arrangement in novelty vase | 22. Wildflowers |
| | 23. Floral/vegetable arrangement |
| | 24. Other |

DEPARTMENT 14: FOOD PRESERVATION

All entries must be in standard canning jars. Regular or wide mouthed styles may be used but may not be larger than one quart. Commercial jars, like the ones used for mayonnaise, peanut butter, coffee, pickles or jelly will not be accepted. Jars should have clean lids and rings without rust. **Jars MUST be properly labeled with name of product.** Items must not be more than 1 year old. Please note proper product headspace: 1/4" for jams and jellies, 1/2" for fruits, pickles, and tomatoes processed in a water bath canner and 1" for vegetables, meats, or other products processed in a pressure canner. Fruits and vegetables not listed will not be accepted, as they have not been justified as safe for canning.

Canned Fruit

Section# - Class (A,B,C, etc.) Points

1. Apple juice	3 2 1	13. Muscadine juice	3 2 1
2. Apples	3 2 1	14. Nectarines	3 2 1
3. Applesauce	3 2 1	15. Peaches	3 2 1
4. Apple pie filling	3 2 1	16. Peach pie filling	3 2 1
5. Apricots	3 2 1	17. Pears	3 2 1
6. Blackberry juice	3 2 1	18. Plums	3 2 1
7. Blackberries	3 2 1	19. Plum juice	3 2 1
8. Blueberries	3 2 1	20. Raspberries, black	3 2 1
9. Cherries	3 2 1	21. Raspberries, red	3 2 1
10. Cherry pie filling	3 2 1	22. Strawberries	3 2 1
11. Gooseberries	3 2 1	23. Mixed fruit	3 2 1
12. Grape juice	3 2 1	24. Other	3 2 1

Canned Vegetables

25. Asparagus	3 2 1	45. Salsa	3 2 1
26. Beans (green)	3 2 1	A. Regular	
27. Beans (lima)	3 2 1	B. Roasted Red Pepper	
28. Beans (pinto)	3 2 1	46. Spaghetti sauce	3 2 1
29. Beans (shelled)	3 2 1	47. Sauerkraut	3 2 1
30. Beets	3 2 1	48. Soup mix	3 2 1
31 Cabbage	3 2 1	49. Spinach	3 2 1
32. Carrots	3 2 1	50. Winter squash	3 2 1
33. Corn (creamed)	3 2 1	51. Taco sauce	3 2 1
34. Corn (whole)	3 2 1	52. Tomatoes (whole)	3 2 1
35. Greens	3 2 1	53. Tomatoes (diced)	3 2 1
36. Hominy	3 2 1	54. Tomato juice	3 2 1
37. Okra	3 2 1	55. Tomato preserves	3 2 1
38. Red Okra	3 2 1	56. Tomato sauce	3 2 1
39. Peas (Black-eye)	3 2 1	57. Vegetable Soup	3 2 1
40. Peas (English)	3 2 1	58. Tomatoes (crushed)	3 2 1
41. Peas (field)	3 2 1	59. Tomato Basil Soup	3 2 1
42. Potatoes (Irish)	3 2 1	60. Yellow Wax Beans	3 2 1
43. Potatoes (sweet)	3 2 1	61. Other	3 2 1
44. Pumpkin	3 2 1		

Pickles and Relishes

Properly labeled with name of product. Items must not be more than 1 year old. Please note proper product headspace: 1/4" for jams and jellies, 1/2" for fruits, pickles, and tomatoes processed in a water bath canner and 1" for vegetables, meats, or other products processed in a pressure canner. Fruits and vegetables not listed will not be accepted, as they have not been justified as safe for canning.

62. Spiced fruit	3 2 1	76. Pickled vegetables	3 2 1
63. Beet pickles	3 2 1	77. Pickled peppers (hot)	3 2 1
64. Bread and butter pickles	3 2 1	78. Pickled peppers (sweet)	3 2 1
65. Cauliflower	3 2 1	79. Pepper relish	3 2 1
66. Chili sauce	3 2 1	80. Pimento peppers	3 2 1
67. Chow chow	3 2 1	81. Squash pickles	3 2 1
68. Corn relish	3 2 1	82. Squash relish	3 2 1
69. Cucumber pickles (dill)	3 2 1	83. Tomato catsup	3 2 1
70. Cucumber pickles (sweet)	3 2 1	84. Tomato relish	3 2 1
71. Cucumber relish (dill)	3 2 1	85. Tomato relish (green)	3 2 1
72. Cucumber relish (sweet)	3 2 1	86. Tomato pickles (green)	3 2 1
73. Pickled green beans	3 2 1	87. Watermelon rind pickles	3 2 1
74. Pickled onions	3 2 1	88. Other	3 2 1
75. Pickled okra	3 2 1		

Jams, Jellies, Preserves, Marmalades, Conserves & Toppings

Container should be 6 oz. jelly glass or pint and should be labeled with name of the product and date preserved. Entries will be accepted for each type of product made from each fruit in (a) jelly, (b) jam, (c) preserves, (d) fruit butters and honeys, (e) conserves and marmalades. For example: one person could enter (a) blackberry jelly, (b) blackberry jam, (c) blackberry preserves, etc.

89. Apple	3 2 1	102. Plum	3 2 1
90. Apricot	3 2 1	103. Raspberry	3 2 1
91. Blackberry	3 2 1	104. Rhubarb	3 2 1
92. Cherry	3 2 1	105. Strawberry	3 2 1
93. Crab apple	3 2 1	106. Watermelon	3 2 1
94. Elderberry	3 2 1	107. Blueberry	3 2 1
95. Fig	3 2 1	108. Nectarine	3 2 1
96. Grape	3 2 1	109. Mixed Fruit	3 2 1
97. Gooseberry	3 2 1	110. Fruit or Vegetable with instructional booklet (Junior Division Only)	3 2 1
98. Muscadine	3 2 1	111. Jalapeno	3 2 1
99. Peach	3 2 1	112. Crabapple	3 2 1
100. Pear	3 2 1	113. Other	3 2 1
101. Pepper	3 2 1		

Meat

114. Beef	3 2 1	117. Fish	3 2 1
115. Chicken	3 2 1	118. Other	3 2 1
116. Pork	3 2 1		

Flavored Vinegars

(Clear Bottle with closure. Jars do not need to be sealed)

119. Fruit	3 2 1	122. Mixed	3 2 1
120. Vegetable	3 2 1	123. Other	3 2 1
121. Herb	3 2 1		

Dried Food Products

Categories Open - 1 jar of each food product accepted. Dried foods must be displayed in standard pint or half pint jars with unsealed rings/flats. Points will be awarded for each product as follows: 3 points for first place, 2 points for second place, and 1 point for third place.

