

General Rules

- 1. All exhibitors agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the Mountain Area Community Fair.**
- 2. The Fair Management reserves the right to amend or add to these rules and regulations as its judgment may determine.**
- 3. Every effort will be made to protect all exhibits on display from all injury and damage, but the Fair is not, in any way, to be held responsible for accidents, loss or damage by water, fire, theft, or otherwise, whatever may be the cause or extent of the damage or loss.**
- 4. Entries will be made according to classification.**
- 5. Premiums, as listed, may be given for meritorious exhibits. In cases where there is no competition, judges may give an award such as they deem the exhibit is worthy to receive. Same rules applies where there are fewer entries in any class than the number of premiums offered. The judges may at their discretion, award a prize or prizes of such grade as the exhibit deserves. The fair will accept only one entry in each class per exhibitor. The decision of the judges shall be final in all cases where mistakes, fraud, misrepresentation, or collusion, not discovered at the Fair or show, or such referee as he may appoint, may make the decision. The case may be appealed to the Fair Board of Directors from whose decision there can be no appeal.**
- 6. It shall be the responsibility of the exhibitor to make known the proper name of the article he is entering. Any item entered improperly will be disqualified to receive a prize, but the judge will mark the correct name on the entry tag for the benefit of the owner so the same mistake in entering need not be made the second time.**
- 7. The entry committee or Secretary reserves the right of refusing to accept any entry. Furthermore, they reserve the right to bar from competition vegetables, flowers, products, and manufactured articles of decidedly inferior quality and those not possessing sufficient merit to warrant recognition.**
- 8. The Fair Management may, at any time, order the removal of any exhibit in bad condition and any article unfit to show may be excluded. Food products cannot be polluted with any substance or chemical that causes them to become poisonous and unfit to be used as food.**
- 9. Where award ribbons are stolen and destroyed, the exhibitor may receive a duplicate at the close of the Fair or show which shall be supplied by the Fair free of charge.**
- 10. During the judging, buildings are to be closed to everyone except fair officials judges and necessary attendants. No exhibitor nor his agent shall communicate with the judge during time of determining the awards except to answer questions proposed by the judges. Any exhibitor interfering with the judges while making awards shall forfeit any premium to which he would otherwise be entitled.**