

# 2025 Garrard County Fair

## FCS Open Class

### General Rules

1. Entries are open to ANY Garrard County resident, regardless of age.
2. Professional work is NOT eligible for entry. One who derives the major part of his or her income from the type of work being exhibited is considered a professional.
3. An exhibitor is limited to one entry in each class.
4. All entries must be made by the exhibitor.
5. No article exhibited in this department may be exhibited with "For Sale" tag. The Department reserves the right to remove such tags if discovered after entry.
6. Exhibits must be entered in classes as designated in class description. Only, where no separate class exists may entries be made in the "Any Other" class.
7. **Family & Consumer Science Exhibits can be brought to the Garrard County Extension Office on Monday, July 7th from 5pm-7pm and Tuesday, July 8th from 9:00am-12:00pm.**
8. Exhibitors will have the choice to keep delicate items at the Garrard County Extension Office for the duration of fair week. Other items will be transported to the Fair Exhibit Hall by Extension Staff where it will remain on display for the week.  
  
**Pick –up exhibits and premium money Monday, July 14th from 2pm-4pm from the Garrard County Extension Office.**
9. Superintendents, committee members, and judges will only be allowed in exhibit area during judging. Exhibitors are not allowed in Exhibit Area while judging.
10. The decision of the judges will be final. Any errors discovered in the recording of awards or placement of ribbons will be corrected by judges and/or superintendent.
11. Exhibitors must bring claim ticket (to be checked) before articles are removed. Attached firmly to each article will be a tag bearing the identifying number of the exhibitor and their name on the back of the tag.
12. Please bring your textile goods in clear plastic bags for their protection.
13. Any entry exhibited in previous fairs cannot be exhibited in this year's fair.
14. **Three premiums will be offered for each class as follows: Blue-\$5.00; Red- \$3.00; White- \$1.00.**
15. **Grand Champions will be chosen in each LOT and will receive grand champion ribbon plus \$10.00 award money.**
16. **Sweepstakes winners are also chosen in each LOT and are based on number of entries and type of ribbon won by exhibitor. Blue – 3 points; Red – 2 points; White – 1 point. Winner receives \$8.00.**
17. Every effort will be made by the Garrard County Fair Board to protect all exhibits from casualties. However, the Board will not be responsible for any loss that results from breaking, damage by handling, damage by water or dirt, loss by theft and/or casualties.



# Family & Consumer Science Open Division -2025

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## **LOT 1- NEEDLECRAFTS**

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

### **QUILTING**

FCS 1 Pieced Cotton Quilt

FCS 2 Appliqué Quilt

FCS 3 Embroidered Quilt (cross stitch, candlewick, etc.)

FCS 4 Any Other Quilt Not Listed

FCS 5 Pieced pillow, wall hanging or other

FCS 6 Appliqué Pillow, Wall hanging or other

FCS 7 Antique quilt (any quilt 20 years or older)

FCS 8 Quilted Baby Quilt

FCS 9 Quilted Garment

FCS 10 Any pieced Top, not quilted (20 years or older)

FCS 11 Any pieced Top, not quilted (since 1993)

### **EMBROIDERY**

FCS 12 Any needlepoint item (stool, pillow, etc.)

FCS 13 Counted Cross Stitch Picture (must be framed)

FCS 14 Counted Cross Stitch on 22 count Aida cloth or  
linen

FCS 15 Any other cross-stitch

FCS 16 Hand embroidered item (including candle wicking,  
chicken scratch, crewel)

FCS 17 Machine embroidery

FCS 18 Silk Ribbon Embroidery

FCS 19 Any Smocked item

FCS 20 Any tatted holiday ornament

FCS 21 Any Small Tatted piece (all tatting)

FCS 22 Any Tatting combined with fabric

FCS 23 Any garment embellished with embroidery

FCS 24 Any other needle craft item not listed

### **Knitting**

FCS 25 Any hand knitted large item (afghan or sweater)

FCS 26 Any hand knitted small item (Dishcloth, baby  
items, scarves or hats)

### **Crochet**

FCS 27 Crocheted Rug

FCS 28 Any large crocheted item made with cotton yarn or  
thread

FCS 29 Any large crocheted item from other than cotton yarn

FCS 30 Any small crocheted item made from cotton yarn or  
thread

FCS 31 Any small crocheted item from other than cotton yarn

FCS 32 Any item made from specialty crochet techniques (loop  
stitch, broomstick lace, Irish crochet, novelty crochet,  
etc.)

