**EDMONSON COUNTY FAIR 2025**

**HOMEMAKERS’ DIVISION RULES**

**(Ages 18 years and up)**

1. Entries in the Homemakers’ Division are for ages 18 years old and above.

2. All entries will be checked in on Thursday, **September 4th from 8:00 a.m. – Noon**.

3. Check-in procedures will be posted at barn.

4. Articles that have previously won blue ribbons at the Edmonson County fair cannot be exhibited again.

5. Entries must be made by the exhibitor and entered in the name of that person only.

6. Only one article per person in each category.

7. The entire cake, pie, or loaf of bread must be brought for entry.

8. All food must be on a paper/Styrofoam plate and in a plastic zippered bag. Except for cakes, loaf breads and pies, they MUST be brought in whole, and the foods department workers will cut for judging.  For sanitation reasons all food will be thrown away.

9. Canned fruits and vegetables must be in standard canning jars and two-piece sealed lids must be used.

10. Art must be framed or matted ready for hanging.  The hanger must support the weight of the entry.

11. Photography must be matted on a firm mat.  Matting prior to registration is required. Non-matted items will not be accepted.  No framed photos will be accepted.

12. Category chairmen and workers will group items for judging.

13. Ribbons/money will be awarded at the judge’s discretion, and all judging decisions are final.

1. Judging will be the American System.  (Exhibits in this system are compared against a standard of perfection, as well as against the other entries in the competition.  All exhibits in a particular class are looked at and ranked with only one selected for first place, second place, third place, etc. If there is no high-quality exhibits, at the judge’s discretion, exhibits may be placed in the appropriate position, even if it is second or third place.)

1. Blue ribbons will receive $3, Red ribbons $2, and White ribbons $1.  Best of Show will receive $5, Garden Display 1st place will receive $10, and Grand Champion (overall) will receive $10.

1. The person who receives the “Most Blue Ribbons” will receive a gift certificate for $25.

1. The person who has the “Most Entries” in the exhibit barn will receive a gift certificate for $25.

1. Exhibit Barn Hours:
2. Closed until 6:00 p.m. on

Thursday.

1. Open: Thursday 6:00 p.m. –

9:00 p.m.

1. Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
2. Friday 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
3. Edmonson County Homemakers will supervise the display barn during all opening hours.

1. All reasonable precautions are taken to protect fair exhibits; however, the fair board/homemakers are not responsible for the loss or damage to any item entered.

1. Entries & prize money must be picked up on Saturday, from **8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.**

1. Prize money & entries not picked up on Saturday by 10:00 a.m. become property of the fair board.

1. Any questions regarding the above, please call the Edmonson County Cooperative Extension Service at (270) 597-3628.

**Art and Photography**

**1. Frameable art must be framed or matted ready for hanging. The hanger must support the weight of the entry.**

**2. Photography must be matted on a firm mat. Matting prior to registration is required. Non-matted items will not be accepted. Framed photographs WILL NOT be accepted.**

**Frameable Art**

* HE600 Painting- Acrylic
* HE601 Painting -Oil Painting
* HE602 Painting - Water Color
* HE603 Pencil Sketching – Charcoal
* HE604 Pencil Sketching – Color
* HE605 Pencil Sketching – Lead
* HE606 Inked Drawing
* HE607 Mixed Media
* HE608 Other - Frameable Art

**Sculpture**

* HE615 Clay
* HE616 Metal
* HE617 Mixed Media
* HE618 Other-Sculpture

**Amateur Photography**

* HE625 Action Shot color
* HE626 Action Shot black and white
* HE627 City Scape color
* HE628 City Scape black and white
* HE629 Fin, Fur and Feather color
* HE630 Fin, Fur and Feather black and white
* HE631 Floral color
* HE632 Floral black and white
* HE633 Landscape color
* HE634 Landscape black and white
* HE635 Other color
* HE636 Other black and white
* HE637 Portrait Group Subject color
* HE638 Portrait Group Subject black and white
* HE639 Portrait Single Subject color
* HE640 Portrait Single Subject black and white

