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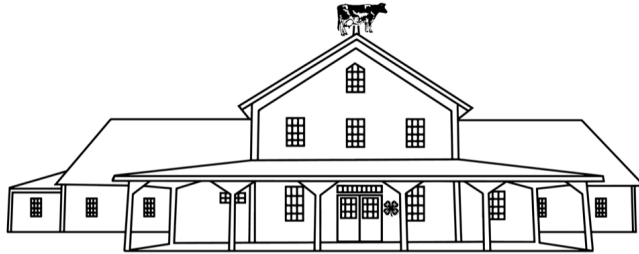


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A LETTER FROM OUR BOARD CHAIR

Greetings All,

Welcome to the 163rd Martha's Vineyard Agricultural Society's largest fundraiser; our fair. Thank you for coming! The fair helps to support our programming like 4H, agricultural education, sustainable agriculture, and scholarships in fields related to agriculture, animal husbandry and sustainability.

What is my connection with the fair as your new Board Chair? Since the age of 12, I have been a part of the fair. Like a lot of Island kids, I started working security at the old fairgrounds, now known as the Grange Hall. My younger years were spent being the "get it done guy" for the Fair Ladies, running around doing anything they asked like digging trenches, painting benches, setting up displays, and cleaning anything and everything. In my early teens, I graduated to become the "Trash King" and oversaw the trash kids. It was after that when I found my true fair niche and worked under Diane Powers who managed the booths. Booth Manager was passed down to me when she retired and the rest is history. Somewhere in there, I joined the Fair Committee and was asked to join the Board. Here we are several years later, and I am currently in my second term as a board member. After some time as your Vice Chair, the Society has elected me Chair. This honor and privilege has been a journey and the organization would not be as successful if it wasn't for the staff and volunteers and board members. In my personal life I am the dad of one boy, and two girls. My wife Carol, has supported me in every step. The unknown thing about our board is when a person joins our board, their spouse is volun-told part of volunteering. Carol has been in charge of Baby Central for over 15 years.



I would like to take a moment and recognize outgoing Chair, Brian Athearn. We both grew up at the fairgrounds and share a passion for supporting agriculture. This past year Brian completed his term, and the Agricultural Society wouldn't be where it is if it wasn't for his leadership. Thank you Brian for showing me what it took to be a good Board Chair.

This year also brought loss of a dear friend of the Agricultural Society and to me, John "Chip" Mancuso. Chip was always around the agricultural society grounds. He helped to establish the horse pull, tractor pull, and Women's Skillet Toss. Chip may have come off as an irritable grumpy man, but he was truly passionate about agriculture, 4H, and the beauty of the Agricultural Society. He spent countless hours mowing and fixing broken items on the grounds. We all remember him sternly correcting us on how to move the white benches. "Not by the arms, pick them up by the seat!" He was there to raise the flag each morning and close the hall at night. Thank You for everything Chip. We will miss you.

For the past 50 years or so, Cushing Amusements has provided our midway. I developed friendships with the Cushing family and families that came with them to our beautiful island. Thank you to Larry Sr, Marion, Larry Jr. Patty, and Peter. I know I am missing several others.

This year the Agricultural Society has been fortunate enough to develop a new friendship with Gene and EJ Dean of Fiesta Shows. The kindness and compassion that EJ has expressed to Lauren Lynch, our President, and I is something to be truly cherished. Fiesta Shows is a family business that helps to support the term family with many definitions. They are active in supporting fairs locally and in Washington D.C. to ensure that fairs like ours will continue to operate and support the education of agriculture. Thank you for helping to make our fair a huge success.

Last but not least, thank you to our Staff and the many volunteers that keep this organization operating. Our Staff continues to impress me with their outreach within our community and supporting our local farmers of all sizes. We have worked over the past several years to really establish a fun learning environment for all to enjoy at our fair.

I hope you have a great time at our fair. In the words of Eleanor Neubert, "See you at the fair!"

Garrison Vieira
MVAS Board Chair



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SCHOLARSHIPS

The Martha's Vineyard Agricultural Society has for many years offered a scholarship to graduating seniors. In order to qualify the student must be pursuing a degree in agriculture, horticulture, aquaculture, environmental studies, land conservation, veterinary medicine, culinary arts, or related studies.

This year the scholarships were awarded to 2 Martha's Vineyard Regional High School seniors, \$2,000 each.



Eleanor Horrigan
&
Annabelle Metell

Farmer & Backyard Grower Grants

We can award these grants each year thanks to our partnership with the Slough Farm Foundation. Special consideration is given to innovative solutions or needs that cannot receive funding through traditional sources.

In 2025, Martha's Vineyard Agricultural Society awarded \$30,700 to the following Island Farms and Backyard Growers:

Farms

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Marshall Farm
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Thank you also to our committed partners and vendors.

The following partners provide many of the services that make our Fair run smoothly.

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VOLUNTEER OR WORK AT THE FAIR

We have a great time bringing the fair together each year, but we can't do it without our amazing volunteers and fair workers! Come join us! Sign ups are usually available in the middle of July on the Fair Page and everyone is welcome! The QR code will take you there.

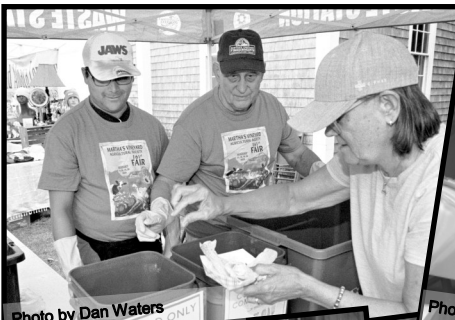


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WHERE ARE THE TRASH CANS?

Since 2016, the Fair has been working to reduce waste. In 2024, thanks to our dedicated staff and volunteers, we diverted nearly 60% of waste from the landfill at our waste stations.

In 2023 we added a back-of-house sorting activity. Our goal was to further boost diversion by sorting the trash that doesn't make its way to the sorting stations.



We learned just how many types of packaging there are at the fair! **So we have launched a multi-year purchasing program to further simplify and streamline the disposal process for fairgoers.**

This year, we're turning the sorting into a party:



*JOIN the sorting party - a
new way to experience
your favorite event!*

You can also help us reduce waste this year with these easy steps:

- Look for the green “WASTE STATION” tents to separate and dispose of all trash, recycling and food scraps. There will be NO TRASH CANS in the food booth areas.
- Bring your own water bottle and fill up at the water station in the Ag Hall, next to the indoor bathrooms, or at the water refill station across from the merchandise booth.
- Bring your own reusable utensils and straws, and order “no utensils” with your food!
- Get excited for the “Best Green Booth” award!

For more info, email sophiejmv@gmail.com

PROGRAM

2025

Carnival Rides Open at

Fair Theme

11 am

“Something to Crow About”

Thursday - Sunday

Thursday, August 21st (10am - 11pm)

Cattle Day

Judging of Exhibits in Hall (Hall opens after judging in the afternoon)

10:00 am	Drop-in Crafts, all day - Fiber Tent
10:00 am - 12:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
10:15 am	4H opening day parade - In front of the Animal Barn
10:30 am	Parade of Oxen - Pulling Ring
11:00 am	Ox Teamsters Challenge (obstacle course) - Pulling Ring
11:00 am	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
11:00 am	Shearing Demos, all day
11:00 am	How To Make a Tee Shirt Quilt - Fiber Tent
1:00pm - 3:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
2:00 pm	Youth Ox Pull and Lightweight Ox Pull (teams weighing under 3200#)
2:00 pm	Rug Hooking Is Fun - Fiber Tent
3:00 pm	Chopstick Knitting Competition - Fiber Tent
4:00 pm	Sack Races
4:00 pm	Heavyweight Ox Pull (teams weighing over 3200#)
5:00 pm	Goat Show & Judging of Goats - in front of Barn
6:00 pm	Youth Cattle Show (Beef & Dairy)
6:30 pm	Youth Sheep Show
7:00 pm	Rubber Chicken Toss - Next to the Show Ring
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Live Local Music - Music Tent

Friday, August 22nd (10am - 11pm)

Horse Day

10:00 am	Drop-in Crafts, all day - Fiber Tent
10:00 am	Judging of Miniature Donkeys and Horses - Barn
10:00 am - 12:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
10:30 am	Judging of Cattle - Barn
11:00 am	Draft Horse Halter Class - Pulling Ring
11:00 am	Nothing Is Disposable: Upcycle Your Clothes - Fiber Tent
11:00 am	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
11:00 am	Shearing Demos, all day
11:30 am	Judging of Swine - Barn
1:00pm - 3:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
1:00 pm	Draft Horse Pulling Contest - Pulling Ring
1:00 pm	Judging of Rabbits - Barn
2:00 pm	Fiber Arts: Then and Now - Fiber Tent
2:00 pm	Judging of Llamas & Alpacas - Barn
2:00 pm	Kids Corn Husking Competition - Behind Hall
2:30 pm	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
3:00 pm	Chopstick Knitting Competition - Fiber Tent
3:00 pm	The Pet Show - Music Tent
3:30 pm	Livestock Fit and Showmanship (Youth followed by adult)
6:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Live Local Music - Music Tent

Saturday, August 23rd (10am - 11pm)

Farm Machinery Day

All poultry will be judged before gates open

10:00 am	Drop-in Crafts, all day - Fiber Tent
10:00 am	Antique Tractor Pull - Behind the Pulling Ring
10:00 am - 12:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
11:00 am	Woodsmen's Competition, all day - Pulling Ring
11:00 am	Shearing Demos, all day
11:00 am	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn

11:00 am	Kiddie Pedal Tractor Pull - By the Show Ring
1:00pm - 3:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
2:30 pm	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Touch A Tractor - Pulling Ring
3:30 pm	4H Animal/Handler Costume Contest - Show Ring
4:00 pm	Shucking Competition - Music Tent
5:00 pm	Sack Races - Show Ring
5:30 pm	Mini Excavator Competition - Behind Pulling Ring
5:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Live Local Music - Music Tent
5:30 pm	Tug-O-War Competition - Show Ring
8:30 pm	Johnny Hoy & the Bluefish - Music Tent

Sunday, August 24th (9:30 am - 6 pm)

9:30 am	Dog Show Check In Starts
10:00 am	Dog Show - Pulling Ring
10:00 am - 12:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
11:00 am	Weaving: The Magic of Over and Under - Fiber Tent
11:00 am	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
11:00 am	Local Equine Events, all day - Show Ring
11:00 am	Shearing Demos, all day
11:00 am - 5:00 pm	Cornhole Summer Showdown, Under the Trees
1:00pm - 3:30 pm	Youth Education - Education Tent
2:00 pm	4H Animal Talent Show
2:30 pm	Animal Meet and Greet - by the Barn
3:00 pm	Chopstick Knitting Competition - Fiber Tent
3:00 pm	Women's Skillet Toss - Pulling Ring
4:00 pm	Barn Closing Parade

Thursday, Friday & Saturday

Barns closes at 9:00pm

Hall closes at 10:00pm

Fiber Tent closes at 6:00pm

Sunday

Barns closes at 5:00pm

Hall closes at 5:00pm

Fiber Tent closes at 5:00pm

BECOME A MEMBER

Join the Society and help us in our mission to support and promote the production, marketing, preservation and enjoyment of agriculture in our local community.

Membership also has the following benefits:

- ♦ Free admission to all four days of the Fair!! *If purchased before August 1st*
- ♦ Entrance discounts on all our educational and community events.
- ♦ Access to member only events.

Joining is easy right through our website. Just scan the QR Code to get started



ADMISSION



<u>ADULT</u>	\$15.00
<u>VETERANS</u>	\$10.00
<u>SENIOR 62 YO AND UP</u>	\$10.00
<u>CHILDREN 5 YO - 12 YO</u>	\$10.00
<u>CHILDREN 4 YO AND UNDER</u>	FREE

Prices are per person per fair day.

*We are adding new events all the time
to the fair calendar. Check out the
Fair Webpage for updated schedule,
ride info, admission tickets, entry info
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EVENTS

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OPEN 10AM TO 6PM DAILY

Handcrafting and fiber arts hold a special place on Martha's Vineyard. People come together to share knowledge through crafts that span generations. We connect over our passion for creating and passing on traditions. Through workshops, events, and craft groups fiber enthusiasts meet year-round on the Island. We encourage each other, support creativity, welcome new ideas and people, and ultimately strengthen the bonds of our community. The Fiber Tent celebrates all these things.

LECTURES AND DEMONSTRATIONS

HELD DAILY CHECK THE CALENDAR ON
PAGE 12 OR THE BOARD AT THE FIBER TENT



Check out a shearing, quilting, spinning or weaving demonstration!

Meet the Shearer

Siri Swanson is a full time shearer as Yankee Clippers Shearing and owns and operates Yankee Rock Farm, LLC with her partner, Colin, in Orwell, VT. Together they serve more than 10,000 sheep per year and maintain their flock of 40 ewes with a commitment to cutting-edge shepherding, service to community, and progressive land management through their endeavors.



CHOPSTICK KNITTING CONTEST

HELD THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SUNDAY @ 3PM

Pre-register by 2 pm.

Adult and Youth divisions to be run at the same time.

Rules:

1. Contestants will be provided with worsted weight wool yarn.
2. Contestants will be provided with a pair of Chop Stick Knitting Needles.
3. Before timing begins, contestants will cast 20 stitches on knitting needles.
4. Knitters will knit for 15 minutes.
5. When time is up, the swatch will be measured and judged by the rows knitted.
6. Judge's decision is final.

CATTLE DAY

HELD THURSDAY ALL DAY

Preregistration is required to enter oxen.

Anyone can be a spectator! Come sit in the grandstands to learn all about oxen and cheer the teams on!

Schedule:

10:30 - Parade of Oxen

11:00 - Ox Teamster's Challenge (obstacle course)

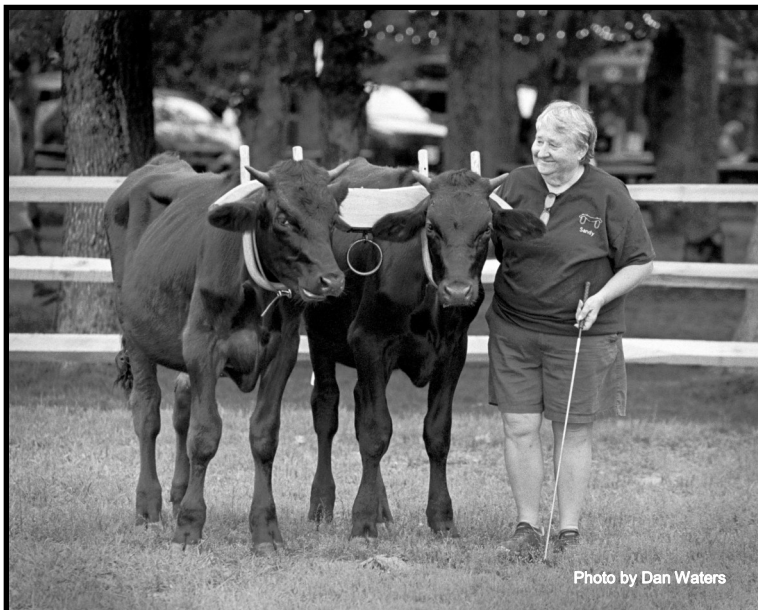
2:00 - Youth Ox Pull and Lightweight Ox Pull (teams weighing under 3200#)

4:00 -Heavyweight Ox Pull (teams weighing over 3200#)

Rules:

All MAFA Approved rules for "Pulling Contests" Apply

Copies can be obtained through the department manager or your MAFA representative Kristy Rose at Kristy@mvagsoc.org



SACK RACES

HELD THURSDAY AT 4PM &
SATURDAY AT 5PM BY THE SHOW RING.



A fun tradition for all ages! Preregistration is not required.

RUBBER CHICKEN TOSS

THURSDAY AT 7PM BY THE SHOW RING.

How far can you throw a rubber chicken?

Fun for the whole family. Like the skillet toss, but it's a little lighter and little wackier. Rubber chickens provided.

Preregistration available on Fair Entry Events Dept. 129 by end of day Wednesday or in person registration is available one hour before event at event tent.