## **LOT 2 – CLOTHING**

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

FCS 33 Any sewn women's garment

FCS 34 Any sewn men's garment

FCS 35 Any sewn child's garment

FCS 36 Any sewn costume

FCS 37 Any sewn apron

FCS 38 Any sewn fabric purse

FCS 39 Any sewn clothing accessory

FCS 40 Any sewn formal or dressy dress-any age

FCS 41 Any sewn doll clothes

## LOT 3 - ARTS AND CRAFTS

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

FCS 42 Christmas Ornaments (collection of 3)  
FCS 43 Christmas Wreath  
FCS 44 Christmas Table Decoration or Centerpiece  
(no live flowers)  
FCS 45 Seasonal Door Decoration or Wreath  
FCS 46 Seasonal Table Decoration or Centerpiece  
(other than Christmas)  
FCS 47 Any Tolle Painted Item (oil)  
FCS 48 Any Folk Art Painted Item (acrylic)  
FCS 49 Any Painted Gourd  
FCS 50 Painted Fabric Item  
FCS 51 Any Latch Hook Item  
FCS 52 Braided Rug  
FCS 53 Hooked Rug  
FCS 54 Any Ceramic Item (fired product only)  
FCS 55 Soft Sculptured Doll  
FCS 56 Any Other Handmade Doll  
FCS 57 Any stuffed animal  
FCS 58 Covered photo album  
FCS 59 Basketry  
FCS 60 Finished New Wood Item  
FCS 61 Miniature Room Box (single complete room)  
FCS 62 Miniature Single Furniture Piece (Kentucky  
theme)  
FCS 63 Miniature Jr. Room Box (any single complete  
room (18 or younger)  
FCS 64 Miniature Jr. Single Furniture Piece (18 or  
younger)  
FCS 65 Decorated Sweatshirt  
FCS 66 Any Item With Seat of Hong Kong Grass  
FCS 67 Any Item With Seat of Shaker Tape  
FCS 68 Any Item With Seat of Cane  
FCS 69 Any Hemp Jewelry  
FCS 70 Any Beaded Jewelry  
FCS 71 Jewelry created from paper  
FCS 72 Any Other Jewelry

FCS 73 Any 3 handmade cards  
FCS 74 Any woven stool seat  
FCS 75 Any Handmade Arts & Crafts Item Not listed  
(no needlework)

### Scrapbooking

FCS 76 Human Theme  
FCS 77 Animal Theme  
FCS 78 Special Interest Theme  
FCS 79 Scenic Theme  
FCS 80 Special Location Theme  
FCS 81 Family Theme  
FCS 82 Miscellaneous Theme

## LOT 4 - CULINARY

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

- 1. No prepared mixes or purchased entries allowed  
(unless specified in the class requirement)**
- 2. All food must be brought in and displayed on sturdy  
paper plates in plastic bags.**
- 3. All entrants should provide recipe for items entered  
or be willing to provide recipe on request.**
- 4. No commercially prepared entries.**

### Cakes

FCS 83 ¼ iced carrot cake  
FCS 84 ¼ iced jam cake  
FCS 85 ¼ un-iced angel food cake  
FCS 86 ¼ un-iced pound cake  
FCS 87 ¼ favorite cake, made with mix or your  
special ingredients  
FCS 88 ¼ German Chocolate Cake  
FCS 89 Decorated cake, made by amateur  
(decorations only judged)  
FCS 90 Decorated cake, made by professional  
(decorations only judged)

### **Pies**

- FCS 91 ¼ fruit pie (apple, peach, cherry)
- FCS 92 ¼ berry pie (blackberry, raspberry, strawberry)
- FCS 93 ¼ coconut pie
- FCS 94 ¼ pecan pie
- FCS 95 ¼ chocolate pie

### **Cookies (plate of 6)**

- FCS 96 Chocolate chip cookies
- FCS 97 Oatmeal cookies
- FCS 98 Sugar cookies
- FCS 99 Peanut butter cookies
- FCS 100 Brownies, chocolate with or without nuts
- FCS 101 Any bar cookie
- FCS 102 Any other cookie, not listed

