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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 27: PHOTOGRAPHY

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Judging: Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Agriculture Building

- **Attention Exhibitors: Please review all general guidelines for Departments 17-27 at page 27**ginning of this document.
- Open to amateur photographers only. No professional or commercial photographers.
- Pictures must be taken by exhibitor and may be processed commercially.
- The same photograph may be used only once; a photo cannot be entered in more than one division or class, by one or more exhibitors.
- Place label on back side of entry with name, address and phone number. Please note the back side of your photo should look as good as the front.
- All photos must be framed and ready to hang.
- **Classes A and C photo print size 4"×6" or 5"×7"; frame size 4"×6" up to 8"×10". No larger.**
- **Classes B and D photo print size 8"×10" up to 12"×18"; frame size 8"×10" up to 16"×20". No larger.**
- **Maximum size of a finished (frame and print) exhibit: for prints: 8"×10" / for enlargements: 16"×20" / for enhancement either 8"×10" or 16"×20".**
- No enhancement of any sort in classes A, B, C or D.
- Matting is allowed but cannot go over finished frame size.

Division A: Black and White Prints

- Print size: 4"×6" or 5"×7"
- Frame size up to and including 8"×10" (matted or not)
- No computer enhancements

Class 1: Adults

Class 2: Animals

- Class 3: Architecture
  - Class 4: Birds
  - Class 5: Children
  - Class 6: Elderly Person
  - Class 7: Floral
  - Class 8: Holidays
  - Class 9: Insects
  - Class 10: Landscape
  - Class 11: Machines
  - Class 12: Skyscape
  - Class 13: Still Life (no florals)
  - Class 14: Toddler
  - Class 15: Waterscape
  - Class 16: 🏆 Champion Black and White Print
  - Class 17: 🏆 Reserve Champion Black and White Print
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

### Division B: Black and White Enlargements

- Print enlargement size: 8"×10" up to and including 12"×18"
- Frame size 8"×10" up to and including 16"×20" (matted or not)
- No computer enhancements

- Class 1: Adults
  - Class 2: Animals
  - Class 3: Architecture
  - Class 4: Birds
  - Class 5: Children
  - Class 6: Elderly Person
  - Class 7: Floral
  - Class 8: Holidays
  - Class 9: Insects
  - Class 10: Landscape
  - Class 11: Machines
  - Class 12: Skyscape
  - Class 13: Still Life (no florals)
  - Class 14: Toddler
  - Class 15: Waterscape
  - Class 16: 🏆 Champion Black and White Enlargement
  - Class 17: 🏆 Reserve Champion Black and White Enlargement
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

### Division C: Color Prints

- Print size: 4"×6" or 5"×7"
- Frame size up to and including 8"×10" (matted or not)
- No computer enhancements

- Class 1: Adults
- Class 2: Animals
- Class 3: Architecture
- Class 4: Birds
- Class 5: Children
- Class 6: Floral
- Class 7: Holidays
- Class 8: Insects
- Class 9: Landscape
- Class 10: Machines
- Class 11: Mother & Child
- Class 12: Skyscape
- Class 13: Still Life (no florals)
- Class 14: Waterscape
- Class 15: Wedding

- Class 16: 🏆 Champion Color Print
  - Class 17: 🏆 Reserve Champion Color Print
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

### Division D: Color Enlargements

- Print enlargement size: 8"×10" up to and including 12"×18"
- Frame size 8"×10" up to and including 16"×20" (matted or not)
- No computer enhancements

- Class 1: Adults
  - Class 2: Animals
  - Class 3: Architecture
  - Class 4: Birds
  - Class 5: Children
  - Class 6: Floral
  - Class 7: Holidays
  - Class 8: Insects
  - Class 9: Landscape
  - Class 10: Machines
  - Class 11: Mother & Child
  - Class 12: Skyscape
  - Class 13: Still Life (NO florals)
  - Class 14: Waterscape
  - Class 15: Wedding
  - Class 16: 🏆 Champion Color Enlargement
  - Class 17: 🏆 Reserve Champion Color Enlargement
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00

### Division E: Computer Enhanced Photo/Sepia

Finished photo, optional matting and frame should measure either 8"×10" or 16"×20".

- Class 1: Adults
  - Class 2: Animals
  - Class 3: Architecture
  - Class 4: Birds
  - Class 5: Children
  - Class 6: Country Scene
  - Class 7: Family
  - Class 8: Floral
  - Class 9: Holidays
  - Class 10: Insects
  - Class 11: Landscape
  - Class 12: Machines
  - Class 13: Skyscape
  - Class 14: Still Life (no florals)
  - Class 15: Waterscape
  - Class 16: 🏆 Champion Computer Enhanced Photo
  - Class 17: 🏆 Reserve Champion Computer Enhanced Photo
- 📦 Premiums: 1st: \$4.00; 2nd: \$3.00; 3rd: \$2.00