

FRUIT DEPARTMENT 35

1. Read General Rules and Static Exhibit Rules carefully.
2. Collections and displays shall be set up only by the exhibitor.
3. The number of specimens of each fruit in a display must correspond with the number shown for the Lot. Exhibitors must have the Department Chairmen check the exhibit set-up.
4. All Plate Lots must be displayed on plain white paper plates.
5. All fruits must have been raised by the exhibitor with the exception of wild small fruits and nuts which must have been collected by the exhibitor.
6. Exhibits should be uniform, free from blemishes and picked at the peak of perfection.
7. Whenever possible, please state the variety or cultivar of your fruit on a 3x5 card.
8. You may make more than one entry per Lot, as long as the entries are of a different variety. In the case of 3 or more exhibits of the same kind in a particular lot, a new lot will be formed.

CLASS A

PLATES - state variety

- Lot 01.** Apples, plate of 5
Lot 02. Crab apples, plate of 10
Lot 03. Pears, plate of 5
Lot 04. Peaches, plate of 5
Lot 05. Plums, 10 specimens
Lot 06. Grapes, 3 clusters
Lot 07. Quinces, plate of 5
Lot 08. Nectarines, plate of 5

SMALL FRUIT, 1/2 pint boxes - state variety

- Lot 09.** Blueberries
Lot 10. Raspberries
Lot 11. Any other small fruit

NUTS - state type

The outer coverings must be opened on one to expose the nutmeat inside.

- Lot 12.** One pint of nuts (for example: walnuts, butternuts, chestnuts or others)

COLLECTION OF 3 PLATES - state variety

- Lot 13.** 5 peaches of each variety
Lot 14. Grapes, 3 clusters of each variety
Lot 15. 5 pears of each variety
Lot 16. 5 apples of each variety
Lot 17. 10 plums of each variety

DISPLAYS

- Lot 18.** Display at least 3 kinds of homegrown fruit decoratively arranged in an appropriate container such as a basket or bowl. You must have 3-5 of each kind; include a card with varieties stated.
- Lot 19.** Display a basket of fruit that could be used as a centerpiece but is still functional. Include a note card about each type of fruit that you used in the centerpiece.
- Lot 20.** Poster display (Pruning trees, grafting, diseases of fruits, historical, heirloom varieties, etc.).

PREMIUMS

	First	Second	Third
Lot 01-12	4 PTS	3 PTS	2 PTS
Lot 13-17	8 PTS	6 PTS	4 PTS
Lot 18-20	12 PTS	9 PTS	6 PTS
