

**Bengough
Agricultural
Society**

**HOME FAIR
2024**

Bengough Home Fair General Rules and Regulations

1. Each exhibitor will be charged a fee of \$5.00, plus \$0.25 for each class entered. Junior entries are exempt from this fee. We invite anyone who wishes to join the Bengough Agricultural Society to purchase a yearly membership for \$5.00 (available at the Fair).
2. Junior exhibits must be dropped off at the Bengough Library by Thursday, June 27, 2024. All other exhibits are to be brought to the Drop-In Centre between 4:30 and 5:30 pm on Sunday, June 30, 2024.
3. Only one exhibit per person, per class — unless otherwise stated.
4. Exhibits must be the sole work of the exhibitor, unless otherwise stated.
5. Each entry must have a properly filled out tag attached. Entry tags will be available June 30th, or at the Library prior to this day or may be obtained by calling Donna Morris @ 306-268-4549.
6. Exhibits will be on display at the Bengough Drop-In Centre from 11:00 am to 3:30 pm on July 1, 2024.
7. At 3:30 pm, July 1, 2024, all exhibits can be picked up. If an exhibit is taken out before 3:30 pm, the exhibitor is subject to a fine of forfeiting all prize money won.
8. No article that has won in this Fair before can be entered.
9. Prizes will only be awarded if the judges consider the work of sufficient merit.
10. First prize will not necessarily be awarded because only one entry has been entered in a class.
11. If there are more than seven qualifying entries in a class, the judge may award a 4th prize amount equal to the value of the 3rd prize.
12. All decisions of the judges are final.
13. The Society will, as far as possible, take good care of all exhibits, but will not be responsible for losses or damages of any kind.
14. The Home Fair Co-ordinator has the discretion to change any class designation or number if deemed necessary.
15. All matters not covered by the foregoing rules shall be referred to the Home Fair Co-ordinator — Donna Morris.

Food Section

Rules

1. No pie or cake mixes are to be used in the baking listed below.
2. Baking is to be displayed on a plate, in a plastic bag fastened with a twist tie, or a self-closing bag of sufficient size. The entry tag is to be attached to the plate — if possible.
3. The Society will not provide plastic wrap, tape, twist ties etc.
4. Paper cups may be used for muffins or cupcakes when baking, but must be removed before being entered.
5. For canning entries: Loosen the metal jar ring, but do not break the seal.
Minimum jar size = 6 oz or 177.44 ml. One jar per class.
6. Entries may be disqualified if any of the aforementioned rules are not followed.
7. It is important to double check the number of pieces required for each class.

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

Baking

CLASS

101: Bran Muffins (3)	109: Banana Bread (4" end piece)	117: Puffed Wheat Square (3 inch)
102: Any Other Muffins (3)	110: Matrimonial Cake (3 pieces)	118: Apple Pie (3" wedge)
103: Chocolate Chip Cookies (3)	111: Unbaked Squares (3)	119: Butter Tarts (3)
104: Sugar Cookies (3)	112: Brownies - not iced (3)	120: Baking Powder Biscuits (3)
105: Peanut Butter Cookies (3)	113: Chocolate Fudge (3 pieces)	121: Buns - Any (3)
106: Gingersnap Cookies (3)	114: Chiffon Cake - not iced	122: Cinnamon Buns (3)
107: Oatmeal Cookies (3)	115: Chocolate Cake - iced (3" square)	123: White Bread (1 loaf)
108: Lemon Loaf (4" end)	116: Carrot Cake (4" square)	124: Worst Flop (while baking for Fair)

Baking Scorecard:

- A: General Appearance = 30 points
- B: Internal Appearance = 30 points
- C: Flavour & Aroma = 40 points

Canning

CLASS

200: Fridge Pickles	206: Canned Cherries	212: Salsa
201: Beet Pickles	207: Canned Peaches or Pears	213: Tomato Sauce
202: Bread & Butter Pickles	208: Apple Sauce	214: Homemade Jam
203: Dill Pickles	209: Locally Grown Fruit – Canned	215: Freezer Jam
204: Pickles - not cucumber	210: Sauerkraut	216: Homemade Jelly
205: Cucumber Relish	211: Canned Tomatoes	217: Marmalade

Canning Scorecard:

- A: Appearance = 40 points
- B: Flavour/Texture = 45 points
- C: Container/Seal/Label = 15 points

Kid's Cooking

CLASS

301: Rice Cereal Squares (3)	303: Puffed Wheat Squares (3)
302: Unbaked Cookies (3)	304: Drop Cookies - Baked (3)

Fresh Produce

CLASS

- 400: Rhubarb - Four stalks on a plate, trim leaves into a fan shape (3-4 inches), leave bottom of stalk on.
- 401: Radishes - Four on a plate, trim leaves to 1 inch long, leave roots on.
- 402: Onions - *Four on a plate, skin on, roots trimmed to 1" & stems trimmed to 5-6" (*From sets)
- 403: Lettuce - Four leaves on a plate, or small head of lettuce.

Sewing Section

Rules

1. Please use safety pins to attach entry tags to articles and not to outside bags.
2. Quilts must be hand quilted unless otherwise stated.