THE RULES:

- Two tosses per contestant.
- The person to throw the rubber chicken the farthest distance in each age group will win.
- Ribbons to winners in each age group to three places.

AGE GROUPS:

- A. 5yo and under
- B. 6-8yo
- C. 9-11yo
- D. 12-15yo
- E. 16yo and older

CORNHUSKING COMPETITION

HELD FRIDAY @ 2PM BEHIND THE HALL

Classes

1. Ages 6 - 8 yo
2. Ages 9 - 12 yo

Preregistration is not required.

Rules:

1. 5 ears of corn to each entrant
2. Given verbal "GO" signal to start
3. All ears need to be clean to be finished.
4. Contestant must yell "DONE" when they feel they have completed husking 5 ears.
5. If tied for time, judges will look for which 5 ears are cleanest (least amount of husk and corn silk left).
6. All husked corn stays with the Agricultural Society for animal feed
7. Winning ribbons will be given at the end of each age group. (1st, 2nd, and 3rd).



PET SHOW

HELD FRIDAY @ 3PM

No preregistration. Register pets with the Pet Show

Committee at the stage. Show starts at 3pm. Please be on time.

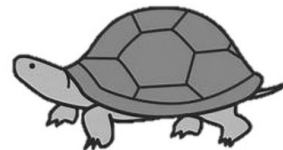


The Pet Show is only for children. No animals may be entered here that could be entered elsewhere. No adult dogs or farm animals.

All pets must be caged or restrained and under control at all times. Ribbons will be awarded at the discretion of Dr. Milkbone and his milkbone assistants. Ribbons will be awarded for each Class.

Classes

- | | |
|------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Puppies | 5. Bunnies |
| 2. Kittens | 6. Reptiles |
| 3. Cats | 7. Fish |
| 4. Birds | 8. Other Pets - give name |
| | 9. Prize for Most Unusual Pet |



HORSE DAY

HELD ALL DAY FRIDAY

*Preregistration is required to enter horses. Contact the office:
office@mvagsoc.org.*

**Anyone can be a
spectator! Come sit in
the grandstands to
learn all about draft
horses and cheer the
teams on!**



Schedule:

11:00 am Draft Horse Halter Class

1:00 pm Draft Horse Pull

1. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: atrophic mange, ringworm, soring, and strangles.
2. All equines originating from within the Commonwealth must have a negative Coggins test dated within twelve (12) months of entry.
3. All equines originating from outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative Coggins test dated within six months of importation into the Commonwealth.
4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies within one year of the fair.
5. All MAFA approved rules for "Pulling Contests" apply.

Department 105 B - Draft Horses

Scale open 8 A.M. - 10 A.M.

105 B 1 Halter 1600 lbs. or Under

105 B 2 Halter 1600 lbs. or Over

105 B 3 Pulling Contest under 3300 lbs.

105 B 4 Pulling Contest Three Horse Hitch

KIDDIE PEDAL TRACTOR PULL

HELD SATURDAY @ 11AM



Fairentry Department 127

Pulling Classes

1. 6yo & 7yo
2. 8yo & 9yo
3. 10yo & 11yo

Registration is available online until end of day Friday. In person registration available 1 hour before event at the event tent.

All Registrants must sign a waiver upon check in.

How the pull works:

- Contestants will be given (2) chances to get the sled moving from the starting line.
- The pulling tractor must stay between the lines while pulling the sled. If the tractor crosses one of the side lines, the pull will be measured to where it crossed the line.
- After tallying all the measurements of contestants pulls for each class, the farthest pulls will determine the top 3 winners.
- In case of a tie, a pull-off will be held.
- Measurements made by the event officials are final.

Rules:

1. Participation is limited and contestants will be allowed to register on a first come first serve basis including online entries.
2. Boys and girls will pull together and pulling class will be determined by age at the date of the event.
3. Contestants will pull in the order that they signed up.
4. Due to time constraints, the contestant **MUST** be present when their name is called to pull or will be disqualified.

Safety Requirements:

- Contestants must be able to pedal the tractor with his or her feet without assistance.
- Contestants **MUST** wear closed toe and closed heel shoes. (rubber soles are recommended)
- Contestants must not touch wheels & must keep feet on pedals at all times while pulling.

FARM MACHINERY DAY

HELD SATURDAY ALL DAY

Saturday is Machinery Day at the Fair! It's a celebration of all the tools farmers use and the skills it takes to operate them.



Schedule:

All Day

10:00 am until done

11:00 am

11:00 am until done

3:00 pm - 4:00pm

5:30 pm

Visit the Antique Power Museum

The Antique Tractor Pull

Kiddie Pedal Tractor Pull

Woodsmen's Contest

Touch A Tractor (Pulling Ring)

Mini Excavator Obstacle Course



**Come visit
George in the
Antique Power
Museum!**

*Open All Day
Everyday of the Fair!*

TRACTOR PULL

HELD SATURDAY AT 10AM

Pull Director: Simon Bollin

Any Questions - 508-958-2033

Tractor Pull Rules

1. The Martha's Vineyard Agricultural Society assumes no responsibility for loss, theft and/or injury to the participant or property competing.
2. Tractors must be standard make, at least 25 years old, rubber tread, wheel type, equipped for farm use. No four wheel drives allowed, no dual tires, no studs or chains permitted. All power must be transmitted to the wheels. No hydrostatic drives allowed.
3. The order of pulling in each class will be determined by drawing numbers for each class at the time of weighing in.
4. The pull director will determine the number of classes you may enter.
5. The first-place winner may enter the next class and pull last in order. The second-place tractor will only be allowed to enter the next class if the pull director determines that the class is less than full and time allows.
6. All pullers will have a total of 4 minutes of pulling time. During that 4 minutes they can make as many hitches as they want with only longest pull counting. The pin resets with rehitching.
7. All pulls must be made on the concrete slab provided. Dead hitch to boat by cable, clevis and pin provided. Hitch for tractors under 2,000 pounds must not be over 12 inches from the slab. Any hydraulic drawbar found raised after original check will be cause for disqualification. All drawbars to be stationary (rigid) in all directions at all times. Hitch for tractors over 2000 pounds must be less than 20 inches from the slab.
8. Load must be pulled six feet in one hitch from the starting point. Distance is measured to the point where the boat first stops forward motion. Any yank pull, which tips the concrete block off the load, will be cause for disqualification of both operator and the tractor for this contest. No previous tries will be counted for awards.
9. All tractors must be weighed on fairground scales. Weight is to include the operator.
10. The winner of the previous class may add weight to correspond to the next class.
11. No portion of the tractor may interfere with the boat.
12. All weight must be safely secured to the tractor and must not move rearward while pulling.
13. All tractors must have a rigid seat and tip seats must be secured while pulling.
14. The Fair strongly recommends the use of stabilizer bars.
15. Operators will use all due consideration for the safety of other operators, track crew, and spectators and remain in the seat at all times. No operator shall allow their tractor to continue spinning after the boat has stopped and they have been signaled by an official.
16. The rules and classes are subject to change. Any changes will be announced before the contest starts.
17. All four tires must remain on pad while pulling.
18. The drawbar hole must be easily accessible to hookup. The hole size is to be no smaller than 1 1/4 inches.
19. Any loss of liquid on the pulling surface or loss of weights or safety equipment may be cause for disqualification.

Class Descriptions

Class 1	Modified Under 1000 lbs.	Ribbons for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th places
Class 2	Under 1000 lbs.	Ribbons for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th places
Class 3	Under 1500 lbs.	Ribbons for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th places
Class 4	Under 3000 lbs.	Ribbons for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th places
Class 5	Under 4500 lbs.	Ribbons for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th places

Weight limits are subject to change.

MINIEXCAVATOR COMPETITION

HELD SATURDAY AT 5:30PM

IN THE PULLING RING

This event will be a timed Competition. Each operator will have to Move 4 items from one side of machine to the other side placing the items into designated areas, while only using the bucket. No thumb use will be allowed. Sign up at tractor pull ring on Saturday.

Any questions call Simon 508-958-2033

Rules

1. Use safe practices at all times
2. Make sure controls are how you need them before starting
3. Judge will check with operator and make sure they are ready to go. Time starts on signal and finishes when last item placed back in starting position
4. All items will be placed in starting position before Operator begins
5. Items must be picked-up and moved using only the bucket as no use of thumb allowed
6. If judges deem you are being unsafe you will be Disqualified
7. Two timers will be used with average of both times being the official time
8. Judges decisions are final
9. All operators must sign a release form before being able to compete No Exemptions
10. In Professional Class, all items must be picked up and moved by means provided.

Classes

- A. Amateur Operator = Under 2 years experience
- B. Professional Operator = 2 years experience and over

Penalties applying to both Classes

1. Using Thumb = Disqualified
2. Not placing items into proper areas =1 minute per item
3. Unable to Finish in 5 minutes =disqualified
4. Spilling water to bring level below mark =1 minute

Additional Penalties for Class B. Professional Operators

5. Intentionally destroying prop= disqualified
6. Knocking over bucket = 1 minute
7. Any additional penalties will be discussed at operator meeting prior to event

FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL **WOODSMAN'S FAIR**

HELD SATURDAY @ 11AM

Sponsored by M. V. Agricultural Society

Head Judge - Shawn Bugbee

Master of Ceremonies - Peg Engasser

Organizers - Heather & Vincent Maciel

Registration Deadline - August 1, 2025

Registration Fee - \$25.00 or

\$5 for a single class

Must Check in by 10:30 am

Individual Events:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Open Chainsaw	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
2. Chainsaw 4.5 Cubic Inch & Under	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
3. Relay	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
4. Men's Buck Sawing	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
5. Men's Crosscut	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
6. Single Buck	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
7. Jack and Jill Crosscut	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
8. Axe Throw	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
9. Jill and Jill Crosscut	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
10. Women's Buck Sawing	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
11. Standing Block Chop	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
12. Horizontal Log Chop	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
13. Chainsaw Sculpture	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
(Island Residents Only)				
14. Master Buck Sawing	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
(Must be 55 years)				
15. Master Horizontal Chop				
(Must be 55 years)	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
16. Master Axe Throw	50.00	35.00	20.00	10.00
(Must be 55 years)				
17. Highest Overall Woodsman	100.00	60.00	40.00	
18. Highest Island Woodsman	100.00	60.00	40.00	
19. Highest Overall Master's	75.00			
20. Highest Overall Women	75.00			

SHUCKING COMPETITION

HELD SATURDAY @ 4PM

Divisions

1. Professional
2. Non-professional

Classes

- A. Littlenecks
- B. Oysters



Preregistration is not required.

Rules:

1. All rulings by judges are final.
2. Shuckers may wear gloves, use their own knives and carry an extra knife for use in case the first breaks.
3. Each contestant will receive the same amount of oysters that will be randomly selected by the judges. Four of oysters may be exchanged by the shuckers if they don't like the look.
4. The shuckers may arrange the oysters in front of him/her for the event.
5. Time-keepers from the audience and/or the judges will keep track of each shucker's time of completion. At the start of the event the Judges will yell "Go!", initiating the start of the event.
6. When a contestant has finished shucking and is satisfied with his/her arrangement of the shucked oysters, he/she will raise their hands and the timekeepers will stop their stopwatches.
7. The shuckers may not touch their trays after they have signaled completion.

Note: Presentation is of utmost importance. An appetizing arrangement is rewarded over a "sloppy" or "hacked" presentation.

PENALTIES: Judges will add seconds of time accordingly:

Three (3) second penalties

An oyster is not completely severed from the shell.

An oyster presented on a broken shell (No penalty if placed on the top shell).

An oyster presented with grit, blood or other foreign substances.

An oyster is cut.

An oyster is not placed properly in its shell.

Twenty (20) second penalty

An oyster is missing from the shell or plate.

BONUS: Judges may (optionally) award a bonus reduction of ten (10) seconds as an award for the tray whose presentation is deemed outstanding.

The Judges will then declare the winner by the shucker with the fastest time, including all penalties and bonuses.

TUG OF WAR

SATURDAY @ 5:30PM

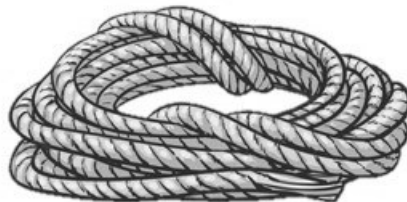
Classes

1. Youth 14 yo & under
2. Youth 15 yo to 20 yo
3. Adult 21 yo & up

Rules:

1. The whole team needs to fit in the age group registered.
2. The captain registers the team.
3. Each team must have a minimum of 6 members and a maximum of 8 members. (five on the rope, two alternates and one captain)
4. Each team member may only be on one team.
5. No spiked footwear.
6. Gloves may be worn.
7. No hand over hand pulling (members must move back with the rope.)
8. Only anchor person may have one hand on the ground.
9. Anchor person - rope will pass under one armpit diagonally cross the back then over opposite shoulder.
10. Only the team captain may consult with the judges.
11. The judge's decision is final.
12. Official tug of war informational videos available on you tube at TWIF (Tug of War International Federation)2nd, and 3rd).

*Register online through Fair Entry
Department 123 or at the Entry
Office during the Fair or at the
Event.*



THE DOG SHOW

HELD SUNDAY @ 10 AM

*****Preregistration is required by Friday of the Fair at 11pm. No registrations will be allowed on Saturday or Sunday. *****

How the Dog Show Works:

- The Dog Show has it's own entry form on the next page.
- Check in begins at 9:30am sharp on the Sunday of the show.
- Online entry is available and strongly encouraged.
- Give name, age and sex of dog.
- **PROOF OF RABIES VACCINATION (TAG OR CERTIFICATE) MUST BE PROVIDED ON DAY OF SHOW.**
- Dogs must be over 6 months of age.
- Ribbons will be awarded in the following classes in the following order: Mixed Breed, Sporting, Hound, Working, Terrier, Toy, Non-Sporting, Herding and Miscellaneous.
- There is a separate Obedience Class. Fill out a separate entry form.
 - Choose:
 1. "X" open to dogs with 6 month or less of training. Includes heel, figure 8, stand for examination, sit and down all done on leash.
 2. "A" open to dogs with 1 year training. Includes heel, figure 8, stand for examination, sit and down all done on leash.

Special Awards:

\$10.00

- Best Greyhound - In memory of Ginger
- Best Golden Retriever - In memory of Shamrock & Marigold
- Best Chihuahua - In memory of Jeanne Woods
- Best Yorkshire Terrier - In memory of Oliver

\$15.00

- Animal Health Care Associates Award - Given to youngest handler in Best in Show Competition.

