

FLORICULTURE 2024

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Rules and Regulations

- 1.All exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor.
- 2.Use fresh flowers in arrangements unless specified otherwise.
- 3.One entry per exhibitor in each section.
- 4.Exhibitors must supply all vessels for their exhibits.
- 5.No flexible containers to be used. Be sure containers are heavy enough to hold top heavy flowers such as gladiolus.
- 6.Containers should be as specified as they are considered in the judging.
- 7.Entries will be received between 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM, Friday, August 16, 2024.
- 8.Exhibits must be left until 4:00 pm, Sunday, August 18, 2024. No early removals please.
- 9.See complete MTAS Rules and Regulations on the website.

All floriculture entries must be registered using the Assist Expo link that will be available on the www.southmountainfair.ca website closer to fair time. Deadline for online entries is midnight Thursday August 15, 2024

Late entries (without registration on Assist Expo) are allowed and will be registered on Friday when brought to the Exhibit Hall.

CLASS 1: CUT FLOWERS

Prizes: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

1. Asters, 3 blooms, one or mixed colour.
2. Collection of annuals, 3 different kinds – 2 spikes, sprays or stems of each kind, in one container – labelled.
3. Collection of perennials 3 different kinds, 2 stems of each, in one container.
4. Coneflowers, 3 blooms, any colour.
5. Cosmos, 5 blooms, mixed colours.
6. Dahlias, over 6", 1 bloom.
7. Dahlias, 2 blooms, one colour, under 6" in diameter.
8. Gladiolus, 1 spike of one colour, in a suitable container.
9. Gladiolus, 1 spike, one variety, bi-colour or tri-colour, in a suitable container.
10. Gladiolus, 5 spikes of any colour, bicour or tricolour, in a suitable container.
11. Geranium, 1 bloom with own green foliage.
12. Hydrangea, coloured, 3 stems, with foliage.
13. Hydrangea, white, 3 stems, with foliage.
14. Hydrangea, largest bloom.
15. Marigolds, 1"-2" in diameter, 3 blooms.
16. Marigolds, 2"-4" in diameter, 3 blooms.

17. Marigolds, white or cream, 3 blooms
18. Pansies, with own foliage, 3 blooms (no violas)
19. Petunias, any type or size, 3 blooms
20. Phlox, 3 sprays, perennials, any solid colour.
21. Phlox, 3 sprays, perennials, multi-coloured blooms.
22. Rose floated in a rose bowl, with foliage.
23. Rudbeckia, 3 blooms.
24. Snapdragons, 3 spikes, mixed colours.
25. Sunflowers, 1 stem, under 5 inches, any colour.
26. Sunflowers, 1 stem, over 5 inches, any colour.
27. Sweet peas, 3 stems, assorted colours.
28. Zinnias, 1" - 3", 3 blooms with own foliage.
29. Zinnias, over 3", 3 blooms with own foliage.

CLASS 2: POTTED PLANTS

Prizes: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

30. Foliage, coleus in a pot
31. Succulent, any kind, in a pot
32. Potted fern

CLASS 3: COLLECTION

Prizes: 1st \$7.00, 2nd \$5.00

33. Planted Herbs, minimum of 5 in a suitable container, herbs must be labelled.
34. Collection of succulents in a suitable container.

CLASS 4: BEST PLANTER

Prizes: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$7.00, 3rd \$5.00

35. Garden planter using assorted flowers in bloom, and vines (vines optional).
36. Outdoor hanging flower container.

CLASS 5: ARRANGEMENTS

Prizes: 1st \$10.00, 2nd \$5.00, 3rd \$4.00

37. "Meadow Box" – Using wild flowers, garden flowers, grasses, twigs, moss, rocks, etc. create an arrangement in a window box type container approx. 24 to 30 inches long and 6 inches wide. Arrangement should depict a meadow scene/landscape.
38. "Welcome to Fall" - An arrangement using fall colours on a grapevine wreath.
39. "Pint Size" – An arrangement in a pint mason jar to be viewed from all sides.
40. "Summer Light" – An arrangement in a 4 sided lantern using pastel coloured flowers.
41. "Tussie Mussie" – A small hand tied bouquet of dried or fresh flowers and/or herbs. Please include meaning of 3 stems used on entry tag. Bouquet may include ribbon or lace.
42. "Tea Time" – An arrangement using a teacup with saucer as the container.

CLASS 6: SPECIAL

Prizes: 1st \$30.00 gift certificate from Brokor Greenhouses, 2nd \$10.00, 3rd \$10.00

43. Arrangement using only green and white foliage and flowers.

KIDS FLORICULTURE

Kid's Rules and Regulations

1. All classes are fresh flowers only.
2. Flowers must be home-grown, by child or parent.
3. All containers are to be supplied by the exhibitor.

Prize money for each category in Kids Flower Division

Prizes: 1st \$4.00, 2nd \$3.00, 3rd \$2.00

7 YEARS AND UNDER

1. "One More Time". An arrangement of flowers in a vegetable.
2. "Hug a Toy". An arrangement in a toy.

8 to 11 YEARS

3. "Welcome To Autumn". Fall colour floral arrangement displayed in a can. Accessories may be used. 50% for can and 50% for flowers.
4. "Was an Old Lady Who Lived in a Shoe". Create an arrangement depicting this nursery rhyme. Accessories may be used.

12 to 16 YEARS

5. "Outside the Box". An arrangement of fresh flowers displayed in an unusual container.
6. "ABC". An arrangement of fresh flowers with names that start with the letters A, B, and C (name flowers used).
7. "Merry Christmas". A Christmas centerpiece using fresh greenery and garden flowers.