**Scrapbooking**

* HE650 Baby – 2 page layout
* HE651 Family – 2 page layout
* HE652 Heritage – 2 page layout
* HE653 Holiday – 2 page layout
* HE654 Sports – 2 page layout
* HE655 Travel – 2 page layout
* HE656 Other – 1 page layout
* HE657 Other – 2 page layout
* HE658 Pets – 2 page layout
* HE659 Wedding – 2 page layout
* HE660 Whole Scrapbook

**Canning**

**Canned fruits and vegetables must be in standard canning jars with 2-piece sealed lids.**

**Entries must be entered in the name of the person who canned the item.**

**Fruits**

* H.E. 1 Apple Butter
* H.E. 2 Apple Sauce
* H.E. 3 Apples – Canned
* H.E. 4 Apples – Dried
* H.E. 5 Blackberries
* H.E. 6 Fruit Juice
* H.E. 7 Peaches – Halves
* H.E. 8 Peaches - Sliced
* H.E. 9 Pears
* H.E. 10 Other Fruit
* H.E. 11 Honey

**Jams**

* H.E. 12 Blackberry
* H.E. 13 Strawberry
* H.E. 14 Other - Jam

Jellies

* H.E. 15 Apple
* H.E. 16 Blackberry
* H.E. 17 Grape
* H.E. 18 Plum
* H.E. 19 Mixed Berry
* H.E. 20 Other - Jelly

**Preserves**

* H.E. 21 Peach
* H.E. 22 Pear
* H.E. 23 Strawberry
* H.E. 23A Other -Preserves

**Pickles and Relishes**

* H.E. 24 Bread and Butter
* H.E. 25 Cucumber - Dill
* H.E. 26 Cucumber - Sweet
* H.E. 27 Mixed Pickles
* H.E. 28 Squash Pickles
* H.E. 29 Other Pickles
* H.E. 30 Beets - Canned
* H.E. 31 Beets - Pickles
* H.E. 32 Okra - Pickled
* H.E. 33 Hot Peppers
* H.E. 33A Sweet Peppers
* H.E. 34 Relish - Corn
* H.E. 35 Relish - Pepper
* H.E. 36 Relish - Squash
* H.E. 36A Relish - Other
* H.E. 37 Chili Sauce
* H.E. 37A Pasta Sauce
* H.E. 38 Chow Chow
* H.E. 39 Green Catsup
* H.E. 40 Salsa
* H.E. 41 Other

**Vegetables**

* H.E. 42 Beans - Dried
* H.E. 43 Beans - Green (Cut)
* H.E. 44 Beans - Green (French Style)
* H.E, 45 Beans - Green (Whole)
* H.E. 46 Beans - Lima
* H.E. 47 Beans - Shellie
* H.E. 48 Beans - Other
* H.E. 49 Carrots
* H.E. 50 Corn - Cream Style
* H.E. 51 Corn - Whole Kernel
* H.E. 52 Greens
* H.E. 53 Kraut (Must be sealed)
* H.E. 54 Peas - Blackeyed
* H.E. 55 Peas - Green
* H.E. 56 Soup Mixture
* H.E. 57 Tomato Juice - Red
* H.E. 58 Tomato Juice - Yellow
* H.E. 59 Tomatoes - Red
* H.E. 60 Tomatoes - Yellow
* H.E. 61 Other Vegetable

**Clothing**

**Articles must be hand or machine made and entered in the name of the person who made them.**

* H.E. 300 Apron – Attractive
* H.E. 301 Apron – Child’s
* H.E. 302 Apron – Practical
* H.E. 303 Bonnet
* H.E. 305 Costume
* H.E. 306 Crocheted Clothing – Adult
* H.E. 307 Crocheted Clothing – Child
* H.E. 308 Crocheted Shawl – Handmade
* H.E. 309 Decorated Sweatshirt
* H.E. 310 Decorated T-shirt
* H.E. 311 Doll’s Clothes
* H.E. 312 Formal
* H.E. 313 Hat
* H.E. 314 Infant Garment
* H.E. 314A Knitted Blanket
* H.E. 315 Knitted Clothing
* H.E. 316 Knitted Scarf
* H.E. 317 Ladies Blouse / Top
* H.E. 318 Ladies Dress
* H.E. 319 Ladies Jacket – Lined
* H.E. 320 Ladies Jacket – Unlined
* H.E. 321 Ladies Shorts Set
* H.E. 322 Ladies Skirt
* H.E. 323 Ladies Slacks
* H.E. 324 Pillowcases (set of 2)
* H.E. 325 Man’s Garment
* H.E. 326 Other - Clothing
* H.E. 327 Pajamas / Sleepwear
* H.E. 328 Purse
* H.E. 329 Vest – Decorative
* H.E. 330 Vest – Practical
* H.E. 331 Young Boy’s Garment
* H.E. 332 Young Girl’s Garment