\$50.00

- Emma MacKay Hall Dog Award - Preference to Newfoundland, Labrador Retriever, Wolfhound or Shih Tzu breeds

DOG BREEDS

Mixed Breed

Sporting Group

American Water Spaniel
Boykin
Brittany
Chesapeake Bay Retriever
Clumber Spaniel
Cocker Spaniel
Curly Coated Retriever
English Cocker Spaniel
English Setter
English Springer Spaniel
Field Spaniel
Flat-Coated Retriever
German Shorthaired Pointer
German Wirehaired Pointer
Golden Retriever
Gordon Setter
Irish Red & White Setter
Irish Setter
Irish Water Spaniel
Labrador Retriever
Lagotto Romagnolo
Nederlandse Kooikerhondje
Nova Scotia Duck Tolling Retriever
Pointer
Spinone Italiano
Sussex Spaniel
Vizsla
Weimaraner
Welsh Springer Spaniel
Wirehaired Pointing Griffon
Wirehaired Vizsla
Barbet

Hound Group

Afghan Hound
American English Coonhound
American Foxhound
Azawakh
Basenji
Basset Hound
Beagle
Black and Tan Coonhound
Bloodhound
Bluetick Coonhound
Borzoi
Cirneco dell'Etna
Dachshund
English Foxhound
Grand Basset Griffon Vendeen
Greyhound
Harrier
Ibizan Hound
Irish Wolfhound
Norwegian Elkhound
Otterhound
Pettit Basset Griffon Vendeen
Pharaoh Hound
Plott Hound
Portuguese Podengo Pequeno
Redbone Coonhound
Rhodesian Ridgeback
Saluki
Scottish Deerhound
Sloughi
TreeWalker Coonhound
Whippet

Working Group

Akita
Alaskan Malamute
Anatolian Shepherd Dog
Bernese Mountain Dog

Black Russian Terrier
Boerboel
Boxer
Bullmastiff
Cane Corso
Chinook
Doberman Pinscher
Dogue de Bordeaux
German Pinscher
Giant Schnauzer
Great Dane
Great Pyreneese
Greater Swiss Mountain Dog
Komondor
Kuvasz
Leonberger
Mastiff
Neapolitan Mastiff
Newfoundland
Portuguese Water Dog
Rottweiler
Saint Bernard
Samoyed
Siberian Husky
Standard Schnauzer
Tibetan Mastiff

Terrier Group

Airedale Terrier
American Hairless Terrier
American Staffordshire Terrier
Australian Terrier
Bedlington Terrier
Border Terrier
Bull Terrier
Cairn Terrier
Cesky Terrier
Dandie Dinmont Terrier
Glen of Imaal Terrier
Irish Terrier
Kerry Blue Terrier
Lakeland Terrier
Manchester Terrier
Miniature Bull Terrier
Miniature Schnauzer
Norfolk Terrier
Norwich Terrier
Parson Russell Terrier
Rat Terrier
Russell Terrier
Scottish Terrier
Sealyham Terrier
Skye Terrier
Smooth Fox Terrier
Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier
Staffordshire Bull Terrier
Welsh Terrier
West Highland White Terrier
Wire Fox Terrier

Toy Group

Affenpinscher
Brussels Griffon
Cavalier King Charles Spaniel
Chihuahua
Chinese Crested
English Toy Spaniel
Havanese
Italian Greyhound
Japanese Chin
Maltese
Manchester Terrier
Miniature Pinscher
Papillon
Pekingese Pomeranian

Poodle (Toy)
Pug
Shih Tzu
Silky Terrier
Toy Fox Terrier
Yorkshire Terrier
Biewer Terrier

Non-Sporting Group

American Eskimo Dog
Bichon Frise
Boston Terrier
Bulldog
Chinese Shar-pei
Chow Chow
Coton Tulear
Dalmatian
Finnish Spitz
French Bulldog
Keeshound
Lhasa Apso
Lowchen
Norwegian Lundehund
Poodle (Miniature)
Poodle (Standard)
Schipperke
Shiba Inu
Tibetan Spaniel
Tibetan Terrier
Xoloitzcuintli

Herding Group

:Australian Cattle Dog
Australian Shepherd
Bearded Collie
Beauceron
Belgian Laekenois
Belgian Malinois
Belgian Sheepdog
Belgian Tervuren
Bergamasco
Berger Pikard
Border Collie
Bouvier Des Flandres
Briard
Canaan Dog
Cardigan Welsh Corgi
Collie
Entlebucher Mountain Dog
Finnish Lapphund
German Shepherd Dog
Icelandic Sheepdog
Miniature American Shepherd
Norwegian Buhund
Old English Sheepdog
Pembroke Welsh Corgi
Polish Lowland Sheepdog
Puli
Pumi
Pyrenean Shepherd
Shetland Sheepdog
Spanish Water Dog
Swedish Vallhund

Miscellaneous

Breco Italiano
Dutch Shepherd
Lancashire Heeler
Mudr
Norrbottenspets
Peruvian Inca Orchid
Portuguese Podengo
Russian Toy
Small Munsterlander
Teddy Roosevelt Terrier

NOTE: YOU **MUST** FILL OUT INDIVIDUAL FORMS FOR BREED & OBEDIENCE.

DOG SHOW REGISTRATION

Do not write in box:

Please print legibly

Breed of Dog _____ M _____ F _____

Name of Dog _____ Age _____

Owner's Name _____ Phone# _____

Permanent Mailing Address _____

Handler's Name (& age) _____

Interesting facts about dog _____

OBEDIENCE ENTRY: "X" _____ "A" _____

Has dog received any AKC obedience training? If so, what? _____

Circle One

- Mixed Breed
- Sporting
- Hound
- Working
- Terrier
- Toy
- Non-Sporting
- Herding
- Miscellaneous

Do not write in box:



Remembering John Mancuso (Chippy)

1943-2025

Back in the day, John landed on the Vineyard to serve his country while he was in the United States Coast Guard. When serving on the Vineyard, he re-acquainted himself with old relatives, the McClure Family of Vineyard Pines Farm. Establishing himself, he started out by working for Fred Fisher on the Nip & Tuck Farm in West Tisbury. As time went on, he fell in love and made a home in West Tisbury with the love of his life, Joanie.

Most that knew him well, knew that FAIR time was John's (Chippy's) favorite time of year! So many of us remember him helping out at the Oxen and Horse pulls, loading the cement blocks on the sleigh and riding his "Mighty Chariot" (his blue tractor), between each pull. He was also invaluable behind the scenes, mowing the grounds, making repairs, and just being "hands on" the property when assistance was required though out the season. He was always available when needed when a problem would present itself on the property.

Is it a wonder that he became an Agricultural Society Trustee? Serving on the Building Committee, John could not have been more happy or proud of his position. It was a responsibility he took very seriously and did his best to see that the Society's grounds were kept up and looking presentable.

And just a quick note not to forget: His very favorite thing to do was to raise the US Flag out front of the Hall. Please give Chip a thought when you gaze upon the Flag.

John Mancuso (Chippy) will be missed and remembered by those that knew him, worked beside him and served with him in this wonderful Agricultural Society Family.

WOMEN'S SKILLET TOSS

HELD SUNDAY @ 3PM

Fairentry Department 122 Division A

Registration is available online until end of day Saturday. In person registration available at the entry office Sunday morning until noon.

Pre-registration required.

Classes:

1. Ages 18 - 29
2. Ages 30 - 45
3. Ages 46 - 55
4. Ages 56 - 64
5. Ages 65 - 79
6. 80 & Older

Rules:

1. Open to the world's women
2. Skillet will be provided by the fair.
3. Skillet used is custom-made of steel and weighs approximately 3lbs. 11oz.
4. Throw will be straight out the course, distance off center line will be subtracted from distance thrown.
5. No practice throws allowed.
6. Two throws per contestant - best of two.
7. Crossing foul line will result in disqualification. No additional throw after second throw.
8. Online registration available until end of the day Saturday.
9. Paper registration will be accepted in office Sunday morning only until noon in the Fair Entry Office. **No registrations will be allowed at the event.**



Ribbons to 6 places; Trophy to Champion

The Silver Skillet Award is given in memory of Judy Jahries, by her family, to honor her unabashed courage to try new things and to celebrate her youthful exuberance. The award will be given to the eldest competitor in the skillet throw event.

You can get to Fair Entry by scanning the QR Code on pg.37, clicking the "Enter Online" link on our website, or visiting Fairentry.com and choosing our fair.

- Once you get to Fair Entry, you will be instructed to create an account or login if you've entered previous fairs.
- You will click on the Begin Registration button and proceed to follow instructions to finalize registration.
- Click on the Continue to Entries button or Start an Invoice button to find the classes that you wish to enter.
- Once all classes have been selected (animals classes must complete the "add an animal" portion), please proceed to review entries.
- Although we do not charge fees for entries, the checkout must still be completed to submit your entry.
- You will receive an email confirmation listing your entries.

Contact the Fair Office at kristy@mvagsoc.org . Or feel free to stop by after August 1st and we will have volunteers on hand to help you use the program.

Portuguese

Você pode chegar ao Fair Entry escaneando o QR Code na pg.37, clicando no link "Enter Online" em nosso site, ou visitando Fairentry.com e escolhendo nossa feira.

- Assim que chegar à Fair Entry, você será instruído a criar uma conta ou fazer login se tiver participado de feiras anteriores.
- Você clicará no botão Iniciar Registro e seguirá as instruções para finalizar o registro.
- Clique no botão Continuar para entradas ou no botão Iniciar uma fatura para encontrar as classes que você deseja entrar.
- Uma vez que todas as classes tenham sido selecionadas (as classes de animais devem completar a parte "adicionar um animal"), prossiga para revisar as inscrições.
- Embora não cobremos taxas para as inscrições, o checkout ainda deve ser concluído para enviar sua inscrição.
- Você receberá um e-mail de confirmação listando suas entradas.

Entre em contato com o escritório da Feira em kristy@mvagsoc.org . Ou sinta-se livre para parar depois de 1 de agosto e teremos voluntários à disposição para ajudá-lo a usar o programa.

ENTER SOMETHING IN THE BARN & HALL

Entering in the Barn and Hall is fun and there's a category for everything you could possibly think of to create and raise. In the following pages you will find all you need to know to join in the friendly competition.

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HOW DO I ENTER?

Online entries begin July 1st through www.fairentry.com. Paper entries will be accepted in the drop box starting August 1st. We strongly encourage entrants to use fair entry.

If we cannot read your written entry or it is not complete, you may be disqualified. Nobody wants crying entrants on drop off day.



SPECIAL AWARDS

These awards are given by families or organizations, usually in memory of a member who loved the Fair and/or participated in the past. It is their choice as to department and the premium awarded; typically it is given in a category that the organization is involved with, or that the family member most enjoyed. New Special Awards are always welcome.

BARN AND LIVESTOCK AWARDS

Sidney Morris “Whippersnapper” Award - Given to Island youth 4h teamster that shows the most devotion to working cattle - \$25.00

Jane Newhall Award - Given to the youth who shows the most overall dedication to Livestock. Presented the M. V. Agricultural Society in memory of Jane Newhall. Junior: \$10.00

The Emma MacKay Hall Baby Goat Award - Given to an outstanding Baby Goat. Given in loving memory by her family or their designees. Adult or Junior: \$50.00

ISLAND TRADITION & CONSERVATION AWARDS

The Emma Mayhew Whiting Award - This prize will be awarded as an additional premium for that regular exhibit which typifies to an unusual extent, the traditional way of life of this island community which meant so much to Mrs. Whiting. Given by her grandchildren Danny, Allen and Prudy. Adult or Junior: \$100.00

The Wight Award - For the exhibition in the Youth Departments showing careful planning, genuine interest and painstaking preparation. Presented in memory of Frank B. “Pop” Wight - Treasurer and Custodian, M.V.A.S., 1950-54. Junior: \$50.00

“Be Good” Award - Given in honor of Ray Phillips for the best Junior Nature Collection . \$20.00

BAKING & PRESERVING AWARDS

The Barbara Lazarus Award - For Traditional Baking. Given in Memory of Barbara Lazarus, by her family, to honor the “moistest and richest” brownies prepared without nuts. Adult: \$10.00 Junior: \$10.00

The George Thibault Award - For the Best Adult Baking in the Men’s only category. Given in Memory of George Thibault by his family. Adult: \$25.00

The Emma MacKay Hall Baking Award - Given to the most prolific baker. Given in loving memory by her family or their designees: Adult: \$50.00

SPECIAL AWARDS

VEGETABLE & FLOWER/PLANT AWARDS

The Paul Jackson Award - Reflecting Paul's belief that beauty, nutrition, and sustainability are deeply intertwined, the Paul Jackson award honors the best home garden display. As you look at this display, please consider all the labor, knowledge, and love that makes this bounty possible—and commit to sharing it with future generations! Adult: \$30.00 Junior: \$30.00

The Ray Houle Award - Awarded to that youth for the most outstanding vegetable. Given in memory by the Houle family. Junior: \$30.00

The Myra Houle Award - Awarded to that youth for the best overall Junior Flower Arrangement. Given in memory by the Houle family. Junior: \$30.00

The Martha's Vineyard Garden Club Founder's Award -2 awards to Junior entries for an arrangement of Vineyard Vegetation, judged for originality and thoughtfulness. Given in memory of Mrs. T. M. R. Meikleham, founder and first president. No plant in conservation list is to be used. Junior: \$25.00

The Emma MacKay Hall Sunflower Award - Grown or artistically rendered. Given in loving memory by her family or their designees: Adult or Junior: \$50.00

Leslie Gray Award - Given by Annie Fisher in Memory of her friend Leslie Gray who always tried, and often won, for the largest tomato. Adult: \$50.00

ART, PHOTOGRAPHY, SEWING & NEEDLEWORK AND HANDICRAFT AWARDS

The William Bradford Whiting Award - This prize will be given to that child who shows outstanding originality and artistic promise in memory of William Bradford Whiting. Junior: \$100.00

The Judith Krieger Gardner Award - This prize will be awarded for the piece of children's art which most clearly exhibits the creative spirit Judy encouraged. Given in memory of Judith Krieger Gardner by her children. Junior: \$25.00

The Fern and Feather Award - For the best photographer of Natural History Subject, black & white or color photos. Given by Felix Neck Wildlife Sanctuary. Adult: \$10.00 Junior: \$10.00

SPECIAL AWARDS

The Neumann Award - For the most expressive photograph of endangered or rare wildflower (must be properly identified). It must not have been picked or disturbed. Given in memory of John Peter and Christopher Swing Neumann. Junior: \$25.00

The Martha's Vineyard Doll Club Award - Given in memory of past members for the best dressed doll at the Fair. A doll showing the most appropriate, creative and thoughtful costuming home fashioned by the entrant. Adult: \$10.00 Junior: \$10.00

The Edith Morris Award - For a doll thoughtfully appropriate and creative that is totally original and completely hand crafted. Given by The Martha's Vineyard Doll Club as a memorial to their Founder, Edith Morris. Junior: \$10.00

The Kathleen Brady Award - Awarded to an Adult and Junior showing originality and creativity in the Handicraft or Needlework Departments. Given in memory by her family. Adult: \$10.00 Junior: \$10.00

The Rosalie Powell Memorial Award - For the most inspired, well executed, hooked piece. Given by Jim Powell. Adult: \$20.00

The Martha's Vineyard Art Association Award - To be given for outstanding artwork. Adult: \$25.00 Junior: \$25.00

The Roland T. Phillips Award - For outstanding craftsmanship for their age (Junior Depts.) Given in memory of Roland T. Phillips. Junior: \$10.00

The Eleanor Sanger Award - For a Girl with a creative vision. Given in memory by Victoria Phillips. Junior: \$10.00

The Robert Riger Award - For vision in photo journalism. Given in memory by Victoria Phillips. Junior: \$10.00

The Glenn Hearn Award - For outstanding junior carving. Given in loving memory by the Hearn Family. Junior: \$25.00

The Emma MacKay Hall Needlework Award – For outstanding needlework. Given in loving memory by her family or their designees: Adult (ages 20-25): \$50.00

The Linda Chapman Award - For excellence in modern quilting given by the Martha's Vineyard Modern Quilt Guild in loving memory of Linda Chapman. Adult: \$25.00.

SPECIAL AWARDS

OTHER

The Emma MacKay Hall Outstanding Volunteer Award – to be given annually to an outstanding volunteer between the ages of 8-18 given in loving memory by her family.

The Janice Haynes Volunteer Award - to be given annually to a volunteer who exemplifies Janice's spirit of determination, generosity, and a good sense of humor.

The Linda Fischer Laugh Out Loud Award - Linda loved her family, amazing friends, garden and anything that made her laugh. Given in memory and awarded to a Hall entry that inspires a laugh -

Adult: \$50.00 Junior: \$50.00



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

In addition to complying with all laws and regulations governing animal health issues (M.G.L.C.128 ss214D, 14E, 44 and 330 CMR 4.03, 4.07, 16.03), all fairs must adopt and enforce the following rules for governance of the fair.

2025 ANIMAL HEALTH RULES FOR FAIRS AND SHOWS

NO animal will be admitted to the fairgrounds unless it meets the requirements below. NO animal is to be unloaded or enter a barn or tie-out stall until the animal and its paperwork have been inspected and approved for entry.

Special Notices from the New England State Veterinarians: Due to the continuing US outbreak of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) in domesticated and wild birds and in dairy cattle, Animal Health Officials from all six New England States are united in advising the following for agricultural fairs, competitions, exhibitions, shows, swaps, or other in-person events that encourage the gathering or co-mingling of birds and/or cattle:

Avian species The New England State Veterinarians strongly discourage the exhibition of domestic and wild waterfowl species and may recommend delaying or canceling domestic fowl or poultry shows. If events are held, best practices for biosecurity should be implemented.

