

SYKES HALL EXHIBITS 2019

Catalog and Registration Instructions

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

- REGISTRATION MUST BE COMPLETED ONLINE.
- THERE WILL BE NO IN PERSON OR MAIL IN REGISTRATIONS.
- PREMIUMS UNDER \$25.00 WILL BE PAID OUT DURING THE WEEK OF THE FAIR AND MUST BE PICKED UP AT THE FAIRGROUNDS.

HOW TO ENTER AN EXHIBIT IN THE 2019 FAIR

- To register exhibits, please go to <http://loudou.fairwire.com>.
- You must create an account. to register your exhibits online.
- Payment for entries can be made online or can be made when you drop off your entry. Cash, check, and credit cards will be accepted.

TO CREATE YOUR ACCOUNT

- Once you are at the ShoWorks Web Login for the Loudoun County Fair,
 - Go to the Navigation Pane,
 - Choose Exhibitor Registration.
 - Click the I am a new exhibitor button.
 - Please fill in all new exhibitor information.
 - Please follow the remaining steps → entries → items → review → payment → confirm → finish.
- "OPEN" group---Enter "NONE" for 4-H clubs.
- You may NOT enter more than one item in the same class.
- There is a fee of \$ 20 per person, up to 5 items is charged for OPEN group.
- Additional items may be registered for a fee of \$4 per item.
- All registration fees should be paid via credit card at time of registration on the Sykes Hall Page
- If you need to delete items that have been registered please send an email with your deletions. to: Sykes.Hall@loudouncountyfair.com
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EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION

- Deadline for early bird entry to receive a FREE weekly pass--, JUNE 30, 2019, MIDNIGHT, EST. Your early bird online registration and payment via credit card must

be completed by MIDNIGHT EST June 30, 2019 in order to receive your free weekly pass.

- NOTE: FREE WEEKLY PASS only applies to OPEN (NON-4H) exhibitors and is limited to one per person no matter how many entries are paid.

ON TIME REGISTRATION

- On time registration must be completed by midnight EST July 14, 2019.
- Registration is not complete unless payment is received.
- 4-H participants may enter up to 25 items at no charge
- 4-H participants will not receive a free weekly pass for entering early. An armband, which grants you admission to the fairgrounds all week, will be distributed at the mandatory fair cleanup.
- Deadline for all entries--SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2019, MIDNIGHT, EST.
- There will be no refunds of fees for scratched entries
- If you have any questions or problems regarding your on-line registration, or if you need an accommodation because you do not have access to a computer, contact the Sykes Hall committee at Sykes.Hall@loudouncountyfair.com.

DROP OFF

- Registered exhibits should be dropped off in the lower level of Sykes Hall at the Loudoun County Fairgrounds on Saturday July 20, 2019 between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.
- Exhibit drop off for Baked Goods (18-21) or Flowers (26) will also occur on Sunday July 21, 2019 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. This additional drop off is for these divisions only and is to allow for maximum freshness and quality.
- You may have a delegate drop off your entries for you.
- No exhibit will be accepted after these dates and corresponding times.

Important Information:

- There is NO LIMIT on the number of entries.
- All exhibits must be the original work of a non-professional exhibitor.
- Exhibits that have been awarded a ribbon or premium in previous years may not be entered again.
- Exhibitors may submit only one exhibit per Class.
- This is an amateur community competition. Entries by professionals in any class or category will not be accepted at check in. If your exhibit is accepted but later found to be entered by a professional, it will be disqualified. A professional is defined as a person participating in any field that receives a financial return

Baked Goods

- All entries in Divisions 18-21 must be submitted in a plastic disposable container and have exact amount required or they will be disqualified.
- Judging will be based on flavor, texture, and appearance. The decision of the judges will be final.