**Crafts**

**All items must be handmade and entered in the name of the person who made them.**

**Crochet**

* H.E. 500 Crocheted Afghan
* H.E. 501 Crocheted Baby Afghan
* H.E. 502 Crocheted Basket
* H.E. 503 Crocheted Bedspread
* H.E. 504 Crocheted Necklace
* H.E. 505 Crocheted Doily
* H.E. 506 Crocheted Doll Clothes
* H.E. 507 Crocheted Pillow
* H.E. 508 Crocheted Pillowcases (Set of two pinned together)
* H.E. 509 Crocheted Pot Holder
* H.E. 510 Crocheted Tablecloth
* H.E. 511 Other Crocheted Item

**Embroidery**

* H.E. 512 Chicken-Scratch Misc.
* H.E. 513 Hand Embroidered Dresser Scarf
* H.E. 514 Hand Embroidered Pillow
* H.E. 515Hand Embroidered Pillowcases (Set of two pinned together)
* H.E. 516 Hand Embroidered Tablecloth
* H.E. 517 Hand Embroidered Wall Hanging
* H.E. 518 Needlepoint Misc.
* H.E. 519 Machine Embroidered
* H.E. 519A Other Embroidered

**Counted Cross Stitch**

* H.E. 520 Aida 11/14
* H.E. 521 Aida 16/18
* H.E. 522 Towel
* H.E. 523 Specialty Cloth
* H.E. 524 Other Cross-Stitch

**Applique**

* H.E. 525 Appliqued Pillow
* H.E. 526 Appliqued Pillowcases (Set of two pinned together)
* H.E. 527 Other Appliqued (not quilt)

**Miscellaneous Fabric/Yarn Handwork**

* H.E. 528 Handmade Potholders
* H.E. 529 Handmade Placemats (Set of two pinned together)
* H.E. 530 Handmade Rug
* H.E. 531 Fabric Picture Frame
* H.E. 532 Other Pillow
* H.E. 533 Painted Tablecloth
* H.E. 534 Pin Cushion

**Jewelry**

* H.E. 536 Bracelet
* H.E. 537 Earrings
* H.E. 538 Necklace
* H.E. 539 Jewelry Ensemble

**Other Handcraft**

* H.E. 540 Basket Weaving
* H.E. 541 Birdhouse
* H.E. 542 Corn Shuck Craft
* H.E. 543 Decorated Photo Album
* H.E. 544 Decorated Book
* H.E. 545 Shell Craft
* H.E. 546 Button Craft
* H.E. 547 Painted Gourds (Large)
* H.E. 548 Painted Gourds (Small)
* H.E. 549 Plastic Canvas
* H.E. 550 Wall Hanging
* H.E. 551 Woodworking Large (Above 24”) hand crafted
* H.E. 552 Woodworking Large (Above 24”) kit prepared
* H.E. 553 Woodworking Medium (13” to 24”) hand crafted
* H/E/ 554 Woodworking Medium (13”-24”) kit prepared
* H.E. 555 Woodworking Small (12” or smaller) hand crafted
* H.E. 556 Woodworking Small (12” or smaller) kit prepared
* H.E. 557 Miscellaneous
* H.E. 558 Wreath (seasonal)
* H.E. 559 Wreath (natural)
* H.E. 560 Wreath (synthetic)
* H.E. 561 Magnet (handmade)

**Doll Craft**

* H.E. 571 Handmade Ceramic Doll (Clothes on)
* H.E. 572 Handmade Soft Sculptured Doll

**Christmas Decorations**

* H.E. 581 Christmas Arrangement
* H.E. 582 Christmas Other
* H.E. 583 Christmas Ornament
* H.E. 584 Christmas Tree Topper
* H.E. 585 Christmas Tree Skirt
* H.E. 586 Christmas Wreath
* H.E. 587 Christmas Wall Hanging