124. Fruits

- A. Apples
- B. Peaches
- C. Bananas
- D. Strawberries
- E. Pears
- F. Plums
- G. Grapes
- H. Trail Mix
- I. Other (not listed)

125. Vegetables

- A. Beans (pinto)
- B. Peppers
- C. Potatoes (Irish)
- D. Potatoes (Sweet)
- E. Carrots
- F. Tomatoes
- G. Onions
- H. Peas (Field)
- I. Peas (Black eyed)
- J. Peas (English)
- K. Corn (Cornmeal)
- L. Okra
- M. Other

126. Herbs

- A. Thyme
- B. Oregano
- C. Sage
- D. Basil
- E. Dill Weed
- F. Parsley
- G. Bay Leaf

H. Celery Seed

- I. Catnip
- J. Rosemary
- K. Coriander
- L. Lavender
- M. Chamomile
- N. Wild Beet Root
- O. Other

127. Meats

- A. Beef
- B. Pork
- C. Chicken
- D. Turkey
- E. Fish
- F. Deer
- G. Other

128. Nuts

(The meat of the nut w/out the hull)

- A. Walnut
- B. Pecan
- C. Hickory
- D. Other



DEPARTMENT15: HOUSEHOLD ART of NEEDLEWORK

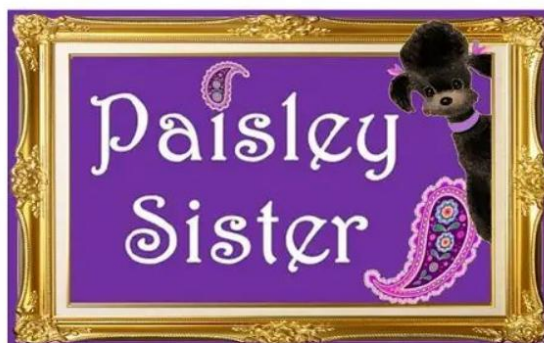
Definition- any item involving a needle of any kind such as sewing, crocheting, knitting, and embroidery.

15A - Sewing/Crocheting/Knitting

<i>Household Linens</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Bathroom Set (2 pieces)	10	6	4
2	Bedsread	10	6	4
3	Bowl cozy	3	2	1
4	Car Seat Cover	6	4	3
5	Curtains	6	4	3
6	Dish cloth	3	2	1
7	Doily	3	2	1
8	Dresser scarf/Table runner	3	2	1
9	Food Carrier	3	2	1
10	Napkin	3	2	1
11	Oven Mitt	3	2	1
12	Pillowcase	3	2	1
13	Placemat	3	2	1
14	Pot holder	3	2	1
15	Tablecloth	10	6	4
16	Throw blanket (lap)	6	4	3
17	Towel, guest	3	2	1
18	Towel, tea	3	2	1
19	Wall Hanging	6	4	3
20	Other home linen	3	2	1
<i>Baby Linens</i>				
21	Baby blanket	6	4	3
22	Bath towel	3	2	1
23	Burp cloth	3	2	1
24	Car Seat/Stroller cover	6	4	3
25	Crib bumper	6	4	3
26	Crib set, blanket/bumper	10	6	4
27	Diaper changing pad	3	2	1
28	Infant car seat liner	6	4	3
29	Nursing cover	3	2	1
30	Receiving blanket	3	2	1
31	Swaddler	6	4	3
32	Other baby linen	3	2	1

Each section may have items entered in each of the following classes:

- A. Sewn
- B. Crocheted
- C. Knitted



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15B – Embroidery

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Battenberg lace	5	4	3
2	Candlewicking	5	4	3
3	Counted cross stitch, misc.	5	4	3
4	Counted cross stitch, mini	5	4	3
5	Counted cross stitch, 4x5 - 8x10	5	4	3
6	Counted cross stitch, 8x10 +	5	4	3
7	Crewel Embroidery	5	4	3
8	Cross-Stitch	5	4	3
9	Embroidery, general	5	4	3
10	Hardanger	5	4	3
11	Latchhook	5	4	3
12	Needlepoint	5	4	3
13	Net Lace Darning	5	4	3
14	Other embroidered item	5	4	3
15	Plastic canvas, over 10"	5	4	3
16	Plastic canvas, under 10"	5	4	3
17	Smocking	5	4	3

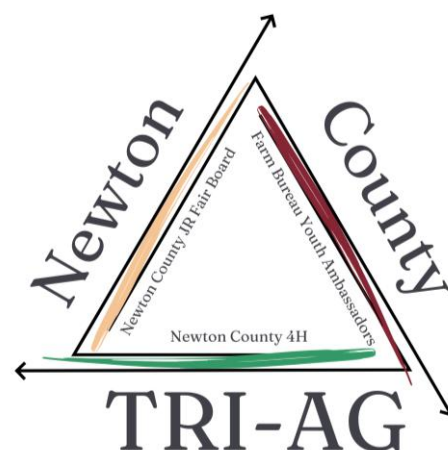
15C – Rugs

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Braided	10	6	4
2	Crotched	10	6	4
3	Knitted	10	6	4
4	Hooked	10	6	4
5	Latchhook	10	6	4
6	Woven	10	6	4
7	Doormat, smaller than 24"x36"	6	4	3
8	Other	6	4	3

15D - Table Settings

A place setting is described as: The items that would be set for one (1) person to use on a table at a meal. Setting **MUST** include: Placemat (not to exceed 18"x24") or Charger, Dinnerware, Eating Utensils, Drinking Glass(es), Napkin and place card. A small bouquet or floral pick may be included.

