GERMANTOWN FAIR FLORAL EXHIBIT HALL 2026
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This will be the 172nd year for the Old Reliable Germantown Fair, will be here before you know it.. We welcome you and your exhibits to the new look in the exhibit hall. We will be accepting entries on Tuesday, August 4th, 2026 from 8:00 am till 2:45 pm. Pre-entries will be accepted by stopping by the exhibit hall to get your tags on *SUNDAY, AUGUST 2nd from 2:00 pm till 5:00 pm.* You may enter items if you live in any Kentucky county. THIS YEAR WE ARE PUTTING HUGE EMPHASIS ON HAND MADE, HOME GROWN & CULINARY. WE WILL BE ROTATING THE ANTIQUES CATEGORIES FROM YEAR TO YEAR. **Blue ribbon cakes, pies and favorite dessert will be auctioned during an intermission on Wednesday, August 5th in the Pavilion next to the Exhibit Hall. Exhibitor will receive the auction amount rather than the premium stated in this document. There will be other items for sale in the exhibit hall.**

There are no specific entry fees; however, we are asking that you bring an item for the Blessing Boxes, food pantries or for the Back-Pack Programs at the schools. Personal hygiene items such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, or deodorant will work for the Blessing Boxes. Non-perishable food items which have not reached their expiration date are needed for the Back-Pack Programs and food pantries. These can range from cereal bars, raisins, potted meats to beef jerky; anything which is canned, boxed or bagged and requires little to no preparation.

You may enter only one item per class. All items exhibited must be made or grown by the exhibitor, except in the Antiques category. Garden and other soil grown items will be judged on uniformity and quality rather than size, unless specified otherwise, such as largest in some classes. In all classes, items submitted shall not have any reference to the exhibitor. This includes the exhibitor's name, logo, unique shape or color. Any items so identified will be disqualified. Exhibitors must leave the Exhibit Hall during judging. The decision of the judge is final. All exhibits will receive the best of care. **The fair company is not responsible for theft, fire, or breakage of items.** Each entry will be given a ticket with your exhibitor number, not your name. Bring your entry tags to claim items when picking up. **Premium monies will be available at the time of pick-up on Saturday, August 8th, 2026, from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 pm. The fair board will not be responsible for any exhibits left after that time.**

2026 FLORAL EXHIBIT HALL HOURS
Tuesday, August 4th, 2026
Accepting entries from 8:00 a.m. to 2:45 pm.
Closed from 3:00 P.M. until approximately 6:00 PM when it will re-open.
Wednesday, August 5th, Thursday, August 6th and Friday, August 7th, 2026
Open 5:00 p.m. till 10:30 pm.
Saturday, August 8th, 2026 **Pick up items from 10:00 am till 1:00 pm.
BEST Of SHOW will be awarded in: Arts & Crafts, Culinary, Canning, Flowers & Plants, Handiwork, Antiques and Farm & Garden Produce.

ART

PREMIUMS: 1st-$5.00, 2nd - $4.00, 3rd - $3.00
Items MUST have a hanger or be framed.

ART 1 Watercolor
ART 2 Acrylic Painting (Abstract)
ART 3 Acrylic Painting (Real Life)
ART 4 Pens/Markers
ART 5 Oil Paintings
ART 6 Pencil
ART 7 Folk Art
ART 8 Mixed Media
ART 9 Folk Art
ART 8 Mixed Media
ART 9 Cartooning
ART 10 Chalk Art
ART 11 Paint by Numbers
ART 12 Stenciled Painting
ART 13 Diamond Painting
ART 14 Scratch Board Art
ART 15 Illustrated Comic Panel

PHOTOGRAPHY

PREMIUMS: 1st-$5.00, 2nd - $4.00, 3rd - $3.00

One photo per class. Photos can be framed or mounted on cardboard. No photos over 8 x 10. Photo must have been taken within the last 12 months.

BLACK AND WHITE			COLOR		
APH	1	Historical/Cultural	APH	7	Historical/Cultural
APH	2	Still Life	APH	8	Still Life
APH	3	Portrait	APH	9	Portrait
APH	4	Wildlife	APH	10	Wildlife
APH	5	Farm Animals	APH	11	Farm Animals
APH	6	Landscape	APH	12	Landscape