**Field Crops**

**All entries must be grown by the exhibitor.**

* A.50 Broom corn – (Display Bundles)
* A.51 Cantaloupe
* A.52 Cane - (3 stalks)
* A.53 Corn – (3 stalks)
* A.54 Corn – Indian (3 ears)
* A.55 Corn – Popcorn/Red (3 ears)
* A.56 Corn – Popcorn/Yellow (3 ears)
* A.57 Corn – Yellow (3 ears)
* A.58 Corn – Red ( 3 ears)
* A.59 Corn – White (3 ears)
* A.60 Cushaw
* A.61 Gourd – Apple
* A.62 Gourd – Birdhouse
* A.63 Gourd – Bushel (Best)
* A.64 Gourd – Bushel (Biggest)
* A.65 Gourd – Dipper
* A.66 Gourd – Dish Rag
* A.67 Gourd – Display (Miniature – 5 or more)
* A.68 Gourd – Most Unusual
* A.69 Gourd – Nest Egg
* A.70 Hay – Alfalfa – 1/3 Bale
* A.71 Hay – Clover –1/3 Bale
* A.72 Hay – Grass – 1/3 Bale
* A.73 Pumpkin – Biggest
* A.74 Pumpkin – Boo (White)
* A.75 Pumpkin – Field
* A.76 Pumpkin – Halloween
* A.77 Pumpkin – Most Unusual
* A.78 Pumpkin – Peanut
* A.79 Pumpkin – Pie
* A.80 Soybean
* A.81 Sunflower
* A.82 Tobacco - stalk
* A.83 Watermelon – Best
* A.84 Watermelon – Biggest
* A.85 Other Field Crop

**Flowers**

**Flower specimens should be in clear bottle. Stems of all specimens should be 5-10 inches. Arrangements must be the work of the exhibitor. Foliage will be permitted. All flowers must be entered in the name of the person who grew them.**

**Arrangements**

* HE 200 Chrysanthemum
* HE 201 Dahlia
* HE 202 Dried Flower
* HE 203 Garden Flower
* HE 204 Green Planter
* HE 205 Miniature – Live
* HE 206 Miniature – Marigold
* HE 207 Miniature – Rose
* HE 208 Miniature – Zinnia
* HE 209 Regular – Marigold
* HE 210 Regular – Rose
* HE 211 Regular – Zinnia
* HE 212 Silk Flower
* HE 213 Unusual Container
* HE 214 Wildflower
* HE 215 Other

**Specimens**

* HE 225 Cocks Comb – Celosia
* HE 226 Cocks Comb – Feather
* HE 227 Gladiola
* HE 228 Miniature – Dahlia
* HE 229 Miniature – Marigold
* HE 230 Miniature – Rose
* HE 231 Miniature - Zinnia
* HE 232 Regular – Dahlia
* HE 233 Regular – Marigold
* HE 234 Regular – Rose
* HE 235 Regular – Zinnia
* HE 236 Other

**Potted**

* HE 250 Aloe Vera Plant
* HE 251 African Violet – Double
* HE 252 African Violet – Single
* HE 253 Begonia
* HE 254 Cactus – Garden
* HE 255 Cactus – Miniature
* HE 256 Cactus - Regular
* HE 257 Cactus - Christmas
* HE 258 Coleus
* HE 259 Fern
* HE 259A Geranium
* HE 260 Herb
* HE 261 Impatiens
* HE 262 Ivy
* HE 263 Miniature Live Plant
* HE 264 Most Unusual Container
* HE 265 Most Unusual Plant
* HE 266 Philodendron
* HE 267 Schefflera
* HE 268 Shamrock
* HE 269 Spider Plant
* HE 269A Succulents
* HE 270 Wandering Jew – Miniature
* HE 271 Wandering Jew – Regular
* HE 272 Other Potted Plant

**Foods Department**

**All food must be on a paper or Styrofoam plate and in a zip-lock bag. All cakes, pies, and breads need to be brought in whole. All entries must be made by the exhibitor.**

