

# GARDEN VEGETABLES-FRUIT

## DEPARTMENT G

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### SPECIAL AWARD IN THIS CATEGORY

- Best Cucumber- Ace on the Lake Hardware  
\$20 Gift Card
- Best Potato - Cenex Coop Bemidji - \$20 Gift Card
- Best Pepper - Lone Rock Farms - \$10 Cash
- Best Overall Vegetable - Bemidji Garden Club  
\$25 Cash
- Beltrami County Master Gardeners -Best First
- Time Exhibitors \$25, \$15, &\$10
- Market Place Foods-Produce Dept.  
For Champion Garden Exhibit
- \$25 Gift Certificate

### GENERAL INFORMATION

There have been changes, additions, and/or deletions from past years, so it is important to read through the premium list carefully.

This area is for home gardeners only - persons who earn a living selling produce are excluded.

-Only one entry per person per lot is allowed

-Gently remove dirt from all vegetables

-All entries should be uniform in size, shape and color

-Root crops - trim tops to 1-1 1/2" above crown, trim side roots

-Cabbage - cut stem 1/4" below head

-Watermelon, winter squash, pumpkins - leave 1" of stem,

-Peppers - leave 1/2 - 1" of stem

-Celery - trim butt to form triangle or pyramid

-Rhubarb - trim leaves to 2" above leaf stalk

-Onions - trim roots to 1/2", tops to 1-2", do not peel

-Tomatoes - do not remove stems

-Apples, cherries, plums - leave stems on

-Show sweet corn in husks.

**-If known, indicate the variety names of your exhibits.**

Judging reflects how well a specimen exhibits characteristics of a named variety.

Garden displays must be arranged by the exhibitor and attractiveness and beauty of the exhibit will be considered in judging. Avoid putting in freaks or oversized vegetables. Remember that the food value and variety of vegetables and fruits in the exhibit, as well as the quality, will be the basis on which these displays are judged.

Entries must be submitted between the hours of 12 noon and 7 p.m. on entry day, Wednesday, and must be picked up at 5 p.m. on the final day of the fair. **Please note that Home Arts has different hours - check their premium list for times!!** Pre-registration greatly speeds up the entry process. Exhibitors with a large number of exhibits are encouraged to arrive early to avoid congestion. **Late entries will not be accepted.** All exhibitors are asked to come prepared with written entry information appropriate to category.

**CLASS 1 - POTATOES**

Five potatoes to a sample. Potatoes should be free of dust and dirt. Avoid scabby specimens.

Premiums: 1st-\$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00

- Lot 1 Red
- Lot 2 White
- Lot 3 Yellow/Gold
- Lot 4 Russet
- Lot 5 Blue
- Lot 6 Fingerlings
- Lot 7 Other

### CLASS 2 - TABLE VEGETABLES

Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00

\*\*\*Note for Large Table Vegetables\*\*\*

Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower and Eggplant  
Premiums: 1st-\$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00

- Lot 1 Beans, Yellow, in Pod, 8 Specimens
- Lot 2 Beans, Green, in Pod, 8 Specimens
- Lot 3 Beans, Purple, in Pod, 8 Specimens
- Lot 4 Beans, Kidney, 8 Specimens
- Lot 5 Beans, Lima, 8 Specimens
- Lot 6 Beets, 3 Specimens
- Lot 7 Brussels sprouts, 3 Specimens
- Lot 8 Broccoli, 1 Head
- Lot 9 Cabbage, White, 1 Specimen
- Lot 10 Cabbage, Red, 1 Specimen
- Lot 11 Cabbage, Savoy, 1 Specimen
- Lot 12 Cabbage, Other, 1 Specimen
- Lot 13 Carrots, 3 Specimens
- Lot 14 Cauliflower, 1 Specimen
- Lot 15 Celery, 1 Bunch
- Lot 16 Corn, Sweet, 2 ears
- Lot 17 Corn, Ornamental, 2 ears
- Lot 18 Eggplant, 1 Specimen
- Lot 19 Garlic, 3 Specimens
- Lot 20 Kale, 3 Ribs (in water)
- Lot 21 Lettuce, Leaf, 1 Plant
- Lot 22 Lettuce, Bibb, 1 Plant
- Lot 23 Lettuce, Head, 1 Head
- Lot 24 Lettuce, Cos/Romaine, 1 Plant
- Lot 25 Onions, White, 3 Specimens
- Lot 26 Onions, Red, 3 Specimens
- Lot 27 Onions, Yellow, 3 Specimens
- Lot 28 Parsnips, 3 Specimens
- Lot 29 Peas, Edible Pod, 8 Specimens
- Lot 30 Peas, Garden, in Pod, 8 Spec.

