

2017 Northern Maine Fair FFA Premium Section

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All chapter and individual registrations must be received prior to the beginning of the contest being registered for. NO PREMIUMS will be awarded to participants not pre-registered!

*Themed Exhibits Entries **will be accepted Friday, July 28th 8:30am-10:30am Judging will begin at 11:00am**

***Note:** Themed Exhibits will be displayed in the **Lil Farmers Building**.

*Floral/Vegetable Entries will be accepted **Friday, July 28th, 2017 from 9:30am-12:30pm**

***Note:** Floral Design, Vegetables, Potatoes and Registration will be in the **Ag Exhibition Hall**.

ALL FLORAL, VEGETABLE AND POTATO JUDGING WILL BE DONE ON FRIDAY!

All Exhibits must remain on display until Sunday, August 6 at 9:30am

1. Any student enrolled in an Agribusiness, Horticulture, Agri-science, or Forestry Course, in any high school in the County and is a current FFA member is eligible to enroll in this Section. This is FFA, so the individual must have paid current year's dues.
2. Members must select and arrange own exhibit. Parents and advisors may assist.
3. All advisors must fill out and return the Complimentary Pass Request form by Friday, July 28th to obtain daily passes for any member that will be participating in any FFA events. Request form is located on the last page of the FFA premium book.
3. **Entry forms for all exhibit entries must be turned in to the secretary's office in the Ag Exhibition Building when you arrive with your entries. Tags given to you by the Fair Secretary should be displayed in the lower left hand corner of your item.
5. **Entry forms for FFA Tractor Derby must be handed in to Darick Williams by 8:45am, Tuesday, August 1st or students will not be able to participate in the event.
6. **Entry forms for FFA afternoon judging contests must be turned into Kelsey Larabee, FFA Asst. Superintendent no later than 9:25am on Tuesday, August 1st or students will not be able to participate.

** Entry forms are available at the end of the premium book, in the Secretary's office in the Ag Exhibition Hall and at each event site.

***Judging schedule subject to change

Theme for Exhibits: Division 3.2 – “What’s in the Garden?”

Theme for Floral Design Division 3.4 — 2017 – “Sports Tailgate Arrangement”

2017 NORTHERN MAINE FAIR FFA SCHEDULE



Friday, July 28th

8:30am Themed Exhibit Display Entries Accepted- Lil' Farmers Building

9:30am Vegetables, Potato & Floral Design exhibits entries accepted in Ag Exhibition Building

1:00pm Vegetable, Potato & Floral Design exhibit Judging begins-Ag Exhibition Building

11:00am Themed Exhibit Judging Begins- Lil' Farmer's Building

11:30 Themed Exhibit Oral Presentations Begin (Closed to Public)- Lil' Farmer's Building

3:00pm 4-H & FFA Horsed Judging- George Allen Arena

Tuesday, August 1st

4H & FFA DAY

9:00 a.m. FFA Tractor Derby - 4-H Tractor to follow (Please arrive by 8:45am)

9:30am Opening Ceremonies- 4-H Grandstand

9:45am Dairy Judging Contest
Beef Judging
Sheep Judging
Potato Judging Contest

11:30 Lunch Break

12:30 AG OLYMPICS- 4-H Grandstand
See rule book at www.northernmainefair.com

1:30 Awards/Closing Ceremonies followed by an ice cream social- 4-H Grandstand area

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DIVISION 1.0 — FFA POTATO JUDGING CONTEST- TUESDAY, August 1st, 9:45am

CONTEST RULES

1. Contestants must be regularly enrolled pupils in Northern District F.F.A. classes.
2. Team shall consist of 4 members.
3. The potato judging score card will be used.
4. Three classes will be selected from Department 6, Division 01.0 and 02.0, or Section 8, Division II.
5. A class will consist of four FFA exhibits.
6. Five minutes will be allowed for judging.
7. All contestants are requested to refrain from visiting the potato exhibits the morning of the contest.
8. All contestants must pass papers directly to person in charge, as soon as completed.
9. Talking is absolutely prohibited during judging.
10. Time and place of judging to be announced.
11. Potatoes must not be handled.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
100 Team	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00	n/a	n/a
101 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.50	\$7.50	\$4.50

DIVISION 1.2 – FFA BEEF JUDGING CONTEST- TUESDAY, August 1st, 9:45am

CONTEST RULES

1. Contestants must be regularly enrolled pupils in vocational agriculture classes. (Spring graduates O.K.)
2. Teams shall consist of 4 FFA members for beef judging and 4 FFA members for dairy judging.
3. The dairy type judging score card will be used.
4. Four classes will be selected from open classes for judging.
5. A class will consist of four animals.
6. Ten minutes will be allowed for judging each class.
7. All contestants are required to refrain from visiting the dairy and beef exhibits until after the contest.
8. Talking among contestants will be absolutely prohibited during the judging.
9. All other regulations will be the same as those of U. of M. contests at Orono.
10. Placing of animals for scoring papers shall be made by the Official Judge employed by the Fair Association.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
110 Team	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00	n/a	n/a
111 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.50	\$7.50	\$4.50
120 Team	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00	n/a	n/a
121 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.50	\$7.50	\$4.50

