

15. Fruit

CHAIRPERSON: Esther Craig (250) 246-2422

2022 EXHIBITION THEME: "Jack & the Beanstalk"

2022 COLOURS: Green, Gold and Pantone's Very Peri

ENTRY FEE: \$1 per entry

REGISTER BETWEEN JULY 18th AND SEPT. 2nd. Last day to register: September 2nd, by 5 pm. Register online at www.cowex.ca, click on FAIR 2022 and follow the links. Or register in person in the Office on any week day (9:30 to 4:00).

DELIVERY OF ENTRIES: Please bring all Fruit entries to Mellor Hall on Thursday, Sept. 15th between 10 am and 5:30 pm. They must be in place by 6 pm for judging.

PICK UP OF ENTRIES: Sunday, Sept. 18th – after 4:15 pm.

Note: all vegetables must be picked up on the Sunday. Any left after that date will be disposed of.

PRIZE MONEY: 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$3, 3rd - ribbon only.

Pick up prize money and special awards from the Exhibition Office the week of Sept. 26th to 30th – 9:30 am to 4 pm.

RULES:

- All exhibits must have been grown by the exhibitor and must be free from insect damage and disease injury.
 - Only 1 entry per exhibitor per class with the exception of the A.O.V. (Any Other Variety) classes. In those classes an exhibitor may have more than one entry, provided each entry is of a different variety. Please identify if known.
 - If there are three or more exhibits of the same variety in an A.O.V. class, a separate class will be made for that variety with prize money to be the same as the class in which they had been entered.
 - Naming the variety of the entry in the individual classes is an option; please identify it if known and print the name at the top of the Exhibit Tag or on a piece of paper.
 - The Cowichan Exhibition will be using the BC Council of Garden Clubs' Horticulture Judging and Exhibiting Standards (2017) as its reference.
 - Quantity must be as called for in each class.
 - Exhibitor's Pass: exhibitors may purchase a 3-day pass for \$17. The regular gate fee for adults is \$10-\$12/day.
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Section 1: Apples

Exhibit with stems intact.

Class #

- Gravenstein – 3
- McIntosh (Red) – 3
- Spartan – 3
- Cox's Orange Pippin – 3
- Northern Spy – 3
- Jonagold – 3
- Red Delicious – 3
- A.O.V. apples – 3, identify if known
- Crabapples – 3
- Collection of apples – 4 varieties, 3 each, identify

Section 2: Pears

Exhibit with stems intact.

Class #

- Bartlett – 3
- Bosc – 3
- Anjou – 3
- Asian – 3
- A.O.V. pears – 3, identify if known

Section 3: Plums

Exhibit with stems intact.

Class #

- Gold Plum – 3
- Damson (English) – 3
- Italian Prune – 3
- A.O.V. plums – 3, identify if known

Section 4: Nuts & Seeds

Class #

- Hazelnuts (filberts) – mature, previous season, 5
- Walnuts – mature, previous season, 5
- Sunflower Heads – 2
- Amaranth – 3 flower spikes (display in container)
- A.O.V. nuts or seeds – please identify if known

Section 5: Miscellaneous

Class #

- Peaches – 3
- Grapes – outdoor grown, 2 bunches
- Blackberries – 12
- Raspberries – 12
- Strawberries – 12
- Kiwifruit – 3
- Figs – 3
- NEW! Melon – 1
- A.O.V. miscellaneous fruit – 3, please identify if known

Section 6: Collections

Class #

- 'Fruit Platter' – arrange a variety of homegrown fruit (not cut, must be whole) on a platter, any shape. Maximum table space: 12" x 12" [30cm x 30cm].