### PEPPERS: List variety name

- Lot 31 Peppers, Green, 2 Specimens
- Lot 32 Peppers, Green, Hot, 2 Specimens
- Lot 33 Peppers, Colored, 2 Specimens
- Lot 34 Peppers, Colored, Hot, 2 Specimens
- Lot 35 Radish, 3 Specimens
- Lot 36 Radish, Winter, 1 Specimen
- Lot 37 Rhubarb, 3 Stalks (trim leaves)
- Lot 38 Swiss Chard, 3 Ribs

May display chard in water

- Lot 39 Tomatoes, Red Large, 2 Specimens
- Lot 40 Tomatoes, Yellow Plum/pear-10 spec
- Lot 41 Tomatoes, Cherry, 10 Specimens
- Lot 42 Tomatoes, Cherry, 1 Cluster
- Lot 43 Tomatoes, Roma or Paste 3 Spec
- Lot 44 Tomatoes, Heirloom 2 Spec

(must include variety name, do not remove stems on tomatoes)

- Lot 45 Tomatillos (tomatoes in husks) 3 Specimens
- Lot 46 Kohlrabi, 2 Specimens
- Lot 47 Turnips, 2 Specimens
- Lot 48 Rutabaga, 2 Specimens
- Lot 49 Any mature miniature vegetable
- Lot 99 Any Other Table Vegetable

### CLASS 3 - VINE VEGETABLES

- Lot 1 Cucumbers, slicing, 3 Specimens
- Lot 2 Cucumbers, pickling, 3 Specimens
- Lot 3 Cucumbers, any other, 3 Specimens
- Lot 4 Gourds, 2 Specimens
- Lot 5 Pumpkin, Up to 30" circumference, 1
- Lot 6 Pumpkin, Over 30" circumference, 1
- Lot 7 Pumpkin, Miniature, 3 Specimen
- Lot 8 Squash, Patty Pan, 1 Specimen
- Lot 9 Squash, Crookneck, 1 Specimen
- Lot 10 Squash, Zucchini, 1 Specimen, 6-8"
- Lot 11 Squash, Other Summer, 1 Specimen
- Lot 12 Squash, Winter, 1 Specimen
- Lot 99 Any Other Vine Vegetable

### CLASS 4 - FRUITS (cold storage provided for articles in this class)

Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00

- Lot 1 Apples, Jelly Crab, 6 Specimens
- Lot 2 Apples, Eating Crab, 6 Specimens
- Lot 3 Apples, Any Other Eating, 3 Specimens
- Lot 4 Blackberries, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 5 Blueberries, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 6 Cherries, Domestic, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 7 Currants, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 8 Grapes, 2 Bunches
- Lot 9 Muskmelons, 1 Spec.
- Lot 10 Plums, Domestic, 6 Spec.
- Lot 11 Plums, Any Other, 6 Spec.
- Lot 12 Raspberries, Red, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 13 Raspberries, Black 1/2 Pint
- Lot 14 Raspberries, Yellow, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 15 Strawberries, Domestic, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 16 Watermelons, 1 Spec.
- Lot 17 Ground Cherries, 1/2 Pint
- Lot 99 Any Other Fruit

### CLASS 5 - FAMILY GARDEN EXHIBITS/COLLECTION

Premiums: 1st-\$10.00 2nd - \$9.00 3rd - \$8.00

Lot 1 Garden, individual Exhibit

**Open to home gardeners only.** All of display must be fruits/vegetables from one entrant's garden. Consider quality and uniformity of samples. There must be a minimum of 10 different samples and must fit into a 9 square foot. display.

Lot 2 Weed Identification Exhibit

Educational exhibit of Beltrami County noxious weeds; pressed, dried and pasted on cardboard (created in 2019). Exhibit will be judged on proper identification, neatness and creativity of design. Do NOT include Poison Ivy.

Lot 3 Heirloom Vegetable Exhibit - 2 specimens each of 3 different vegetables (variety names must be listed)

### CLASS 6 - KID'S GARDEN EXHIBITS (12 years and under)

Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00

- Lot 1 Oddest Shaped Vegetable
- Lot 2 Largest Root Vegetable
- Lot 3 Largest Vine Vegetable

# AGRICULTURE

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**\*\*HOME BREWERS - Beer and Wine are once again being accepted - See Classes 7 & 8!!\*\***

## SPECIAL AWARDS IN THIS CATEGORY

Headwaters Brewing Club: \$20 Cash for Best Beer  
Vern & Sandy Holzhueter: \$20 Cash for Best Wine  
 Lone Rock Farms: \$10 Cash for Best Honey

- Lot 6 Clover, Alsike, Forage Crop
- Lot 7 Clover, Sweet, Seed Crop
- Lot 8 Clover, Sweet, Forage Crop
- Lot 9 Canola
- Lot 10 Soy Beans
- Lot 11 Millet, any variety
- Lot 12 Sorghum 10 stalks
- Lot 13 Brome Grass
- Lot 14 Oat Hay
- Lot 15 Mixed Hay
- Lot 16 Timothy, Seed Crop
- Lot 17 Timothy, Forage Crop

Premiums: 1st-\$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00  
 Lot 18 Collection of 6 sheaves of any of the above

Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00  
 Lot 99 Any Other

### CLASS 6 - APIARY

Scoring Criteria:

