2022 PHELPS COUNTY FAIR

HOME ARTS RULES & REGULATIONS

**ADULT DIVISION**

1. Entries are limited to residents of Phelps County or an adjoining county.
2. All Home Arts exhibits must be original and have been made by the entrant since August 2021.
3. All items being entered into competition must be brought to the Home Arts Building at the Phelps County Fairgrounds on Tuesday, August 2, 2022 between 2-7 pm.
4. All exhibitors are limited to one form with a maximum of 20 total entries only, one entry per class, 5 per category.
5. Adult division is for ages 19 and up.
6. Phelps County Fair is not responsible for lost or late forms.
7. Entry tags will be available Tuesday, August 2, 2022 at the Home Arts Building.
8. Exhibitor assumes full responsibility for loss or damage.
9. All entries must be finished and clean.
10. All food exhibits must be brought on paper plates or mats not more than 1” larger than item.
11. All exposed foods must be covered with clear plastic.
12. All pictures and artwork should be framed or mounted and ready to hang. Only original artwork will be accepted, no paint by numbers or coloring book pages.
13. Judging will take place 8 am to noon on Wednesday, August 3. No visitors allowed during judging.
14. In case of no competition, the appropriate ribbon will be awarded; however, the highest prize money will be that of 2nd place.
15. All entries MUST be removed between 7 pm and 8 pm on Saturday, August 6.
16. **Exhibitor must have season pass or pay daily admission fee to enter the fair grounds.** No Exceptions. Any item left in the Home Arts Building after 8 p.m. Saturday, August 6 will be disposed of at the discretion of the Home Arts Committee.
17. All prize money is forfeited for early withdrawal or failure to claim prize before 7 pm on Saturday.
18. All canned goods must be in regular canning jars, quarts, pints, half pints as specified. Rusty rims or lids will not be accepted for competition, nor will “wax” type seals.
19. Canned and food items are judged on appearance, uniformity, water level and taste, as applies.
20. Cake entries may be ½ cakes or 4 cupcakes. Pies may be either full sized or 4” ‘mini pies’.
21. The maximum size for posters and journals is 14”x22”.
22. Garments must be on hangers and made within the last year.
23. Floriculture specimens must be uniformly displayed and must have a minimum of a 3” stem. Flowers and foliage will be judged. Bring your own containers.
24. One blue, red, and white ribbon per class.
25. The Home Arts Committee will have the final decision on all questions, disputes, etc that may develop.

**JUNIOR DIVISION**

1. All entrants must be submitted by a youth between the ages of 5-18 years.
2. All rules listed above apply to this division.
3. Judging will be Danish System. Each entry will be judged on its own merit, with age considered. The placings are: Blue – best, good quality product; Red – above average, but not the best; White – below average, needs improvement.