## Welcome to the 169<sup>th</sup> Milton Fall Fair

The Homecraft members of the Milton Fair have been busy updating the prize list. Our Theme for the 2024 Fair is "Homestead & Homemade Bread'. We are pleased to showcase many talents from the community in a wide variety of classes.

Spend some time browsing the Fair Prize List to choose classes that suit your talents. All classes and the entry form can be found on our website.

We welcome new ideas, so please let us know if there are any classes or changes that we can make for the future.

Winners from Butter Tarts, Maple Syrup, Honey, Machine and Handmade Quilts, Youth Chocolate Chip Cookies, and Youth Posters represent our Fair at a District Competition in October. District winners go on to compete at the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies Annual Convention in February each year.

Special thanks to the Homecraft members, Board of Directors, volunteers and our Secretary/Treasurer who have worked tirelessly to present the 2024 edition of the Advance Prize List. Thank you also to the Sponsors and, of course, the Exhibitors who showcase their talents! We welcome new volunteers so please contact the office if you are interested.

See you at the Fair!

## Your Homecraft Committee

## RULES & REGULATIONS HOMECRAFT/CHILDREN'S ADVANCE PRIZE LIST

2024 Theme: "Homestead & Homemade Bread"

IMPORTANT – ALL Entries must be submitted ONLINE via Assist Expo at https://assistexpo.ca/milton-fall-fair by Friday September 20, 2024. If you need assistance registering online, please call or visit our office before the deadline date. Late entries WILL NOT BE accepted.

- There is no exhibitor fee to enter. In lieu of entry fee, on prize money over \$10, 10% of the prize money earned plus HST will be deducted unless otherwise stated.
- 2. **ENTRY FORMS:** Please complete all entry forms for exhibits early. The office will be open Monday to Friday starting Monday September 16, 2024 from 9:00am 4:00pm daily.
- 3. ENTRY SUBMISSION: Entries MUST be submitted online *prior* to Friday Sept. 20th at 4:00pm to receive an entry number. If you need assistance you can contact the office for help via E-mail office @miltonfair.com or phone: 905-878-5689
- ENTRY TAGS: You may pick up your entry tags at the office ahead of time. If not, they will be available Wed. Sept 25<sup>th</sup> until 8:30pm or Thurs Sept 26<sup>th</sup> until 10am.
- 5. EXHIBITS: Bring your exhibits (with attached entry tag) to the Fairgrounds on Wed. Sept 25<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 pm 9:00 pm or Thurs. Sept 26<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am -10:30 am.

Hall 1 Exhibits: Needlecraft (36), Domestic Science (37), Art & Crafts (41)

Grandstand Exhibits: Vegetables (34), Fruits/Misc. Produce (35), Antiques/Collectables (38), Flowers and Plants (39), Photography (42 & 43). Youth Flower (44), Children's (45), Individuals with Special Needs (46), Elementary Youth Vegetables and Fruit (47), Posters (48 & 49)

- 6. JUDGING: The halls will then be closed and judging will commence at 11:00 am.
- PICK UP: Exhibits MUST remain in the halls until closing Sunday, September 29th, 2024. Halls close at 4:30 pm. Pick-up will begin at 5:00 pm and close at 6:00 pm.

- 8. The Halton Agricultural Society is not responsible for exhibits not picked up by 6:00 pm. Halls close promptly at 6:00 pm. You must present your hall pass in order to pick up your entry.
- 9. Prize money for adult classes will be mailed. Children's prize money (Classes 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49) is to be picked up Sunday, September 29th at 5:00 pm upon presentation of stamped exhibitor's pass.
- 10. Exhibits may be disqualified at the judge's discretion. New work will be given priority. The decision of the judge is final and the judge may withhold any award if in their opinion the exhibit is not worthy. All work must be done by the exhibitor.
- 11. Any Organized Group may compete as an individual prize money to go to the Group Treasury.
- 12. Directors are not responsible for loss or damage of exhibits.
- 13. Directors reserve the right to award extra prizes or to split the class if it is unusually large.
- 14. Judges shall have discretionary power to withhold the first or any prize where they deem an article unworthy.
- 15. All articles to remain (untouched by the owner or any person) in the charge of the committee throughout the Fair.
- 16. In case an error occurs in the printing of the Prize List, the Directors have the authority to rectify same.
- Items will be judged in accordance to the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies (OAAS) Agricultural & Horticultural Judging Standards and the Homecraft Judging Standards books.

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NOTE: Children's Rules differ from above REFER TO CHILDREN'S SECTION