



## **EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS'** **OPEN CLASS EXHIBIT GUIDELINES**

**Committee Chairs:**  
**Domestic Doers, Cindy Barker**  
**Busy Homemakers, Glenda Higgins**

1. All entries are received on Sunday, July 14, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
2. Open Class Exhibits will be judged Monday morning, July 16.
3. Entries may not be checked out before Friday, July 20 at 6:00 p.m. Please pick up your exhibits between 6:00 and 7:00 p.m. that night. We are not responsible for items left after 7:00 p.m.
4. There will be an entry fee of \$1 per item.
5. If an article is not listed below, it may not be entered for display except in Department XI (Miscellaneous).
6. Ribbons will be given to all exhibits. One Special Merit ribbon may be awarded in each category for excellence, with \$2 prize money accompanying this ribbon. Each article will be judged on its own merit.
7. The decisions of the judges will be final.
8. Management will not be responsible for any losses or damages that may occur to the exhibited articles. All exhibits must have been made since the 2017 Posey County 4-H Fair.
9. Persons of any age or place of residence are eligible to enter one or more classes. The exhibitor must make the article, or the article may be the work of several people, including the exhibitor.
10. Unless otherwise specified, all food items will be auctioned Monday evening at the 4-H Food Auction. A small portion of the food will be used for judging and display purposes. Food items should be on paper plates or aluminum pie pans.
11. Food exhibits must follow the Food Safety Rules. Home-canned fruits, vegetables, or meats are not permitted in products. Recipes must be provided for Dept. VI-Foods.

### **DEPT. I - SEWING (By Machine)**

Garment Construction  
Machine Embroidery  
Pillows & Pillowcases  
Totes, Purses & Bags  
Table Runners & Wall Hangings  
Miscellaneous

### **DEPT. II - NEEDLEWORK (By Hand)**

Afghans  
Crocheted Articles  
Counted Cross Stitch  
Embroidery (includes crewel work)

Knitting  
Smocking  
Miscellaneous

**DEPT. III - QUILTING**

A. HAND QUILTED

Embroidered  
Machine  
Hand  
Machine Pieced  
Hand Pieced  
Appliqué

B. MACHINE QUILTED

Embroidered  
Machine  
Hand  
Machine Pieced  
Hand Pieced  
Appliqué

C. SMALL QUILTED ARTICLES

Baby Quilts  
Throws  
Pillows  
Table Runners  
Wall Hangings  
Painted/Preprinted Panels

D. JOINT EFFORT QUILTS

Hand Quilted  
Embroidered  
Machine  
Hand  
Machine Pieced  
Hand Pieced  
Appliqué  
Machine Quilted  
Embroidered  
Machine  
Hand  
Machine Pieced

- Hand Pieced
- Appliqué
- E. MISCELLANEOUS QUILTING

**DEPT. IV - FINE ARTS**

- Painting- Acrylic, Oil, Water Color
- Pastel & Chalk
- Pencil Drawing
- Sculpture
- Miscellaneous

**DEPT. V - CRAFTS**

- A. FABRIC (Not Sewn)
  - Decorative Flowers
  - Purses
  - Soft Structure Articles
  - Pillows
  - Sweatshirts
  - Miscellaneous
- B. PAINTING
  - Textile
  - Tole Painting
  - Ceramics
  - China Painting
  - Paint-By-Number
  - Miscellaneous
- C. OTHER CRAFTS
  - Christmas Ornaments
  - Connectable Building Blocks
  - Gourd Art
  - Hanging Decorations
  - Metal Crafts
  - Models
  - Rugs
  - Scrapbook/Memory Book
  - Table Centerpieces
  - Wood Carving
  - Wood Craft
  - Wreaths

- Miscellaneous
- D. RECYCLED CRAFTS OR ART
- E. CRAFTS MADE BY CHILDREN

**DEPT. VI - FOODS**

**A. BREAD**

- Sweet Yeast Bread  
(6 sweet rolls, etc.)
- Yeast Bread  
(loaf or 6 dinner rolls)
- Quick Bread (loaf, 6  
muffins, 6 biscuits, etc.)
- Bread Machine
- Miscellaneous

**B. CAKES**

- White
- Yellow
- Chocolate
- Sponge
  - Angel Food
  - Chiffon
- Decorated (appearance only)
- Miscellaneous

**C. CAKES (CREATED WITH A MIX)**

- White
- Yellow
- Chocolate
- Sponge
- Miscellaneous

**D. CANDY**

- Fudge (6)
- Divinity (6)
- Miscellaneous (6)

**E. PIES**

(NO CUSTARD OR CREAM)

- Fruit
- Miscellaneous

**F. COOKIES**

- Drop (6)
- Bar (6)

Molded (6)  
Cut-Out (6)  
Refrigerator (6)  
Other (6)

**DEPT. VII - FLOWERS**

Specimen Display (single flower)  
Fresh Flowers bouquet  
Dried Flowers  
Terrariums  
Plants

**DEPT. VIII - FURNITURE**

Upholstering  
Caning  
Refinishing  
Construction

**DEPT. IX - FOOD PRESERVATION**

***JARDEN HOME BRANDS AWARDS PRESENTED AS AVAILABLE.***

Pickles  
Salsa  
Jellies, Jams & Preserves  
Vegetables  
Juice  
Fruit

**DEPT. X - MOUNTED**

**PHOTOGRAPHY**

**A. BLACK & WHITE**

Landscape  
Still Life\*  
Portrait  
Action

**B. COLOR**

Landscape  
Still Life\*  
Portrait  
Action

**C. DIGITALLY ALTERED**

Landscape  
Still Life\*  
Portrait  
Action

\*Inanimate/unmovable object; i.e. flowers, vases, etc.

**DEPT. XI - MISCELLANEOUS**

Any item not listed in any other department.

**DEPT. XII - CROPS**

A. CORN

Stalk

1-Gallon Jar

B. SOYBEANS

3 Plants with roots

1-Gallon Jar

C. WHEAT

20 heads, 10" long

1-Gallon Jar

D. SUNFLOWER

1 head

**DEPT. XIII - GARDEN**

Beets, 5

Beans, Plate of 20 Pods

Cabbage, Head

Cantaloupe, 1

Corn, 5 Ears

Carrots, 5

Cucumbers, 5

Eggplant, 1

Peas, Plate of 20 Pods

Peppers, 5

Onion, 5

Potatoes, 5

Squash, 1 Large or 5 Small

Tomatoes, 5

Watermelon, 1

Other Vegetables

Fruits

Best Basket Display -  
Five (5) or more  
kinds of vegetables