Division 18 – Breads

Class 1	4 biscuits
Class 2	4 muffins any type
Class 3	½ loaf bread, yeast or no yeast
Class 4	½ loaf bread, quick (pumpkin, banana, etc.)
Class 5	½ loaf bread from bread making machine (no mixes)
Class 6	4 yeast rolls
Class 7	½ tea ring or coffee cake any type
Class 8	½ loaf gluten free bread

Division 19a - Cookies

Class 1	4 oatmeal cookies
Class 2	4 cutout cookies
Class 3	4 chocolate chip cookies
Class 4	4 bar cookies
Class 5	4 sugar cookies
Class 6	4 brownies
Class 7	4 gluten free cookies

Division 19b - Candy

Class 1	4 pieces of peanut butter fudge
Class 2	4 pieces of chocolate fudge
Class 3	4 pieces of cream candy
Class 4	4 pieces of molded candy
Class 5	4 pieces of hard candy

Division 19c - Cupcakes

Class 1	Yellow/White cake, iced
Class 2	Chocolate or devil's food cake, iced
Class 3	Low fat Cupcake, include recipe
Class 4	Decorated Cupcake
Class 5	Cupcake, other fruit/spice
Class 6	Gluten free cupcake

Division 20 - Pies

Class 1	Fruit pie
Class 2	Meringue pie
Class 3	Cream pie
Class 4	Savory Pie/Quiche
Class 5	Gluten free pie

Division 21 - Cakes

- A grand champion cake will be selected in each Class (Junior, Senior, and Open).
- The Junior and Senior grand champion cakes will be auctioned by the youth exhibitors -proceeds remaining with the respective exhibitors.
- Exhibitor of the Open grand champion cake will receive \$25.00. The cake will be sold at the auction to benefit the Loudoun County Fairgrounds.
- If your entry is chosen as Grand Champion, you must make a fresh cake and bring it to the auction accompanied by a copy of the recipe for your cake.
- If you do not fulfill these requirements, your entry will be disqualified. Cakes will be judged again, and a new Grand Champion will be awarded.

- ½ cakes should be submitted in plastic disposable containers.
- Class 7 Decorated cake and Class 8 Loudoun County Theme cake should be submitted on a disposable cake plate with clear plastic cover.

Class 1	½ Yellow/White cake, iced
Class 2	½ Chocolate or devil's food cake, iced
Class 3	½ Fruit/ Spiced cake
Class 4	½ Pound cake
Class 5	½ Ethnic cake, list country
Class 6	½ Low fat cake, include recipe
Class 7	Decorated cake
Class 8	Cake, Loudoun County Fair theme decorated
Class 9	½ Gluten free cake

Food Preservation

- Canned foods must be in clear (white) regular canning jars.
- All jars must be sealed with lid and screw band.
- Jars must be labeled with content, type of processing (boiling or pressure) at time of processing.
- Time and method of processing should comply with USDA recommendations.
- JARS MUST HAVE VACUUM SEAL.
- The following entries will be disqualified:
 - paraffin sealed jams and jellies
 - foods with non-standardized canning jars

- foods with more than 2 inches of head space.
- All frozen foods must be packed in pint or quart freezer bags, except freezer jam.
- Judging will be based on product, liquid, container and flavor.

Division 22 - Canned / Frozen Foods

Class 1	Pint or quart of tomatoes
Class 2	Pint or quart of fruit/vegetable juice
Class 3	Pint or quart of fruit sauce
Class 4	Pint or quart of fruit
Class 5	Pint or quart of vegetable
Class 6	Pint or quart of soup mix
Class 7	Fruit, frozen
Class 8	Vegetable, frozen

Division 23 - Jellies, Jams, Preserves and Pickles

Class 1	Jar of jam made from berries
Class 2	Jar of jam made from fruit, not berries
Class 3	Jar of jelly made from berries
Class 4	Jar of jelly made from fruit, not berries
Class 5	Jar of preserves, any flavor
Class 6	Freezer jam
Class 7	Jar of butter (apple, peach, etc.)
Class 8	Pint of cucumber pickles (any size or form)
Class 9	Pint of bread and butter pickles
Class 10	Pint of relish
Class 11	Preserved foods, miscellaneous