Bovine species The New England State Veterinarians strongly discourage the exhibition of any bovines, including both dairy and beef cattle, that have been present in any state at the time that state had a current outbreak of HPAI in cattle. Bovines that have been shipped from currently affected states in 2025 should not be allowed on the premises of New England fairs or shows. Moving to or from an affected state for any reason will void any New England Fair and Show Season Official Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (OCVIs) that have been issued for such cattle for the remainder of the 2025 season.

The states currently affected by HPAI in cattle can be found on the USDA website: <https://www.aphis.usda.gov/livestock-poultry-disease/avian/avian-influenza/hpai-detections/hpai-confirmed-cases-livestock>

The USDA APHIS Veterinary Services Federal Order Requiring Testing for and Reporting of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Livestock issued on April 24, 2024, remains in effect. It can be found on the USDA website: www.aphis.usda.gov/sites/default/files/dairy-federal-order.pdf

A plan for managing lactating dairy cattle (LDC), including the handling of milk collected at the exhibition facility, should be in place for all fairs and shows where LDC will be on the premises. The state veterinarian's office can provide assistance developing a plan.

All species Animals of all species susceptible to HPAI are potentially subject to quarantine as ordered by the State Veterinarian if HPAI is detected on a premises where the animal is or was exhibited.

If HPAI is detected in cattle in any New England State, the Agreement between the New England State Veterinarians to allow the use of a single, fair and show season OCVI for New England animals being exhibited in New England will be voided. All exhibited animals would need to be accompanied by an OCVI issued

by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of being checked in at the show premises and/or other state import requirements.

Best biosecurity practices for all species should be implemented.

Contact the state where animals will be exhibited for the latest updated information.

General Requirements for all Species

Currently an Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) is required for each state for every animal movement across state lines. Animals crossing state lines must be properly (officially) identified per federal and state Animal Disease Traceability (ADT) requirements. Each state to which an animal travels needs to be contacted to verify that all traceability and movement permit requirements are met before shipping.

Recognizing that during the agricultural fair and show season exhibition animals may be moving to multiple states and locations within a state, the New England state veterinarians, working through the New England States Animal Agricultural Security Alliance (NESAASA), have developed a protocol to facilitate animal movement. The New England State Veterinarians have agreed to allow a show/fair certificate to be valid for the 2025 show season provided the OCVI complies with all federal and state ADT rules.

One OCVI may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment may be moved.

Note that *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter time and may have additional language, movement, and permit requirements. See details below.

For the 2025 Show and Fair Season, livestock animals being exhibited in New England states must have OCVIs that meet the following requirements

- CT, MA, ME, and RI: OCVIs issued on or after January 1, 2025, may be used for animals being shown at fairs and shows in CT, MA, ME, and RI through the 2025 show/fair season ending October 31, 2025. o Special Note on The Big E, West Springfield, MA: All bovines must have official USDA RFID tags,
- *CT and ME: An importation permit for exhibition animals is also required. Contact CT Dept. of Agriculture (860-713-2504) or ME State Veterinarian's Office (207-287-3701) for permits or questions.
- **NH: Animals exhibited in NH must originate in a New England state and move on OCVIs issued on or after April 1, 2025, to participating NH fairs and shows from July 1 to October 31, 2025. Contact NH State Veterinarian's Office (603) 271-2404 for details and permits.
- ***VT: The fair season is defined as May 1- October 31, 2025. Contact the VT Animal Health Office (802- 828-2421) for specific import requirements and permits.
- A single OCVI from the animals' home state may be completed for travel to and from the New England states in which the animals will be exhibited.
- Multiple animals of the same species may be listed on one OCVI with

appropriate individual IDs and descriptions. Animals of different species may not be listed on the same official health certificate.

- An itinerary of the names and locations for each New England fair or show at which owner expects to show the listed animals and the dates when each animal is expected to be on each site, must be prepared by the owner and presented to the veterinarian at the time the OCVI is written.
- A copy of this planned itinerary must be attached to the OCVI (import and export) for it to be used for more than one fair or show.
 - o That proposed list should be signed by the veterinarian and the owner/ exhibitor and reference the relevant OCVI number(s).
 - o Electronic OCVIs must include this list of exhibition names, addresses, and dated in the “remarks and comments” section
- The name and address of the first show or fair where the listed animals will be exhibited is to be used as the “destination” along with “New England Fair Season” on the OCVI form. In addition, “See attached list” or a similar statement directing Animal Health Officials or Fair Inspectors to the attached proposed itinerary must be included.
- Exhibitors must keep an accurate list of the show locations and dates when their animals were physically on the show/fairgrounds. This record must be available to fair inspectors at each inspection and check- in.
- Any animal listed on an OCVI that becomes sick must remain home. If the animal is refused entry to any exhibition during 2025 for health reasons it must have a new OCVI issued by an accredited veterinarian within 30 days of the next interstate movement.
- Any New England state may end their participation in this agreement and revert to the standard published requirements for livestock imports in the state at any time, in the event of foreign animal disease outbreak or changes to state legislation.

Remember: One certificate for shows in CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, and VT. Contact each state for specific requirements. Import permits are issued by each individual state and must be listed on the OCVI. The list of events, with dates and locations, where the animals are expected to be shown must accompany the OCVI. Use one certificate per species. All animals must be listed individually, with appropriate official ID numbers and physical descriptions. Sick animals may not be shipped anywhere. Please contact the destination state for import/ exhibition permits or with any questions about movement requirements: CT 860-713-2504 MA 857-348-3922 ME 207-287-3701 NH VT RI 603-271-2404 802-828-2421 401-537-4281

MA General Rules

A. General Rules for All Animals: See M.G.L. c. 128 §2C, 129 §2

1. All animals must be in proper physical condition, be properly identified and free of visual evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease at time of arrival. Specific diseases and conditions which will disqualify an animal for entry are identified for each species in the following sections of the rules. Animals of any species with open or draining wounds will not be approved for entry.
2. Evidence of infectious, contagious or parasitic disease or failure to produce the

necessary documents for health certification, vaccination or testing will result in the animal's rejection for entry. THE INSPECTOR'S DECISION IS FINAL.

3. Any surgical procedure or injection of any foreign substance or drug or the external application of any substance (irritant, counterirritant, or similar substance) which could affect the animal's performance or alter its natural contour, conformation or appearance, except external applications of substances to the hoofs or horns of animals which affect appearance only, and except for surgical procedures performed by a duly-licensed veterinarian for the sole purpose of protecting the health of the animal, is prohibited.
4. Official ID: See Final Rule: Summary of Traceability for Livestock Moved Interstate (Summary of general requirements by species) All livestock must have proper official, individual ID as required and approved for the species, e.g., official metal ear tag, tattoo, scrapie tag, or microchip. Registration forms must accompany health certificates when used as part of official identification.
5. Health Certificates: -- One Official Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (OCVI) may be allowed for animals of the same species to be exhibited at fairs or shows in any of the New England states (CT, *ME, MA, **NH, RI, and ***VT) when submitted with an itinerary of the dates and locations of the events at which the listed animals are expected to be shown. Only animals that are healthy at the time of shipment may be moved. Note that *ME, **NH, and ***VT have additional requirements. Certificates of veterinary inspection in these states are valid for a shorter period of time and may have additional language, movement and permit requirements. See Special Statement starting on Page 43.

B. Cattle: See M.G.L. c. 129 §§2, 39 and 330 CMR 4.04(2).

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795). All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, cowpox and open or draining wounds.
2. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all cattle be currently vaccinated for rabies.
3. Note: The Big E is requiring RFID official identification tags for all cattle entering the Big E Fairgrounds premises in 2025. Other fairs may add this requirement. Contact fair office with questions.

C. Poultry: See M.G.L. c. §§2, 129, and 330 CMR 5.02.

1. No poultry will be admitted to a fairground until it has been individually inspected.
2. All poultry must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: infectious bronchitis, coryza, pullorum typhoid, fowl-pox, external parasites and laryngotracheitis.

3. Each bird must be accompanied by written proof (ID card or test report) that the breeding flock was blood tested negative for pullorum-typhoid within one year prior to entry date.
4. Birds from quarantined states will not be permitted entry.
5. All birds over 16 weeks of age as of January 1, 2025 shall be individually leg banded with a state leg band. This includes out of state exhibitors.
6. No bird vaccinated for laryngotracheitis within thirty days of the fair will be admitted.

D. Goats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, 9 CFR 79.6 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals.
2. All goats and kids presented, regardless of age, must be individually listed and identified on the health certificate. All goats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds. All goats must also be free of sore mouth and scrapie exposure.
3. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508-363- 2290.

E. Camelids (Llamas, Alpacas, etc.): See M.G.L. c. 129 §2, M.G. I. c. 131, §23 ,321 CMR 9.02.

1. TB and Brucellosis testing is not required for animals from TB-Accredited and Brucellosis-Free States and in-state animals. Current brucellosis and TB status in the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state. If the exhibitor's state is not TB-Accredited or Brucellosis-Free, then the exhibitor must call the Massachusetts Division of Animal Health for entry requirements (617-626-1795).
2. All Camelids originating from outside the Commonwealth are required to be tested for Blue Tongue. Exception: Animals from a USDA declared "Low Incident State" are exempt. New England and New York are low incident states.
3. All animals must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: foot rot, mange, pinkeye, ringworm, warts, pox and open or draining wounds.

F. Swine: See M.G.L. c. 129 §14E, 330 CMR 11.04(2), 9 CFR 71.19

1. All swine must be identified by an official ear tag or registration.
2. Swine must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: erysipelas, atrophic rhinitis, mange and open or draining wounds.
3. No person shall import into Massachusetts from outside the state any swine which have been pseudorabies vaccinated. M.G.L. c. 129 §14E.

4. No person shall import into Massachusetts swine from Stage I or Stage II Pseudorabies States.
5. All swine shall originate from qualified pseudorabies-free herds or monitored herds in qualified pseudorabies free States only. The pseudorabies status of the exhibitor's state can be obtained from the state veterinarian's office in each state.

G. Sheep: See 9 CFR 79 and Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06.

1. No sheep will be allowed entry from flocks in which Scrapie has been diagnosed or in which animals are under surveillance for Scrapie during the previous eighteen months. Based on the Federal Scrapie Eradication Program (FSEP), goats and sheep of any age or sex brought to show or exhibition from either out of state or within state must possess a USDA official individual identification tag or registry tattoo accompanied by current registration papers consistent with the requirements of the FSEP and the Massachusetts Emergency Order 1-AHO-06. Information is available from USDA-APHIS at 508 -363-2290.
2. No sheep will be permitted entry from flocks in which soremouth has existed or in which soremouth Vaccine has been administered in the previous sixty (60) days.
3. Sheep must be free from visual evidence of foot rot, sore mouth, pink eye, ringworm, and open and draining wounds. While not required, it is strongly recommended that sheep be currently vaccinated against rabies.

H. Equine: M.G.L. c. 128 §§2C, 44 , 330 CMR 16.05.

1. All equines entering a Massachusetts fairground must have a valid health certificate. Note: The Big E Fairgrounds in West Springfield requires a CVI issued within the prior 30 days for all equines entering the premises for any show, fair, or exhibition.
2. All equines must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases and conditions: mange, ringworm, soring, strangles, and open or draining wounds.
3. All equines originating from within and outside of the Commonwealth must have a negative USDA approved EIA test (i.e., Coggins test or ELISA test) dated within twelve months of entry.
4. While not required, it is strongly recommended that all equines be vaccinated for rabies, tetanus, EEE and WNV within one year of the fair.

I. Rabbits: See M.G.L. c. 129 §2

Rabbits must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: rabbit hemorrhagic Disease Virus 2 (RHDV2), snuffles, wet tail, and skin and ear infections. Microchips may be used for ID in rabbits originating in MA.

J. Dogs and Cats: See M.G.L. c. 129 §39G

1. All dogs and cats must be free of visual evidence of the following diseases: kennel cough, distemper, hepatitis, parvo, ringworm and mange.
2. All dogs and cats must be accompanied by a valid and current vaccination certificate for rabies.

ENTRY SCHEDULE AND INFORMATION

1. Please fill out the entry registration completely and submit them via fairentry.com or by paper to the Entry Clerk.
 - No **HALL** entry registrations (paper or online) will be accepted after 7:00pm August 14, 2025.
 - No **BARN** entry registrations (paper or online) will be accepted after 5:00pm August 17, 2025
2. Please make sure to **enter in a Commercial Category if you are a professional**. A person is considered a professional if he/she teaches, sells, demonstrates, lectures; or is connected with a shop, studio, or stand. If you are one of these, you are very welcome in the professional class of your expertise.
3. Entries entered in the "Other" Category must be identified.
4. **All Non-perishable Hall entry items** must be brought to the Agricultural Hall between 1:00pm and 6:00pm on August 16th or 17th. Preserving is considered Non-perishable.
5. **ALL JUNIOR Perishable entry items** MUST be brought to the Hall on Wednesday, August 20, 2025 between 10:00am and 5:00pm. No Junior perishables will be accepted after 5:00pm. Judging is done Wednesday.
6. **Adult Perishable Entry items** may be brought on Wednesday, August 20, 2025 between 10:00am and 5:00pm or between 7:00am and 8:30am on Thursday, August 21, 2025.
7. **All Eggs and Butter** should be brought to the Hall by 9AM on Friday August 22, 2025.
8. **All Animals and Poultry** should be brought in between 3-7PM on Wednesday or 7-9AM on Thursday. Animals leaving before 4PM Sunday forfeit any prize money which they might receive unless arrangements are made with the Barn Manager.
9. **PETS** - Register with the Pet Show Committee at the stage on Friday August 22nd. Show starts at 3:00PM.
10. Exhibits may be accompanied by descriptive information, but the exhibitor's name must not appear until after the judging. The Society provides a tag for all Hall exhibits, with information to assist in judging. This tag must be firmly attached to the exhibit by the exhibitor.
11. The Chair of any Department may establish a special category

if there is a wide divergence in the entries of any one Class. Such new class is eligible for Ribbon Awards. The judges record of awards shall be final.

12. The judges are under no obligation to award a 1st prize in each category if they feel the entry does not warrant it. Judges shall award only one first, second, third prize in a particular category. Some exhibits warrant an honorable mention.
13. All exhibits are entered and displayed at the risk of the owner. The MVAS will not be responsible for loss or damage but will use every reasonable precaution to protect entries.
14. No exhibit which violates the laws of the Commonwealth will be allowed on the grounds. Please be sure you have checked all conservation laws.
15. No art or craft project that has feathers on it or incorporated in it will be allowed. This includes Junior and Adult departments.
16. **All entries must be removed from the Hall between 8:00am and 6pm Monday August 25th.** The MVAS will not be responsible for any exhibits remaining in the Hall after 6pm Monday. Tag stubs must be shown in order to remove any exhibit from the Hall. All perishable products not called for by 6pm Monday, August 25th will be disposed of properly.
17. Winners will be paid on Monday August 25th after 10:00am. Tag stubs must be shown in order to collect prizes.

HOW DO I ENTER?

Online entries begin July 1st through www.fairentry.com. Paper entries will be accepted in the drop box starting August 1st. We strongly encourage entrants to use Fair Entry.

If we cannot read your written entry or it is not complete, you may be disqualified. Nobody wants crying entrants on drop off day.

Just scan the QR Code and it will take you to Fair Entry.



You can get to Fair Entry by scanning the QR Code on pg.50, clicking the "Enter Online" link on our website, or visiting Fairentry.com and choosing our fair.

- Once you get to Fair Entry, you will be instructed to create an account or login if you've entered previous fairs.
- You will click on the Begin Registration button and proceed to follow instructions to finalize registration.
- Click on the Continue to Entries button or Start an Invoice button to find the classes that you wish to enter.
- Once all classes have been selected (animals classes must complete the "add an animal" portion), please proceed to review entries.
- Although we do not charge fees for entries, the checkout must still be completed to submit your entry.
- You will receive an email confirmation listing your entries.