1. Casual	3 2 1	4. Party	3 2 1
2. Formal	3 2 1	5. Country	3 2 1
3. Holiday	3 2 1	6. Other	3 2 1



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15E - Quilts

Sections		Classes for each Section		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Appliquéd	A	By hand/hand quilted 90+	18	15	8
2	Quilt, embroidered	B	By hand/machine quilted	15	12	7
3	Quilt, pieced	C	By machine/hand quilted	15	12	7
4	Group quilt	D	By machine/machine quilted	13	10	5
5	Tied quilt	E	By hand/hand quilted 70"-89"	16	13	8
6	Preprinted Panel Stitched	F	By hand/machine quilted	13	10	5
7	Vintage	G	By machine/hand quilted	13	10	5
8	Biblical Theme	H	By machine/machine quilted	11	8	3
9	Patriotic	I	By hand/hand quilted 50"-69"	14	11	6
10	Seasonal	J	By hand/machine quilted	11	8	5
11	Nature Scenes	K	By machine/hand quilted	11	8	5
12	Contemporary Quilts	L	By machine/machine quilted	9	7	4
13	Tacked	M	By hand/hand quilted less than 50"	12	10	5
14	Denim	N	By hand/machine quilted	10	7	5
15	Crazy Quilt	O	By machine/hand quilted	10	7	5
16	Scrappy Quilt	P	By machine/machine quilted	9	7	4
17	Sampler Quilt					
18	Other					

15F – Quilt Blocks & Tops

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Quilt top, hand applique	7	5	3
2	Quilt top, machine applique	5	4	2
3	Quilt top, hand pieced	7	5	3
4	Quilt top, machine pieced	5	4	2
5	Applique quilt block - hand or machine embroidered	3	2	1
6	Pieced quilt block - hand or machine embroidered	3	2	1
7	Embroidered quilt block – hand or machine embroidered	3	2	1
8	Novelty (hand painted block, doll quilt)	3	2	1
9	Other quilt block	3	2	1

DEPARTMENT 16: FASHION

Exhibitor must provide their own coat hangers, and cover (if desired). Exhibitor must remove any personal identification. Soiled items will not be judged.

16A – Clothing

<i>Adult Clothing</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Bottoms	4	3	2
2	Costume	6	4	2
3	Formal wear	6	4	2
4	Jumper	4	3	2
5	Overalls	4	3	2
6	Pajamas/Night Gown	4	3	2
7	Sundress	4	3	2
8	Tops	4	3	2
9	Western wear	6	4	2
<i>Children's Clothing</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
10	Bottoms	4	3	2
11	Costume	6	4	2
12	Formal wear	6	4	2
13	Jumper	4	3	2
14	Overalls	4	3	2
15	Pajamas/Night Gown	4	3	2
16	Sundress	4	3	2
17	Tops	4	3	2
18	Western wear	6	4	2
<i>Infant Clothing (size 2T & smaller)</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
19	Baby bib	3	2	1
20	Dress	3	2	1
21	Onesie	3	2	1
22	Overalls	3	2	1
23	Pajamas/Night gown	3	2	1
24	Romper	3	2	1
25	Sleep sack	3	2	1
26	Other sewn infant garment	3	2	1
<i>Knitted/Crocheted Clothing</i>				
27	Cap/Hat	3	2	1
28	Clothing top	3	2	1
29	Infant set (i.e. gown, cap, booties)	5	3	2
30	Mitten	3	2	1
31	Scarf	3	2	1
32	Shawl	3	2	1
33	Other knitted or crocheted item	3	2	1

Each section can include the following classes:

- A. Any design
- B. Christmas
- C. Rodeo Days
- D. Patriotic



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16B – Accessories

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Apron (fancy, every day, chef)	3	2	1
2	Bows	3	2	1
3	Hats	3	2	1
4	Headbands	3	2	1
5	Headpieces	3	2	1
6	Keychains	3	2	1
7	Purses	3	2	1
8	Scarves	3	2	1
<i>Infant accessories:</i>				
9	Baby shoes	3	2	1
10	Headband	3	2	1
11	Mittens	3	2	1
12	Other infant accessory	3	2	1
<i>Jewelry</i>				
13	Bracelet	3	2	1
14	Earrings	3	2	1
15	Necklace	3	2	1
16	Pen/Brooch	3	2	1
17	Ring	3	2	1
18	Set	3	2	1
19	Other jewelry	3	2	1



16C – Embellished Pieces

These pieces are pre-made items embellished by the exhibitor. Classes include:

- | | |
|----------------|--------------|
| A. Appliqued | D. Tie-dyed |
| B. Embroidered | E. Bejeweled |
| C. Painted | F. Other |

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Bottoms	3	2	1
2	Dresses	3	2	1
3	Handkerchiefs	3	2	1
4	Hats	3	2	1
5	Jumpers/Overalls	3	2	1
6	Shoes	3	2	1
7	Tops	3	2	1
8	Tote bags	3	2	1

16D – Fashion Ensembles

This category is for fashionistas who want to show off their ability to put together a full “runway ready” outfit. Looks should include the clothing, jewelry, and accessories. Shoes may be included and can be purchased.

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Men’s	6	4	2
2	Women’s	6	4	2
3	Teen Boys	6	4	2
4	Teen Girls	6	4	2
5	Boys	6	4	2
6	Girls	6	4	2
7	Infant Boys	4	2	1
8	Infant Girls	4	2	1

DEPARTMENT 17: Baked Goods

1. Baked goods must be displayed on paper plates and in a fly-proof zip lock bag.
2. Mixes are permitted, please label as these will not be judged against scratch cakes. For scratch cakes, please provide the recipe. No icing unless noted as decorated, frosted, or iced.
3. Baked goods showing obvious signs of spoilage will be discarded. Anything that needs refrigeration will not be accepted.
4. Decorated cakes will be judged on appearance only. These may be decorated forms.