Division 24 - Food Nutrition Display

Class 1	Nutritional snack poster
Class 2	Nutritional meal poster
Class 3	Table setting poster
Class 4	Safe food preparation poster
Class 5	Table setting on tray, any meal
Class 6	Food group poster
Class 7	Computer generated nutrition project

Division 25 -Honey

Class 1	Extra white extracted honey, (1) one-pound queen line jars
Class 2	Light amber extracted honey, (1) one-pound queen line jars
Class 3	Amber extracted honey, (1) one-pound queen line jars
Class 4	Frame of honey for cut-comb or chuck honey for packing in glass

- Class 5 Display of white cut-comb honey in plastic boxes, 1 container
- Class 6 Display of amber cut-comb honey in plastic boxes, 1 container
- Class 7 Display of white chunk honey in one-pound round, straight sided, wigwam jar
- Class 8 Display of dark chunk honey in one-pound round, straight sided, wigwam jar

Division 26 – Flowers

Single Specimen

- Class 1 Single gladiolus specimen
- Class 2 Single marigold specimen
- Class 3 Single zinnia specimen
- Class 4 Single rose specimen
- Class 5 Single dahlia specimen
- Class 6 Dinner plate dahlia specimen
- Class 7 Largest Sunflower specimen
- Class 8 Most unique sunflower specimen
- Class 9 Miscellaneous cut flower specimen

Potted plants

- Class 10 Potted Plant
- Class 11 Hanging Basket
- Class 12 Dish Garden
- Class 13 Combination Pot
- Class 14 Terrarium

Floral

- Class 15 Small is Beautiful - an arrangement not to exceed 5” in any direction
- Class 16 Togetherness-an arrangement of flowers, fruits and/or vegetables (one or more accessories may be used)
- Class 17 Nature’s Echoes-an arrangement of all dried/preserved
- Class 18 Casual Elegance-a centerpiece arrangement using fresh plant material (one or more accessories may be used)

Division 27 - Gardening

- Class 1 Garden collection-judged on the number and quality of different palatable fresh vegetables and fruits originating from a single garden class. (Container size not to exceed 10”x10” except if fruit/vegetable exceeds 10”; exhibitor must furnish container)
- Class 2 3 Red tomatoes
- Class 3 3 Yellow tomatoes
- Class 4 3 Italian or pear tomatoes
- Class 5 15 Cherry or patio tomatoes
- Class 6 3 Irish potatoes, red
- Class 7 3 Irish potatoes, white
- Class 8 Plate of 15 green beans
- Class 9 Plate of 15 lima beans

Class 10	3 Ears sweet corn, shucked/trimmed
Class 11	3 Sweet peppers
Class 12	3 Hot peppers
Class 13	3 Beets, tops on
Class 14	3 Carrots, tops on
Class 15	3 Onions, dried
Class 16	3 Cucumbers for slicing
Class 17	3 Cucumbers for pickling
Class 18	2 Yellow squash
Class 19	2 Zucchini squash
Class 20	2 Butternut squash
Class 21	2 Acorn squash
Class 22	3 Okra
Class 23	2 Eggplant
Class 24	2 Cantaloupe
Class 25	Head of cabbage, not trimmed
Class 26	Watermelon
Class 27	3 Peaches/plums/or nectarines
Class 28	Plate of 15 berries, any kind
Class 29	Largest potato, judged by weight
Class 30	Largest single perfect tomato, judged by weight
Class 31	Largest head of cabbage, judged by weight
Class 32	Largest watermelon, judged by weight
Class 33	Oddity, malformed item
Class 34	Best Scarecrow-must provide own support

Division 28 - Field Crops

Class 1	6 Ears yellow hybrid field corn
Class 2	6 Stalks hybrid field corn, cut at ground level
Class 3	Tallest stalk of hybrid field corn
Class 4	Bale section of alfalfa hay
Class 5	Bale section of clover hay
Class 6	Bale section of grass hay
Class 7	Bale section of timothy hay
Class 8	Bale section of legume and grass hay
Class 9	Gallon of wheat
Class 10	Gallon of barley
Class 11	Gallon of oats
Class 12	Gallon of soybeans

Division 29 - Clothing

- Bring all clothing on hangers.
- Entries must be the original work of the exhibitor.