Sewing Scoreboard: A: Workmanship = 50 points
 B: Harmony of colours, materials and design = 20 points
 C: Suitability of purpose = 20 points
 D: General appearance and pressing = 10 points

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

CLASS

501: Blouse - Any size	508: Any sewn article using recycled fabric	515: Hand-embroidered quilt (only top judged)
502: Children's wear -- Any	509: Doll outfit - On doll	516: Quilt made by 2 or more people
503: Skirt, Slacks or Shorts - Any size	510: Table Runner - Any size	517: Rag Style or Denim Quilt (tie or machine quilted)
504: Potholders (2)	511: Cushion Cover (sewn)	518: Machine-quilted Quilt
505: Placemats (2)	512: Any other sewn article	519: Cheater Quilt (purchased pattern top)
506: Purse or Totebag (sewn)	513: Pieced cotton quilt	520: Baby Quilt
507: Apron - practical	514: Applique Quilt (only top judged)	521: Any other quilted article

Thread Arts Section

Rules

1. Please use safety pins to attach entry tags to articles

Thread Arts Scorecard:

A: General Appearance, cleanliness & pressing = 30 points

B: Evenness of stitches = 30 points

C: Choice of thread or yarn = 10 points

D: Design = 10 points

E: Joining of thread or wool = 10 points

F: Finish of ends = 10 points

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

CLASS

601: Cushion - knit or crochet	609: Novelty item - knit or crochet	617: Baby Afghan (shawl) knit or crochet
602: Doll outfit - knit or crochet	610: Any article made with fuzzy or fancy yarn	618: Afghan - knitted (min: 40"x50")
603: Baby sweater - knit or crochet	611: Hat/Toque & Scarf (set-knit or crochet)	619: Afghan - crochet (min 40"x50")
604: Doily - crochet cotton	612: Mitts or Socks - knit or crochet	620: Rug - any medium/size
605: Any woven item (table runner, 2 placemats, wall hanging, floor mat etc)	613: Article of clothing - knit or crochet	621: Any knit or crochet item - not listed
606: Dishcloths (3) - knit or crochet	614: Any scarf - knit or crochet	622: Counted cross stitch item
607: Crochet/knit pot-holders/ hot pot mats (2)	615: Kitchen towel (knit or crochet top)	623: Any embroidery item (not liquid)
608: Slippers - knit or crochet	616: Lap warmer/prayer shawl - knit or crochet	624: Needlepoint item

Arts & Crafts Section

Rules

1. All handmade articles are to be the work of the exhibitor.
2. Photos must be taken by the exhibitor.

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

CLASS

801: Assemblage + found object art	812: Jewelry - any medium	823: Clay figurine/item
802: Holiday Centerpiece - any medium	813: Woodwork - any item (not from a kit)	824: Collections - cup & saucer sets (3)
803: Diamond art (from kit)	814: Woodwork - any item (from kit)	825: Any old can - advertising
804: Fridge ornaments (3) - any medium	815: Handmade greeting card	826: Adult colouring page - pencil crayon
805: Waste product craft	816: Resin Art (Kit or Other)	827: Outdoor flower pot
806: Mosaic item	817: Wreath - any medium	828: Cut flowers (petunias)
807: Ceramic item	818: Original painting by exhibitor (includes Squeegee painting)	829: Cut flowers - mixed bouquet (min 3 kinds)
808: Needle Felting	819: Freehand sketch - any medium	830: Houseplant - any flowering
809: Gift basket containing homemade articles (baking, crafts - basket may be purchased)	820: Macrame - any article	831: Houseplant - not flowering
810: Candlemaking (one)	821: Colour photo - landscape (min 5"x7")	832: Outdoor hanging plant
811: Beadwork - any article	822: Colour photo - people or animals (min 5" x7")	833: Cactus/Succulent Pot

Senior's Special Section

Rules

1. All exhibitors must be 75 years or older.

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

CLASS

701: Doily - Cotton - any size	703: Small item - crochet	705: Article of clothing - knit or crochet
702: Small item - knit	704: Embroidery item	706: Any other handmade item

Junior Section

Rules

1. Entry tags are to be attached to each entry.
2. Entries must be left at the library on or before Thursday, June 27, 2024.
3. All exhibits must be tagged with entrant's name, age and the class number.
(Example: John Doe, Age 7, Class 905 - Bookmark)
4. All entries must be the entrant's own work.
5. No entry fees will be charged in this section.
6. Age as of January 1 of 2024.

PRIZES: First = \$3.00

Second = \$2.00

Third = \$1.00

CLASS	CLASS
5 YEARS AND UNDER	6 & 7 YEAR OLDS
901: Finger-painting picture	905: Bookmark - stiff paper (max 5 cm X 16 cm)
902: Hand-drawn picture (any medium)	906: Painted picture
903: Colouring page - wax crayon	907: Hand-drawn picture - coloured
904: Handmade holiday decoration/craft	908: Handmade holiday decoration/craft
	909: Printing - first 4 lines of 'Oh Canada'
CLASS	CLASS
8 & 9 YEAR OLDS	10 - 12 YEAR OLDS
913: Cursive writing - 8 lines of 'Oh Canada'	918: Bookmark - stiff paper (max 5 cm X 16 cm)
914: Poster advertising Bengough	919: Poster promoting Bengough
915: Bookmark - stiff paper (max 5 cm X 16 cm)	920: Bookcover - title, author, illustration
916: Handmade holiday decoration/craft	921: Lead pencil sketch
917: Hand-drawn picture - coloured	922: Handmade holiday decoration/craft
	923: Cursive writing (ink) - 10 lines of 'Oh Canada'