

RULES FOR ALL EXHIBITORS

*****IMPORTANT NOTICE: CHANGE for 2010*****

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CHECKS NOT CASHED WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE SHOW WILL BECOME NULL AND VOID.

1. The Board of Directors of the Butler Farm Show has the right to accept or refuse any entries.
2. All exhibitors agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of Butler Farm Show. The show management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules and regulations as its judgment may determine.
3. **NO alcoholic beverages, drugs, dogs or pets permitted on the grounds. (Only seeing eye dogs will be admitted.) Persons using alcohol or other controlled substances will be expelled from the grounds. Minors caught drinking will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.**
4. Exhibitors will comply with all directions given by a Director, Farm Show Official or any police or security officer. Failure to immediately comply with the directions will be cause for the exhibitor to be disqualified and be prohibited from entering any future Butler Farm Show exhibitions or showings.
5. Violations of the rules or conduct contrary to the best interest of the Butler Farm Show will not be permitted. Exhibitors or others who persist in such violations or conduct will be asked to remove their exhibits and to leave the grounds. No fees or charges will be refunded and premiums will not be paid in such cases.
6. The exhibitor agrees to and shall assume all risks of bodily injury to animals or damage to any property.
7. If you have exhibited in any department in the last seven years, you already have an exhibitor's number. Your exhibitor's number starts with the initial of your last name. This letter must be included when you write your number. Use the same exhibitor's number for everything you enter in every department.
8. All exhibits and exhibitors will be ready at 9:00 a.m. on the first day of show.
9. Reasonable care will be taken to protect all exhibits on display from injury and damage, but **the show cannot, in any way, be held responsible for accidents, loss or damage by water, fire, theft, or otherwise, whatever may be the cause or extent of the damage or loss.**

10. Exhibits and/or exhibitors leaving the show early will NOT receive premium checks; they will FORFEIT all award money.
11. Premiums as listed may be given for meritorious exhibits. In cases where there is no competition, judges may give an award such as they deem the exhibit is worthy to receive. Same rule applies where there are fewer entries 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 deserves. Placement and premium on single entries in a class will be determined by the judge.
12. **The show reserves the right to determine how many entries they will accept from any exhibitor in the same class or, in the case of livestock, the same species.**
13. The decision of the judges will be final in all cases except where mistakes, fraud, misrepresentation or collusion, not discovered at the time of judging, is proven. In that case, such person(s) as the Board of Directors may appoint will make the decision.
14. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to present a plainly-marked entry tab showing the name of the exhibit they are entering. Any item entered improperly will be disqualified to receive a prize, but the judges will mark the correct name of the entry on the tag for the benefit of the owner. If award ribbons are stolen or destroyed, the exhibitor may receive a duplicate, free of charge, at the close of the show.
15. Committees reserve the right to refuse any entry. Furthermore, the committees reserve the right to bar from competition animals, vegetables, flowers, poultry products and home-produced articles of decidedly inferior quality and/or those not possessing sufficient merit to warrant recognition.
16. **If the show management believes that any exhibits were made in previous years or not made by the exhibitor, those exhibits may be refused or disqualified.**
17. The show management may, at any time, order the removal of any exhibit or part of exhibit in bad condition, and any article unfit to show may be excluded. Exhibits may NOT be removed at any time before the close of the show except by consent of the management. **Removal of an exhibit without consent of the department superintendent will forfeit all premiums.**
18. During the judging, buildings, except livestock arenas, are closed to everyone except fair officials, judges, and necessary attendants. An exhibitor or his/her agent shall NOT communicate with the judge during time of determining the awards, except to answer questions proposed by the judges. Any exhibitor interfering with the judge while making awards shall forfeit any premiums to which he would otherwise be entitled.

**ATTENTION EXHIBITORS:
DO NOT USE SCREWS, STAPLES, NAILS, OR
HARDWARE OF ANY TYPE ON THE TENT POLES.**

DEPARTMENT 11 YOUTHS UNDER 19

(For youths ONLY under 19 years of age, including 4-H & FFA members)

