

**DEPARTMENT: F2
JUNIOR FLOWERS & PLANTS**

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Department Rules:

1. **ENTRY FORMS:** Must be received before **3:00pm** on **TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024.**
2. **EXHIBITOR ENTRIES:** Are to be brought to the Department on **WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2024,** between **1:00pm to 2:00pm.**
3. **ENTRY TAGS:** Exhibitor will pick up their tags at the time the entries are brought in.
4. **JUDGING:** Will take place on **WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2024,** between the hours of **2:00-4:00pm.**
5. **A Junior Season Pass will be issued to the Junior Exhibitor (Ages 7 – 18). All Junior Exhibitors ages 6 and under will not be given a Junior Season Pass since they receive free admission to the Fair.**
6. **EXHIBIT PICK UP:** Exhibits shall be removed between the hours of **11:00am to 2:00pm on Monday, July 29, 2024.**
7. A Junior Season Pass will be issued to the Junior Exhibitor (Ages 7-18). All Junior Exhibitors ages 6 and under will not receive a Junior Pass since they receive free admission to the Fair.
8. All flowers used in arrangement classes **must** be grown or gathered by exhibitor. **Flowers purchased from commercial growers may not be used unless in that category.**
9. All potted plants must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least 60 to 90 days prior to the Fair.
10. **PLEASE DO NOT USE ANTIQUE CONTAINERS OR ANYTHING OF GREAT VALUE.**
11. **All exhibitors winning premiums, including “Honorable Mention”, are requested to refresh such flowers as necessary during the Fair.**
12. Exhibits will be under the supervision of the Superintendent, who will see they receive the proper attention and care. All potted plants are watered by assistants. Only cut flowers have to be replaced and flowers in arrangements.
13. Rosettes will be awarded as follows: First (1st) -Blue, second (2nd) - Red, third (3rd) - Yellow, fourth (4th) - White, Honorable Mention – Green, three (3) Tri-Color Junior Best of Show Special Prize Awards: Juniors -\$10.00.

SECTION: 1 JUNIOR CUT FLOWERS

- Each entry should contain from 3 to 7 blooms attractively arranged.
- Please replace cut flowers at least two (2) times during the Fair.
- The Orange County Fair will furnish containers for all cut flowers.

Class #		1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1	Cosmos	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
2	Bachelor Buttons	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
3	Day Lily	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
4	Gladiolus	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
5	Marigolds – Large Double	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
6	Marigolds – Double Dwarf	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
7	Pansies	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
8	Petunias – Single	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
9	Petunias – Ruffled.	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
10	Sweet Peas	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
11	Zinnias – Large	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
12	Zinnias – Small	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
13	Annual –Any other	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
14	Perennial – Any other	\$6.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

SECTION: 2 JUNIOR FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

(7th to 12th Grade)

- Please replace cut flowers at least two (2) times during the Fair. Store bought flowers will be permitted.

Class #		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
15	"3 LITTLE PIGS" Create a dreamlike arrangement using your favorite flowers. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
16	"LIFE ON THE FARM" An arrangement of fresh flowers that becomes the perfect hideaway spot for fairy friends. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
17	"COUNTRYSIDE BOUQUET" A pleasing arrangement of garden flowers inspired by the colors of the rainbow. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
18	"WHAT'S NATURALLY BEAUTIFUL" An arrangement of garden flowers that depict flowers in a beautiful and imaginative way.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
19	"MEDIEVAL TIMES" Create an arrangement inspired by royalty and knights in shining armor. Include silver and gold in your piece. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
20	"SMURFS, TROLLS AND GNOMES...OH MY!" An arrangement of fresh flowers inspired by your favorite mythical creature.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00

SECTION: 3 JUNIOR FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

(Pre-School to 6th Grade)

- Please replace cut flowers at least two (2) times during the Fair. Store bought flowers will be permitted.

Class #		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
21	"A TRIBUTE TO OUR HERO" An arrangement inspired by your favorite mystical hero. King Arthur? Robin Hood? So many more to choose from. Pick your favorite. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
22	"LIFE ON THE FARM" Create a pleasing arrangement capturing a moment from your favorite fairytale. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
23	"ME & MY GNOME" A gnome has come to visit you, but he needs a place to stay. Create the perfect arrangement to make him feel like he's right at home in the woods. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
24	"MY TEDDY BEAR" An arrangement of fresh cut flowers that are inspired by your favorite stuffed animal. Accessories permitted (picture, hobby, etc.).	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
25	"FAMILY MEMORIES" An arrangement of fresh cut flowers that are inspired by your favorite memory with your family.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00
26	"COUNTRYSIDE BOUQUET" Make your dreams come to life. Create a pleasing arrangement inspired by your dreams and fantasies. Accessories permitted.	\$20.00	\$18.00	\$16.00	\$12.00

SECTION: 4 JUNIOR MINIATURES

Class #		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
27	TOM THUMB A pleasing arrangement of very small fresh flowers in a suitable container. Arrangements cannot be over 4" tall.	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

SECTION: 5 JUNIOR POTTED PLANTS

- Any plant in hanging container will be disqualified.
- No more than two (2) entries per class.

Class #		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
28	African Violets	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
29	Bonsai	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
30	Cactus – Any other	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
31	Coleus – Ruffled.	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
32	Coleus – Any other	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
33	Philodendron	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
35	Any other potted plant	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
36	Most unusual plant	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
37	Dish Garden – Green plants	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
38	Dish Garden – Cactus plants	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
39	Terrarium – Green plants	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00
40	Terrarium – Cactus plants	\$10.00	\$9.00	\$8.00	\$6.00

SECTION: 6 JUNIOR DRIED FLOWERS

Class #	DOWN ON THE FARM THEME	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
41	Picture of your favorite thing such as pet, cartoon character, flowers, etc., made from seeds, dried plant material. Place on background not to exceed 12 x 14".	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
42	Dried Flower Arrangements - Exhibitor must use only dried material in your favorite container. NO PLASTIC OR SILK FLOWERS.	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00
43	Pinecone Wreaths or other pinecone decorations. Use only natural materials - grape vine, straw wreaths, also.	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$4.00

SECTION: 7 JUNIOR EDUCATION DISPLAY

Class #		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
44	Grow any plant from a bulk, seed or cutting. Write a short description and history of the plant. Name the plant and how you grew it. Examples: avocado pit, lemon or orange seed, peanuts, pineapple top, sweet potato vine, etc.	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00	\$6.00