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**AGRICULTURE BUILDING  
(DEPARTMENTS 17-27)  
GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS**

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- **Please note: changes have been made in the Agriculture Building throughout Departments 17-27. To avoid any confusion, please review all rules and regulations.**
- ☑ Pre-entry or advance registration is recommended. Fill out and submit the online form at ☑ [www.carvercountyfair.com/exhibit](http://www.carvercountyfair.com/exhibit) or fill out the PDF form and drop off or mail to: ☑ 501 West 3rd Street, Waconia, MN 55387.
- We highly recommend anyone with 10 entries or more to pre-register. If you cannot pre-register online, fill out the PDF form and drop off or mail it to the Fair office.
- **Only one entry in a class will be permitted by an exhibitor.** In case of duplicate entries by the same exhibitor, neither exhibit will qualify for judging.
- Entries are required to be made in the owner's name only. However, entries may be brought for competition by another individual or group.
- All exhibits competing for premiums must be grown or created by the person exhibiting them.
- **The exhibits must be grown or completed in the current year with exceptions where noted behind the class name.**
- The same exhibit **may not** be entered for premiums more than 1 year; entries should be from the current year.
- Entries are required to be delivered and remain on exhibit as designated by individual departments. **Premiums will be forfeited for any entries removed prior to Sunday, 8:00 p.m.**
- Entries will be taken in the Agriculture Building.
- **Entries will be accepted Monday from 5 to 8:30 p.m. and Tuesday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**
- **No late entries will be accepted.**
- A superintendent has the authority to reject an entry based on entry requirements.
- Exhibits will not be eligible for awards unless they are of good quality. No articles borrowed for competition, nor those incorrectly named, are eligible.
- Entries will be judged and awarded a place based on quality and merit. A judge may determine that an entry does not meet specific criteria and is not required to award a placing.
- Judges' decisions are final.
- Buildings are closed to the exhibitors and the general public during judging. An exhibitor is not allowed to discuss or influence a judge's decision. The entry will be disqualified if this occurs.
- Participation ribbons will be awarded to all youth/child classes, 65 years & over classes, and health care classes.
- The same photograph cannot be used in multiple

divisions/classes.

- All photographs need to be framed and ready to hang including a label with name, address and phone number on the back.
- No solicitation of a sale of the entered item may occur.
- The department will make every effort to assure the safety of all articles after arrival and placement, **but in no event will the department be responsible for any loss or damage to exhibits.**
- **Please note:** when picking up your exhibit, please have your claim ticket or photo ID with you to ensure the right exhibit goes to the correct exhibitor.
- **NEW:** Premium checks will be available Sunday evening after 8:00 p.m. in the respective buildings/barns and will have a 30-day validation date. Please bring a photo ID or your claim ticket. If check is not picked up Sunday evening, it will be mailed to you.
- Exhibits may not be removed until 8:00 p.m. on the last day of the fair.
- **Exhibits not removed by 4:00 p.m. Monday will be property of the Carver County Fair.**

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**DEPARTMENT 23: SEWING/  
CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION**

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Judging: Wednesday, 7:30 a.m., Agriculture Building

- **Attention Exhibitors: Please review all general guidelines for Departments 17-27 at page 27ginning of this document.**
- If garments are worn before exhibiting, they must be laundered. Only clean, pressed garments will be accepted. The superintendent reserves the right to refuse or accept items on this basis.

**Division A: Infant through Pre-Teen Garments**

- Class 1: Baby robe
- Class 2: Bib, practical
- Class 3: Costume
- Class 4: Night gown or pajamas
- Class 5: Dress
- Class 6: Blouse, shirt, or top of your choice
- Class 7: Shorts or slacks
- Class 8: Any other not listed above
- Class 9: 🏆 Champion Infant through Pre-Teen Garment
- Class 10: 🏆 Reserve Champion Infant through Pre-Teen Garment

☑ Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

**Division B: Teen to Adult Garments**

- Class 1: Bath robe
- Class 2: Blazer or jacket
- Class 3: Blouse, shirt, or top of your choice
- Class 4: Costume
- Class 5: Night gown or pajamas
- Class 6: Shorts or slacks
- Class 7: Any other garment not listed
- Class 8: 🏆 Champion Teen to Adult Garment
- Class 9: 🏆 Reserve Champion Teen to Adult Garment

☑ Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

## Division C: Miscellaneous

- Class 1: Apron 3-piece set (apron, pot holder, oven mitt)
  - Class 2: Baby toy
  - Class 3: Fabric basket
  - Class 4: Duffel bag
  - Class 5: Organizational bag
  - Class 6: Shawl/kimono/poncho
  - Class 7: Throw pillow
  - Class 8: Trash to treasure
  - Class 9: Zipper pouch
  - Class 10: Any other non-clothing sewing item
  - Class 11: 🏆 Champion Misc. Sewing
  - Class 12: 🏆 Reserve Champion Misc. Sewing
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

## Division D: Any Garment with Additions

Garment may be ready made or handmade.

**Addition must be done by exhibitor.**

- Class 1: Applique
  - Class 2: Crocheted
  - Class 3: Hand Embroidered
  - Class 4: Machine Embroidered
  - Class 5: Any other garment not listed
  - Class 6: 🏆 Champion Garment with Additions
  - Class 7: 🏆 Reserve Champion Garment with Additions
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00