- Commercially made or store bought items will be disqualified.

Class 1	Blouse
Class 2	Suit: jacket and skirt or pants
Class 3	Dress
Class 4	Wool garment
Class 5	Pants, shorts, skirt
Class 6	Jacket any type
Class 7	Sleepwear
Class 8	Accessory
Class 9	Top/Shirt
Class 10	Item of children's Clothing
Class 11	Costume
Class 12	Apron
Class 13	Miscellaneous garment, not listed above
Class 14	Tote Bag
Class 15	Infant wear
Class 16	Formal Dress
Class 17	Beach Wear

Division 30 – Photography

- Do NOT frame or mat photos
- each photo may be no larger than 8x10.
- Entries in frames or larger than 8x10 will not be accepted.

Class 1	Person, color
Class 2	People, color
Class 3	Animal, color
Class 4	Animals, color
Class 5	People and animals, color
Class 6	Flower/flowers, color
Class 7	Scene or landscape, color
Class 8	Special event or holiday, color
Class 9	Loudoun County Fair, color
Class 10	Sequence, color (3-5 photos)
Class 11	Barn, color
Class 12	Insect(s) color
Class 13	Person, black and white
Class 14	People, black and white
Class 15	Animal, black and white
Class 16	Animals, black and white
Class 17	People and animals, black and white
Class 18	Flower/flowers, black and white

Class 19	Scene or landscape, black and white
Class 20	Special event or holiday, black and white
Class 21	Loudoun County Fair, black and white
Class 22	Sequence, black and white (3-5 photos)
Class 23	Barn, black and white
Class 24	Insect(s) black and white

Division 31 -Needle Art

- Please be sure there are no identifying marks that would allow the judges to discover the identity of the crafter.
- If an identifying mark exists within a piece, it must be covered by the exhibitor.

Class 1	Quilt, Hand (pieced, quilted, appliqué)
Class 2	Quilt, Machine (pieced, quilted or appliqué)
Class 3	Quilt, Combination (pieced, quilted or appliqué)
Class 4	Miscellaneous quilted item
Class 5	Knitted blanket
Class 6	Knitted clothing item
Class 7	Knitted baby set/item
Class 8	Crocheted blanket
Class 9	Crocheted clothing item
Class 10	Crocheted baby set/item
Class 11	Embroidered clothing item
Class 12	Embroidered home furnishing item
Class 13	Smocked item
Class 14	Counted cross stitch clothing item
Class 15	Counted cross stitch home furnishing item
Class 16	Doll Clothing
Class 17	Hooked wall hanging/pictorial
Class 18	Hooked pillow
Class 19	Hooked rug
Class 20	Crewel picture
Class 21	Needlepoint picture, original design
Class 22	Needlepoint picture from kit
Class 23	Counted cross stitch item

Division 32 – Crafts

Class 1	Doll, handmade
Class 2	Pressed flower picture or article
Class 3	String art
Class 4	Candles
Class 5	Wood carving
Class 6	Wood burning

Class 7	Other item made from wood
Class 8	Ceramics, pre-manufactured decorated
Class 9	Pottery, hand built
Class 10	Pottery, wheel thrown
Class 12	Jewelry, beaded
Class 13	Jewelry, other
Class 14	Wreath
Class 15	Holiday decoration
Class 16	Dream catcher
Class 17	Stained glass
Class 18	Computer art design
Class 19	Hand spun yarn
Class 20	Item made from hand spun yarn
Class 21	Basket, hand woven
Class 22	Felted item
Class 23	Clay item
Class 24	Camp craft
Class 25	Tin punch
Class 26	Model-car, truck, plane, rocket, other
Class 27	Decorated Clothing item
Class 28	LEGO item made free-form
Class 29	LEGO item made from kit