### **Breads**

- FCS 103 ½ loaf white yeast bread
- FCS 104 ½ loaf whole wheat yeast bread
- FCS 105 yeast rolls, plate of 6
- FCS 106 Any other yeast bread product not listed (cinnamon rolls, coffee cakes, sour dough, etc.)
- FCS 107 ½ loaf banana bread
- FCS 108 ½ loaf of zucchini bread
- FCS 109 Biscuits - plate of 6
- FCS 110 Muffins - plate of 6
- FCS 111 Corn meal muffins or sticks - plate of 6  
or ½ pan of corn bread
- FCS 112 ½ loaf or plate of 6 other quick bread, not listed

### **Candy (plate of 6)**

- FCS 113 Chocolate fudge
- FCS 114 Peanut butter fudge
- FCS 115 Caramels
- FCS 116 Bourbon Balls
- FCS 117 Divinity
- FCS 118 Cream Candy
- FCS 119 Molded and/or Decorated Candy
- FCS 120 Any other candy, not listed

## **LOT 5 - FOOD PRESERVATION**

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

1. All foods must be in clear standard canning jars (unless specified otherwise). No colored jars will be accepted.
2. All foods must be closed with standard 2-piece metal lids (unless specified otherwise). Lids must not be rusted.
3. All foods must be preserved using the latest USDA and/or University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension recommended procedures. (Free food preservation information is available at the Garrard County Extension Office).
4. All foods must be processed.
5. All jars must remain sealed.
6. Entries not meeting the above requirements will be disqualified.
7. Normally, foods will not be opened. Judges, however, do reserve the right to open products if necessary.
8. Entries should be preserved in current year or previous year.

### **Canned Fruits**

**These must be processed in water bath canner.**

- FCS 121 Jar apples
- FCS 122 Jar applesauce
- FCS 123 Jar peaches
- FCS 124 Jar Pears
- FCS 125 Jar Berries (any type)
- FCS 126 Jar any fruit, not listed
- FCS 127 Jar, any fruit juice or fruit puree,  
(Except tomatoes)

## **Canned Vegetables**

**These must be processed in steam pressure canner.**

- FCS 128 Jar, lima beans
- FCS 129 Jar, snap beans
- FCS 130 Jar beets (not pickled)
- FCS 131 Jar carrots
- FCS 132 Jar corn (cream style corn in pint jars only)
- FCS 133 Jar any vegetable (not listed)
- FCS 134 Jar soup mixture

## **Canned Tomatoes, etc.**

**These must have additional acid added to jars (bottled lemon juice or tomato canning tablets). These must be processed in water bath canner.**

- FCS 135 Jar whole tomatoes
- FCS 136 Jar tomato juice
- FCS 137 Jar tomato salsa

## **Canned Collections**

- FCS 138 Best collection of Canned Fruits – to consist of 3 different fruits. These should be attractively displayed, using uniform jars and lids.
- FCS 139 Best collection of canned vegetable (may include tomatoes) – to consist of 3 different vegetables. These should be attractively displayed, using uniform jars and lids.

## **Pickles and Relishes**

**These must be processed in hot water bath canner.**

- FCS 140 Jar Sweet Cucumber Pickles
- FCS 141 Jar Dill Cucumber Pickles
- FCS 142 Jar Bread and Butter Pickles
- FCS 143 Jar Beet Pickles
- FCS 144 Jar Watermelon Pickles
- FCS 145 Jar Sauerkraut (Must be processed)
- FCS 146 Jar Sweet Relish
- FCS 147 Jar Chow Chow
- FCS 148 Jar Zucchini Pickles
- FCS 149 Any Other Relish not listed
- FCS 150 Any other Dill Pickle, not listed
- FCS 151 Any other Sweet Pickle, not listed

## **Pickled Collections**

FCS 152 Best collection of Pickle Products – to consist of 3 different pickle recipes. These should be attractively displayed, using uniform jars and lids.

## **Jellies, Jams and Other Fruit Spreads**

Jellies, Jams and other Fruit Spreads – These should be canned in jars or regulation jelly glasses only. All products with the exception of jelly must be processed and sealed.

