

**DEPARTMENT 86- OPEN YOUTH—FLORICULTURE**

**EXHIBITS IN PLACE:**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 10:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 8:00 A.M. TO 12:00 NOON

**JUDGING:**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17, 2:00 P.M.

**EXHIBITS RELEASED:**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 8:00 P.M. TO 9:00 P.M.

**SUPERINTENDENTS IN CHARGE:**

MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 8:00 A.M. TO NOON  
PHILLIP KENT, MARY EBERT AND ROB TIBBITS

**RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT 86:**

1. Departments 86 through 99 are for exhibitors ages 9 through 17.
2. In specimen bloom and collection classes, it is recommended that exhibits be arranged in narrow-necked throw away bottles that are not taller than half the length of the stem of the specimens exhibited.
3. Artificial flowers, dried flowers, and purchased flowers *may be used only in classes so designated.*
4. Cut floral specimens late in the evening prior to judging. Immediately place specimens in warm water.
5. Prior to judging, "groom" specimens by removing dirt, insects, damaged leaves and damaged petals.
6. More than one entry may be made in a section, with **a maximum of 2 entries per class.** Second entry must be a different type and color.
7. No exhibits are to be entered from previous years.
8. Sweepstakes Awards and Best of Show are made by selection and entries are not to be made in those sections and classes.

**PREMIUMS FOR DEPARTMENT 86:** 1st - \$2.00 2nd - \$1.50 3rd - \$1.00

**SECTION 1 - CUT FLOWERS**

**CLASS**

1. Annual Flower - Large (over 3 1/2" diameter) - One flower with foliage attached.
2. Annual Flower - Small (under 3 1/2" diameter) - Three flowers with foliage attached. Flowers may be of different colors.
3. Perennial Flower - non-spike type including roses - Large, over 3 1/2" diameter. - One flower with foliage attached
4. Perennial Flower - non-spike type including roses - Small Under 3 1/2" diameter - Three flowers with foliage attached. Flowers may be of different colors.
5. Perennial Flower - spike type - best single specimen bloom.
6. Gladiolus - Best single specimen bloom.
7. Dahlia - Large (over 3 1/2" diameter) - One flower with foliage
8. Dahlia - Small (under 3 1/2" diameter) - Three flowers with foliage attached. Flowers may be of different colors.

**SECTION 2 - INDOOR GARDENING**

**CLASS**

1. A potted or indoor flowering plant.
2. A potted or indoor foliage plant.
3. A terrarium
4. Dish Garden
5. Any other indoor plant not listed, please identify.

**SECTION 3 - FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS**

**RULES**

1. Accessories which add to effectiveness may be used.
2. Purchased flowers may be used in theme arrangements (6-12)

**CLASS**

1. Flower arrangements/corsage using home grown flowers.
2. Flower arrangements/corsage using purchased flowers.
3. Flower arrangements/corsage using artificial flowers.
4. Flower arrangements/corsage using dried flowers.
5. Flower arrangements/corsage using artificial and/or dried flowers.

**Theme Arrangements:**

6. Armada Fair—A design promoting the Armada Fair
7. 4th of July—Use red, white and blue—use a flag.
8. Pumpkin Patch—In a pumpkin
9. School Bus—In a paper bag
10. Snow-time in Michigan
11. Sports
12. Vacation Time

**SECTION 4 - OTHER FLORICULTURE**

**Learning Objective - Educational Project promoting planning, proper cultivation and earthen fortification.**

**CLASS**

1. Dried plaques
2. Educational exhibit - A display or exhibit presenting information on some phase of floriculture. A notebook or workbook, if exhibited must be a part of a total exhibit, including other item or items.
3. Landscape - Home (backyard) - Before and after pictures of work completed or other educational exhibit such as sketch or scale model.
4. Landscape - Public (i.e., school ground, church, etc.) Before and after pictures of a completed or other educational exhibit such as sketch or scale model.
5. Landscape - Group Project - Before and after pictures of work completed or other educational exhibit such as sketch or scale model.

**DO NOT ENTER IN THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS**

**SECTION 5 - BEST OF SHOW**

\$5.00 & Rosette

**CLASS:**

1. Cut Flowers
2. Indoor Gardening
3. Flower Arrangements
4. Other Floriculture

**SECTION 6 - BEST OVERALL EXHIBIT**

**BARNS 1 & 2**

**\$15.00 & Plaque**

**CLASS:**

1. Best Overall Exhibit