DIVISION 1.3 – FFA SHEEP JUDGING CONTEST- TUESDAY, August 1st, 9:45am

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
130 Team	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00	n/a	n/a
131 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.50	\$7.50	\$4.50

DIVISION 1.4 – FFA TEAM HORSE JUDGING FRIDAY, JULY 28th, at 3:00pm noon

JUDGING OF HORSES:

Each FFA contestant to be given an Official Score Card. Animals selected by Official Judge will be presented by owners in the ring for judging by FFA Teams (comprising 4 FFA members representing the same high school.) Completed Score Cards will then be examined and scored by panel of Agricultural teachers for best Team prizes and individual prizes.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
140 Team	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00	n/a	n/a
141 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.00	\$7.50	\$4.50

DIVISION 2.0 – POTATO EXHIBITS – ALL ENTRIES MUST BE BROUGHT IN Friday, July 28th and Friday, BETWEEN 9:30 AM. AND 12:30 P.M., AND MUST BE LEFT IN PLACE UNTIL 9:30 A.M. SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2017. Judging will take place on Friday afternoon.

NOTE:

1. Potatoes will be displayed in flats and will be of good quality and appearance. Flats should be 14x14, 12x12, or 12x14.
2. Potatoes of like varieties only compete one with the other. Must be free of disease, true to name, and be of commercial value to be entitled to a premium.
3. If in the opinion of the judges, additional entries are worthy, a prize of \$2.00 may be awarded for 4th and 5th place.
4. A person may exhibit as many varieties as he wishes as an individual, but only one person can exhibit from the farm.
5. Any variety not listed will be entered when brought in to the FFA superintendent.

Prize classes:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
	\$10.00,	\$9.00,	\$8.00,	\$7.00,	\$6.00

VARIETIES

001 Abnaki	058 Red Lasoda	097 Russet Burbank
002 Alaskan Russet	059 Red Pontiac	098 Shepody
005 Allegany	062 Russet Norkotah	099 Spaulding Rose
010 Campbell 13	069 Sebago	101 Superior
013 Caribe	074 Yankee Chipper	103 Yukon Gold
016 Cherokee	075 Yankee Supreme	104 Andovers
018 Chieftain	079 Atlantic	107 Red Cloud
020 Chippewa	080 Bliss Triumph	108 All Blue
024 Dark Red Norland	081 Blue Christie	110 Gold Rush
025 Delta Gold	086 Irish Cobbler	113 Cherry Red
034 Green Mountain	087 Katahdin	118 St. Johns
035 Hi-lite Russet	088 Kennebec	122 Mainstay
041 LaChipper	091 Norgold Russet	129 Frontier Russet
044 Maine Chip	092 Norwiss	133 Krantz
046 Norchip	093 Ontario	135 LaRouge
048 Norland	094 Pontiac	146 Purple Chief
052 Pungo	095 Prestile	150 Snowden
	096 Rhine Red	505 All Red

DIVISION 2.1 – FFA VEGETABLE EXHIBITS- ALL ENTRIES MUST BE BROUGHT IN Friday, July 28th BETWEEN 9:30 AM. AND 12:30 P.M., AND MUST BE LEFT IN PLACE UNTIL 9:30 A.M. SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2017. Judging will take place on Friday afternoon.

The FFA vegetable exhibits provide members with an opportunity to create a “market display” of crops grown in their garden or farm. Students should select the best quality produce they have to display and incorporate them into a creative display that will enhance their appeal to possible consumers.

1. FFA members may enter vegetables in only one of the three classes of displays.
2. The display tray should be completely utilized.
3. Entries may include non-vegetable items that might enhance the exhibit.
4. A backdrop may be constructed to add to the display, but cannot exceed its width.
5. An index card which identifies vegetable names, varieties, and grower’s name must be displayed in the lower right hand corner of the exhibits.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
210 One vegetable on 12"x12" tray	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$4.00
211 2-5 vegetable types on 18"x18" tray	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$10.00	\$8.00
212 Over 5 vegetable types on 2'x2' tray	\$25.00	\$23.00	\$21.00	\$19.00	\$17.00	\$15.00	\$13.00

DIVISION 3.0 – FFA TRACTOR DERBY CONTEST- TUESDAY, August 2nd 9:00a.m.