Contact the Fair Office at kristy@mvagsoc.org . Or feel free to stop by after August 1st and we will have volunteers on hand to help you use the program.

Portuguese

Você pode chegar ao Fair Entry escaneando o QR Code na pg.50, clicando no link "Enter Online" em nosso site, ou visitando Fairentry.com e escolhendo nossa feira.

- Assim que chegar à Fair Entry, você será instruído a criar uma conta ou fazer login se tiver participado de feiras anteriores.
- Você clicará no botão Iniciar Registro e seguirá as instruções para finalizar o registro.
- Clique no botão Continuar para entradas ou no botão Iniciar uma fatura para encontrar as classes que você deseja entrar.
- Uma vez que todas as classes tenham sido selecionadas (as classes de animais devem completar a parte "adicionar um animal"), prossiga para revisar as inscrições.
- Embora não cobremos taxas para as inscrições, o checkout ainda deve ser concluído para enviar sua inscrição.
- Você receberá um e-mail de confirmação listando suas entradas.

Entre em contato com o escritório da Feira em kristy@mvagsoc.org . Ou sinta-se livre para parar depois de 1 de agosto e teremos voluntários à disposição para ajudá-lo a usar o programa.

ONE ENTRY FORM PER PERSON
Martha's Vineyard Agricultural Fair & Livestock Show

****PLEASE READ CAREFULLY SOME DEADLINES HAVE CHANGED****

Submission of form indicates exhibitor has read and understands the attached rules. Please read Entry Schedule Carefully for deadlines. Drop Off, Mail: PO Box 73, West Tisbury, MA 02575 or Fax:508-693-5144. Questions? Email: Kristy@mvagsoc.org. Online entry starts July 1st.

I Would Like To Donate Back All Premium Monies Won To MVAS.

PLEASE USE SEPARATE ENTRY BLANK FOR ANIMALS.

* Please fill out form completely and legibly in ink. If we can't read it, there may be problems on drop off. Or at worst disqualification*

Name _____ Year of Birth _____

First Last

Permanent Mailing Address _____
 PO Box or Street Address _____

City or Town	State	Zip Code
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Best Phone Number _____ Email _____

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UM FORMULÁRIO DE INSCRIÇÃO POR PESSOA

Feira Agrícola e Pecuária de Martha's Vineyard

****LEIA COM ATENÇÃO POIS ALGUNS PRAZOS MUDARAM ****

O envio do formulário indica que o expositor leu e entendeu as regras em anexo. Aceitamos formulários de inscrição em papel partir do dia 1º de agosto às 9 da manhã até **dia 14 de Agosto às 7:00 da tarde (horário local)**. Você também pode trazer o seu formulário, enviá-lo para a caixa postal: P.O. Box 73, West Tisbury, MA 02575. Se tiver alguma dúvida, ligue para 508-693-9549 ou visite nosso site www.marthasvineyardagriculturasociety.org



Por favor, doe de volta todo o dinheiro premium ganho para MVAS.

POR FAVOR, USE A ENTRADA SEPARADA EM BRANCO PARA ANIMAIS

* Por favor, preencha o formulário de forma completa e legível a caneta. Se não conseguirmos ler o que escreveu, pode haver problemas na entrega, ou pior desqualificação da entrada *

Nome completo _____ Ano de nascimento _____

Endereço _____
(Caixa postal ou endereço físico)

Cidade _____ Estado _____ Cep _____

Telefone _____ Email _____

Dept	Division	Class	Descrição

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Endereço _____
(Caixa postal ou endereço físico)

Cidade _____ Estado _____ Cep _____

Telefone _____ Email _____

Dept	Division	Class	Show-manship	Descrição (nome, breed)

ADICIONE UM CHEQUE "X" SE VOCÊ QUISER INSERIR ESSE ANIMAL NO SHOWMANSHIP

ANEXE UMA CÓPIA DO SEU CERTIFICADO DE SAÚDE PARA CADA ANIMAL QUE ESTÁ SENDO INSERIDO.

QUANTAS BARRACAS VOCÊ VAI PRECISAR? _____

QUANTAS GAIOLAS DE AVES VOCÊ VAI PRECISAR? _____

OS ANIMAIS SÃO BEM-VINDOS PARA FICAR TODOS OS 4 DIAS. OS PROPRIETÁRIOS SÃO RESPONSÁVEIS PELA ALIMENTAÇÃO E CUIDADOS COM OS ANIMAIS.

Qualquer dúvida sobre como entrar no celeiro ou showmanship, entre em contato com o Barn Manager Julie Scott at julielikescows@gmail.com.

JUNIOR BARN EXHIBITS

- Only Vineyard animals may participate unless approved by the Barn Manager.
- ALL animal must have current health certificate and pass inspection before entering the barn
- Pay close attention to Divisions and Classes some have changed.
- *NEW* Please refer to page 50 for animal check in hours.

DEPARTMENT 1 - Junior Dairy Cattle

Premiums: 1st - \$14.00 2nd - \$11.00 3rd - \$8.00

DIVISIONS:

- A: Youth 7yo and under - Purebred Dairy
- B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Purebred Dairy
- C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Purebred Dairy
- D: Youth 7yo and under - Dairy Grades
- E: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Dairy Grades
- F: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Dairy Grades

CLASSES:

1. Cows, over 10yo
2. Cows, 5yo to 10yo
3. Cows, 2yo to 5yo
4. Yearling Heifer, 1 to 2yo
5. Yearling Steer, 1 to 2yo
6. Heifer Calf, 4 months to 1yo
7. Steer Calf, 4 months to 1yo
8. Heifer Calf, under 4 months
9. Steer Calf, under 4 months
10. Bull under 1yo
11. Steer over 2yo
12. Cow and Calf

DEPARTMENT 2 - Junior Beef Cattle

Premiums: 1st - \$14.00 2nd - \$11.00 3rd - \$8.00

DIVISIONS:

- A: Youth 7yo and under - Purebred Beef
- B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Purebred Beef
- C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Purebred Beef
- D: Youth 7yo and under - Beef Grades
- E: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Beef Grades
- F: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Beef Grades

CLASSES:

1. Cows, over 2yo
2. Beef Heifer, 1 - 2yo
3. Beef Steer, 1 - 2yo
4. Beef Heifer, 4 months to 1yo
5. Beef Steer, 4 months to 1yo
6. Beef Heifer, Under 4 months
7. Beef Steer, Under 4 months
8. Cow and Calf
9. Bull over 1yo
10. Bull under 1yo
11. Steer over 2yo

DEPARTMENT 3 - Junior Goats

Premiums: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

DIVISIONS:

- A: Youth 7yo and under - Goats
- B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Goat
- C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Goat

CLASSES:

1. Full Size Doe, under 1yo
2. Full Size Wether, under 1yo
3. Full Size Doe, 1 to 2yo
4. Full Size Wether, 1 to 2yo
5. Full Size Doe, over 2yo
6. Full Size Wether, over 2yo
7. Mini Doe, under 1 yo
8. Mini Wether, under 1 yo
9. Mini Doe, 1 to 2 yo
10. Mini Wether, 1 to 2 yo
11. Mini Doe, over 2 yo
12. Mini Wether, over 2 yo

DEPARTMENT 4 - Junior Swine

Premiums: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

DIVISIONS:

- A: Youth 7yo and under - Swine
- B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Swine
- C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Swine

CLASSES:

1. Sow, under 1yo
2. Sow, over 1 yo
3. Barrow, under 1yo
4. Barrow, over 1yo
5. Boar under 1yo

DEPARTMENT 6 - Junior Sheep

Premiums: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

DIVISIONS:

- A: Youth 7yo and under - Sheep
- B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Sheep
- C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Sheep

CLASSES:

1. Purebred Ewe, over 1yo
2. Grade Ewe, over 1yo
3. Purebred Ewe, under 1yo
4. Grade Ewe, under 1yo
5. Purebred Wether, over 1yo
6. Grade Wether, over 1yo
7. Purebred Wether, under 1yo
8. Grade Wether, under 1yo
9. Purebred Ram, over 1yo

DEPARTMENT 6 - Junior Sheep cont...

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 7yo and under - Sheep

B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Sheep

C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Sheep

10. Grade Ram, over 1yo

11. Purebred Ram, under 1yo

12. Grade Ram, under 1yo

DEPARTMENT 7 - Junior Poultry

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

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 7yo and under - Purebred

B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Purebred

C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Purebred

CLASSES:

1. Cock

2. Hen

3. Leghorn Hen

4. Cockerel over 6 months

5. Cockerel under 6 months

6. Pullet over 6 months

7. Pullet under 6 months

8. Rhode Island Red Pullet

9. Trio, Cock and 2 Hens

10. Trio Cockerel and 2 Pullets

D: Youth 7yo and under - Any Type Cross

E: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Any Type Cross

F: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Any Type Cross

1. Cock

2. Hen

3. Hen, Sex Link

4. Cockerel over 6 months

5. Cockerel under 6 months

6. Pullet over 6 months

7. Pullet under 6 months

8. Trio, Cock and 2 Hens

9. Trio, Cockerel and 2 Pullets

10. Hen and chicks

G: Youth 7yo and under - Bantam

H: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Bantam

I: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Bantam

1. Trio, Cock and 2 Hens

2. Trio, Cockerel and 2 Pullets

3. 0003: Cock

4. 0004: Hen

5. 0005: Cockerel over 6 months

6. 0006: Cockerel under 6 months

7. 0007: Pullet over 6 months

DEPARTMENT 7 - Junior Poultry cont...

G: Youth 7yo and under - Bantam

H: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Bantam

I: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Bantam

8. 0008: Pullet under 6 months

9. 0009: Hen and Chicks

DEPARTMENT 8 - Junior Waterfowl & Wildlife

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

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 7yo and under - Waterfowl

B: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Waterfowl

C: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Waterfowl

CLASSES:

No Waterfowl this year due to the Bird Flu. Ordered by the State.

D: Youth 7yo and under - Rabbits

E: Youth 8yo to 12yo - Rabbits

F: Youth 13yo to 20yo - Rabbits

1. Meat Doe, under 1yo
2. Meat Doe, over 1yo
3. Meat Buck, under 1yo
4. Meat Buck, over 1yo
5. Fur Doe, under 1yo
6. Fur Doe, over 1yo
7. Fur Buck, under 1yo
8. Fur Buck, over 1yo
9. Pet, Short Haired Doe under 1yo
10. Pet, Short Haired Doe over 1yo
11. Pet, Short Haired Buck under 1yo
12. Pet, Short Hared Buck over 1yo
13. Pet Angora Doe under 1yo
14. Pet Angora Doe over 1yo
15. Pet Angora Buck under 1yo
16. Pet Angora Buck over 1yo

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JUNIOR HALL EXHIBITS

*** All Classes in Departments: 9 - Junior Special Exhibits, 10 - Junior Naturecraft and 11 - Junior Handicraft as well as 16 & 17 - Junior Fruit and Vegetable now have a group option to enter. To enter, just add a G to the Division letter. In Fair Entry they are shown as separate Divisions with the G already added. Example: If you were a group under 10yo entering a Recycling project your entry would be in Department 9, Division AG, Class 8. Any questions contact Kristy Rose kristy@mvagsoc.org*

DEPARTMENT 9 - Junior Special Exhibits

Premiums: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

- One entry per person per class.
- Size limitation of 18"x18" for individual entries.
- Size limitation of 36"x36"x36" or space equal to a cubic yard for group entries.

DIVISIONS:

A : Youth 10yo & under

AG: GROUP Youth 10yo & under

B : Youth 11yo to 14yo

BG: GROUP Youth 11yo to 14yo

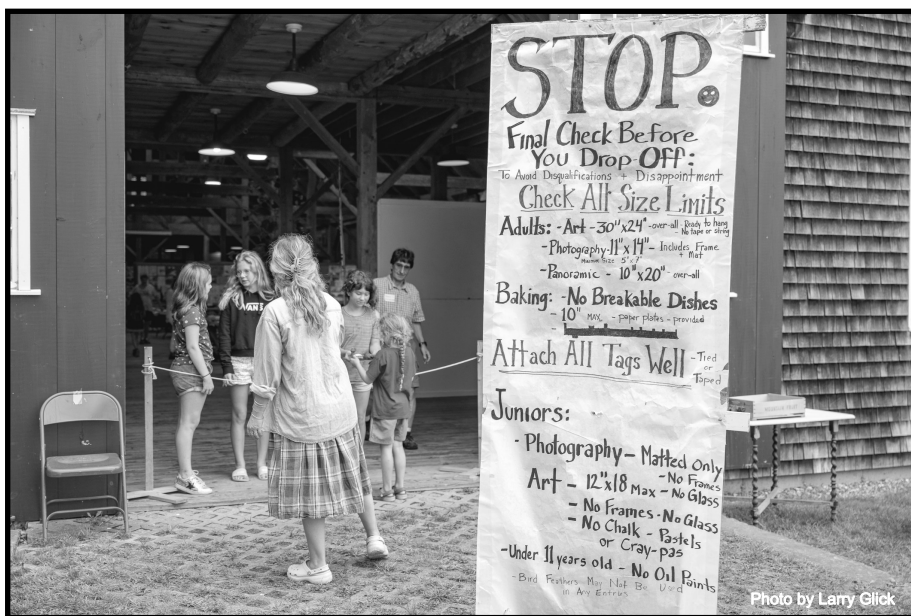
C : Youth 15yo to 20yo

CG: GROUP Youth 15yo to 20yo

CLASSES:

1. American Pride - An exhibit of your choice representing your thoughts on Patriotism.
2. Display by a Vineyard Young People's group showing active interest in the community and the specialties in which it is interested. Limited size to 36"x36"x36".
3. Misc. Demo with Description
4. Best Exhibit of a solution to environmental problem on the island.
5. Make a Game
6. Fair Theme
7. Hydroponics using STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math)
8. Recycling Engineering: Exhibit that uses all recycled materials (except adhesives) and uses STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math) to solve an agricultural problem.





DEPARTMENT 10 - Junior Nature

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

- One Entry per person/group per class.
- To be judged on knowledge shown of the subject as well as artistic arrangement.
- Entry can be no bigger than 12" x 12"
- All entries must have been completed within the past 12 months.
- Exhibits may be entered in only one class.
- Anyone using poison ivy, poison oak, or poison sumac will be disqualified and itchy.
- Feathers may not be part of any entry.
- No flowers on Conservation List may be used.
- No Butterfly/Moths on the State's Endangered Species List may be used.