Cakes

		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Decorated, Birthday	6	4	3
2	Decorated, Wedding	6	4	3
3	Decorated, Novelty	6	4	3
4	Angel Food (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
5	Bundt (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
6	Butter (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
7	Chocolate (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
8	Cupcakes (3 frosted)	3	2	1
9	Pound (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
10	Sponge (1/2 cake)	3	2	1
11	Layer (1/2 cake)	4	3	2
12	Fruit cake (apple, pineapple upside down)	3	2	1
13	Cheesecake	3	2	1
14	Carrot Cake	3	2	1
15	Other	3	2	1



Cookies & Bars

<i>Enter 3 each</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
16	Bar cookies (3)	3	2	1
17	Brownies (3)	3	2	1
18	Iced cookies (3)	3	2	1
19	Filled cookies (3)	3	2	1
20	No Bake Cookies (3)	3	2	1
21	Rolled cookies (3)	3	2	1
22	Drop Cookies (3)	3	2	1
	A. Oatmeal	3	2	1
	B. Sugar	3	2	1
	C. Chocolate Chip	3	2	1
	D. Peanut Butter	3	2	1
23	Other (3)	3	2	1

Pies

<i>Made with homemade crust</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
24	Fruit (1/4 of pie)	3	2	1
	A. Apple			
	B. Blackberry			
	C. Cherry			
	D. Other			
25	Nut (1/4 of pie)	3	2	1

Breads

		1st	2nd	3rd
26	Biscuits (3)	3	2	1
	A. Baking powder			
	B. Buttermilk			
27	Sweet Rolls (3)	3	2	1
28	Doughnuts, yeast (3)	3	2	1
29	Doughnuts, cake (3)	3	2	1
30	Muffins (3)	3	2	1
	A. Blueberry			
	B. Banana			
	C. Other			
31	Quick Breads (1/2 loaf)	3	2	1
	A. Apple			
	B. Banana			
	C. Zucchini			
	D. Amish friendship			
	E. Pumpkin			
	F. Other			
32	Sour dough (1/2 loaf)	3	2	1
33	White yeast bread (1/2 loaf)	3	2	1
34	Whole wheat yeast (1/2 loaf)	3	2	1
35	Yeast rolls (3)	3	2	1
36	Cornbread	3	2	1
37	Rye	3	2	1
38	Bread machine items	3	2	1



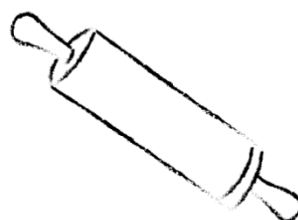
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Candy

		1st	2nd	3rd
39	Divinity (3)	3	2	1
40	Chocolate fudge (3)	3	2	1
41	Fudge, other flavors (3)	3	2	1
42	Molded candy (3)	3	2	1
43	Peanut brittle	3	2	1
44	Taffy (3)	3	2	1
45	Granola mix	3	2	1
46	Flavored popcorn (3 cups)	3	2	1
47	Other	3	2	1



DEPARTMENT 18: CRAFTS

Definition- skillful creation of an item in which the majority of the time, energy and processes are done by hand to create the final product. The use of tools and machines is permissible but design should be original. (i.e. not a kit unless duly noted)

Baskets		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Cedar	7	5	3
2	Coiled	7	5	3
3	Fabric	7	5	3
4	Farm	7	5	3
5	Reed	7	5	3
6	Ribbed	7	5	3
7	Split Oak	7	5	3
8	Other baskets	7	5	3
Candles		1st	2nd	3rd
9	Handmade candle	3	2	1
10	Candle, decorated	3	2	1
11	Other candle craft	3	2	1
Containers		1st	2nd	3rd
12	**Decorated Cookie Container**	4	3	2
13	Decorated Box	3	2	1
14	Gifts in a Jar (must include recipe)	3	2	1
15	Other container	3	2	1
Clay		1st	2nd	3rd
16	Ceramic creation	3	2	1
17	Ceramic vase	3	2	1
18	Clay figure, fired	3	2	1
19	Moldable Clay Scene	3	2	1
20	Playdough creation	3	2	1
21	Polymer clay creation	3	2	1
22	Pottery, large	4	3	2
23	Pottery, small	3	2	1
24	Other clay piece	3	2	1
Decoupage		1st	2nd	3rd
25	Glass	3	2	1
26	Furniture	5	3	1
27	Other decoupage	3	2	1
Dreamcatchers		1st	2nd	3rd
28	Creative Shape	3	2	1
29	Large, More than 4"	5	4	3
30	Small, Less than 4"	3	2	1

**** Decorated Cookie Container ****

Rules:

1. Cookie Jar must be ½ or 1 gallon in size, like a pickle or restaurant sized jar.
2. Prefer hand decorated, but can be store bought jar.
3. Must contain cookies, homemade or store bought.
4. Must be entered in the exhibit building during check-in. Jars will be judged.
5. ALL jars exhibited will be considered a donation.
6. ALL jars will be auctioned on Tuesday, August 20th during the Livestock Premium Sale.
7. If more jars than time allows, jars will be auctioned/sold at the remaining events during this year's fair.
8. ALL proceeds will be used to establish the Newton County Fair Scholarship Fund.

A Best of Show will be awarded to the decorated cookie container that brings in the largest scholarship donation.

<i>Epoxy</i>		5	4	3
31	Large project	5	4	3
32	Small project	4	3	2
<i>Felt- made from felt, any method</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
33	2 Dimensional Creations	3	2	1
34	3 Dimensional Creations	4	3	2
35	Book	4	3	2
36	Holiday project	3	2	1
37	Other craft/project with felt	3	2	1
<i>Home Décor</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
38	Centerpiece	3	2	1
39	Coaster	3	2	1
40	Coaster, Set of 4	4	3	2
41	Lamp, made	5	4	3
42	Lampshade	3	2	1
43	Mirror, decorated	3	2	1
44	Other home décor	3	2	1
45	Picture Frame	3	2	1
46	Silk Flower Arrangement	3	2	1
47	Wall Hanging, up to 24"	3	2	1
48	Wall Hanging, over 24"	4	3	2
49	Wreaths	4	3	2
<i>Lawn & Garden</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
50	Fairy garden	4	3	2
51	Flowerpot	3	2	1
52	Lawn décor	4	3	2
53	Painted Rocks	3	2	1
54	Steppingstones	3	2	1
55	Other lawn & garden	3	2	1
<i>Leather Craft</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
56	Belt	5	4	3
57	Gun Holster	5	4	3
58	Hair Accessory	5	4	3
59	Jewelry	5	4	3
60	Wallet	5	4	3
61	Other leather craft	5	4	3
<i>Macreme</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
62	Large item i.e. plant hanger	5	4	3
63	Small item i.e. jewelry	4	3	2