001 Team	\$100.00	\$75.00	\$50.00	\$30.00
002 Individual	\$20.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	

*See rule book on NMFA website

DIVISION 3.1 - FFA UTILITY VEHICLE DRIVING CONTEST-

Purpose: To promote interest, awareness and safe operation of utility vehicle by FFA members.

Eligibility: The contest is open to any active member who is currently enrolled in an Agricultural Education course.

Rules and Procedures

1. Contestants will be judged on their knowledge and demonstration of safety practices and skills in the operation of a utility vehicle. Score card and revised course will be handed out by FFA advisor. Low score is the winner.
2. The Northern Maine Fair contest will be open to three contestants from each Northern District Chapter. Parents must give consent and a waiver of liability.
3. Northern Maine Fair contestants will receive ribbons and cash prizes.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
001 Individual	\$15.00	\$13.50	\$10.50	\$7.50	\$4.50
002 Team Utility Vehicle Driving	\$30.00	\$19.50	\$12.00		

DIVISION 3.1 - FFA UTILITY VEHICLE SCORE CARD TO BE PROVIDED BY FFA ADVISOR

DIVISION 3.2 – FFA THEMED EXHIBIT COMPETITION- Friday, July 28th

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1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
\$600.00	\$500.00	\$400.00	\$300.00	\$200.00

DIVISION 3.4 – FFA FLORAL DESIGN-JUDGING, ALL ENTRIES MUST BE BROUGHT IN Friday, July 28th BETWEEN 9:30 AM. AND 12:30 P.M., AND MUST BE LEFT IN PLACE UNTIL 9:30 A.M. SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 2017. Judging will take place on Friday afternoon.

FFA Floral Design Theme – “Sports Tailgate Arrangement”

The object of the contest is to produce a design on a flat 18" square board. The arrangement must be stable enough to withstand possible movement of the display boards.

Artificial flowers can be expensive; the cost has nothing to do with your ability to win. One can still collect their own natural material and keep the cost to an absolute minimum. How you use the material is the important factor.

1. Designs themes will be chosen by the NMF FFA Superintendent.
2. The arrangements may not be more than 24" tall and 18" wide. The arrangements will be visible from all sides.
3. The painted board color must not be altered. The board must not be damaged. Thumb tacks, pins, scotch tape, staples are permitted, but leave it clean when finished. You can make your own board.
4. The design must be in place by 1 p.m. Friday, July 29 and remain on display until 10:00AM Sunday, August 4.
5. You may use any material, but it must be permanently dry, no green or decaying material, and no water.
6. An appropriate accessory, art figure, or object, to complement your arrangement, may be used if you wish, but it's the floral design that's important.
7. No auxiliary lighting or electrical connections will be allowed.
8. The contest judge may disqualify an entry if it does not meet the design requirements and they feel that the discrepancy provides an unfair advantage.
9. The FFA superintendent may disqualify designs of unworthy quality and not allow them to be exhibited.
10. Judging will take place on Friday, July 29. Arrangements not meeting all of the requirements will be disqualified and the remaining arrangements will be judged.

001 FFA Floral

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
\$25.00	\$15.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$4.00

NORTHERN MAINE FAIR FFA FLORAL ARRANGEMENT EXHIBIT SCORE CARD

Exhibitor # _____	Possible Points	Points Awarded
Creativity	100	
Attractiveness	75	
Central to the Theme	100	
Design	100	
Color Harmony	100	
Focal Point	75	
Overall Appearance	150	
(Including appropriate size)_____		
Individual Total	700	

DIVISION 3.5 – FFA GARDEN VEGETABLES (12” x 6” wooden boxes)- JUDGING, ALL ENTRIES MUST BE BROUGHT IN Friday, July 28th , BETWEEN 9:30 AM. AND 12:30 P.M., AND MUST BE LEFT IN PLACE UNTIL 9:30 A.M. SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2017. Judging will take place on Friday afternoon.

- 1) FFA members may exhibit in only one division. Those entering division 3.5 - FFA Vegetables may not participate in Division 2.1 FFA or Division 04.0 Garden Vegetables Dept. 9.
- 2) This division is intended for individual FFA members who plant, grow and exhibit their own vegetables and do not participate in FFA Division 2.1 Article Numbers 210, 211, or 212.
- 3) All FFA Garden Vegetables on plates will be displayed on 12”x6” wooden boxes that will be provided by the fair.
- 4) Any FFA vegetables not listed may receive a prize.