**Cookies**

* HE 100 Bar Cookie (3)
* HE 101 Brownie – With Nuts (3)
* HE 102 Brownie – Without Nuts (3)
* HE 103 Brownie – Sugar Free (3)
* HE 104 Chocolate Chip Cookie (3)
* HE 105 Decorated Cookie (3)
* HE 106 Drop Cookie (3)
* HE 107 Filled Cookie (3)
* HE 108 No Bake Cookie (3)
* HE 109 Oatmeal Cookie (3)
* HE 110 Peanut Butter Cookie (3)
* HE 111 Sugar Cookie (3)
* HE 112 Other Cookie (3)

**Breads**

* HE 120 Biscuits (3)
* HE 121 Banana Nut Bread
* HE 122 Corn Bread (whole) or (3)
* HE 123 Ginger Bread
* HE 124 Other Bread
* HE 125 Pumpkin Bread
* HE 126 Sour Dough Bread
* HE 127 Zucchini Bread
* HE 128 Muffins – Fruit (3)
* HE 129 Muffins – Multi Grain (3)
* HE 130 Muffins – Other (3)
* HE 131 Muffins – Yeast (3)

**Cakes**

* HE 150 Angel Food Cake
* HE 151 Apple Cake
* HE 153 Carrot Cake
* HE 154 Coffee Cake
* HE 155 Cupcakes ( decorated – 3)
* HE 157 Pineapple Upside Down Cake
* HE 158 Pound Cake
* HE 159 Sugar Free Cake
* HE 160 White Cake
* HE 161 Yellow Cake
* HE 162 Chocolate Cake
* HE 163 Other Cake

**Pies**

* HE 170 Apple Pie
* HE 171 Cherry Pie
* HE 172 Fried Apple Pie (3)
* HE 173 Fried Peach Pie (3)
* HE 174 Fried Pie Other (3)
* HE 175 Other Pie
* HE 176 Pecan Pie
* HE 177 Pumpkin Pie
* HE 178 Sugar Free Pie

**Candies**

* HE 182 Fudge – Chocolate (3)
* HE 183 Fudge – Other (3)
* HE 184 Fudge – Peanut Butter (3)
* HE 185 Glazed Nuts (1/2 cup)
* HE 186 Microwave Candy (3)
* HE 187 Molded / Shaped Candy (3)
* HE 188 Other Candy (3)

**Quilted Articles**

**Except for the antique quilts, all entries must be made by and entered in the name of the owner.  All quilts must be at least 18" x 18" (doll size).  A quilt has three layers and is bound. A quilt top is one layer and not bound.**

* 400 Antique Quilt
* 401 Appliquéd Quilt - Hand Appliqué
* 402 Appliquéd Quilt - Machine Made
* 403 Quilted Clothing
* 404 Embroidery Quilt Top – Hand Embroidery
* 404A Embroidery Quilt Top- Machine Embroidery
* 405 Appliquéd Quilt Top - Machine Made / Hand Appliquéd
* 406 Cotton/Blend Pieced Quilt - Hand Made
* 407 Cotton/Blend Pieced Quilt - Machine Made
* 408 Cotton/Blend Pieced Quilt - Machine Made / Hand Quilted
* 409 Cotton/Blend Quilt Top - Hand Made
* 410 Cotton/Blend Quilt Top - Machine Made
* 411 Crazy Quilt
* 412 Cross-stitched Quilt
* 413 Machine Embroidered – Machine Quilted
* 414 Embroidered Quilt - Hand Embroidered and Hand Quilted
* 415 Hand Embroidered Quilt - Machine Quilted
* 416 Lap Quilt (Min. 36" x 48")
* 417 Mixed Media Quilt
* 418 String Quilt
* 419 Tacked (Tied) Quilt
* 420 Whole Cloth Quilt - Hand Quilted
* 421 Hand or Machine Pieced – Professionally Quilted
* 422 Baby Quilt -Cross-stitched
* 423 Baby Quilt - Hand Made – Hand Quilted
* 424 Baby Quilt - Machine Made – Machine Quilted
* 425 Baby Quilt - Machine and Hand Made
* 426 Christmas Stocking - Hand Quilted
* 427 Christmas Stocking - Machine Quilted
* 428 Quilted Pillow
* 429 Quilted Purse
* 430 Quilted Wall Handing - Hand Made
* 431 Quilted Wall Hanging - Machine Made
* 432 Quilted Wall Hanging - Machine and Hand Made
* 433 Quillow
* 434 Quilted Other- Not a top or quilt