DIVISIONS:

A : Youth 10yo & under

AG: GROUP Youth 10yo & under

B : Youth 11yo to 14yo

BG: GROUP Youth 11yo to 14yo

C : Youth 15yo to 20yo

CG: GROUP Youth 15yo to 20yo

CLASSES:

1. Shell Collection, Native
2. Shell Collection, Foreign
3. Flora, Pressed or Dried
4. Insects, Collection
5. Fossils, Collection
6. Live Flora, Collection
7. Plants - Propagation, Raising, Reaping
8. Topography, Island Area
9. Ecological Exhibit, Island
10. Natural Resources, Conservation
11. Rock Collection



DEPARTMENT 11 - Junior Handicraft

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

- One Entry per person/group per class.
- All entries must have been completed within the past 12 months.
- Exhibits may be entered in only one class.
- Feathers may not be part of any entry.
- No kits may be used except in Lego Kit Class #20

DIVISIONS:

A : Youth 7yo and under
AG: GROUP Youth 7yo and under
B : Youth 7yo to 10yo
BG: GROUP Youth 7yo to 10yo
C : Youth 11yo to 14yo
CG: GROUP Youth 11yo to 14yo
D : Youth 15yo to 20yo
DG: GROUP Youth 15yo to 20yo

CLASSES:

1. Woodworking, Furniture
2. Woodworking, Other
3. Jewelry
4. Ceramic, Poured into a Form
5. Mask
6. Puppet
7. Basket
8. Scarecrow
9. Scrapbook
10. Mobiles
11. Nature Crafts
12. Paper Craft
13. Stained Glass
14. Felt Work
15. Pottery, Hand Formed
16. Pottery, Wheel Thrown
17. Weaving
18. Metal Work
19. Fairy House (no bigger than 12"x12")
20. Lego Kit Construction (no bigger than 12"x12")
21. Lego Original Design (no bigger than 12" x 12")

DEPARTMENT 12 - Junior Needlework

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

- Article must be in new condition.
- One entry per person per class.
- No article may be exhibited in miscellaneous if there is a special class for the item. This applies to all departments.
- Feathers may not be part of any entry.
- Entries into Department 12 Junior Needlework require the use of a needle (sewing, knitting, latch hook or crochet hook).
- No staples, glue or tape allowed.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 15 - 20yo - Knitting
B: Youth 10 - 14yo - Knitting
C: Youth under 10yo - Knitting
D: Youth 15 - 20yo - Crochet
E: Youth 10 - 14yo - Crochet
F: Youth under 10yo - Crochet

CLASSES:

1. Sweater
2. Socks
3. Mittens
4. Hat
5. Miscellaneous, Garment
6. Miscellaneous, Other than Garment
7. Afghan
8. Project using upcycling

G: Youth 15 - 20yo - Sewing
H: Youth 10 - 14yo - Sewing
I: Youth under 10yo - Sewing

1. Pillow
2. Dress
3. Blouse
4. Skirt
5. Shorts
6. Apron
7. Creative Stichery, Original
8. Creative Stichery, Kit
9. Cross Stitch
10. Cross Stitch, Counted
11. Embroidery, Sampler
12. Dolls
13. Quilted Project
14. Stuffed Animals
15. Pocketbook or Bag
16. Project using Upcycling

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 15 - 20yo - Rugs

B: Youth 10 - 14yo - Rugs

C: Youth under 10yo - Rugs

CLASSES:

1. Braided
2. Hooked, Yarn
3. Hooked, Material
4. Rug using Upcycling

DEPARTMENT 13 - Junior Baking

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

- One entry per class per person.
- No breakable dishes.
- Samples will be cut and tasted.
- Use heavy duty paper plates no larger than 10".
- All items on each plate should be uniform in size.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 15 - 20yo - Baking

B: Youth 10 - 14yo - Baking

C: Youth under 10yo - Baking

CLASSES:

1. Cake, half only
2. Cookies, 6
3. Cup Cakes, 6
4. Brownies, 6
5. Muffins, 6
6. Bread, Yeast
7. Bread, Quick
8. Pies
9. Candy, 6
10. Scones, 6



DEPARTMENT 14 - Junior Preserving

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

- Products shown must be of current year's production and made by the exhibitor.
- All products shall be sealed by processing.
- All jars must be clear and must match.
- All jars must be labeled.
- Jars must have covers/rings.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 10yo and Under

B: Youth 11yo and Over

CLASSES:

1. Fruit, 2 Jars
2. Vegetables, 2 Jars
3. Jam, 2 Jars
4. Jelly, 2 Jars
5. Pickles, 2 jars
6. 3 Varieties or more, 2 Jars each
7. Miscellaneous, 2 Jars (identified)

DEPARTMENT 15 - Junior Flowers

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

- All materials must be grown or gathered on Martha's Vineyard.
- No flowers on Conservation List may be used.
- Anyone using poison ivy, poison oak or poison sumac will be disqualified and itchy.
- Arrangements must be done without adult assistance.
- One entry per person per class.
- Entries may be entered in one class only.
- Read size requirements carefully.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 10yo and Under



CLASSES:

1. Container of choice
2. Sugar Bowl
3. Island Vegetation Bean Pot
4. Pie Tin Dish Garden
5. Miniature arrangement under 6"
6. Herbal Arrange, 5+ varieties, labeled
7. Cook's Delight
8. My Favorite Bedtime Story
9. Grandparent & Grandchild

10. Island Vegetation, labeled
11. Fair Theme, Flower & Foliage
12. Tallest Sunflower
13. Largest Sunflower Bloom

B: Youth 11yo to 20yo

1. Container of choice
2. Sugar Bowl
3. Miniature arrangement under 6"
4. Herbal Arrange, 5+ varieties, labeled
5. Cook's Delight
6. "Song in my Heart" note title
7. Grandparents and Grandchildren
8. Island Vegetation
9. Fair Theme
10. Tallest Sunflower
11. Largest Sunflower Bloom

DEPARTMENT 16 - Junior Vegetables

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

- All vegetables must be raised, selected and arranged by exhibitor.
- When possible please give name and variety on entry.
- A ribbon will be given for Most Outstanding Vegetable
- Exhibit only the specified number.
- One entry per person per class.
- Identify all entries in "Other" categories. Name variety.

DIVISIONS:

A : Youth All Ages

AG: GROUP Youth All Ages

CLASSES:

1. 6+ Vegetable Best Display
2. Beans, 15
3. Beet, 5, topped
4. Cabbages, 2
5. Carrots, 5, topped
6. Sweet Corn, 5, husked
7. Cucumbers, 3
8. Onions, 5
9. Potatoes, 5
10. Tomatoes, Red, 5
11. Tomatoes, Green, 5

DEPARTMENT 16 - Junior Vegetables Cont...

12. Tomatoes, Cherry, 5
13. Summer Squash, Yellow, 2
14. Zucchini, 2
15. Winter Squash, Acorn, 2
16. Winter Squash, Butternut, 2
17. Lettuce, 2 Water, name & variety
18. Pumpkin, 2
19. Other Vegetables, name, 2
20. Broccoli, 2 bunches
21. Eggplant, 2
22. Peppers, 5
23. Lima Beans, in the pod, 15
24. Gourds, Display
25. Summer Squash, Largest
26. Tomato, Largest
27. Veggie Sculpture, age 10 & under
28. Veggie Sculpture, age 11 & up
29. Garlic

DEPARTMENT 17 - Junior Fruit

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

- A ribbon will be awarded for Most Outstanding Fruit.
- Fruit may be washed but not polished.
- Identify all entries in the "Other" Categories. Name Variety.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth All Ages

CLASSES:

1. 3 Varieties Display
2. Strawberries, 1 pint
3. Raspberries, 1 pint
4. Huckleberries, 1 pint
5. 00005: Blueberries, cultivated, 1 pint
6. Blueberries, wild, 1 pint
7. Beach Plums, 1 pint
8. Grapes, 3 clusters, name
9. Apples, 5
10. Peaches, 5
11. Pears, 5
12. Watermelon, 2

13. Muskmelon, 2
14. Other Fruit, name

DEPARTMENT 18 - Junior Eggs & Butter

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

- Eggs are judged by consistency of size, weight, condition, cleanliness, color and shape
- Divisions with added "C" is for Commercial.

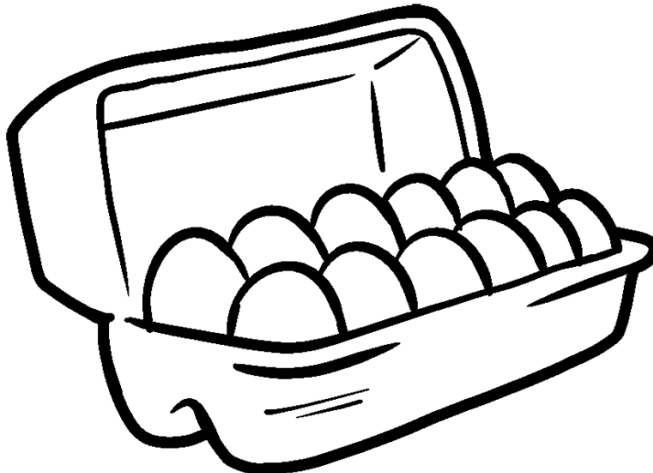
DIVISIONS:

A : Youth All Ages

AC: COMMERCIAL Youth All Ages

CLASSES:

1. 1 dozen, Large
2. 1 dozen, Medium
3. 1 dozen, Small
4. 1 dozen, Jumbo
5. 1 dozen, Bantam Eggs
6. 1 dozen, Other
7. 1 dozen, Duck Eggs
8. Butter



DEPARTMENT 20 - Junior Art

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

- All art must be brought to the Hall between 10AM and 5pm on Wednesday August 16th.
- Art will be judged on Wednesday August 16th.
- Overall size limited to 12"x18".
- Size limit will be enforced.
- No frames, no glasses.
- Due to the fragile nature of these works, there are no categories for; oil (under 11 years), cray-pas, pastel or chalk.
- Fair Poster Classes will be displayed in Horse Barn

DIVISIONS:

CLASSES:

A: Youth 6yo and Under

1. Water Based Paint (Size limit 12"x18")
2. Collage (Size limit 12"x18")
3. Pen, Pencil, Marker and/or Crayon (Size limit 12"x18")
4. Sculpture (Size limit 12"x18")
5. Print Making (Size limit 12"x18")
6. Fair Poster (Size Limit 18"x24")

B: Youth 7yo to 10yo

1. Watercolor (Size limit 12"x18")
2. Acrylic (Size limit 12"x18")
3. Collage (Size limit 12"x18")
4. Pen, Pencil, Marker and/or Crayon (Size limit 12"x18")
5. Sculpture (Size limit 12"x18")
6. Oil (Size limit 12"x18")
7. Print Making (Size limit 12"x18")
8. Fair Poster (Size Limit 18"x24")

C: Youth 11yo to 14yo

D: Youth 15yo to 20yo

1. Watercolor (Size limit 12"x18")
2. Acrylic (Size limit 12"x18")
3. Digital Illustration (Size limit 12"x18")
4. Photo Editing (Size limit 12"x18")
5. Pen and Pencil (Size limit 12"x18")
6. Sculpture (Size limit 12"x18")
7. Oil (Size limit 12"x18")
8. Print Making (Size limit 12"x18")
9. Collage (Size limit 12"x18")
10. Fair Poster (Size Limit 18"x24")

DEPARTMENT 21 - Junior Photography

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

- Photograph minimum size 5"x7" overall and not more than 11"x14" overall.
- One entry per person per class.
- Photos must be matted.
- No frames, no glass.
- Note on entry if photograph has been computer enhanced.

DIVISIONS:

A: Youth 9yo and Under

B: Youth 10yo to 14yo

C: Youth 15yo to 20yo

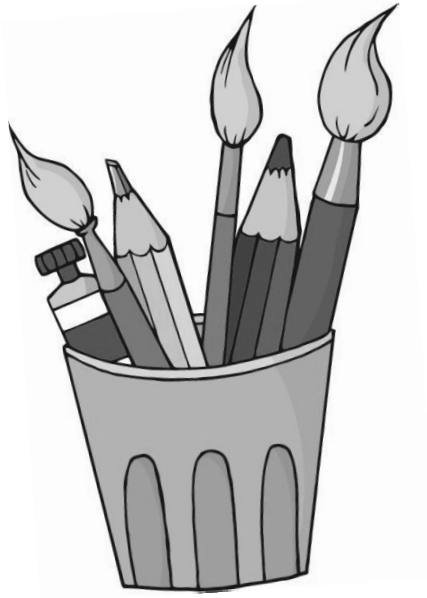
CLASSES:

1. Scenic

2. People

3. Animal & Nature

4. Miscellaneous



ADULT BARN EXHIBITS

All Animals must have current health certificate and pass inspection before entering barn area. Please refer to page 50 for animal check in and check out hours

DEPARTMENT 101 - Dairy Cattle

Premiums: 1st - \$14.00 2nd - \$11.00 3rd - \$8.00

- In all pure-bred classes, registration papers must be presented at time of entry. This will be enforced.
- Pure bred and grades will be judged separately.
- Cattle must be checked in before 9:00am on Thursday and must remain on the grounds until 3:00pm.
- Cattle leaving before 3:00pm forfeit any prize money which they might receive.
- On all animals where there is no competition, the judge will use his discretion as to what prize to award.
- Exhibitors should be properly attired.
- Exhibitors may enter multiple animals in a category.

DIVISIONS:

A: Purebred Dairy

B: Dairy Grades

C Open Breed (Include Breed)

CLASSES:

1. Cows, over 5yo
2. Cows, under 5yo
3. Yearling Heifer, 1 to 2yo
4. Heifer, under 1yo
5. Steer, under 1yo
6. Steer, over 1yo
7. Bull, over 1yo
8. Bull, under 1yo
9. Cow and Calf

DEPARTMENT 102 - Beef Cattle

Premiums: 1st - \$14.00 2nd - \$11.00 3rd - \$8.00

DIVISIONS:

A: Purebred Beef

B: Beef Grades

C: Open Breed (Include Breed)

CLASSES:

1. Beef Cow, over 2yo
2. Beef Heifer, 1 to 2 yo
3. Beef Steer, 1 to 2 yo
4. Beef Heifer, under 1yo
5. Beef Steer, under 1yo
6. Bull, under 1yo
7. Bull, over 1yo
8. Cow and Calf

DEPARTMENT 103 - Goats

Premiums: 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$6.00

- In all pure-bred classes, registration papers must be presented at time of entry. This will be enforced.
- Pure bred and grades will be judged separately.

DIVISIONS:

- A: Purebred Dairy
- B: Grade Dairy
- C. Purebred Meat
- D. Grade Meat

CLASSES:

1. Full Size Doe, under 1 year
2. Full Size Whether under 1 year
3. Full Size Doe 1 to 2 years
4. Full Size Whether 1 to 2 years
5. Full Size Doe 3-5 years
6. Full Size Whether 3 - 5 years
7. Full Size Doe 6 years and over
8. Full Size Whether 6 years and over
9. Mini Doe under 1 year
10. Mini Whether under 1 year
11. Mini Doe 1 to 2 years
12. Mini Whether 1 to 2 years
13. Mini Doe 3 - 5 years old
14. Mini Whether 3 - 5 years old
15. Mini Doe 6 years and over
16. Mini Whether 6 years and over

DEPARTMENT 104 - Swine

Premiums Class 1: 1st - \$14.00 2nd - \$11.00 3rd - \$8.00

Premiums Class 2-7: 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$6.00

DIVISIONS:

A: Purebred

B: Grade

CLASSES:

1. Sow & Litter
2. Sow, under 1 year
3. Sow, over 1 year
4. Barrow, under 1 year
5. Barrow, over 1 year
6. Boar, under 1 year
7. Boar, over 1 year

DEPARTMENT 105 - Equine

Premiums Division C: 1st - \$20.00 2nd - \$15.00 3rd - \$10.00

Premiums Divisions D & E: 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$6.00

DIVISIONS:

C: Island Horses - Class List

Sunday Event

CLASSES:

1. Senior Equitation - Bareback
2. Junior Equitation - Bareback
3. Lead Line Equitation - Bareback
4. Men's Cart Class
5. Ladies' Cart Class
6. Junior Cart Class
7. Ground Drive Obstacle - Log Skid
Single Horse
8. Cart Obstacle - Single Horse
9. Team Wagon Obstacle
10. Barrel Racing - Bareback
11. Team Feed Sled Race

D: Miniature Equine

1. Horses - Halter Class
2. Donkeys - Halter Class

E: Mules

1. Mules

DEPARTMENT 106 - Sheep, Llamas and Alpacas

Premiums: 1st - \$10.00 2nd - \$8.00 3rd - \$6.00

DIVISIONS:

A: Purebred Sheep - Ram
must be purebred

CLASSES:

1. Ram over 1yo
2. Ram, 6m to 1yo
3. Ram, lamb (under 6m)
4. 3 Ewes over 2yo, same breed
5. 3 Ewes, 1 to 2yo, same breed
6. 3 Ewes, lambs, same breed
7. Ewe, over 2yo
8. Wether over 2yo
9. Ewe, 1 to 2yo
10. Wether, 1 to 2yo
11. Ewe lamb 6 to 12m
12. Wether lamb 6 to 12m
13. Ewe lamb under 6m
14. Wether lamb under 6m
15. Ewe and lamb(s)

B: Not Purebred Sheep

1. 3 Ewes over 2yo
2. 3 Ewes, 1 to 2yo
3. 3 Ewes, 6 to 12m
4. 3 Ewes, lambs under 6m
5. 3 Wethers, 6 to 12m
6. 3 Wethers under 6m
7. Ewe over 2yo
8. Wether over 2yo
9. Ewe 1 to 2yo
10. Wether 1 to 2yo
11. Ewe, 6 to 12m
12. Wether, 6 to 12m
13. Ewe under 6m
14. Wether under 6m
15. Ewe and lamb(s)

DEPARTMENT 106 - Sheep, Llamas and Alpacas Cont...