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<i>Metal</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
64	Horseshoe creation	5	4	3
65	Metal home décor	5	4	3
66	Metal Sign	5	4	3
67	Tin Punch	5	4	3
68	Wire creation	5	4	3
69	Other metal craft	5	4	3
<i>Nature Crafts</i>		3	2	1
70	Decorated gourd, large	3	2	1
71	Decorated gourd, small	3	2	1
72	Driftwood, featured in project	3	2	1
73	Pressed flower	3	2	1
74	Other nature craft (natural elements)	3	2	1
<i>Weaving</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
75	Belt	5	4	3
76	Blanket	5	4	3
77	Bracelet	5	4	3
78	Carpet	5	4	3
79	Fabric- must be at least 1x1 yard	5	4	3
80	Hair band	5	4	3
81	Hat	5	4	3
82	Necklace	5	4	3
83	Placemat	5	4	3
84	Scarf	5	4	3
85	Wall hanging	5	4	3
86	Other weaving project	5	4	3
<i>Wood Crafts</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
87	Popsicle Stick Craft	3	2	1
88	Shadow box	3	2	1
89	Craft Kit	3	2	1
<i>Miscellaneous Crafts</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
90	MIXED MEDIA	3	2	1
91	MOBILES	3	2	1
92	MOSAIC	3	2	1
93	SOAP	3	2	1
94	STAINED GLASS	3	2	1
95	STRINGART	3	2	1
96	WIND CHIMES	3	2	1
97	OTHER	3	2	1

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Any medium, unintended purpose		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Bird Feeder	3	2	1
2	Clothing	3	2	1
3	Fashion Accessory/Bag	3	2	1
4	Gift Wrap/Bag	3	2	1
5	Holiday article	3	2	1
6	Household item	3	2	1
7	Jewelry	3	2	1
8	Rug	3	2	1
9	Other Creative Recycling project	3	2	1

Any medium		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Angels	3	2	1
2	Animals	3	2	1
3	Balloon Animal	3	2	1
4	Cornhusk Doll	3	2	1
5	Doll clothing	3	2	1
6	Fairytale Creatures	3	2	1
7	Flowers	3	2	1
8	Homemade Doll	3	2	1
9	Human figure	3	2	1
10	Puppets	3	2	1
11	Snowmen	3	2	1
12	Toy, handmade	5	4	3
13	Toy, kit	3	2	1

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18D – Paper Crafts

<i>Scrapbooking</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
1	Scrapbook, must tell a story	5	3	1
2	Baby Milestones, min. 10 pages	5	3	1
3	Scrapbook Cover	3	2	1
4	Single page	3	2	1
5	Two page spread	4	3	1
<i>3 Dimensional Paper Creations</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
6	Paper Flowers	3	2	1
7	Paper Mailbox	3	2	1
8	Shadow box	3	2	1
9	Treat Box/Container, larger than 6"	4	3	2
10	Treat Box/Container, smaller than 6"	3	2	1
11	Wreath	3	2	1
12	Miscellaneous	3	2	1
<i>Books</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
13	Album/Book Covers	3	2	1
14	Bookmarks	3	2	1
15	Junk Journals	4	3	2
16	Pop Up Books	4	3	2
17	Other paper book	3	2	1
<i>Gifts</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
18	Gift bag	3	2	1
19	Gift box	3	2	1
20	Gift tag	3	2	1
21	Gift set	5	3	2
<i>Greeting Cards</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
22	Birthday	3	2	1
23	Christmas	3	2	1
24	Any Holiday, other than Christmas	3	2	1
25	Pop Up Card	4	2	1
26	3 Dimensional Card	4	2	1
27	Other greeting card	3	2	1
<i>Origami</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
28	Simple, 1 paper	3	2	1
29	Complex, multiple papers	4	2	1
<i>Paper Mache</i>		1st	2nd	3rd
30	2 Dimensional Paper Mache	3	2	1
31	3 Dimensional Paper Mache	4	2	1
32	Paper Making/Marbling	3	2	1
33	Paper craft, mixed technique	4	2	1

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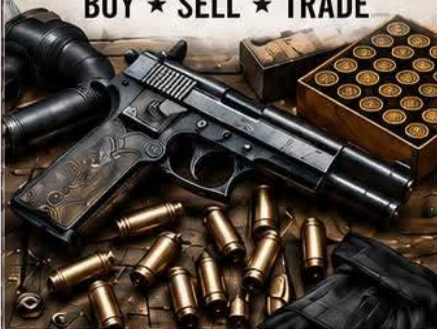
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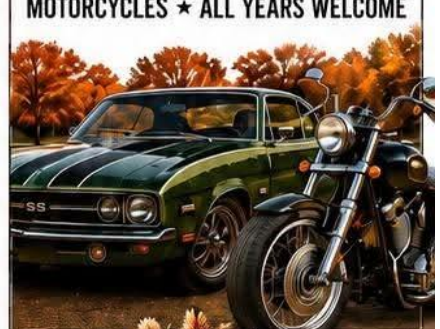
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DEPARTMENT 19: HOBBIES

19A - Photography

PHOTOS MUST BE 4x6. Exhibitors must be amateurs/non-professionals. No frames/glass frames will be accepted due to limited space. One entry per class. The same picture may not be entered in both black and white and colored classes. Photos are to be printed on photographic paper. Photo must be taken by the person entering it. Photo must have been taken within the last 12 months. No inappropriate artwork will be displayed, Official's call.

Section# - Class (A,B,C, etc.) Points 5 3 1

Sections 1-12 all have two classes: images in color or black and white.

1. Portrait
2. Still life (small grouping of inanimate objects such as fruit in a bowl)
3. Action (subjects in motion)
4. Scenic (outdoor photography and natural geographic features in landscape/seascape)
5. Animal
6. Architecture (building and structures)
7. Flora (plants)
8. Nature
 - A. Natural Habitats
 - B. Flowers
9. People
10. Digitally altered (anything above and beyond normal digital processing and optimizing)
11. Beautiful Baby
12. Barn in Newton County (must state location)
13. Old Time Photos (Sepia)
 - A. Family
 - B. Individual
 - C. Couples
14. Other
15. Distinguished Photographer Award (Ribbon Only). Professional or non-professional. Must be stiff matted (no frames). Must be 8 x 10 only.

19B - Collections

Collections must be a set of at least 3 or more and can be in a secure display, container, box, etc.

- | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
| 1. Stamps | 4 3 2 | 14. Shoes | 4 3 2 |
| 2. Coins | 4 3 2 | 15. License Plates | 4 3 2 |
| 3. Sea Shells | 4 3 2 | 16. Signs | 4 3 2 |
| 4. Arrowheads | 4 3 2 | 17. Toys (cars/trucks) | 4 3 2 |
| 5. Awards/Medals | 4 3 2 | 18. Disney Collectibles | 4 3 2 |
| 6. Buttons | 4 3 2 | 19. Sports Cards | 4 3 2 |
| 7. Beads/Necklace | 4 3 2 | 20. Fishing Lures | 4 3 2 |
| 8. Cards | 4 3 2 | 21. Glassware | 4 3 2 |
| 9. Holiday/Keepsake Ornament | 4 3 2 | 22. Dolls | 4 3 2 |
| 10. Handkerchiefs | 4 3 2 | 23. Jewelry | 4 3 2 |
| 11. Lap pins | 4 3 2 | 24. Books | 4 3 2 |
| 12. Entomology (bugs) | 4 3 2 | 25. Matches | 4 3 2 |
| 13. Thimbles | 4 3 2 | 26. Bottles | 4 3 2 |
| | | 27. Other | 4 3 2 |

19C - Genealogy

1. Family Trees	5 3 2
2. Heritage Photos	3 2 1
3. Short Stories (must be typed, 2-page limit)	3 2 1
4. Memorabilia	3 2 1
5. Other	3 2 1

19D – Its A Natural

Items found in nature and entered without alteration other than to display in a manner highlighting their natural beauty and uniqueness.

1. Unusual Rocks	3 2 1	8. Pressed Flower	3 2 1
2. Wood Formations	3 2 1	9. Petrified Wood	3 2 1
3. Butterflies/Moths	3 2 1	10. Turkey Beards	3 2 1
4. Natural Homes	3 2 1	11. Stalactites/Stalagmites	3 2 1
5. Shells	3 2 1	12. Animal Horns	3 2 1
6. Insects	3 2 1	13. Other	3 2 1
7. Seeds	3 2 1		

19E - Creative Writing

Creative writing is anything where the purpose is to express thoughts, feelings and emotions rather than to simply convey information. Creative writing is writing that expresses the writer's thoughts and feelings in an imaginative, often unique, and poetic way. All submissions must be the actual work of the exhibitor. Submissions should have been completed since the previous Newton County Fair or never before exhibited. Each entry should have a cover page with name and author and title of work entered. Youth should also list current school grade. Entries should be in a paper portfolio w/prong or stapled to construction paper.

1. Short Story	4 3 2	6. Limericks	4 3 2
2. Poetry	4 3 2	7. Flash Fiction	4 3 2
3. Autobiography	4 3 2	8. Scripts/Plays	4 3 2
4. Creative Non-Fiction	4 3 2	9. Children's Book	4 3 2
5. Songs	4 3 2	10. Other	4 3 2

19F - Legos

Lego creations should be the original compilation of the exhibitor unless a kit creation is incorporated into the story scene. Any item created from a kit should be entered into the kit class.

1. Scene- must tell a story	4 3 2	4. Kit	4 3 2
2. Structures	4 3 2	5. Other	4 3 2
3. Vehicle	4 3 2		

FINE ART - DEPARTMENT 20A: NOT FRAMED | 20B FRAMED

1. Participants must be non-professionals.
2. All items entered must be ready to hang for display. Items that are matted, mounted, and framed; with hanging device (suitable to support the picture's weight) will be entered into DEPARTMENT 20B as FRAMED ART. Entries stiff matted or mounted and ready to hang with wire and hooks with no frames will be entered into DEPARTMENT 20A as UNFRAMED ART. If artwork is not matted, it will be considered as clothesline art. *Please note: This building is equipped with large fans; therefore, entries must be sturdy and heavy enough not to be blown off the display boards. Minimum "foam/core board weight" recommended. Entries which cannot be properly displayed will not be accepted.*
3. Entries should have secure wire for hanging-no duct or scotch tape or yarn. All entries need to be able to hang securely from a peg hook. No sawtooth hangers will be accepted.
4. Picture must not be smaller than 3" x 5" or larger than 22" x 28", and no more than a 3" edge of mat or mount exposed.
5. NO ARTWORK THAT IS INAPPROPRIATE WILL BE DISPLAYED - SUPERINTENDENT'S CALL.

Sections	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1. Acrylic polymer	5	4	3
2. Casein	5	4	3
3. Chalk	5	4	3
4. Charcoal	5	4	3
5. China Painting	5	4	3
6. Collage	5	4	3
7. Colored Pencil	5	4	3
8. Crayon (freehand)	5	4	3
9. Digital Media Art - Color	5	4	3
10. Digital Media Art- B&W	5	4	3
11. Egg tempera	5	4	3
12. Etching/Engraving	5	4	3
13. Marker Art (freehand)	5	4	3
14. Mixed Media	5	4	3
15. Oils	5	4	3
16. Pastels	5	4	3
17. Pen & Ink	5	4	3
18. Pencil	5	4	3
19. Sand Art	5	4	3
20. Sculpture (all media)	5	4	3
21. Silkscreen or print	5	4	3
22. Tole Painting	5	4	3
23. Watercolor	5	4	3
24. Miscellaneous	5	4	3
25. Cover Art Contest	5	4	3

Classes for each section:

- A. Portrait
- B. Landscape/seascape
- C. Abstract/Non-objective
- D. Wildlife – Animal/Bird
- E. Still life
- F. Floral
- G. Other

2026 ART COMPETITION

Calling all artists, any age!

The Newton County Fair is having an art competition to select the cover art to be featured on the front of next year's catalog. Use any medium and utilize the theme "Boots, Buckles, & Blue Ribbons" as inspiration. Drawings must be on regular size copy paper (8.5 x 11") and be drawn in portrait orientation. It must have "Newton County Fair and Rodeo," the theme, and next year's fair date of August 22-29, 2027. We also encourage you to include your mark or signature on the page so others know your work! Enter your cover art in this

DEPARTMENT 21 EDUCATIONAL BOOTH

Booth spaces are provided to give EHC Clubs, 4-H Clubs, Scouts, FFA and FCCLA Chapters, other youth organizations, and other adult organizations an opportunity to present ideas of practical value in the realm of improved health, profit, convenience or comfort for better family and community life. No businesses may enter this department. (See Commercial Booths) All booths will be judged by the scorecard shown below. Exhibits must represent recommended practices. Notification of entry must be submitted to the Newton County Extension Office or Exhibit Building Superintendent, Samantha Stewart. All booths are 4 ft. x 4 ft. No supplies will be provided for booths. Junior exhibits should be constructed by youth involved, with adult supervision only. Exhibits may be put in place on Sunday and must be removed between 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. the following Sunday. For other pick-up times not listed, please contact the Superintendent of Buildings at 870-280-8408 or the Newton County Fair Board at 870-446-6234. Booths will be judged on Monday. The following premiums will be paid: blue ribbon - 15 points; red ribbon - 10 points; and white ribbon - 5 points. Electricity is available. If your booth needs electricity, make it easily accessible for building volunteers to turn on/off during building hours.

