

2021 PIERCE COUNTY FAIR HILL & DALE DISTRICT OF GARDEN CLUBS

OPEN CLASS FLOWER SHOW

"Join the Flower Fun in 21"

Exhibit Hours

August 12-14 10 am to 9 pm

August 15 10 am to 6 pm

Show Chairman: Kathy Johnson 253-847-4933 Show Co-Chairman: Sherry Matthews 253-845-2555
Fair grounds located at 21718 Meridian E, Graham 98338

GENERAL RULES:

- Entries are open to all amateur gardeners and arrangers.
- **PLEASE PRE REGISTER ON LINE** at <http://piercecounityfair.fairentry.com> by August 6th, and your entry cards will be preprinted and ready for you on Wed August 11th. If you need help entering into Fair Entry, staff members will be available on August 9th&10th to assist you. **HAND WRITTEN ENTRIES WILL ALSO BE TAKEN. Fill out the attached entry page.** Bring all entries to the Floral Building, Wednesday, August 11th from 1:00 to 7:00pm. Please enter as early as possible.
- Due to space limitations, **only quality specimens accepted.** Classification reserves the right to remove sub-standard entries in any section.
- If you have multiple entry pages, please submit each Class as you finish.
- The Show Committee will exercise all care but cannot be responsible for loss, damage or return of properties. Please mark all properties.
- If you are entering numerous entries, please contact the Show Chairman for the proper forms and have them filled out before making your entries to save time and confusion.
- **EXHIBITOR IS LIMITED TO 75 EXHIBITS PER PERSON.**
- Judging will be the day of entries. Entries may NOT be removed before 6:00 pm Sunday, August 15th, and the building will be open until 7pm.

DIVISION I ADULT HORTICULTURE - Open Class

ADULT HORTICULTURE AWARDS:

Best in Show Floral Exhibit, Best in Show Horticulture Exhibit, Show Chairman's Award, Best Annual, Best Perennial, Best Dahlia. Best Bulb or Corms, Best Rose, Best Shrub or Vine, Best Bouquet, Best Fruit or Vegetable, Largest Zucchini by Weight, Best Vegetable Basket and Best Crazy Fun Container.

Points allowed: Blue 4 Red 3 White 2.

Horticulture entries **must be grown by exhibitor** or in possession for three months. All plant material must be properly groomed, conditioned, not wilting, free from insects or disease and named. Wedging permitted, if inconspicuous. More than one entry (**BUT NO MORE THAN 5**) may be in each lot if of a different named variety or color. Bottles will be available but you must fill them with water. If the schedule calls for more than one stem, all must be same length and flowers the same size.

