

Brevard 4-H Fair Competitions 2017

Drop off and registration will be Wednesday March 29th, 2017 between 10am and 7pm at the UF/IFAS Extension Brevard County office.

Pick-up of items will be at the UF/IFAS Extension Brevard County office on Saturday, April 1st, 2017 at the conclusion of the Market Poultry Auction (4/5pm). Items not retrieved at that time will be held at the UF/IFAS Extension Brevard County office. Pick-up for these items will be available after Monday, April 3rd, 2017 at the Extension Office during office hours (8am-5pm).

UF/IFAS – Brevard County Extension Office Location

3695 Lake Drive
Cocoa, FL 32926

General Rules

1. All entries must have been produced or made since November 2015 by the exhibitor whose name appears on the entry tag. Once an entry has been exhibited in the fair it cannot be entered again in the future.
2. Entries are limited to Brevard County 4-H members.
3. All entries must have an official entry tag attached with name, address, and phone number of exhibitor.
4. Please refer to category rules for entry deadlines and release dates. A claim check must be presented to redeem entries. No exhibit may be removed before release without consent of the Fair or exhibitors will forfeit any premiums. Unclaimed items become property of the Fair.
5. Any item entered into a judging competition may be photographed and used by the Brevard 4-H Fair for advertising.
6. Entrant must follow any special requirements listed under any individual Section.
7. An exhibitor may enter only one item per Class in any individual Section.
8. The Brevard 4-H Fair will take every precaution for the safety of all entries, but will not be responsible for loss of or damage to any entry, or for personal injury that is the result of entrant's participation in the Brevard 4-H Fair.
9. If there is an absence of competition, or if the exhibits are inferior in quality, only such awards will be made as, in the discretion of the judges, the exhibit merits.
10. Decisions of the judges will be final.

11. The Fair reserves the right to combine or divide entries to make a Class.
12. Judges may change items from one Class to another at their discretion
13. Department supervisor may ban poor quality entries from competition.
14. The Brevard 4-H Fair reserves the right to reject any entry not considered suitable, being too large, heavy or small to be displayed properly, or being in non-compliance with all applicable rules and regulations.
15. The Fair office will issue awards within six weeks of the close of the Fair. Awards will be paid according to the judge's books, not from ribbons.

Lots

Lots are as follows, unless specified by category:

- Lot A - Cloverbud
- Lot B - Junior
- Lot C - Intermediate
- Lot D - Senior

Awards

- All projects will be judged on the following point system: Blue, Red, and White awards for each entry.
- 1st – 3rd place awards will be given based on points *
 - 1st place winner will receive a ribbon
 - 2nd place will receive a ribbon
 - 3rd place winner will receive a ribbon
- Best in Section will receive \$10.00*
- Best in Lot will receive \$15.00*
- Best in Show will receive \$20.00*

***Unless specified in an exhibit area**

<u>Points</u>	<u>Ribbon</u>
<u>90 – 100</u>	<u>Blue</u>
<u>80 – 89</u>	<u>Red</u>
<u>79 & below</u>	<u>White</u>

Exhibit: Needlework and Sewing

Winners will be displayed at the Fairgrounds (UF/IFAS Brevard County Extension Office) for the duration of the Fair.

Rules

1. All exhibitors must read and comply with general rules.
2. All articles **must be clean** and completed.

Section: Sewing: Majority Machine Work

1. Each entry form must indicate if the piece is an original design or a pattern. If a pattern is used.
2. Must be hung on wire hanger for display. Clothes pins or safety pins may be used to attach items to hangers
3. Enclose pattern picture in garment.
4. Attach registration form

- Class: Single Garment
- Class: Coordinated Outfit
- Class: Formal Garment /Costume
- Class: Professional Wear/ Lined Garment
- Class: Child's Garment
- Class: Recycled Garment
- Class: Men's Wear
- Class: Other

Exhibit: Quilting Contest

All exhibitors must read and comply with general rules.

Winners will be displayed at the Fairgrounds (UF/IFAS Brevard County Extension Office) for the duration of the Fair.

- Best in Section will receive \$30.00
- Best in Lot will receive \$25.00
- Best in Show will receive \$20.00

Section: Quilt Size A

- Class:

Section: Quilt Size B

- Class:

Exhibit: Fine Arts

Rules

All exhibitors must read and comply with general rules.

Section: Photography

1. Size of Photo: Photos submitted must be 8" x 10" and mounted properly.
2. Mounting of Photographs: All prints must be securely and permanently mounted on a non-frame board of 5mm foam board. Masonite, photo folders, corrugated cardboard or thin poster board is not acceptable. Double faced tape, glue or rubber cement is not allowed for mounting purposes. An adhesive spray or special adhesive board is best. Mat framing (of any kind) is not allowed and will result in disqualification.
 - Class: People
 - Class: Animals
 - Class: Plant/Flora
 - Class: Scenic
 - Class: Architectural Elements
 - Class: Still Life
 - Class: Hat Tricks and Magic
 - Class: Photo Story
 - Class: Black & White

Section: Sketches and Drawings

1. Finished work must be mounted on a non-frame board no larger than 18" X 18"
2. Items must be shrink-wrapped or otherwise protected.
 - Class: Charcoal
 - Class: Mixed Media
 - Class: Pen and Ink
 - Class: Pencil
 - Class: Digital
 - Class: Other