## **Jellies**

Usually made by cooking fruit juice and sugar. Characteristics of a Good Jelly: Color natural for fruit; bright flavor natural for fruit; clear translucent depending on the fruit; free from cloudiness; crystals, fruit particles; bubble consistency which holds shape when removed from jar; quivers when shaken; cut edges hold shape.

- FCS 153 Jar Apple Jelly
- FCS 154 Jar Grape Jelly
- FCS 155 Jar Plum Jelly
- FCS 156 Jar any other jelly, not listed

## **Jams**

Thick, sweet spreads made by cooking crushed or chopped fruits with sugar. Characteristics of a Good Jam: Color natural for fruit; consistency which is spreadable, neither too runny nor too thick; fruit evenly distributed, flavor characteristic of fruit; desired sweetness and/or tartness.

- FCS 157 Jar strawberry jam
- FCS 158 Jar grape jam
- FCS 159 Jar berry jam
- FCS 160 Jar any other jam not listed

## **Preserves**

Small whole fruit or uniform – size pieces in a clear, slightly jellied syrup. The fruit should be tender and plump.

FCS 161 Jar Apple preserves

FCS 162 Jar Cherry preserves

FCS 163 Jar Peach preserves

FCS 164 Jar Plum preserves

FCS 165 Jar pear preserves

FCS 166 Jar strawberry preserves

FCS 167 Jar Raspberry preserves

FCS 168 Jar Blackberry preserves

FCS 169 Jar any preserve, not listed

## **Marmalades**

Soft fruit jellies containing small pieces of fruit or peel evenly suspended in a transparent jelly. They often contain citrus fruits.

FCS 170 Jar any Marmalade

## **Butters**

Sweet spreads made by cooking fruit's pulp with sugar to a thick consistency.

FCS 171 Jar apple butter

FCS 172 Jar any butter not listed

## **Jellies, Jams and Fruit Spread Collections**

FCS 173 Best collection of jellies, jams or other fruit spreads to consist of 3 different types. These should be attractively displayed.

## **DRIED FOODS**

All dried foods must be in airtight container that can be opened for judging

FCS 174 Dried apples, 1 jar

FCS 175 Dried beans, 1 jar

FCS 176 Any other dried fruit, 1 jar

## **LOT 6 - ART**

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

FCS 177 Water Color (properly framed)

FCS 178 Acrylic painting (properly framed)

FCS 179 Colored Pencil (mounted or framed)

FCS 180 Pastels (properly framed)

FCS 181 Charcoal or etching (properly framed)

FCS 182 Oil painting (properly framed)

## **LOT 7 – PHOTOGRAPHY**

All pictures must be 5" x 7" or larger and framed (no poster board)

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

FCS 183 Black and White Portraits

FCS 184 Black and White Human Interest

FCS 185 Black and White Scenic

FCS 186 Black and White Floral

FCS 187 Black and White Animals

FCS 188 Black and White Children (including babies)

FCS 189 Black and White Unclassified (abstract, trick, still-life, digital imagery)

FCS 190 Color Portraits

FCS 191 Color Human Interests

FCS 192 Color Scenic

FCS 193 Color Floral

FCS 194 Color Animals

FCS 195 Color Children (including babies)

FCS 196 Color Unclassified (abstract, trick, still- life, digital imagery)

## LOT 8 -FLOWER EXHIBITS

All flowers must be live and grown by exhibitor.

### SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00

### Grand Champion - \$10.00

#### Flower Arranging

- FCS 197 "Picnic Time" - Summer flowers in a basket that could be carried on a picnic
- FCS 198 "Horse' n Around" – Arrangement featuring Kentucky & Horses
- FCS 199 "Sunny Days" – Marigolds in a yellow or brass container foliage permitted
- FCS 200 "Moonlight Madness" – All white flowers, foliage permitted, arranged any suitable container
- FCS 201 "Kids Delight" – Summer flower Arrangement by youth (under 18)
- FCS 202 "On, On UK" – Arrangement featuring white and/or blue flowers with UK accessories in suitable container
- FCS 203 "Country Fair Fun" – arrangement depicting county fair theme
- FCS 204 "Tea Time" – arrangement of roses, any container depicting "tea time"
- FCS 205 "Americana Life" – arrangement featuring red, white and blue flowers and accessories

#### Single Flower

##### Single Flower Division Rules:

1. Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class, and the exhibit must have been grown by exhibitor
2. Bring exhibit in a clear glass bottle with water to insure uniformity of show.
3. A specimen is a single stalk or flower with a natural foliage attached.