CLASS 2401 - ANNUALS-BIENNIALS Best Annual Award

Lot:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Bachelor Buttons, 3 stems, one color2. Calendulas, 3 stems, one color3. Cosmos, 3 stems, one color4. Marigolds, 3 stems or 1 spray5. Million Bells, 3 stems, one color6. Nasturtiums, 3 stems, one color7. Petunias, 1 spray8. Snapdragon, 1 spike | <ol style="list-style-type: none">9. Sunflowers, 1 stem10. Sweet Peas, 6 stems, any color11. Zinnias, over 2", 1 stem, one color12. Zinnias, under 2", 3 stems, one color13. Any other worthy specimen, 1 stem or spray if large, 3 if small, same color. No cut fuchsia's, begonias or geraniums. |
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CLASS 2402 – PERENNIALS**Best Perennial Award****Lot:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Black Eye Susan 2. Chrysanthemum 3. Chrysanthemum, Fever Few 1 stem 4. Coreopsis, 3 stems 5. Daisy, 3 stems 6. Delphinium, 1 spike | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 7. Hardy fuchsia, 1 stem 8. Rudbeckia, 1 stem 9. Pansies, 3 stems, all 1 color 10. Pansies, 3 stems, mixed colors 11. Violas, 3 stems, foliage attached 12. Any other worthy specimen |
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CLASS 2403 - DAHLIAS**Best Dahlia Award**One bloom, disbudded, with a set of leaves attached**Lot:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Formal/informal 2. Cactus/Semi-Cactus 3. Dahlia under 4" | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Ball under 4" 5. Water Lily 6. Any other worthy specimen |
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CLASS 2404 - BULBS, CORMS, TUBERS**Best Bulb or Corms Award****Lot:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gladiolas, 1 stem 2. Lily, 1 stem 3. Crocosmia, 3 stems | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Liatris, 3 stems 5. Any other worthy specimen, 1 stem if large, 3 if small |
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CLASS 2405 – ROSES**Best Rose Award**Roses are shown with some foliage attached.**Lot:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hybrid Tea, 1 bloom disbudded 2. Floribunda, 1 spray 3. Grandiflora 1 spray 4. Miniature, 1 bloom | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Climbing, 1 spray 6. Shrub 7. Any other worthy specimen |
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CLASS 2406 - HYDRANGEAS, SHRUBS, VINES**Best Shrub or Vine Award**Show one branch not over 24". Must be in bloom.**Lot:**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hydrangeas, big leaf 2. Hydrangeas, lace cap 3. Hydrangeas, any other type 4. Shrubs | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Clematis 6. Honeysuckle 7. Any other worthy specimen |
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CLASS 2407 - GARDEN BOUQUETS**Best Bouquet Award**

Containing at least 5 cut flowers, clear bottles will be provided, judged on condition of flowers, originality of design & attractiveness of display

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single variety | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Mixed variety |
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CLASS 2408 - VEGETABLES AND FRUITS Best Fruit or Vegetable, Largest Zucchini by Weight Award, Best Vegetable Basket Award.

No nuts, green tomatoes, lettuce, berries or highly perishable produce. Must be at peak of maturity.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Beans, 6 pods2. Beets, 3 under 2" diameter tops trimmed to 2"3. Cabbage, 1 head with some outer leaves attached4. Carrots, 3 under 2" diameter tops trimmed to 2"5. Cucumber, 16. Cucumber, pickling, 67. Garlic, 3 bulbs or 1 elephant bulb8. Onions, dry, 1" stem & roots attached9. Potatoes, 310. Summer Squash, 111. Tomatoes, 3 if large, 6 if small | <ol style="list-style-type: none">12. Zucchini, largest by weight13. Fruit, large, 3 of a kind, summer apples, pears, peaches and plums14. Culinary herbs, 1 stem limit of 3 different entries per person15. Vegetable basket, max size 16"x16", containing at least 5 different vegetables, judged on condition of vegetables, originality of design & attractiveness of display16. Any other worthy specimen, Fruit or Vegetable |
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CLASS 2409 - CRAZY FUN CONTAINER GARDENS Best Crazy Fun Container Garden Award

Each container must not exceed 22" in width and must have at least 3 types of plants in the container.

Plant names need to be listed on the entry card.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Crazy Unusual Container | |
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DIVISION II ADULT DESIGN

GENERAL RULES: No artificial flowers or foliage. Plant material must be included in all lots. Entries limited to 22" in width. Accessories are permitted unless other-wise noted. One entry per lot.

ADULT DESIGN AWARDS:

Show Chairman's Award, Best Interpretation of Theme, Best Overall Design, People's Choice Award.

Points allowed: Blue 10 Red 8 White 6

CLASS 2410 - ADULT DESIGNS

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. "Flower Power" Designers Choice2. "Cotton Candy" Designers Choice | <ol style="list-style-type: none">3. "Extreme Scream" Designers Choice4. "Ferris Wheel" Designers Choice |
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DIVISION III YOUTH HORTICULTURE - Open Class

MUST BE GROWN AND ENTERED BY THE EXHIBITOR

Horticulture Rules same as adults with exception that all HORTICULTURE ENTRIES MUST BE GROWN AND ENTERED BY THE EXHIBITOR. CHILDREN FROM THE SAME FAMILY MAY NOT MAKE ENTRIES FROM THE SAME PLANTS. THE SHOW COMMITTEE MUST STRESS THAT THE PLANTS ARE GROWN BY THE CHILD. ALL PLANT MATERIAL MUST BE PROPERLY GROOMED, CONDITIONED, NOT WILTING, FREE FROM INSECTS OR DISEASE AND NAMED.