C: Llamas

1. Yearling - male
2. Yearling - female
3. Aged - male
4. Aged - female

D: Alpacas

1. Yearling - male
2. Yearling - female
3. Aged - male
4. Aged - female



DEPARTMENT 107 - Poultry

Premiums Singles: 1st - \$6.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

Premiums Trios: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - 6.00 3rd - \$5.00

- All poultry entries older than 16 weeks must provide a negative pullorum test certificate and will not be accepted without it.
- All poultry entries under 16 weeks must be from a tested flock or hatchery source. Proof must be provided if requested.
- Only Vineyard poultry may enter.
- You may only enter each fowl in one class.
- You may enter multiple fowl in any one class.
- If 3 or more of the same type of fowl are entered, a class may be created for them.

DIVISIONS:

A: Purebred

B: Any Type Cross

C: Ornamental Breeds

D: Bantams

CLASSES:

1. Cock

2. Hen

3. Cockerel

4. Pullet

5. Trio, Cock & 2 Hens

6. Trio, Cock & 2 Pullets

7. Hen & Chicks

8. Chick under 6 weeks (limited space. please contact barn manager)

DEPARTMENT 108 - Other Fowl and Wildlife

Premiums Singles: 1st - \$6.00 2nd - \$5.00 3rd - \$4.00

Premiums Trios: 1st - \$7.00 2nd - 6.00 3rd - \$5.00

DIVISIONS:

A: Ducks - Domestic

CLASSES:

1. No waterfowl this year due to Bird Flu. State order.

B: Geese - Domestic

1. No waterfowl this year due to Bird Flu. State order.

C: Guinea Fowl

1. Coop, Cock & Hen

2. Single Cock

3. Single Hen

DEPARTMENT 108 - Other Fowl and Wildlife cont...

D: Turkeys

1. Coop, Tom & Hen
2. Single Tom
3. Single Hen

E: Wild Ducks & Geese
(Licensed Propagators Only)

1. No waterfowl this year due to Bird Flu. State order.

F: Hares & Rabbits


1. Meat Doe, under 1yo
2. Meat Doe, over 1yo
3. Meat Buck, under 1yo
4. Meat Buck, over 1yo
5. Fur Doe, under 1yo
6. Fur Doe, over 1yo
7. Fur Buck, under 1yo
8. Fur Buck, over 1yo
9. Pet, Short Haired Doe under 1yo
10. Pet, Short Haired Doe over 1yo
11. Pet, Short Haired Buck under 1yo
12. Pet, Short Haired Buck over 1yo
13. Pet Angora Doe under 1yo
14. Pet Angora Doe over 1yo
15. Pet Angora Buck under 1yo
16. Pet Angora Buck over 1yo

G: Pigeons

1. Pigeons

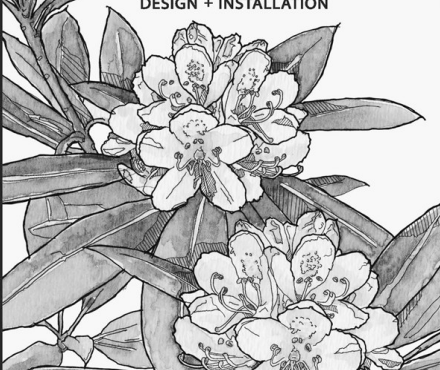
H: Quail

1. Covey - One Cock and at least two hens
2. Hen
3. Cock




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ADULT HALL EXHIBITS

2025 Fair Theme

“Something to Crow About”

****If you are a professional, please make sure to enter in the Commercial version of your desired Division by adding a “C” to your division letter, unless you are entering in a specifically Commercial Division such as Department 116 has B for Commercial Display and Photography and Art both have B for Professional. All other Divisions use the letter you’d like to enter and add C to it.****

Example: A Commercial Flower grower that would like to enter their beautiful Scabiosas would enter Department 115 Division AC Class 12.

DEPARTMENT 109 - Adult Special Exhibits

Premiums: 1st - \$12.00 2nd - 7.00 3rd - \$5.00

- Space must be reserved in advance by entering by August 11th and emailing the Hall Manager Susanne Cronin at hallmanager@mvagsoc.org
- Feathers may not be part of any entry.
- Only 1 entry per category.

DIVISIONS:

A : General

AC: Commercial General

CLASSES:

1. Vineyard Family - This exhibit should represent each member of the family participating. Space limited to 2.5' x 3.5'. Reserve space early.
2. Vineyard Organization - Any organized Vineyard Group is welcome to submit an exhibit of the specialties in which is is interested.
3. Vineyardianna
4. Special Displays: Such as a project dealing with Island Economics.
5. Conservation of Natural Resources
6. Display of Propagation, Raising & Reaping of plants
7. Best Solution to Environmental Problem
8. Best Exhibit on Fishing
9. Best Exhibit on Hunting (no guns)
10. Best Exhibit of Propagation of Endangered

A (AC): General cont...

Wild Flower

11. Display of American Pride. This exhibit should represent your idea of Patriotism.

12. Jaws 50th Anniversary Special Entry

DEPARTMENT 110- Fleece

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

- Fleece must be exhibited in the same year as it is shorn.

DIVISIONS:

A : Sheep

AC: Commercial Sheep

B : Alpaca

BC: Commercial Alpaca

C : Other

CC: Commercial Other

CLASSES:

1. White

2. Black

3. Brown

4. Other

DEPARTMENT 111 - Adult Handicraft

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

- If you are a professional, make sure to enter as commercial.
- Exhibits must have been made by the exhibitor.
- Only one entry per class.
- Feathers may not be part of any entry.
- All articles must be clean and in good condition.
- Indicate if article was made from pre-cut kit.
- All jewelry must be in a jewelry category.

DIVISIONS:

A : Jewelry

AC: Commercial Jewelry

CLASSES:

1. Metalsmithing

2. Mixed Media - NO Wampum

3. Wampum & Shell

4. Beaded, not woven - NO Wampum

5. Beaded, woven - NO Wampum

6. Wampum Crafted by an Indigenous Artist

B : Painted Ware

BC: Commercial Painted Ware

1. Painted Pottery

2. Painted Cloth

3. Painted Woodwork

DIVISIONS:CLASSES:

C : Pottery

CC: Commercial Pottery

1. Pottery, wheel thrown objects
2. Pottery, hand modeled objects
3. Pottery, commercial molds

D (DC): Shellcraft

DC: Commercial Shellcraft

1. Shellcraft

E : Weaving & Basketry

EC: Commercial Weaving &
Basketry

1. Weaving
2. Basketry

F : Carving

FC: Commercial Carving

1. Woodcarving
2. Decoys
3. Carved Birds
4. Stone Carving

G : Woodcraft

GC: Commercial Woodcraft

1. Woodcraft, Furniture
2. Woodcraft, Toys
3. Woodcraft, Boats
4. Woodcraft, other

H : Caning & Rushing

HC: Commercial Caning &
Rushing

1. Caning & Rushing

I : Refinished Furniture

IC: Commercial Refinished
Furniture

1. Refinished Furniture

J : Dolls & Stuffed Figures

JC: Commercial Dolls & Stuffed
Figures

1. Dolls
2. Stuffed Figures

K : Works

KC: Commercial Works

Note if Island Materials

1. Fabric Works
2. Glass Works
3. Leather Works
4. Metal Works
5. Felt Works
6. Traditional Colonial Home Crafts

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|------------------------------|-------------------|
| K : Works | 7. Floor Cloths |
| KC: Commercial Works | 8. Spun Yarn |
| | 9. Scrapbook |
| **Note if Island Materials** | 10. Mosaics |
| | 11. Upcycle Works |

DEPARTMENT 112 - Adult Needlecraft

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

- Please be sure to enter as the Commercial if you are a professional. Please note that Commercial Rugs (BC) is different than Rugs (B)
- Exhibits must have been made by the exhibitor.
- Only one entry per person per class.
- No article which has been previously exhibited at the MVAS Fair may be entered in competition.
- All articles entered must have been completed within the past twenty-four months.
- No Article may be in Miscellaneous if there is a specified class.
- If 3 or more of the same type of items are entered, a separate class may be created.
- Please note if article is an original design.
- Indicate if articles are made from pre-cut kit.
- All articles must be clean and in good condition.
- Feathers may not be part of an entry.

DIVISIONS:

A : Spreads & Tablecloths

AC: Commercial Spreads &
Tablecloths

CLASSES:

1. Baby, Knitted or Crocheted

2. Spreads & Tablecloths - Knitted or Crocheted

3. Afghans

B: Rugs

1. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Animals

2. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - crewel

3. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Floral or Fruit

4. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Geometric

5. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Oriental

B: Rugs cont...

6. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Pictorial
7. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Primitive
8. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Seasonal
9. Hooked Rug - purchased pattern - Wide Cut
10. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Animals
11. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Crewel
12. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Floral or Fruit
13. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Geometric
14. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Oriental
15. Hooked Rug - original pattern- Pictorial
16. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Primitive
17. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Seasonal
18. Hooked Rug - original pattern - Wide Cut
19. Adaptation - Design inspired by someone else's design in a different medium, i.e. a photo or painting, etc...
20. Braided - Any Article
21. Latch hook
22. Punched Needle
23. Rug Kits
24. Special Class, person with disability
25. Other- i.e. Soft sculpture, coaster, pins, etc...

BC: Commercial Rugs

1. Comm - Braided
2. Comm - Yarn (including latch hook)
3. Comm - Hooked, Material, Original Design - Geometric
4. Comm - Hooked, Material, Original Design - Pictorial
5. Comm - Material, Original Design - Geometric
6. Comm - Material, Original Design - Pictorial

C : Knitting

CC: Commercial

Knitting

Note if Island Fiber

1. Adult Sweater - Plain Stitch
2. Vest - Plain Stitch
3. Adult Sweater- Pattern - Aran
4. Pullover
5. Cardigan
6. Single - Fancy Stitch
7. Vest - Not Plain Stitch, Single Color
8. Adult Sweater - Fair Isle - Color

C (CC): Knitting Cont...

Note if Island Fiber

9. Vest - Color Work
10. Child Sweater - Plain Stitch
11. Child Sweater - Color Work
12. Child Sweater - Cardigan
13. Child Sweater - Fancy Stitch
14. Child Vest
15. Infant Sweater
16. Gloves or Mittens - All Sizes
17. Hat - All sizes
18. Socks - All Sizes
19. Infant Wear - 2 pieces or more
20. Child Wear - 2 pieces or more
21. Small Miscellaneous - Identify
22. Large Miscellaneous - Identify
23. Machine Knitting
24. Toy
25. Doll - knit
26. Doll Clothes - knitted
27. Felting
28. Scarf
29. Shawl or Stole

D : Crochet

DC: Commercial Crochet

Note if Island Fiber

-
1. Infant Set
 2. Sweater
 3. Gloves or Mittens
 4. Hat
 5. Small Item
 6. Large Item
 7. Toy
 8. Scarf
 9. Shawl or Stole
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E : Embroidery & Crewel

EC: Commercial Embroidery
& Crewel

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1. Embroidery
 2. Embroidery - Garment
 3. Crewel - except Pillow Cases
 4. Crewel Pillow Cases
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F : Needlepoint & Petit Point	1. Petit Point
FC: Commercial Needlepoint & Petit Point	2. Needlepoint - Small - (5x7 or under)
	3. Needlepoint - (over 5x7)
	4. Needlepoint Pillow
	5. Bargello
	6. Needlepoint - Large - (8x10 - unframed)

G : Cross & Counted Cross Stitch	1. Cross Stitch
GC: Commercial Cross & Counted Cross Stitch	2. Counted Cross Stitch - Kit
	3. Counted Cross Stitch - Original design

I : Sewing	1. Adult - Suit or Coat
IC: Commercial Sewing	2. Adult - Dress
	3. Adult - Blouse
	4. Adult - Skirt
	5. Child - Dress (up to size 12)
	6. Child - Set (up to size 12)
	7. Infant Wear (set of 2 or more)
	8. Handbag - Tote
	9. Apron
	10. Pillow
	11. Child Miscellaneous
	12. Adult Miscellaneous
	13. 0013: Upcycled Adult Item
	14. 0014: Upcycled - Child Item (up to size 12)
	15. 0015: Upcycled - Miscellaneous Sewn Item

J : Smocking	1. Smocked Garment
JC: Commercial Smocking	

DEPARTMENT 112K - Adult Quilts & Comforters

ALL QUILTS MUST HAVE A 4" POCKET FOR HANGING

- For Paper Entry in Classes 3-16 please add the following letter that applies to your entry. Online entry will automatically ask:
 - a: Machine Quilted by Exhibitor – Home Machine Freehand
 - b: Machine Quilted by Exhibitor – Home Machine Programmed
 - c: Machine Quilted by Exhibitor – Long Arm Machine Freehand
 - d: Machine Quilted by Exhibitor – Long Arm Machine Programmed
 - e: Machine Quilted by Someone other than Exhibitor

IF YOU DO NOT CHOOSE A LETTER, YOUR ENTRY WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY ASSIGNED OPTION “e”.

K : Quilting

KC: Commercial Quilting

1. Quilt - Tied
2. Quilt - Hand Quilted
3. Quilt - Machine Quilted by Exhibitor, Home Machine
4. Quilt - Machine Quilted by Exhibitor, Long Arm Machine
5. Wall Hanging (over 36x45)
6. Appliqued Wall Hanging (over 36x45)
7. Miniature Quilt not over 24" x 24"
8. Quilt - Handpieced
9. Quilt - Machine Pieced
10. Quilt - Using non-traditional methods or materials, or unusual techniques (i.e. felt quilts, leather, shashiko, etc...)
11. Quilt - Hand Appliqued
12. Quilt - Machine Appliqued
13. Quilt - Art Quilt
14. Quilts - Original Pattern
15. Quilt - Project other than listed (i.e. clothing, rugs, curtains, etc...)
16. Quilt using repurposed materials aka upcycling
17. Tied Comforters
18. Other Comforters
19. Duvet Covers

L : Dolls & Stuffed Toys
LC: Commercial Dolls &
Stuffed Toys

1. Dolls & Doll Clothes
2. Doll Clothes
3. Stuffed Toys

DEPARTMENT 113 - Adult Baking

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

- Please use paper plate not to exceed 10". Positively no breakable plates.
- Make sure to enter in the Commercial Categories (AC/BC) if you are a professional.
- Samples will be cut to taste.
- Exhibit only specified number.
- No prepared mix may be used.

DIVISIONS:

A : General

CLASSES:

1. Coffee Cake - half cake
2. Scones - 6 uniform size
3. Cookies, 6
4. Yeast Bread
5. Butter Cake, half cake
6. Quick Bread (Raisin, Nut, etc)
7. Gluten-Free Quick Bread
8. One Crust Pie
9. Fancy Cake, (Sponge, Angel) - half cake
10. Brownies, 6
11. Raised Rolls, 6 uniform size
12. Two Crust Pie
13. Muffins, 6 uniform size
14. Gluten-Free Muffins, 6 uniform size
15. Cupcakes, 6
16. Candy, 6
17. Biscuits, 6

AC: Commercial General

4. Yeast Bread
6. Quick Bread
7. Gluten Free Quick Bread
8. One Crust Pie
12. Two Crust Pie

DIVISIONS:

B : Men's Baking

CLASSES:

1. Yeast Bread
2. Cake, half cake
3. Quick Bread (Fruit, Nut, etc)

BC: Commercial Men's Baking

1. Yeast Bread
3. Quick Bread (Fruit, Nut, etc)

DEPARTMENT 114 - Preserving**Premiums: 1st - \$5.00 2nd - \$4.00 3rd - \$3.00**

The State Department of Food and Agriculture criteria will apply.

Judging Criteria: Flavor is very important, but cannot actually be judged since jars are not opened. Preserves should be in

appropriate sized jars and have an airtight seal. (no paraffin).

Judging is on shape of fruits, clearness and color, texture, pack, consistency and proportion of juice (1/3 to 2/3 fruit). Pickles are

judges on texture (firm), color (near natural), proportion of pickles to liquid and container (appropriate for pickles).