#### A. Annuals

- FCS 206 Baby's Breath
- FCS 207 Bachelor Button, cornflower
- FCS 208 Coleus (highly colored)
- FCS 209 Lantana
- FCS 210 Larkspur

- FCS 211 Marigold, large or small
- FCS 212 Petunia, double
- FCS 213 Petunia, single
- FCS 214 Snapdragons
- FCS 215 Sunflower
- FCS 216 Sweet Pea
- FCS 217 Zinnia, mixture or large
- FCS 218 Any other annual not listed

#### B. Perennials

- FCS 219 Astilbe
- FCS 220 Chrysanthemums (mum), any color
- FCS 221 Cone Flower
- FCS 222 Coral Bells
- FCS 223 Hydrangea
- FCS 224 Liatris
- FCS 225 Phlox
- FCS 226 Sedum
- FCS 227 Shasta daisy
- FCS 228 Any other perennial not listed

#### C. Lilies

- FCS 229 Daylily, double any color
- FCS 230 Daylily, orange or melon
- FCS 231 Daylily, pink
- FCS 232 Daylily, purple
- FCS 233 Daylily, red
- FCS 234 Daylily, yellow
- FCS 235 Daylily, 2 different colors
- FCS 236 Hybrid Lily, orange
- FCS 237 Hybrid Lily, pink
- FCS 238 Hybrid Lily, purple
- FCS 239 Hybrid Lily, red
- FCS 240 Hybrid Lily, white
- FCS 241 Hybrid Lily, yellow (bulb type)

#### **D. Gladiolus – (Specimen)**

- FCS 242 Gladiolus, pink
- FCS 243 Gladiolus, red
- FCS 244 Gladiolus, white
- FCS 245 Gladiolus, yellow
- FCS 246 Gladiolus, any color

#### **E. Roses – (Specimen)**

- FCS 247 Hybrid Tea, pink
- FCS 248 Hybrid Tea, red
- FCS 249 Hybrid Tea, white or near white
- FCS 250 Hybrid Tea, yellow
- FCS 251 Miniature (single or spray)
- FCS 252 Climbing or Rambler
- FCS 253 Any other rose not listed

#### **F. Other Flowers/Horticulture**

- FCS 254 Bonsai
- FCS 255 Buddleia, Butterfly bush
- FCS 256 Celosia
- FCS 257 Dahlia
- FCS 258 Fairy Gardens
- FCS 259 Flowering Shrubs
- FCS 260 Flowering potted plants
- FCS 261 Non-flowering potted plants
- FCS 262 Grasses-ornamental
- FCS 263 Hosta-foliage only
- FCS 264 Terrarium plants
- FCS 265 Wildflower
- FCS 266 Orchids
- FCS 267 Miscellaneous

### **LOT 9– UPCYCLING**

**SWEEPSTAKES - \$8.00**

**Grand Champion - \$10.00**

“Upcycling” meaning the item created is from recycling, reducing, reusing or repurposing. Before and after photos are not required but may strengthen an entry’s impact for this category.

FCS 268 Hooked Rug or item made from recycled wool

FCS 269 Any clothing accessory created from recycling, reusing or repurposing. (Sewn item)

FCS 270 Any clothing accessory created from recycling, reusing or repurposing (Non Sewn item)

FCS 271 Any practical household item created from recycling, reusing or repurposing

FCS 272 Any decoupage item

FCS 273 Any article of clothing created from recycling or reusing (Description needed)

FCS 274 Wreath or wall hanging made from natural materials from nature

FCS 275 Any Piece of Refinished Furniture

FCS 276 Jewelry made from recycled items (must have documentation)

FCS 277 Yard Art created from recycled item/s  
(must be able to display)

FCS 278 Clothing article created by youth (18 or younger) from recycling, reusing or repurposing

FCS 279 Any Item created from Pop Can Tabs

FCS 280 Any Item created from recycling glass

FCS 281 Miscellaneous item created from recycling, reusing or repurposing