CRAFTS

MUST BE HOMEMADE

Premiums: 1st-$5.00, 2nd -$4.00, 3rd - $3.00

CRA	1	Hair Bows/Bands			
CRA	2	Beaded Jewelry			
CRA	3	Burlap Craft			
CRA	4	Macrame' Item (wall hanging, purse, hanging planter)			
CRA	5	Mixed Media Item	CRA	20	Wood Carving
CRA	6	Decoupage'	CRA	21	Wooden Toy
CRA	7	Ceramics	CRA	22	Functional Wood Household Item
CRA	8	Mason Jar Craft	CRA	23	Tobacco Stick Craft
CRA	9	Stained Glass Item	CRA	24	Yard Art
CRA	10	Sculpture	CRA	25	Metal Craft
CRA	11	Scrapbooking (2 page)	CRA	26	Metal Jewelry
CRA	12	Upcycling (Small)	CRA	27	Felting
CRA	13	Upcycling (Large)	CRA	28	Paper Quilling
CRA	14	Painted Hanging	CRA	29	Rubber Band Art
CRA	15	Season/Occasion Wreath	CRA	30	Organic Jewelry
CRA	16	Christmas Tree Skirt/Table Runner	CRA	31	Handmade Basket
CRA	17	Christmas Stocking	CRA	32	Resin Art (small item)
CRA	18	Christmas Decoration (Small)	CRA	33	Mosaic Art (small item)
CRA	19	Christmas Decoration (Large)	CRA	34	3D Printed Creation

DOLLS (DOLL STANDS ARE REQUIRED FOR JUDGING)

PREMIUM: 1st-$5.00, 2nd - $4.00, 3rd - $3.00

DOLL	1	Bride Doll	DOLL	8	Indian Doll
DOLL	2	Stuffed Doll, China Head, Homemade Clothes	DOLL	9	Homemade Doll Clothes
DOLL	3	Stuffed Doll, Bisque Head, Homemade Clothes	DOLL	10	Crocheted Doll
DOLL	4	Barbie Doll, Homemade Clothes	DOLL	11	Stuffed Doll, Homemade Clothes
DOLL	5	Character Doll	DOLL	12	Stuffed Animal, Homemade
			DOLL	13	Sock Doll/Animal

CULINARY

ALL ENTRIES WILL BE TASTED BY THE JUDGES

Cakes must be supported by heavy cardboard that is at least ½ inch wider than the cake base and be wrapped in clear plastic wrap or in an appropriate non-returnable container. Exhibitors wishing to sell culinary items may ask the clerk in charge to post your asking price for the item. All monies go to the exhibitor. Culinary items will be available for purchase on Tuesday, August 4th, by 7:30 pm. **Blue ribbon cakes and pies will be sold on Wednesday, August 5th at approximately 8:15 pm in the Pavilion.**

CAKES

Premium: 1st-$20.00, 2nd-$15.00, 3rd-$10.00

C 1 Angel Food (Not Iced)
C 2 Jam (Carmel Icing)
C 3 Chocolate (Chocolate Icing)
C 4 White (Coconut Icing)
C 5 Carrot (Cream Cheese Icing)
C 6 Red Velvet (Iced)
C 7 German Chocolate
C 8 Hummingbird (Iced)
C 9 Italian Cream (Iced)
C 10 Any Other Layer Cake with Icing

OTHER CAKES

Premiums: 1st-$10.00, 2nd-$8.00, 3rd-$6.00

C 11 Bundt
C 12 Oatmeal
C 13 Pineapple Upside Down
C 14 Pound (No Icing)
C 15 Cupcakes (3 Iced)

BREAD

PREMIUM: 1st-$8.00 2nd- $6.00, 3rd- $4.00

C 16 White Yeast Bread/Rolls
C 17 Sourdough Bread/Rolls
C 18 Coffee Cake
C 19 Fruit Muffins (3)
C 20 Corn Bread/Muffins/Sticks
C 21 Loaf of Banana Bread
C 22 Loaf of Zucchini Bread
C 23 Any Other Bread

COOKIES & CANDY

Premium: 1st-$6.00, 2nd-$4.00, 3rd-$2.00

C 24 Brownies
C 25 Chocolate Chip
C 26 Peanut Butter
C 27 Sugar (Plain)
C 28 Oatmeal
C 29 Bar
C 30 Any Other Cookie
C 31 Tray of Assorted Cookies (2 Cookies of 4 or more kinds
C 32 Any Candy

PIES

Premium: 1st- $10.00, 2nd-$8.00, 3rd-$6.00

C 33 Transparent Puddings (4)
C 34 Pecan
C 35 Fruit
C 36 Cream
C 37 Specialty
C 38 Favorite Dessert – Can be anything as long as it is delicious!