SUPERINTENDENT – STACIE BONETTI
ASST. SUPERINTENDENT – SUE BRENNAN

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1. Refer to Rules for all Exhibitors (Page 21).
2. Bring entries to the Farm Products Building between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 8, 2010. Exhibits must be picked up between 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 15. Please use the Buttercup Entrance (Gate 2). Exhibits not claimed will be disposed of at the discretion of the committee. The Farm Show cannot be held responsible for damage or loss. Removal of any exhibits before Sunday will result in loss of all premiums.
3. Exhibitors must have an exhibitor's number. Call the office in July to obtain a new number or retrieve your number from previous years. It starts with the initial of your last name.
4. Write AGE of exhibitor on the entry tag.
5. One entry per class per exhibitor.
6. Produce must be current year crop and grown by the exhibitor. If the Farm Show management believes that any of the entries were not home-grown or were shown in previous years, those entries may be refused or disqualified.
7. The judges are permitted to open and sample all products as necessary for competent judging. Judges may refuse to make any award if, in their judgement, the exhibit is unworthy, or they may make an award according to the merit of the exhibit. Placement and premium on a single entry in a class will be determined by the judge.
8. Decisions of the judges are final in all cases.
9. The Farm Products Building is closed during judging and set-up on Monday.

DEPT. 11 SECTION 1 YOUTH VEGETABLES

The market demand is for vegetables of medium rather than extreme size. Over-grown vegetables are likely to be woody or pithy. The specimens should be clean, uniform in size and shape, and free from blemishes, insect injury, or disease. Carrots, beets and other root crops should have tops removed, leaving about 2 inches of stems.

- Class** 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00
1. Beans, Green Snap – 10 specimens
 2. Beans, Yellow Snap – 10 specimens
 3. Beets, Table – 3 specimens without tops
 4. Broccoli – 1 primary head
 5. Cabbage – 1 specimen untrimmed, cut off roots, keep on outer leaves
 6. Carrots – 5 specimens without tops
 7. Corn, Sweet – 5 ears, husks on
 8. Cucumbers, Pickling – 8 specimens, under 5"
 9. Cucumbers, Slicing – 3 specimens, over 5"
 10. Eggplant – 1 specimen
 11. Gourds – 3 specimens
 12. Herbs, any variety – 3 stalks
 13. Most unusual vegetable
 14. Onions – top removed, unpeeled, 5 specimens
 15. Peas – 10 pods
 16. Peppers, Hot – 3 specimens
 17. Peppers, Sweet – 3 specimens
 18. Potatoes – 5 specimens
 19. Pumpkin – Any variety, 1 specimen
 20. Squash – Any other summer variety (not zucchini), 1 spec.
 21. Tomatoes, Green – 5 specimens
 22. Tomatoes, Ripe – 5 specimens
 23. Tomatoes, Small, Fruited – 10 specimens
 24. Zucchini – 1 specimen, not over 2 lbs.
 25. Any other vegetable
 26. PENNSYLVANIA GROWN FANCY BASKET – 5 or more kinds of home-grown vegetables attractively displayed

DEPT. 11 SECTION 2 YOUTH FRUIT

- Class** 1st – \$4.00 2nd – \$3.00 3rd – \$2.00
1. Apples – 5 specimens
 2. Berries – 1 pint
 3. Peaches – 5 specimens
 4. Pears – 5 specimens
 5. Melon – 1 specimen

DEPT. 11 SECTION 3 YOUTH FOODS

1. Any product needing refrigeration will not be accepted.
2. Products must be displayed on disposable ware.
3. DO NOT use box mixes or canned frosting. Judges can tell the difference.

- Class** 1st – \$3.00 2nd – \$2.00 3rd – \$1.00

QUICK BREADS

1. Fruit or Nut Bread – 1 loaf
2. Muffins – 5 specimens

YEAST BREADS & ROLLS

3. Bread, white or wheat – 1 loaf
4. Cinnamon Rolls – 5 specimens
5. Rolls, white or wheat – 5 specimens

BUTTER CAKES – Iced

6. Cakes – 2 layers
7. Cup Cakes – 5 specimens

CANDY – 5 specimens weighing at least 1/2 lb.

8. Fudge Chocolate
9. Fudge Light
10. Peanut Brittle
11. Any other

DEPT. 11 SECTION 3 YOUTH FOODS (CONTINUED)

COOKIES – 5 Cookies

12. Bar Cookies
13. Chocolate Chip Cookies
14. Cookie Cutter Cookies
15. Drop Cookies – Any other
16. Filled Cookies
17. No Bake Cookies
18. Pressed Cookies (From a cookie press or pastry tube)
19. Rolled Cookies
20. Sliced Cookies
21. Any other cookie

CANNED PRODUCTS - 1 standard clear glass jar

22. Canned Fruit - any variety (1 quart)
23. Canned Vegetables - any variety (1 quart)
24. Jellies or Jams (1/2 pint or pint)

DEPT. 11 SECTION 4 YOUTH FLORAL EXHIBIT

1. All flowers are judged on quality and perfection of growth. They should be of one color and size with no addition of fern or other greens. They must consist of the specified number of blooms, spikes or stems in good condition when judged.
2. All flowers must be displayed in unbreakable containers which will hold the specimens securely and not fall easily. Entries in unsuitable containers may be rejected by the Farm Show committee. We are not responsible for broken vases.