Container - Appearance & Cleanliness 10 %  
 Color - Conformity to schedule 15 %  
 Volume - Accuracy, uniformity of fill 10 %  
 Absence of Impurities, including froth 15 %  
 Moisture - Acceptable moisture content 20 %  
 Clarity - Absence of crystals & bubbles 20 %  
 Flavor - Absence of off aroma or flavor 10 %  
 Premiums: 1st-\$8.00 2nd - \$6.00 3rd - \$4.00

- Lot 1 One pound honey in comb
- Lot 2 ½ - 1 pint honey extracted current yr
- Lot 3 Honey in frame
- Premiums: 1st-\$15.00 2nd - \$12.00 3rd - \$10.00**
- Lot 4 Live Bee display
- Premiums: 1st-\$8.00 2nd - \$6.00 3rd - \$4.00
- Lot 5 ½ - 1 pint honey extracted previous year
- Lot 6 Buckwheat honey, ½ - 1 pint extracted previous year

### Class 7 & 8: Open to home brewers only

*Note special prizes in this category!*

Premiums: 1st-\$8.00 2nd - \$6.00 3rd - \$4.00

### CLASS 7 - BEER

- Lot 1 Pale
- Lot 2 Amber
- Lot 3 Dark

### CLASS 8 - WINE

- Lot 1 Grape/Concentrate, Red
- Lot 2 Grape/Concentrate, White
- Lot 3 Blush from Concentrate
- Lot 4 Blush, Home Grown Grapes
- Lot 5 Red, Home Grown Grapes
- Lot 6 White, Home Grown Grapes
- Lot 7 Rhubarb
- Lot 8 Other Fruits
- Lot 9 Misc. (Dandelion, Beet, Meade etc.)

### CLASS 9 - DRY EDIBLE BEANS (Exhibit in a Closed Pint Jar)

Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00

- Lot 1 Kidney Beans
- Lot 2 Calico Beans
- Lot 3 Lima Beans
- Lot 4 Pinto Beans
- Lot 5 Fava Beans
- Lot 6 Other (must be labeled)

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### CLASS 1 - Field corn

- Lot 1 Hybrid, Dent current year 6 ears
- Lot 2 Hybrid, Dent previous year 6 ears
- Lot 3 Ensilage Corn (6 Stalks)

### CLASS 2 - Threshed Grains - (EXHIBIT IN A CLOSED PINT JAR)

- Lot 1 Barley
- Lot 2 Buckwheat
- Lot 3 Oats
- Lot 4 Rye
- Lot 5 Wheat
- Lot 6 Flax
- Lot 7 Sunflower seeds
- Lot 99 Any other

### CLASS 3 - GRASS, FORAGE AND OTHER SEED THRESHED

- Lot 1 Alfalfa
- Lot 2 Clover, medium
- Lot 3 Clover, Alsike
- Lot 4 Clover, sweet
- Lot 5 Canola
- Lot 6 Timothy
- Lot 7 Millet, any variety
- Lot 99 Any other

### CLASS 4 - Sheaf Grains

Sheaves 2 inches at middle band, judged on basis of straw and filled heads.

- Lot 1 Barley
- Lot 2 Buckwheat
- Lot 3 Oats
- Lot 4 Rye
- Lot 5 Wheat
- Lot 6 Flax
- Premiums: 1st-\$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00

### CLASS 5 - SHEAF GRASSES, FORAGE AND SEED CROPS

List on entry whether it has been raised for seed value or forage value.

- Lot 7 Collection of 4 sheaves of different grain, 2 inches at middle band, mounted on a board
- Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00
- Lot 99 Any other

### CLASS 5 - SHEAF GRASSES, FORAGE AND SEED CROPS

List on entry whether it has been raised for seed value or forage value.

- Premiums: 1st-\$4.00 2nd - \$3.00 3rd - \$2.00
- Lot 1 Alfalfa, Seed Crop
- Lot 2 Alfalfa, Forage Crop
- Lot 3 Clover, Medium, Seed Crop
- Lot 4 Clover, Medium, Forage Crop
- Lot 5 Clover, Alsike, Seed Crop

## FLOWERS & HERBS

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### 2019 Theme

"Good Grief Charlie Brown" & Other Comics"

**HORTICULTURE ENTRY TIME:**  
**Wednesday, 12:00 pm-7:00 pm**

## SPECIAL AWARDS IN THIS CATEGORY

- Bemidji Garden Club: \$25 Cash for Best Novice Floral Design
- Bemidji Garden Club: \$25 for Best Herb
- Vern & Sandy Holzhueter: \$10 Cash for Champion Dahlia
- Audrey Fenske Award: \$20 Cash for Best Novice Arrangement
- Audrey Fenske Award: 2-\$10 Cash for Best Youth Arrangement in each age class
- Nature's Edge Garden Center:  
 -(2) \$10 Gift Cards for Best Selected Perennials
- Hill's Country Greenhouse:  
 -(2) \$10 Gift Cards for Best Selected Annuals in Youth Categories
- Deer Haven Greenhouse:  
 -\$10 Gift Cards for Best Selected Hanging Plant  
 -\$10 Gift Cards for Best Advanced Arrangement



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