Section: Paintings

1. Finished work must be mounted on a non-frame board no larger than 18" X 24"
2. Items must be shrink-wrapped or otherwise protected.
 - Class: Acrylics
 - Class: Mixed Media
 - Class: Oil Pastels/Crayons
 - Class: Watercolors

- Class: Other

Section: Educational Posters

1. Theme: Poster submissions can fall into one of three themes:
 - Class: Healthy Lifestyles
 - Class: S.E.T. (Science, Engineering and Technology)
 - Class: Citizenship
2. All posters must be designed on or affixed to poster board whose dimensions are no larger than 14" X 22".
3. Poster Depth: Posters cannot exceed a depth of .25 inches or it will be disqualified.
4. Posters using computer assistance to create components of the poster or the poster itself should affix a statement of one paragraph explaining how the computer assistance affected the poster's composition and visual presentation.
 - Watercolor
 - Pen and Ink
 - Pencil
 - Marker
 - Crayon
 - Acrylic
 - Special Effects
 - Computer Enhanced

Section: 3D Art

- Class 1: Clay
- Class 2: Diorama
- Class 3; Metal
- Class 4: Wood
- Class 5: Other

Exhibit: Culinary

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Items will be displayed at the UF/IFAS Brevard County Extension Office for the duration of the Fair as long as they are of good quality. Items that spoil shall be discarded and replaced with a photograph of the original item as submitted.

Rules

1. A whole loaf of bread or four muffins or biscuits are required for entry.
2. Four cookies are required for entry.
3. Two jars are required for entry.
4. Only clean, standard jars with acceptable lids and rings will be accepted.
5. Baked goods must be on disposable plates and placed in a zippered food storage bag. No glass plates accepted.
6. No ready mixes allowed.
7. Recipe must be included with any entry.

Section: Quick Breads

- Class: Muffins
- Class: Nut Bread
- Class: Biscuits
- Class: Fruit
- Class: Plain (white, wheat, etc.)
- Class: Other

Section: Yeast Breads

- Class: Machine
- Class: Non-machine

Section: Cookies

- Class: Chocolate Chip
- Class: Peanut Butter
- Class: Oatmeal
- Class: Sugar
- Class: Brownies
- Class: Bar (not Brownies)
- Class: Other

Section: Preserves

- Class: Jellies
- Class: Jams
- Class: Preserves
- Class: Pickles
- Class: Salsa
- Class: Butters
- Class: Chutneys
- Class: Other

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Exhibit: Vegetables

All exhibitors must read and comply with general rules.

Section: Oddest Shaped Vegetable

1. Vegetable must be grown by the entrant.
2. Vegetable must be displayed on a plain, white paper plate.
3. Vegetables must be washed and clean.
4. One vegetable per plate.
5. Label must be attached to the bottom of the plate.
6. Name of vegetable and entrant's name must be on the label.

➤ Class: Any vegetable qualified

Section: Largest Vegetable

1. Vegetable must be grown by the entrant.
2. Vegetable must be washed and clean.
3. Vegetable must be displayed on a plain, white paper plate.
4. Label must be attached to the bottom of the plate.
5. Name of vegetable and entrant's name must be on the label.

- Class: Beets
- Class: Collards
- Class: Eggplant
- Class: Green Beans
- Class: Kale
- Class: Kohlrabi
- Class: Mustard
- Class: Peppers, sweet
- Class: Peppers, hot
- Class: Radishes
- Class: Squash
- Class: Sweet corn
- Class: Swiss chard
- Class: Tomatoes, cherry
- Class: Tomatoes, large
- Class: Turnips
- Class: Other

Section: Best Quality Vegetable

1. Vegetable must be grown by the entrant.
2. Vegetables must be washed and clean.
3. Vegetables must be displayed on a plain, white paper plate.
4. Label must be attached to the bottom of the plate.
5. Name of vegetable and entrant's name must be on the label.

Vegetable categories and required quantities for exhibit:

Vegetable	Number per plate
Class: Beets	3
Class: Collards	1 plant
Class: Eggplant	3
Class: Green beans	12
Class: Kale	1 plant
Class: Kohlrabi	1 plant
Class: Mustard	1 plant
Class: Peppers, sweet	3
Class: Peppers, hot	3
Class: Radishes	6
Class: Squash	3
Class: Sweet corn	3
Class: Swiss chard	1 plant
Class: Tomatoes, cherry	12
Class: Tomatoes, large	3
Class: Turnips	3
Class: Other	1 or more depending on size of vegetable

Exhibit: Fruit

All exhibitors must read and comply with general rules

Section: Largest Fruit

1. Fruit must be grown by the entrant.
2. Fruit must be washed and clean.
3. Fruit must be displayed on a plain, white paper plate.
4. Label must be attached to the bottom of the plate.
5. Name of Fruit and entrant's name must be on the label

- Class: Avocado
- Class: Carambola (starfruit)

- Class: Grapefruit
- Class: Oranges
- Class: Passion fruit
- Class: Tangerines
- Class: Tangelos
- Class: Other

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Fruit categories and required quantities for exhibit:

Fruit	Number per plate
Class: Avocado	1
Class: Carambola (starfruit)	3
Class: Grapefruit	3
Class: Oranges	3
Class: Passion fruit	3
Class: Tangerines	3
Class: Tangelos	3
Class: Other	1 or more depending on size of fruit