- Class** 1st – \$3.00 2nd – \$2.00 3rd – \$1.00

ANNUALS – CUT FLOWERS

1. Asters – 3 blooms
2. Bachelor Buttons – 3 blooms
3. Calendula – 3 blooms
4. Cosmos – 3 blooms
5. Dahlias – 3 blooms
6. Gailardia – 3 blooms
7. Gladiola – 1 spike
8. Marigold – 3 blooms
9. Nasturtium – 3 blooms
10. Pansy – 3 blooms
11. Petunia – 3 blooms
12. Snapdragons – 3 spikes
13. Strawflowers – 3 blooms
14. Sunflower – 1 head
15. Mini Sunflower – 1 stem
16. Sweetpeas – 3 stems
17. Zinnia, under 2" – 3 blooms
18. Zinnia, 2" & over – 3 blooms
19. All other annuals

PERENNIALS – CUT FLOWERS

20. Ageratum – 3 stems
21. Chrysanthemum – 3 stems
22. Delphinium – 1 spike
23. Dianthus – 3 blooms
24. Lillies – 1 stalk
25. Roses – 1 bloom
26. All other perennials

FOLIAGE PLANTS – POTTED

27. Begonia
28. Cacti
29. Coleus
30. Ferns
31. Geranium
32. Ivy
33. Philodendron
34. Any other flowering plant

35. ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENT –

Arrangement of either fresh flowers and/or other plant.

DEPT. 11 SECTION 5

YOUTH NEEDLECRAFT/CLOTHING

Items in classes 1-13 must be fabric & sewn by the exhibitor.

- Class** 1st – \$3.00 2nd – \$2.00 3rd – \$1.00

1. Back Pack/ Purse/ Tote Bag
2. Blouse/ Shirt/ T-Shirt
3. Dress – Any style
4. Hat or Cap
5. Jacket
6. Pillow – Sewing only
7. Pillow – Needlecraft

DEPT. 11 SEC. 5 NEEDLECRAFT/CLOTHING (CONT.)

8. Potholders
 9. Shorts
 10. Slacks/ Skirt – Any material
 11. Separates – 2 or more pieces
 12. Useful article – Sewing only, no crafts
 13. Vest
- KNITTING AND CROCHETING**
14. Knitting – Useful Articles
 15. Crocheting – Useful Articles

DEPT. 11 SECTION 6 SPECIAL HANDSPUN NEEDLECRAFT CONTEST

SPONSORED BY THE
BUTLER SPINNERS AND WEAVERS GUILD
CONTACT: LINDA GROSS (724-445-3418)

Premiums: 1st - \$15 2nd - \$10 3rd - \$5
Class 1. Any item knitted or crocheted using yarn that has been hand spun by the exhibitor.

The Butler Spinners and Weavers are willing to help any of the youth exhibitors learn to spin the yarn.

DEPT. 11 SECTION 7 YOUTH HANDCRAFTS

If an article is hanging, it MUST be framed.

- Class** 1st – \$3.00 2nd – \$2.00 3rd – \$1.00

1. All Bead Work (Other than jewelry) NEW CLASS
2. Calligraphy, Sentence or poem NEW CLASS
3. Ceramics or Pottery
4. Dolls
5. Embellished Ready-Made Wearable Item
6. Embellished Ready-Made Non-Wearable Item
7. Dry Flower Arrangement
8. Jewelry (must be homemade)
9. Metalcraft
10. Needlecraft – Any Cross Stitch
11. Needlecraft – Embroidered
12. Needlecraft – Novelty (including plastic canvas)
13. PAPIER MACHE – No larger than 2 square feet
14. PAPER CRAFT (origami, quilling, etc.)
15. Puppets
16. Stuffed Animals
17. Stained Glass
18. Weaving
19. Woodcraft
20. Wood Carving
21. Any Other Craft - Age 6 and under
22. Any Other Craft - Ages 7 through 12
23. Any Other Craft - Ages 13 through 18

DEPT. 11 SEC. 8 YOUTH PAINTINGS / DRAWINGS

1. NO LARGER THAN 2 feet by 3 feet
2. All paintings & drawings must be framed & ready for hanging with a substantial hanger; no tape.