SCORE CARD FOR EDUCATIONAL BOOTH

Component	Possible Points
The Exhibit Appropriateness of Theme	0-10
Educational Message <i>Timely, important, practical message suited for the viewing audience</i>	0-10
Title <i>Attracts attention through attractive, catchy title, easy to read, color, size</i>	0-10
Impression <i>Catchy, neat and easy to read, appropriate scale and placement of design elements</i>	0-20
Design <i>Good use of color, center of interest, unity of movement, contrast, balance of proportion and scale,</i>	0-20
Effectiveness of Messaging <i>Accurate message, concise and simple, only one subject covered, unnecessary material eliminated, increases knowledge/changes attitude toward subject, creates a desire for improvement</i>	0-30
TOTAL POINTS	100

DEPARTMENT 22: FIELD CROPS

Vegetables showing obvious signs of spoilage will be discarded. All classes will be awarded 3 points for first place, 2 points for second place, and 1 point for third place ribbons.

1. Apples (3)
 - A. Arkansas Black
 - B. Grimes Golden
 - C. Jonathan
 - D. Red Delicious
 - E. Winesap
 - F. Yellow Delicious
 - G. Granny Smith
 - H. Other
2. Blueberries (3)
3. Nectarines (3)
4. Peaches (3)
5. Pears (3)
6. Plums (3)
7. Raspberries (3)
8. Strawberries (3)
9. Grapes (1 bunch)
10. Beans, snap (6)
 - A. Green
 - B. Other
11. Beans (3)
12. Broccoli (3)
13. Cabbage (3)
14. Cantaloupe (1)
15. Cauliflower (3)
16. Honeydew Melon (1)
17. Carrots (3)
18. Corn - 3 ears
 - A. Ornamental
 - B. Field
 - C. Sweet (yellow)
 - D. Sweet (mixed)
19. Cucumbers (3)
20. Eggplant (1)
21. Garlic (3)
22. Kale (3)
23. Leeks (3)
24. Lettuce (3)
 - A. Head
 - B. Leaf
 - C. Other
25. Mushrooms (3)
26. Radishes (3)
27. Rhubarb (3)
28. Rutabagas (3)
29. Spinach (3)
30. Gourds
31. Hay - 1 block
 - A. Alfalfa
 - B. Bermuda
 - C. Fescue
 - D. Orchard Grass
 - E. Other
32. Okra (6)
33. Onions (3)
 - A. White
 - B. Red
 - C. Yellow
 - D. Evergreen/Scallions
 - E. Other
34. Peanuts - 1 quart
35. Peas, in pod - (12)
 - A. Black-eyed and black-eyed Crowder type
 - B. Cream and cream Crowder type
 - C. Purple hull
 - D. Other
36. Pears
37. Peppers
 - A. Banana, hot - 6
 - B. Banana, sweet - 3
 - C. Bell Green - 3
 - D. Bell Red - 3
 - E. Bell Yellow - 3
 - F. Ornamental - 6
 - G. Small, hot - 6
 - H. Jalapeno - 6
 - I. Habanero - 6
 - J. Chili - 6
 - K. Cayenne - 6
 - L. Other - 6
38. Potatoes (3)
39. Pumpkin
 - A. Field
 - B. "Pie" pumpkin
 - C. Other
40. Sorghum - 3 stalks
41. Squash 3 2 1
 - A. Acorn - 1
 - B. Butternut - 1
 - C. Cushaw - 1
 - F. Yellow - 3
 - G. Zucchini - 3

- H. Other - 3
- 42. Sunflower
- 43. Tomatoes
 - A. Cherry red - 6
 - B. Cherry yellow - 6
 - C. Large type, red or pink - 3
 - D. Large type, yellow - 3
 - E. Pear type - 6
 - F. Large type, green - 3
 - G. Tomatillos
 - H. Cherokee purple
 - I. Other
- 44. Turnips (3)
- 45. Treenuts, hulled – (6)
 - A. Walnut
 - B. Pecan
 - C. Hickory
 - D. Other
- 46. Watermelon
- 47. Herb (10 leaves or 3 sprigs)
 - A. Basil
 - B. Chives
 - C. Dill (Head & Foliage)
 - D. Mint
 - E. Parsley
 - F. Rosemary
 - G. Sage
 - H. Oregano
 - I. Thyme

- J. Parsnips
- K. Ginseng
- L. Other
- (Note: Dried herbs enter in Dept. 14)
- 48. Spice (seed in a small ziplock bag)
 - A. False Coriander
 - B. Fenugreek
 - C. Celeriac
 - D. Aniseed
 - E. Poppy Seed
 - F. Fennel
 - G. Cumin
 - H. Celery Seed
 - I. Anardana
 - J. Dill
 - K. Mustard
 - L. Coriander
 - M. Caraway
 - N. Ajowan
 - O. Other
- 49. Vegetable Ornamental Basket
- 50. Fruit Ornamental Basket
- 51. Mixed Fruit & Vegetable Ornamental Basket
- 52. Giant Pumpkin
- 53. Giant Watermelon
- 54. Chinkapin (1 Burr)
- 55. Other

DEPARTMENT 22A: EGGS

Due to the tendency of quick spoilage and foul odor eggs must be removed after judging, container can remain. Eggs must be in an egg carton with a total of 3 eggs, no more or no less. Cartons may be cut to conserve space and waste.

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| 1. Chicken/white eggs | 3 2 1 | 7. Guinea eggs | 3 2 1 |
| 2. Chicken/brown eggs | 3 2 1 | 8. Turkey eggs | 3 2 1 |
| 3. Chicken/blue eggs | 3 2 1 | 9. Duck eggs | 3 2 1 |
| 4. Chicken/green eggs | 3 2 1 | 10. Geese eggs | 3 2 1 |
| 5. Chicken/pink eggs | 3 2 1 | 11. Other | 3 2 1 |
| 6. Banty eggs | 3 2 1 | | |

DEPARTMENT 23: APIARY

Must be in standard pint or quart jars with rust free lids. Jars do not have to be sealed. All classes will be awarded 3 points for first place, 2 points for second place, and 1 point for third place ribbons.

