

2012 PUTNAM COUNTY AGRICULTURAL FAIR



4-H EXHIBITS CLUB-WIDE & INDIVIDUAL EXHIBIT

- SPONSORED BY:** Putnam County Fair Authority, Inc.
- ENTRY LOCATION:** Putnam County Fairgrounds, East Palatka
Rawson Exhibit Building,
- ENTRY DATE & TIME:** 4-H Club-Wide Exhibits
Thursday, March 15, 2012
3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.. (No exceptions)
- 4-H Individual Exhibits –
Thursday, March 15, 2012
3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.. (No exceptions)
- JUDGING:** Monday, March 19, 2012
- REMOVAL:** Sunday, March 25, 2012
2:00 p.m. till 5:00 p.m.
- DIVISIONS OF EXHIBITS:** There will be four divisions based on age.
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| Clover bud - | ages 5-7* |
| Junior- | ages 8-10 |
| Intermediate | ages 11-13 |
| Senior - | ages 14-18 |

* clover bud entries are for exhibit and comment only. They will not be considered for competition. However, special recognition will be given to all clover bud exhibitors.

RULES & REGULATIONS:

4-H Club-Wide Exhibits

1. Must be designed as educational displays and will be displayed and judged separately from the 4-H Individual exhibits booth. The Fair Authority is allowing 4-H clubs to enter these displays free of charge. Exhibits must be free standing and must not exceed 9 feet in width and 8 feet deep (front to back).

4-H Individual Exhibits

1. ANY PUTNAM COUNTY 4-H MEMBER may enter exhibits. 4-H Membership is required. Member does not have to be present to enter exhibits.
2. Exhibitors may not dictate the class or lot desired to the entering official. The entering officials will make these decisions.
3. All exhibits must have been made by the exhibitor since the 2011 Putnam County Fair and must be clean and in good condition.
4. Each exhibit must be labeled with claim check provided by the 4-H volunteer when entered. Please keep your copy of the claim check and present it when you claim your exhibit.

5. All articles must be picked up by 5:00 P.M., Sunday, March 25, 2012
 6. The Putnam County Fair Authority will take every reasonable precaution for the safeguard of the exhibits; however, since articles are entered in competition for prizes, the owner assumes all responsibility for any accident, loss, or damage.
 7. **Clover bud Judging**
Clover bud entries are not judged for competition. The judges will examine the entries and provide comments on the entries for the youths benefit. All Clover bud entries will receive a specially designed rosette.
- Junior, Intermediate and Senior Judging**
All exhibits will receive a Blue, Red or White award ribbon plus premium money as listed below. A First and Second Place winner will be picked in each **LOT**. In addition, a First and Second Place overall winner in each **CLASS** will be awarded a rosette. Best of Class winners will also be awarded additional cash prize. Premiums will be awarded according to the judges' records only.
8. Premiums will be paid as listed below under awards. See below Class information.
 9. No winner will be allowed more than ONE (1) monetary premium in connection with the same article / item.
 10. ALL PREMIUMS WILL BE PAID IN CASH WHEN YOU PICK UP YOUR EXHIBIT ON SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2012. NO PREMIUMS WILL BE PAID WITHOUT CORRECT INFORMATION ON REGISTRATION FORMS AND ALL REQUIREMENTS FOLLOWED.
 11. Exhibitors will be limited to seven (7) articles. Each article must be a different lot (i.e., a studded T-shirt and a painted T-shirt, but not 2 painted T-shirts).
 12. All Home Arts and Crafts will be judged according to beauty and originality of design; harmony of color and materials; suitability of articles to purpose; and workmanship.
 13. Educational Displays (displayed in 4-H booth - Class VII) must fall within the following maximum size criteria: **Linear width 36 inches depth 15 inches height 48 inches.**
 14. Perishable food items will not be displayed for the whole week and will not be returned.
 15. All items must remain on display through the duration of the Fair. Articles will be released Sunday, March 25, between 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.
 16. Judging will use the Modified Danish System
 17. For further details, see GENERAL RULES.

LOTS AND CLASS

CLASS I: PHOTOGRAPHY

LOT

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| 1. Color | 5. Animals |
| 2. Black and White | 6. Just for Fun |
| 3. 4-H Related | 7. Other Items |
| 4. Landscapes | |

CLASS II: DECORATED ITEMS

LOT

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| 8. Clothing | 12. Toys |
| 9. Apparel Accessories | 13. Holiday Items |
| 10. Wall Hanging | 14. Home Accessories |
| 11. Woodwork | 15. Other Item |

CLASS III: RECYCLED ITEMS

LOT

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| 16. Wearable Items/Accessory | 19. Toys |
| 17. Home Decoration | 20. Other Items |
| 18. Holiday Items | |

CLASS IV: CONSTRUCTED ITEMS

LOT

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| 21. Wall Hanging | 24. Toys |
| 22. Home Accessories | 25. Other Items |
| 23. Woodwork | |

CLASS V: ART

LOT

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| 26. Ceramics | 31. Water Color Painting |
| 27. Woodwork | 32. Drawings |
| 28. Beadwork | 33. Woven Baskets |
| 29. Metalwork | 34. Needlework |
| 30. Oil and Acrylic Paintings | 35. Other Items |

CLASS VI: FOOD

LOT

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| 36. Canned (after March 2011) | 38. Candies |
| 37. Baked | 39. Other Items |

CLASS VII: EDUCATIONAL DISPLAYS

LOT

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| 40. Animal Science | 43. Science and Technology |
| 41. Environmental Education | 44. Citizenship, Leadership, Communication Arts and Career Education |
| 42. Individual & Family Resources | 45. General Category |

AWARDS

All entries will be judged on their own merit and will be awarded:

Blue ribbon – First Place and \$3.00

Red Ribbon – Second Place and \$2.00 or

White Participant Ribbon and \$1.00

There will be a First and Second Place selected from the Blue Ribbon winners in each Lot.

FIRST PLACE – Blue Rosette and \$5.00

SECOND PLACE – Red Rosette and \$3.00

There will be a First and Second Place winner in the Class. They will be chosen from the Blue Rosette Winners.

FIRST PLACE - Large Blue Rosette and \$10.00

SECOND PLACE – Large Red Rosette and \$ 5.00

BEST OF SHOW

(Will be chosen from the Best of Class winners in each Division.)

1st place \$25.00 premium and Rosette