CANNING DEPARTMENT

PREMIUM: 1st-$4.00, 2nd-$3.00 and 3rd-$2.00

Half Pints, Pints and Quarts Only

VEGETABLES

CAN 1 Tomatoes (whole)
CAN 2 Tomato Juice
CAN 3 Tomatoes (diced)
CAN 4 Corn (Off Cob)
CAN 5 Beets
CAN 6 Green Beans
CAN 7 Carrots
CAN 8 Potatoes
CAN 9 Any Other Vegetable
CAN 10 Banana Peppers
CAN 11 Jalapeño Peppers

FRUIT

CAN 12 Apples
CAN 13 Applesauce
CAN 14 Blackberries

PRESERVES

CAN 22 Peach
CAN 23 Any Other Preserves

JAM

CAN 24 Blackberry
CAN 25 Peach
CAN 26 Strawberry
CAN 27 Apple Butter

PICKLES

CAN 28 Sweet Pickles
CAN 29 Bread & Butter
CAN 30 Dill Pickles
CAN 31 Pickle Relish
CAN 32 Any Other Pickled Veggie

MISCELLANEOUS

CAN 33 Corn Relish
CAN 34 Pepper Relish

CAN 15 Peaches
CAN 16 Any Other Fruit
CAN 17 Mixed Fruit

JELLY

CAN 18 Apple
CAN 19 Grape
CAN 20 Blackberry
CAN 21 Any Other Jelly
CAN 35 Spaghetti Sauce
CAN 36 Salsa
CAN 37 Pizza Sauce
CAN 38 Chili
CAN 38 Pie Filling

FLOWERS AND PLANTS

1. Flowers must be home grown; no commercial flowers are allowed.
2. No wildflowers are permitted unless specified.
3. Cut flowers must be displayed in a plain, clear glass container furnished by the exhibitor.
4. All potted plants must be grown by the exhibitor.
5. Exhibitors are permitted only one entry in each class.
6. Entries must be in the correct class.
7. Judges shall withhold premiums when entries are deemed unworthy of awards.
8. The staging committee will exercise caution but cannot be responsible for injury or loss of plant materials or containers.

SPECIAL CLASSES

1. All entries in this class must feature flowers and/or foliage unless otherwise stated.
2. Artistic arrangements must be in some type of preservative; flowers must be of a type that will stay fresh for several days.
3. Painted materials are allowed in these classes.
4. Accessories and vases may be used in all artistic design classes.

ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

PREMIUM: 1st-$7.00, 2nd -$6.00 and 3rd - $5.00

F 1 Ice Age: Predominantly white, wildflowers permitted
F 2 The Reapers: Using fruits and/or vegetables as part of the design.
F 3 Birthday Celebration: What you would like delivered to you.
F 4 Naturally: Wildflowers and foliage in rustic container.
F 5 This Land Is Our Land: A patriotic arrangement.
F 6 Companies Coming: Formal dining table arrangement.
F 7 Terrarium: All live plants
F 8 Fairy Garden: May include live &/or artificial plants

CUT FLOWERS

PREMIUM: 1st-$4.00, 2nd -$3.00 and 3rd-$2.00

F 9 Large Marigold
F 10 Miniature Marigold
F 11 Large Zinnias
F 12 Miniature Zinnias
F 13 Coneflower
F 14 Miniature Dahlia
F 15 Light Colored Rose
F 16 Dark Colored Rose
F 17 Miniature Rose Spray
F 18 Rose of Sharon
F 19 Verbenas
F 20 Hydrangea
F 21 Magic Lily
F 22 Black Eyed Susan
F 23 Dianthus
F 24 Day Lily
F 25 Cannas
F 26 Light Colored Sunflower
F 27 Dark Colored Sunflower
F 28 Largest Sunflower
F 29 Largest Cockscomb
F 30 Snapdragons
F 31 Gladiolus
F 32 Verbena

POTTED FLOWERS

PREMIUM: 1st $4.00. 2nd $3.00 and 3rd $2.00

F	33	Fern
F	34	Impatience
F	35	Spider Plant
F	36	Begonia
F	37	Geranium
F	38	Hibiscus
F	39	Petunia
F	40	Dragon Wings
F	41	Foliage Planter
F	42	Herb Plant/Garden
F	43	Mixed Floral Planter
F	44	Flowering Hanging Basket
F	45	Gerber Daisy
F	46	Venus Fly Trap
F	47	Verbena
F	48	Coleus
F	49	Cockscomb

HANDIWORK (Must be homemade)

No articles will be judged if they are soiled, unfinished, store bought or have been entered in the wrong class. The judge does not have to give a premium if they think it is unworthy, even if it is the only one in the class.