Juniors: 5 through 9 years of age, no entries for youth under age 5.

Intermediates: 10 through 13 years of age. High School: 14 through 18 years of age.

Please mark your age in the upper right corner of your entry tag.

YOUTH HORTICULTURE AWARDS:

Best in Show Floral Exhibit, Best in Show Horticulture Exhibit, Best Floral in Age Group, Best Fruit or Vegetable Exhibit, Best Fruit or Vegetable in Age Group, Ugliest Vegetable Award, Largest Zucchini by Weight Award and Best Crazy Fun Container Award.

CLASS 2415 - GARDEN FLOWERS Best Horticulture Exhibit Award

If the schedule calls for more than 1 stem, all must be the same length and flowers same size and color. Must be a peak of maturity.

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| 1. Bachelor Buttons, 3 stems | 8. Zinnias, 3 stems |
| 2. Marigolds, 1 stem or 1 spray | 9. Chrysanthemum, 1 spray |
| 3. Nasturtiums, 3 stems | 10. Daisy, 1 stem |
| 4. Petunias, 1 spray | 11. Pansies, 3 stems, mixed colors |
| 5. Roses, 1 stem w/some foliage | 12. Any other worthy specimen, 1 stem if large,
3 if small |
| 6. Sweet Peas, 3 stems | |
| 7. Sunflowers, 1 stem | |

CLASS 2416 - VEGETABLES Best Fruit or Vegetable Exhibit, Best Fruit or Vegetable in Age Group, Ugliest Vegetable Award, Largest Zucchini by Weight Award Must be at peak of maturity

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| 1. Green Beans, 3 pods | 8. Summer Squash, 1 |
| 2. Beets, 3 under 2" diameter tops trimmed to 1" | 9. Fruit, large, 3 of a kind, summer apples,
pears, peaches and plums |
| 3. Cabbage, 1 head with some outer leaves attached | 10. Culinary herbs, 1 stem |
| 4. Carrots, 3 under 2" diameter tops trimmed to 1" | 11. Ugliest Vegetable |
| 5. Cucumber, 1 | 12. Zucchini, largest by weight |
| 6. Onion, dry, 1 peeled, 1" stem & roots attached | 13. Any other worthy specimen |
| 7. Tomatoes, ripe, 1 if large, 3 if small | |

CLASS 2417-CRAZY FUN CONTAINER GARDENS Best Crazy Fun Container Garden Award

Each container must not exceed 22" in width and must have at least 3 types of plants in the container. Plant names need to be listed on the entry card.

Lot:

1. Crazy Unusual Container

DIVISION IV - YOUTH DESIGN

Design must be the work of the exhibitor. Entries are limited to 22" in width. No artificial flowers or foliage permitted. Plant material must be included in all lots. Accessories permitted unless otherwise noted. One entry to a lot. No Flags. Juniors, 5 through 9 years of age, no entries for youth under 5 years of age. Intermediates, 10 through 13 years of age, High School, 14 through 18 years of age

YOUTH DESIGN AWARDS: Best Overall Design, Best Interpretation of Theme, Best Design in Age Group, People's Choice Award. Points allowed: Blue 10 Red 8 White 6

CLASS - 2418 YOUTH DESIGNS

Lot:

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| 1. "Fair Fun" Designers Choice | 3. "Carmel Corn" Designers Choice |
| 2. "Ride the Rides" Designers Choice | 4. "Tea Cup" Designers Choice |