

HORTAG—

3 sections available for Hortag entry

Festag is just around the corner, so it's time to start thinking of the plant—floral, vegetable, and fruit—specimens that all would like to enter in the Hortag show. Lots of participation will help to make the Hortag show a great event. The Hortag show will again be located at the American Legion Hall in Minnesota Lake.

Entries will be accepted from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 15, and from 7:45 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. on Wednesday, July 16.

Exhibitors are to furnish their own containers for floral entries and paper plates for vegetables and fruits. Volunteers will use reasonable care to prevent damage.

Public showing will be on Wednesday, July 13, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Entrants may pick up their items immediately after the parade on Wednesday evening or on Thursday, July 17, from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Below are sections and divisions:

Section 1—Floral horticulture

Division 1: Formal table arrangements

Division 2: Baskets

Division 3: Bouquet arrangements in vases/containers

Division 4: Specimen

A. Annuals—three stems or blooms. Examples: marigolds, zinnias

B. Perennials

C. Bulb flowers. Example: gladiolas, dahlias

Division 5: Potted plants

A. Outdoor plants—Planters

B. House plants

Division 6: Wildflowers

Division 7: Novelties—Theme entries

Section 2—Garden horticulture

Division 8: Fruits A. Three specimens of one thing

B. 10 to 15 berries

C. Tray of mixed fruits

Division 9: Vegetables

A. Three specimens of one thing. Example: beets, carrots, tomatoes

B. Six specimens of one thing. Example: beans, peas, cherry tomato

C. Tray of vegetables

Division 10: Herbs

A. Three specimens of a bunch

B. Tray of herbs

Section 3—Field agriculture

Division 11: Crop – not older than previous year's crop

A. Shelled seeds—one cup in container

B. Three ears of corn

C. Grain in a stock—one inch in diameter

Division 12: New Crop

A. Tallest stalk of corn

B. Ugliest weed