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| 1. Dark Honey w/out comb | 3. Light Hone w/out comb |
| 2. Dark Honey with comb | 4. Light Honey with comb |

DEPARTMENT 24: HOME FURNISHING

Woodworking/Woodcarving

Section# - Class (A,B,C, etc.) Points

1. Large furniture	20 10 5	7. Bird houses	5 3 2
A. Dining Table		A. Small under 12"	
B. Dining Chair/stools		B. Large 12" and over	
D. Rocking Chair		8. Butterfly/ Bat houses	5 3 2
E. Picnic Table		9. Bird Feeders	5 3 2
F. Coffee/End Table		10. Miniature Wood Houses	10 5 3
G. Porch Swing		A. Doll	
H. Bench		B. Log Cabin	
J. Cradle		C. Barn	
L. Cedar Chest		D. Other	
M. Other		11. Miniature Wood Buildings	10 5 3
2. Small furniture	15 10 5	B. City	
A. Child's Picnic Table		C. Farm	
B. Foot Stool		D. Other	
C. Food Tray		12. Wood Inlay	5 3 2
E. Bread Box		A. Small under 6"	
F. Toy Storage Bin		B. Medium 6-18"	
G. Game Board		C. Large: 18" and over	
H. Coat/Hat Rack		13. Items made from kits	5 3 2
J. Cross		14. Outdoor wooden item	5 3 2
K. Trinket Box		16. Jewelry Box	5 3 2
L. Key Holder		18. Jewelry	5 3 2
M. Recipe Box		19. Scrollwork	5 3 2
P. Gun Rack		A. Under 8"	
Q. Frame		B. Over 8"	
S. Spice Rack		22. Intarsia	5 3 2
T. Quilt Rack		24. Musical Instruments	5 3 2
U. Wishing Well		26. Doll House Furniture	5 3 2
V. Yard Sign		27. Shelves	5 3 2
Y. Other		A. Book	
3. Bowls	5 3 2	B. Display	
4. Vases	5 3 2	C. Mantle	
5. Clocks	5 3 2	D. Other	
6. Toys	5 3 2	28. Novelty	5 3 2
A. Puzzle		A. Business Card Holder	
C. Animals		B. Place Setting Card Holder	
E. Train		C. Back Scratcher	
F. Truck/Car		D. Coasters	
H. Doll		E. Chop Sticks	
I. Baseball Bat		G. Comb	
K. Watercraft		H. Other	
L. Aircraft		29. Signs	5 3 2
N. Whistle		B. Painted	
P. Other		J. Routed	

K. Wood Burning			A. Ornaments	
I. Other			B. Santas	
30. Cut Wood Craft	5 3 2		C. Nativity Set	
E. Fish			D. Angel	
F. Animal			E. Other	
G. Bird			50. Kitchen Items	5 3 2
J. Other			A. Rolling Pin	
32. Caricatures - humans	5 3 2		D. Spoon	
33. Caricatures - animals	5 3 2		E. Fork	
34. Caricatures - Set	5 3 2		F. Butter Knife	
35. Realistic animals- Set 2 or more	5 3 2		G. Cutting Board	
36. Realistic birds	5 3 2		H. Ladle	
38. Realistic fish - Set 2 or more	5 3 2		J. Other	
39. Realistic Human Busts and Figures	5 3 2		51. Candle Holder	5 3 2
40. Driftwood or bark carving	5 3 2		52. Wooden Wall Hanging	5 3 2
41. Relief Carving	5 3 2		53. Decorative Item	5 3 2
A. Low – no undercutting			A. Feather	
C. High – undercutting			B. Flower	
42. Chip carving	5 3 2		C. Leaf	
45. Lamp	5 3 2		D. Fruit	
46. Bottle Stopper	5 3 2		E. Key Chain/Ring	
47. Woodburning	5 3 2		F. Book Marker	
48. Canes/Walking Sticks	5 3 2		G. Other	
49. Christmas	5 3 2		54. Other	5 3 2

DEPARTMENT 26: PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Judging will be based on workmanship, creativity and appearance. To enter exhibit, refer to the department you are entering in. May enter an exhibit in any division 12 through 25.

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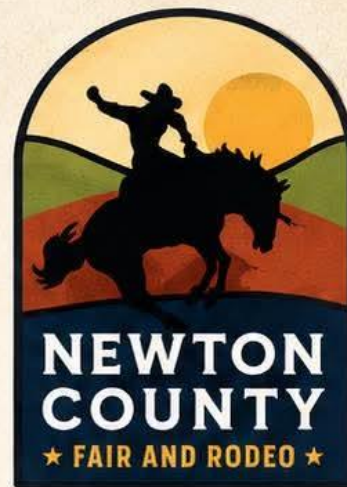
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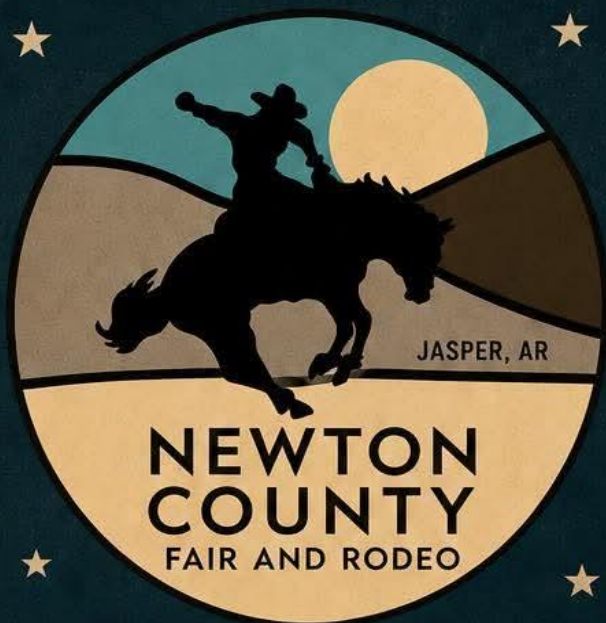
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