- Class** 1st – \$3.00 2nd – \$2.00 3rd – \$1.00

1. Acrylics - Ages 12 and under
2. Acrylics - Ages 13 through 18
3. Charcoal & Pastels - Ages 12 and under
4. Charcoal & Pastels - Ages 13 through 18
5. Mixed Media - Any age
6. Pen & Ink - Ages 12 and under
7. Pen & Ink - Ages 13 through 18
8. Pencil - Multi color - Ages 12 and under

SPECIAL BAKING CONTESTS

See Department 22 Section 305 (Page 119)

Apple Pie Contest
Angel Food Cake Contest
Hershey's Cake Contest
Hershey's Chocolate Cookies
Contest for Youth
Special Baking Contest

DEPT. 11 SEC. 8 PAINTINGS & DRAWINGS (CONT.)

9. Pencil - Multi color - Ages 13 through 18
10. Pencil - One color - Ages 12 and under
11. Pencil - One color - Ages 13 through 18
12. Oil Paint - Original - Ages 12 and under
13. Oil Paint - Original - Ages 13 through 18
14. Water Colors - Ages 12 and under 13
15. Water Colors - Ages 13 through 18

**DEPT. 11 SECTION 9 YOUTH PHOTOGRAPHS
(SINGLE PHOTOS ONLY)**

1. Photos are not to be framed. Photos with any type of frame or matting will NOT be accepted. (The committee will place the photo in a page protector.)
2. Photos larger than 8" x 10" will NOT be accepted.
3. Photos must be kept in their original shape. In order to present each photo in a standard design, only rectangular-shaped photos will be accepted.
4. Each photo will be judged on print clarity and quality, interest of subject, composition of picture and camera technique.

PHOTO, 5" X 7" ONLY

1. Animals
2. People
3. Any Other

PHOTO, 8" X 10" ONLY

4. Animals
5. People
6. Any Other

**DEPT. 22 SECTION 305 CLASS 4
HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE YOUTH COOKIES**



**2010 HERSHEY'S COCOA CLASSIC
COOKIE, BROWNIE, OR BAR
BAKING CONTEST**

**SPONSORED BY
THE HERSHEY COMPANY,
PA DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, &
THE PA STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY FAIRS**

**Baked goods,
with the recipes for the entry and topping,
should be brought to the Farm Products Building
between 1 and 4 p.m. on Sunday, August 8, 2010.**

Butler Farm Show Premiums:
1st 2nd 3rd
\$20.00 \$15.00 \$10.00

The first place winner is eligible for the
2011 PA STATE FARM SHOW competition.

1. Exhibitor must be an individual (age 8 through and including 18 ONLY) who is a PA resident; one entry per person.
2. Butler Farm Show Exhibitors must have an exhibitor's number. Call the office in July to obtain your number.
3. Entry must be a plate of six (6) cookies, brownies, or bars made from "scratch" (no mixes).
4. A minimum of 1/2 cup of HERSHEY'S BAKING CHIPS (any variety) must be used and listed as "HERSHEY'S" plus the name of the specific chip variety in the cookie/brownie/bar batter part of the recipe.
5. FROSTING/DRIZZLE: If chocolate frosting and/or drizzle is used, HERSHEY'S COCOA must be used and listed as "HERSHEY'S COCOA" in the frosting/drizzle recipe.
6. If candy, chocolate, or flavored baking chips products are used, they must be HERSHEY'S, REESE'S or HEATH branded products and listed with their brand name in the recipe. (See *hersheys.com* for complete product list.)
7. Entry must be submitted for judging on a doily set on top of cardboard or a disposable plate.
8. Recipe(s) listing all the ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions must be submitted with the entry (printed on one-side of an 8-1/2" x 11" size paper). Entrant's name, address, and phone number must be printed on the back of all the pages.
9. Any entry that requires refrigeration after baking will NOT be accepted for food safety reasons. (Ex: no whipping cream, frozen toppings, cream cheese, custards, etc.)
10. Judging Criteria:

Flavor	30 points
<i>(aroma, taste, balance of flavors)</i>	
Texture	25 points
<i>(appropriate for the type of product)</i>	
Inside Characteristics	20 points
<i>(even grain, evenly baked, no air pockets)</i>	
Outside Characteristics	15 points
<i>(consistent shape/size/surface; overall appeal)</i>	
Creativity	10 points
	100 points

Prizes for the State Hershey Cookie/Brownie/Bar Winners:
1st = \$250, 2nd = \$100, 3rd = \$50