- Please be sure to enter as Commercial if you are a professional.
- Products shown must be made by the exhibitor.
- One entry per person per class.
- All canned products, including jams and jellies, shall be sealed by processing; boiling water bath for fruits and tomatoes, steam pressure canning for vegetables.
- Fruit and vegetables need to be covered with liquid.
- All jars must match.
- No names on jars.
- All jars must be labeled and dated.
- All jars must be clear.
- Adult preserving will be judged Wednesday.

DIVISIONS:

A : Collections

AC: Commercial Collections

CLASSES:

1. Canned Fruit, 6 Jars (2 jars each of 3 kinds)
2. Fruit Products, 6 Jars (2 jars each of 3 kinds)
3. Canned Vegetables, 6 Jars (2 jars each of 3 kinds)
4. Best Collection Jellies & Jams, (2 jars each of 3 kinds)

DIVISIONS:

B : Fruits

BC: Commercial Fruits

CLASSES:

1. Peaches, 2 Jars
2. Blueberries, 2 Jars
3. Pears, 2 Jars
4. Cherries, 2 Jars
5. Raspberries, 2 Jars
6. Strawberries, 2 Jars
7. Other Fruit, 2 Jars

C : Vegetables

1. Tomatoes, 2 jars
2. Snap Beans, Green, 2 jars
3. Snap Beans, Yellow, 2 Jars
4. Carrots, 2 Jars
5. Beets, 2 Jars
6. Peas, 2 Jars
7. Corn, 2 Jars
8. Other Vegetable, 2 Jars

D (DC): Jellies & Jams

1. Apple Jelly, 2 Jars
2. Grape Jelly, 2 Jars
3. Wild Grape Jelly, 2 Jars
4. Beach Plum Jelly, 2 Jars
5. Beach Plum Jam, 2 Jars
6. Strawberry Jam, 2 Jars
7. Raspberry Jam, 2 Jars
8. Blackberry Jam, 2 Jars
9. Blueberry Jam, 2 Jars
10. Other Jelly, 2 Jars
11. Other Jam, 2 Jars
12. Other Fruit Product, 2 Jars
13. Chutney, 2 Jars

E (EC): Misc. Products

1. Honey, Strained, 2 Jars
2. Comb Honey, 2 jars
3. Bread & Butter Pickles, 2 Jars
4. Pickles, Cut, 2 Jars
5. Pickles, Dill, 2 Jars
6. Pickles, Sweet, 2 Jars
7. Relish, 2 Jars

- E (EC): Misc. Products cont... 8. Vegetable Juice, 2 Jars
 9. Fruit Juice, 2 Jars
 10. Maple Syrup, 2 Jars
 11. Any Other, Unclassified, 2 jars

DEPARTMENT 115 - Flowers

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

- Limit one entry per class.
- All flowers must be grown, selected, labeled and arranged by the exhibitor.
- No flowers on the Conservation List may be used.
- All materials must be grown or gathered on Martha's Vineyard.
- Identify all entries in the "Other" category. Give variety.
- Observe all limit sizes

Judging Criteria:

1. Freshness of flowers
2. Uniformity of blooms
3. Ability to see individual blooms.
4. Read Class Description carefully.

DIVISIONS:

A (AC): General

CLASSES:

1. Dahlias, 1 bloom (6" & over)
2. Dahlias, 3 blooms (2" to 5")
3. Dahlias, 3 blooms (1" to 2")
4. Asters, 5 blooms
5. Marigolds, 5 blooms (over 2")
6. Marigolds, 5 blooms, (up to 2")
7. Zinnias, 5 blooms, (3" & over)
8. Zinnias, 5 Blooms, (up to 2 inches)
9. Cosmos, 5 blooms
10. Nasturtiums, 5 blooms
11. Lillium, 3 spikes
12. Scabiosas, 5 blooms (pin cushion flowers)
13. Cleome, 5 blooms
14. Phlox, 5 blooms
15. Gladiolus, 3 stems

A (AC): General cont...	16. Sunflowers, 5 blooms (under 8") 17. Hydrangeas, 5 blooms (mophead) 18. Hydrangeas, 5 blooms (lace cap) 19. Hydrangea, 5 blooms (paniculata) 20. Hydrangea, 5 blooms (quercifol) 21. Other Annual, 5 blooms (give name) 22. Other Perennial, 5 blooms (give name) 23. Other Annual, 5 spikes (give name) 24. Other Perennial, 5 spikes (give name) 25. Tallest Sunflower Plant 26. Largest Sunflower Blossom 27. Hanging Plants
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B: Commercial Growers	1. Comm - Display of named Flowers 2. Comm - Display of named Plants
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C (CC): Arrangements	1. Dried Flowers Arrangement 2. Mixed Flowers (from your own garden) 3. "For the Birds" Arrangement 4. Fair Theme Flower Arrangement 5. Arrangement in a Tea Cup (8" limit) 6. Wildflower Arrangement 7. "Sing Me a Song" Flower Arrangement 8. Miniature Arrangement (6" limit) 9. Container (not originally used for flowers) (15x15 limit) 10. Wreath 11. Living Wreath 12. Terrarium 13. Succulent Arrangement limit 10"
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D (DC): Herbs	1. Cut Herbs, (5 named & labeled) 2. Growing Herbs, (5 named & labeled) 3. Hops. 5 Cones, Name Variety

DEPARTMENT 116 - Vegetables

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

- Please make sure to register under Commercial if you teach, sell, demonstrate, lecture or are connected with a shop or stand.
- All vegetables must be grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor.
- Name varieties for all vegetables.
- The MVAS provides standard sized plates and bowls for display.
- To uphold the quality of exhibits, the MVAS reserves the right to dispose of any withered vegetables.
- A prize ribbon will be awarded for the most outstanding vegetable.
- Identify all entries in "other" category and give variety.

Judging Criteria

1. Exact number of specimens as specified in the premium list.
2. Uniformity in size, shape and color.
3. Quality, not too large or too small.
4. Free from blemishes, no cuts, bruises, disease or insect damage.
5. Stems preferred on most vegetables. Please clip the vine on tomatoes.
6. Cleanliness, product washed or wiped as one would prepare for market.

DIVISIONS:

A (AC): Vegetables

CLASSES:

1. Home Garden Display, 1 Container
2. Beets, 5 leaves, 1" stem
3. Broccoli, 2 bunches
4. Cabbage, 2 heads
5. Carrots, 5 over 2" long
6. Carrots, 5 less than 2" long
7. Cucumbers, 3
8. Burpless, Cucumbers, 3
9. Pickling, Cucumbers, 8

- A (AC): Vegetables cont...
10. Eggplant, 2
 11. Green Peppers, 5
 12. Sweet Red Peppers, 5
 13. Yellow Peppers, 5
 14. Other Sweet Peppers, 5
 15. Hot Peppers, red, 5
 16. Hot Peppers, yellow, 5
 17. Hot Peppers, green, 5
 18. Leaf Lettuce, 2 plants in water
 19. Kale, 5 stems in water
 20. Lima Beans, in the pod, 15
 21. White Onions, 5 unpeeled
 22. Yellow Onions, 5 unpeeled
 23. Red or Purple Onions, 5 unpeeled
 24. Walla Walla Onions, 5 unpeeled
 25. Garlic Bulbs, 2
 26. Elephant Garlic, 2
 27. Shallots, 5
 28. Potatoes, white, 5
 29. Potatoes, red, 5
 30. Potatoes, other, 5
 31. Potatoes, purple, 5
 32. Potatoes, fingerling, 5
 33. Potatoes, yellow, 5
 34. Potatoes, baking, 5
 35. String Beans, green, 15
 36. String Beans, yellow, 15
 37. String Beans, purple, 15
 38. Sweet Corn, 5 ears, stripped one side
 39. Summer Squash, yellow, 2
 40. Summer Squash, green, 2
 41. Summer Squash, white, 2
 42. Tomatoes, red, 5
 43. Tomatoes, cherry red, 5
 44. Tomatoes, cherry yellow, 5
 45. Tomatoes, yellow pear, 5
 46. Tomatoes, plum, 5
 47. Tomatoes, green, 5
 48. Tomatoes, heirloom, 5 (give variety)
 49. Tomatoes, yellow, 5

- A (AC): Vegetables cont...
50. Tomatoes, other, 5
 51. Swiss Chard, 2 plants in water
 52. Winter Squash, acorn, 2
 53. Winter Squash, blue hubbard, 2
 54. Winter Squash, butternut, 2
 55. Winter Squash, other , 2
 56. Okra, 5
 57. Leeks, 2
 58. Tiaoba, 1 bunch
 59. Jilo, 2
 60. Maxixe, 3
 61. Other Vegetable, 2 (give name)
 62. Pumpkins, 2
 63. Ornamental Gourds, best display
 64. Biggest Summer Squash
 65. Biggest Tomato
 66. Vegetable Sculpture

Premiums for B1: 1st - \$50.00 2nd - \$30.00 3rd - \$20.00

- B: Commercial Growers 1. Comm - Display Vegetable Market

DEPARTMENT 117 - Adult Fruit

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

- Please be sure to enter the Commercial Category if you are a professional.
- All fruit must be grown, selected and arranged by the exhibitor.
- Fruit may be washed but not polished.
- State if heirloom variety.
- To uphold the quality of exhibits the MVAS reserves the right to dispose of any withered fruits.
- Identify all entries in the "Other" Category. Give Variety.

DIVISIONS:

A (AC): Fruit

CLASSES:

1. Best Display of Fruit (no less than 3 varieties)
2. Peaches, 5
3. Apples, 5
4. Pears, 5

A (AC): Fruit cont...

5. Blueberries, 1 pint cultivated
6. Blueberries, 1 pint wild
7. Strawberries, 1 pint
8. 00008: Blackberries, 1 pint
9. Huckleberries, 1 pint
10. Cherries, 1 pint
11. Raspberries, 1 pint
12. Other Berries, 1 pint
13. Beach Plums, 1 pint
14. Muskmelon, 2
15. Watermelon, 2
16. Other Fruit, not listed (give name)
17. Grapes, 3 clusters (give name)
18. Biggest Watermelon

DEPARTMENT 118 - Adult Eggs, Butter & Cheese

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

- To be brought to the Fair by 9am on Friday
- All eggs MUST be clean and uniform in size.
- All eggs will be weighed.
- In case of a tie, eggs will be candled for inferior quality.

DIVISIONS:

A (AC): Eggs, Butter &
Cheese

CLASSES:

1. Brown, Small, 1 dozen
2. Brown, Medium, 1 dozen
3. Brown, Large, 1 dozen
4. White, Small, 1 dozen
5. White, Medium, 1 dozen
6. White, Large, 1 dozen
7. Pullet, Brown, 1 dozen
8. Pullet, White, 1 dozen
9. Bantam, 1 dozen
10. Jumbo, 1 dozen
11. Other, 1 dozen (please specify)
12. Duck, 1 dozen
13. Butter
14. Cow Cheese, quarter lb
15. Goat Cheese, quarter lb
16. Sheep Cheese, quarter lb
17. Other Cheese, quarter lb

DEPARTMENT 119 - Cultivated Forage Crops

Premiums: 1st - \$12.00 2nd - \$7.00 3rd - \$5.00

- To be brought to the Fair by 9:00am on Thursday.
- To be on display in the barn after judging.

DIVISIONS

A (AC): Cultivated Forage
Crops

CLASSES:

1. Exhibit 5 Varieties or more (see description)
2. Best Baled Hay 1st Cut, 2 bales
3. Best Baled Hay 2nd Cut, 2 bales
4. Best Baled Hay 3rd Cut, 2 bales
5. Threshed Grain, 1 pint

DEPARTMENT 120 - Adult Art

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

- Only one entry per person may be exhibited in each class.
- All artwork except sculpture must be ready for hanging with hooks or wires firmly attached.
- Anything not properly prepared will be disqualified.
- Artwork will have an overall 30"x24" limit. Anything larger will be disqualified.
- Artwork previously exhibited at the Fair will not be accepted.

DIVISIONS

A: Non-Professional
B: Professional

CLASSES:

1. Oil Painting
2. Water Color
3. Acrylic
4. Collage
5. Miscellaneous Drawing, etc.
6. Sculpture
7. Print Making
8. Mixed Media

DEPARTMENT 121 - Adult Photography

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

- *New 2025* All photos must be taken on Martha's Vineyard
- *New 2025* New category - Martha's Vineyard Agriculture!
This will replace and expand on the Barn Photo contest.
- Size Restrictions will be strictly enforced.
- Photograph submissions - including matte and frame- can be no larger than 11"x14" or smaller than 5"x7".
- Panoramic submissions can be no larger than 10"x20"
- All professional photographs must be matted or in a lightweight frame and ready to hang with picture wire.
- Non-professional photographs may be just matted.
- The staff may refuse entry if not properly prepared. String or tape of any kind is not accepted.
- Photos must be appropriate for a Family Fair.
- Only one entry per person may be exhibited in each class.
- A ribbon will be given for the Best Vineyard Subject.

DIVISIONS

A: Non-Professional

B: Professional

CLASSES:

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ENDANGERED OR RARE WILDFLOWERS OF MARTHA'S VINEYARD

NOT TO BE PICKED OR UPROOTED

The Martha's Vineyard Garden Club has provided us with the following list of wildflowers which are in special need of conservation on the island. These flowers are uncommon or considered threatened by reason of their susceptibility to picking, digging or disturbance of their habitat. Some are listed by the MassWildlife Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP) as endangered, threatened or of special concern, and as such are officially protected. Do not pick any flower without being certain of its identity.

Summer Flowers

Bushy Rockrose - yellow - *Crocanthemum dumosum* - Dry, sandy plains

Butterfly Weed - orange - *Asclepias tuberosa* - Dry, open fields

Cardinal Flower - red - *Lobelia cardinalis* - Stream banks, damp meadows

False Foxgloves - yellow - *Aureolaria* spp. - Dry, sandy areas, roadsides

False Solomon's-Seal - *Maianthemum racemosum* - white - Shaded roadsides, edges of clearings

Gerardias - pink/purple

1. Purple gerardia - *Agalinis* spp. - Moist meadows and bogs

2. Seaside gerardia - *A. maritima* - Salt marshes

Goat's Rye - yellow/pink - *Tephrosia virginiana* - Dry, sandy clearings

Hairy Solomon's-Seal - *Polygonatum pubescens* - white - Mesic, shady roadsides

Lilies - orange

1. Wood lily - *Lilium philadelphicum* - Dry, thickets, fields

2. Turk's cap lily - *L. superbum* - Damp meadows, edges of woods

Northern Blazing Star - bright pink - *Liatris novae-angliae* - Dry, sandy fields

Orchids - All orchids including Pink Ladies Slipper

Pink tickseed - *Coreopsis rosea* - pink - Wet meadows, pond edges

Sandplain blue-eyed grass - blue - *Sisyrinchium fuscum* - Sandy, open fields

Sandplain Flax - yellow - *Linum intercursum* - Sandy, open fields

Scotch lovage - *Ligustum scoticum* - white - Sandy or rocky shorelines

Seedbox - *Ludwigia alternifolia* - yellow - Wet meadows

Swamp Azalea - white/pink - *Rhododendron viscosum* - Swamps, wet thickets

Evergreen Plants

Broom Crowberry - *Corema Conradii* - exposed hillsides

Ground Pine - *Dendrolycopodium* species - woods and clearings

Pipsissewa - *Chimaphila umbellata* - dry woods

PICKING WILDFLOWERS

NEVER pick all the flowers in bloom in one area. Leave more than half the flowers to make seeds for next year. Use scissors or a knife so you do not disturb the roots.

Remember - Conservation is Our Gift to the Future

The image shows the cover of a 'Martha's Vineyard Farm Map'. The title 'Martha's Vineyard Farm Map' is at the top in a serif font, with 'Find farm fresh food on the Island' written below it in a smaller, sans-serif font. The central illustration is a colorful, stylized scene featuring a yellow rooster holding a large basket of green vegetables, a child in a red dress holding a carrot, and a small dog. A butterfly is also visible. The entire cover is tilted slightly to the right.



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