Division 33 - Fine Art (Entries may be framed or mounted)

Class 1	Oil
Class 2	Watercolor
Class 3	Acrylic
Class 4	Drawing- charcoal
Class 5	Drawing-pastel, ink
Class 6	Drawing-pencil, pen, colored pencil
Class 7	Sketchbook
Class 8	Mixed media
Class 9	Collage

Division 34 - Collections and Scrapbooks

Class 1	Doll collection
Class 2	Model animal collection
Class 3	Stamp collection
Class 4	Other collection
Class 5	4-H, FFA or FCCLA member scrapbook (not club)
Class 6	Animal scrapbook relating to 4-H project

- Class 7 Event scrapbook—vacation, celebration, holiday, graduation
- Class 8 Other scrapbook

Divisions 35-39 4-H and FFA Youth Only

Division 35 - Natural and Science Exhibits - Youth Only

- Class 1 Collection of insects, mounted and identified
- Class 2 Display of homemade equipment for collecting insects to include: killing jar, relaxing jar, collection net, pinning block and spreading board.
- Class 3 Poster or other display on insects
- Class 4 Homemade bird feeder
- Class 5 Homemade bird house
- Class 6 Poster or other display on wildlife
- Class 7 Plaster of Paris cast of animal track
- Class 8 Poster or display on preservation or environmental issue
- Class 9 Collection of rocks and/or minerals, identified
- Class 10 Collection of shells, identified
- Class 11 Display of leaves/flowers, identified
- Class 12 Landscape plan
- Class 13 Science fair project display
- Class 14 Consumer product comparison display
- Class 15 Miscellaneous natural or science display
- Class 16 Forage Club display Junior
- Class 17 Forage Club display Senior

Division 36 – Safety - Youth Only

- Class 1 Poster or display about home safety
- Class 2 Poster or display about vehicle safety
- Class 3 Poster or display about farm safety
- Class 4 First Aid Kit for home/family
- Class 5 First Aid Kit for farm/livestock
- Class 6 Miscellaneous safety item

Division 37 - Child Care - Youth Only

- Class 1 Homemade toy
- Class 2 Homemade game or puzzle
- Class 3 Homemade “dress up” costume for child
- Class 4 Homemade children’s book
- Class 5 Handmade doll
- Class 6 Handmade puppet
- Class 7 Miscellaneous child care item

Division 38 - Project Books - Youth Only

Class 1	Beef project book
Class 2	Horse project book
Class 3	Rabbit project book
Class 4	Sheep project book
Class 5	Swine project book
Class 6	Goat project book
Class 7	Alpaca project book
Class 8	Poultry project book
Class 9	Dairy project book
Class 10	Rabbit Hopping project book
Class 11	Animal project book not listed
Class 12	Home economics project book
Class 13	Other project book

Division 39 - Club Booths and Scrapbooks - Youth Only

Class 1	Club Booth
Class 2	Club Scrapbook

Division 40 - Cloverbuds (non-competitive)

Class 1	Artwork by exhibitor 5-6 years of age, no larger than 14" x 22"
Class 2	Artwork by exhibitor 7-8 years of age, no larger than 14" x 22"
Class 3	Craft item made by exhibitor 5-6 years of age
Class 4	Craft item made by exhibitor 7-8 years of age
Class 5	6 cookies
Class 6	Flower specimen, any variety
Class 7	Poster on nutrition
Class 8	4-H scrapbook
Class 9	Terrarium
Class 10	Garden vegetable, any variety
Class 11	Poster or display on safety
Class 12	Poster or display on nature
Class 13	Cloverbud club booth
Class 14	Collection of items
Class 15	Cloverbud Project Book
Class 16	Forage Club Display