

# OPEN CLASS AGRICULTURE/PRODUCE DEPARTMENT #1

**Registration Deadline:** Thursday, July 14th, 2022  
**Entry Delivery:** Thursday, July 14th, 4:00-7:00pm  
Liberty First Credit Union Arena, 7300 Q Street, Ralston, NE 68127  
**Entry Release:** Sunday, July 17th, 6:00-8:00pm – **NO EARLY RELEASE**

**Show Times Open to Public:** Friday, July 15th, 2022 4:00pm-8:00pm  
Saturday, July 16th, 2022 9:00am-8:00pm  
Sunday, July 17th, 2022 10:00am-6:00pm

**Entry Fees:** \$5.00 per Entry  
**Premium Payouts:** Checks will be mailed to exhibitors after July 22, 2022.

**Department Specific Rules:** All articles must be produced and grown by the Exhibitor. If the Judge deems articles have been purchased for exhibition, they will be disqualified. Corn exhibits selected from late varieties and entered either as medium or 90 days will be ruled out. After being entered, the superintendent is in control of the exhibits; Exhibitors shall not interfere with or handle exhibits afterwards.

No entries will be released before 6:00 PM on Sunday, July 17. If you are unable to pick up your exhibits at the release time, it is your responsibility to find someone to do so. Any items remaining after 8:00 PM on Sunday, July 18 will be disposed of immediately. **Spoiled Produce will be disqualified.**

## Subdivision- Exhibitor Age Breaks (Age as of January 1, 2022)

- Subdivision #**
- 01** Adult (23+)
  - 02** Senior (16-22)
  - 03** Intermediate (12-15)
  - 04** Junior (8-11)
  - 05** Peewee (7 and under)

## Division 101 – Vegetables

- Class #**
- 01** Any Variety Potatoes (3)
  - 02** Sweet Potato, any variety (3)
  - 03** Onion, any variety, unpeeled, (3)
  - 04** Green Beans, in pods (6)
  - 05** Cabbage (1 head)
  - 06** Bell Peppers (3)
  - 07** Hot Peppers, any variety (3)
  - 08** Tomatoes, any variety, no stems (3)
  - 09** Cherry, Grape, or Salad Tomatoes (6)
  - 10** Carrots (3)
  - 11** Eggplant (2)
  - 12** Sweet Basil (dried, shown with leaves) 3 stems
  - 13** Dill (dried, bunch) 3 stems
  - 14** Sage (dried, shown with leaves) 3 stems
  - 15** Chives (fresh, shown in jar/glass of water) 3 specimens
  - 16** Parsley (fresh, shown in jar/glass of water) 3 specimens
  - 17** Garlic, 3 bulbs

## Division 102 – Vine Vegetables

### Class #

- 01 Spaghetti Squash, matured
- 02 Butternut Squash, matured
- 03 Acorn Squash, matured
- 04 Crookneck Squash, mature, decorative
- 05 Straight-Neck Squash, mature, decorative
- 06 Zucchini Squash
- 07 Pumpkin, Sugar or Pie, matured
- 08 Mini Pumpkin (4 inches or under), matured
- 09 Watermelon, Round (larger than 9 inches), matured
- 10 Muskmelon
- 11 Cantaloupe
- 12 Cucumber, Green Slicing, 3 specimens, may be shown without stem
- 13 Cucumber, Pickling, 3 specimens, over 2 1/2 inches long, may be shown without stem

## Division 103 – Sheaf Display

### Class #

- 01 Hard Red Winter Wheat, shown without leaves
- 02 Rye, shown without leaves
- 03 Oats, shown without leaves
- 04 Soybeans, leaves permitted on the top one third, stalk cut at ground level
- 05 Alfalfa
- 06 Any Sweet Clover Before Bloom Stage
- 07 Red Clover
- 08 Alsike Clover

## Division 104 – Stalk Display

### Class #

- 01 Grain Sorghum, red or bronze, with leaves
- 02 Grain Sorghum, yellow or cream, with leaves
- 03 Popcorn, Yellow or White
- 04 Corn, Yellow or White Dent
- 05 Sunflower Heads with 1 ft. stem, 2 Qty

## Division 105 - Corn (3 ears)

### Class #

- 01 Yellow or White Dent Corn
- 02 Yellow or White Sweet Corn
- 03 Yellow or White Popcorn

## Division 106 – Fresh Fruit

### Class #

- 01 Apple, Any Variety (3)
- 02 Apricot (3)
- 03 Blackberry (6)
- 04 Blueberry (6)
- 05 Cherry, Any Variety (6)
- 06 Peach (2)
- 07 Pear (2)
- 08 Raspberry (12)

## Division 107 – Cut Flowers

### Class #

- 01 Annuals (Marigolds, Snap Dragons, Zinnias, Gladiolus, Dahlia, etc.) (2 stems)
- 02 Perennials (Black-Eyed Susan, Daylily, Rose, Carnations, Daisies, etc.) (2 stems)

## Division 108 – Plants and Planters

### Class #

- 01 House Plant
- 02 Tropical Plant
- 03 Cactus or Succulent
- 04 Flowering Plant
- 05 Foliage Planter