001-084.....	1st	2nd	3rd
	\$6.00	\$5.00	\$3.00

ARTICLE

- 001 Beans, Kentucky Wonder, pole, plate
- 002 Beans, green
- 003 Beans, purple
- 004 Beans, waxed (yellow)
- 005 Beets, blood turnip
- 006 Beets, cylinder
- 007 Beets, Detroit red
- 008 Beets, first crop
- 009 Beet greens
- 010 Broccoli
- 011 Cabbage
- 012 Cabbage, red
- 013 Cabbage, heaviest
- 014 Carrots Chatenay
- 015 Carrots, Danvers half long
- 016 Carrots, Danvers long
- 017 Carrots, Hybrid Pioneer
- 018 Carrots, Nantes
- 019 Cauliflower
- 020 Celery
- 021 Chard Greens
- 022 Chard, Rhubarb Red
- 023 Corn, Sugar and Gold
- 024 Corn, White
- 025 Corn, Yellow
- 026 Cucumber, Boston Pickling
- 027 Cucumber, Long Green
- 028 Dill
- 029 Garlic
- 030 Indian Corn
- 031 Kale
- 032 Kolrabi
- 033 Lettuce Leaf
- 034 Lettuce Head (Loose)
- 035 Lettuce, Romaine
- 036 Lettuce, Iceberg
- 037 Onions, white from set
- 038 Onions, yellow from set
- 039 Onions, white from seed

040 Onions, yellow from seed
041 Onions, multiples
042 Onions, purple
043 Onions, scallions
044 Onions shallots
045 Parsley
046 Parsnips
047 Peas, progress
048 Peas, snow
049 Peas, telephone
050 Peppers, green
051 Peppers, Hot
052 Pumpkin, sugar
053 Pumpkin, heaviest
054 Radish
055 Rhubarb
056 Spinach
057 Squash, Buttercup
058 Squash, Zucchini
059 Squash, Heaviest
060 Squash, Yellow Summer
061 Squash, Hubbard
062 Squash Spaghetti
063 Squash, Butternut
064 Tomato, Beefsteak
065 Tomato, Green
066 Tomato, Red
067 Tomato, Roma
068 Tomato, Cherry
069 Turnip, White
070 Turnip, Yellow
071 Herbs 9' plate 2/3 full
072 Gourds
073 Horseradish
074 Cucumber, European burpless
075 Carrots, tender sweet
076 Yellow zucchini
077 Gold zucchini
078 Conehead cabbage
079 Red broccoli
080 Oriental eggplant
081 Pumpkin, Lumina
082 Endive
083 Bok choy
084 Walnuts, English

NORTHERN MAINE FAIR ASSOCIATION
 PRESQUE ISLE, MAINE - JULY 28 - AUGUST 5, 2017
 MAIL FORM TO: SECRETARY • P.O. BOX 804 • PRESQUE ISLE, MAINE 04769

PREMIUM ENTRY FORM

PLEASE CONSULT YOUR ENTRIES DEPARTMENT SECTION IN THIS BOOK FOR DATES AND TIMES OF ENTRY
 REGISTRATION AND JUDGING.

Please find herein my entry for the Premiums offered as in the Premium Book. Upon completing this entry blank,
 I hereby agree that my EXHIBITS WILL REMAIN IN PLACE UNTIL 9 AM Sunday, August 6, 2017.

Name (Printed) _____ Tel. (____) _____

Mailing Address: _____
RFD #/P.O. Box or Street

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Social Security # _____ Exhibitor # _____

Dept. #	Division#	Article #	Name of Article

SPECIAL NOTICE 2017
 ALL ITEMS ENTERED IN ANY DEPARTMENT EXHIBIT, MUST BE CREATED AND OWNED BY THE EXHIBITOR, (NOT COPIES),
 AND NOT PREVIOUSLY WON A FIRST PLACE AT THIS FAIR, ANY OTHER YEARS. ANY VIOLATION OF THIS RULE WILL
 RESULT IN FORFEITURE OF PREMIUM MONIES PAID, AND RIBBONS. MY SIGNATURE BELOW ATTESTS TO THIS FACT.

Signature of Exhibitor



Complimentary Ticket Request Form

Chapter Name: _____

Name of Requester: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Friday- Horse Judging Competition

of Tickets Requested: _____

Tuesday- FFA/4H Day

of Tickets Requested: _____

Submit this completed and signed Complimentary Ticket Request Form directly to the Northern Maine FFA Superintendent by Monday July, 20th. Please email or snail mail the completed form to:

Jessica Winslow, FFA Superintendent

Northern Maine Fair

PO Box 84

Presque Isle, ME 04769

Email: jessicablackstone@hotmail.com

Once submitted and processed, your tickets can be picked up at the Lil' Farmer's Building after 2pm on Friday, July 29rd.

Complimentary tickets are distributed by the Northern Maine Fair for students that are participating in FFA related events/competitions at the Northern Maine Fair.

INTERNAL USE ONLY:

OPERATOR: _____ Date: _____

TICKET #'s Horse Judging: _____

TICKET #'s FFA/4H Day: _____

FFA Superintendent Signature upon release of tickets: _____

Date: _____

Signature of FFA Advisor/Chaperone receiving tickets: _____ Date: _____