PREMIUM: 1st-$5.00, 2nd- $4.00 and 3rd-$3.00

H	1	Decorated Clothing
H	2	Tie-Dyed Tee Shirt
H	3	Mini Quilt Block
H	4	Crocheted Baby Blanket
H	5	Crocheted Afghan
H	6	Crocheted Amigurumi Animals
H	7	Crocheted Household Item
H	8	Crocheted Holiday Item
H	9	Crocheted Clothing/Accessory
H	10	Cross Stitched Item
H	11	Counted Cross Stitched Item
H	12	Embroidery Item
H	13	Punch Needle Item
H	14	Applique Item
H	15	Candlewicking
H	16	Knitted Item

SEWING

H	17	Apron
H	18	Purse/Wallet/Tote
H	19	Placemats/Runner/Tablecloth/Napkins
H	20	Coasters/Potholders/Oven Mitt
H	21	Costumes
H	22	Any Other Article of Clothing

QUILTS

H	23	New Hand Stitched
H	24	New Machine Stitched

ANTIQUES (100 Years or Older)

PREMIUM: 1st-$5.00, 2nd -$4.00, 3rd-$3.00

GLASS-CHINA-STONEWARE

O	1	Stoneware Bowl
O	2	Depression Glass Piece
O	3	Pressed Glass Piece
O	4	Carnival Glass Piece
O	5	Cut Glass Piece
O	6	Medicine Bottle
O	7	Decanter
O	8	Watt/McCoy/Roseville/Pottery
O	9	Milk Glass Piece
O	10	Fenton Piece
O	13	Candlestick
O	14	Paperweight
O	15	Wood Bowl
O	16	Kitchen Utensil
O	17	Candle Snuffer
O	18	Pieced Quilt
O	19	Patchwork Quilt
O	20	Baby Quilt
O	21	Any Other Quilt (Tied, Knotted, Appliqued, Embroidered, etc.)

HOUSEHOLD

O	11	Glass/Tin Butter Churn
O	12	Butter Mold

METALS

O	22	Scales
O	23	Tin Can
O	39	Patriotic Item
O	40	Camera

O 24 Iron Skillet
O 25 Iron Corn Muffin/Stick Pan
O 26 Silver Household Item
O 27 Tin Type Photo

HISTORICAL/ADVERTISING

O 28 Mason County
O 29 Bracken County
O 30 Robertson County
O 31 Organization Pin/Medal

CLOTHING/ACCESSORIES

O 32 Child's Clothing
O 33 Vintage Shoes
O 34 Costume Jewelry Piece

MISCELLANEOUS

O 35 General Store Item
O 36 Thermometer
O 37 Child's Toy
O 38 Postcard/Picture of KY Scene
O 41 Boy/Girl Scout Memorabilia
O 42 Medical Item (not Medicine Bottle)
O 43 Holiday Memorabilia
O 44 Sewing Item
O 45 Collection of Marbles
O 46 Military Item (not firearm/knife/sword)
O 47 Barber/Beauty Show Item/Memorabilia
O 48 Sports Item (trophy, univorm, etc.)

OLDEST

O 49 Kentucky License Plate
O 50 Kentucky Letter/Document
O 51 Dated Bible
O 52 Published Book (not Bible)
O 53 Germantown Fair Memorabilia
O 54 KY State Fair Memorabilia

VINTAGE 1975 OR OLDER

O 55 Kitchen Item
O 56 Farm Toy
O 57 Lunch Box
O 58 Trinket Box
O 59 Egg Platter
O 60 Salt & Pepper Shakers

FARM & GARDEN PRODUCE

Must be home grown; three or six vegetables to a plate unless otherwise indicated.

PREMIUM: 1st-$4.00, 2nd -$3.00, 3rd-$2. 00

VEGETABLES

P 1 White Potatoes (3)
P 2 Red Potatoes (3)
P 3 1 Zucchini
P 4 1 Crookneck Squash
P 5 Any Squash Not Listed
P 6 Corn (3 Ears)
P 7 Roma Tomatoes (3)
P 8 Yellow/Orange Tomatoes (3)
P 9 Green Tomatoes (3)
P 10 Red Tomatoes (3)
P 11 Cherry Tomatoes (6)
P 12 Grape Tomatoes (6)
P 13 White Onions (3)
P 14 Green Peppers (3)
P 15 Red Peppers (3)
P 16 Yellow Peppers (3)
P 17 Hot Peppers (6)
P 18 Mild/Medium Peppers (3)
P 19 Bush Beans (6)
P 20 1 Cucumber for slicing
P 21 1 Head Cabbage
P 22 Any Other Vegetable

MISCELLANEOUS

P 23 Dozen Brown Eggs
P 24 Dozen Colored Eggs
P 25 Vegetables in a Basket

LARGEST VEGETABLE

P 26 Potato
P 27 Tomato
P 28 Onion
P 29 Any Other Large Vegetable

FRUITS

P 30 Plate of Blackberries
P 31 Watermelon
P 32 Pumpkin
P 33 Apples
P 34 Any Other Fruit

Specialties

P 35 Animal Character (Veggie or Fruit)
P 36 Flowerpot Veggies (4" pot)