

# Monmouth Fair 2017

Cochnewagan Agricultural Assn.  
107th Annual Fair



*"A little fair with a lotta pull!"*

*Wednesday • August 2*

*Thursday • August 3*

*Friday • August 4*

*Saturday • August 5*

*Marcia Marron, Secretary*

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[www.monmouthfair.com](http://www.monmouthfair.com)

## Wednesday, August 2, 2017

7:00 AM	Weigh-in for Farmer's Pull
8:30 AM	Ride a Draft Mystery Class- Ribbons Only
1:00 PM	4-H Horse Show
10:00 AM	Single Horse Log Twitch, Team Scoot & Log Contest
1:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
1:00 PM	Horse Farmers' Pull
3:00 PM	Peter Carriveau on Stage
5:00 PM	Bike Drawing
5:15 PM	Pedal Tractor Pull Registration <i>Children who weigh 45 lbs and under. One pedal tractor will be awarded. (Rules at Fair Office)</i>
5:30 PM	Pedal Tractor Pull – Pulling Ring
6:30 PM	Frying Pan & Hay Bale Toss – Pull Ring
6:30 PM	Stage Show –THE CLIFF RANDALL BAND
7:00 PM	Bike Drawing

## Thursday, August 3, 2017

6:30 AM	Steer & Oxen Farmers' Pull Weigh-in
9:00 AM	Farmers' 4 Ox Distance Pull 1000 to 1599 lbs. Farmers' Pull 1600 to 2599 lbs. Farmers' Pull 2600 to 4000 lbs. Farmers' Pull
10:30 AM	<i>Baby Show Sponsored by Monmouth Federal C.U.</i>
1:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
12:00 PM	Animal Power Show Case – Show Ring
4:30 PM	Family Fun Activities – Children's Farm
5:00 PM	Beano – Monmouth Lions Cub
5:00 PM	Bike Drawing
5:30 PM	Pig Scramble – Children 5-6 years old
6:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
6:30 PM	Frying Pan and Hay Bale Toss - Show Ring
6:30 PM	Stage Show – THE BUSINESS
6:30 PM	2400 over & under – 6 foot elimination
7:00 PM	Bike Drawing

## Friday, August 4, 2017

6:30 AM	Steers & Oxen Weigh-In
9:00 AM	4-H Working Steers Showmanship
9:00 AM	Oxen & Steer Pulling – (Open to the World)
10:00 AM	Judging of Show Oxen and Steers
1:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
3:30 PM	Back Seat Drivers Contest, Show Ring
4:00 PM	Bike Drawing
4:30 PM	Registration for Pig Scramble – <i>Fair Office</i>
5:00 PM	Beano – Monmouth Lions & Cochnewagan
5:30 PM	Pig Scramble – Children 7-8 years old
6:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
6:00 PM	Mini Tractor Pulling – Pulling Track
6:30 PM	He Man/She Woman Contest - Show Ring
7:00 PM	Sweepstakes Oxen Pull –Open to the World <i>Charles H. Robinson Trophy</i>
7:00 PM	Bike Drawing
7:30 PM	6 foot Elimination - 3200 lbs. under/over Must weigh 2800 lbs
7:30 PM	Stage Show–SHARON HOOD & Dixon Road

## Saturday, August 5, 2017

6:30 AM	Horse Weigh-In
9:00 AM	Trial of Draft Horses – 2 lbs of Rock
11 AM	Backseat Driver Contest – Show Ring
Noon	Conjuring Carroll
Noon	Beano – Monmouth Lions Club
1:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
1:00 PM	Sheep Dog Demonstration – Show Ring
1:30 PM	Miniature Horse Pull - 34" & 38"
2:00 PM	Family Fun Activities – Children's Farm
2:30 PM	Conjuring Carroll
3:30 PM	Bike Drawing
3:30 PM	Sheep Dog Demonstration – Show Ring
4:00 PM	Bean Hole Supper - Monmouth Lions & Cochnewagen Trailblazers
7:00 PM	Family Fun Activities – Children's Farm
4:00 PM	Sweepstakes Horses Trophy
4:00 PM	Horse Pulling 15 foot Elimination
4:30 PM	Registration for Pig Scramble - <i>Fair Office</i>
5:00 PM	Bike Drawing
5:30 PM	Registration for Truck Pull – Show Ring
5:30 PM	Pig Scramble – Children 7-8 years old
6:00 PM	Ice Cream Making - Museum
7:00 PM	Red Neck Truck Pull
7:00 PM	Bike Drawing
7:30 PM	Stage Show – JD RANDALL BAND

## EXHIBITION HALL

1. Exhibition Hall will be open for those entering exhibits from 5 to 8 PM on Tuesday and from 8 to 10 AM on Wednesday. One entry per person per category. (All exhibitors welcome, not restricted to Monmouth residents.)

2. All exhibits from the Exhibition Hall must be picked up Sunday between 9 AM and Noon. No exhibit shall be removed from the Exhibition Hall prior to Saturday evening without the express permission from the Supt. of Hall or the Supt. of Arts and Crafts.

3. The Exhibition Hall staff will furnish suitable glass show cases for all exhibits of cooking.

4. Under Class I and II no one article can be entered for more than one premium.

5. Items in Class VI and VII must have been crafted within 24 months and not previously exhibited at Monmouth Fair.

6. Any person entering borrowed vegetables or any other exhibit or making fraudulent representations in reference to his/her entry, will forfeit all premiums that may be awarded. The decision of the judges shall be final.

7. Exhibits delivered and placed the day previous to the fair will be protected in a secured and locked building.

8. For information or clarification for exhibits please Call 933-4532.

## CONTACTS

Superintendent of Hall

James Chick 933-4532

Superintendent of Home Arts & Crafts

Diana L. Morgan 754-1637

## Thank you to:

Longfellow's Greenhouses

Exhibition Hall Entry Display

Complete premium book can be found at:

[www.monmouthfair.com](http://www.monmouthfair.com)

**Tuesday, August 1**

**Exhibit entries accepted 5 to 8 PM**

**Wednesday, August 2**

**Exhibit entries accepted 8 to 10 AM**

Home Arts, Farm Displays, Etc.

10:00 am – 12:00 Noon – Judging

Exhibition Hall will open as soon as judging is completed

(Approximately 12:30 PM) to 9:00 PM

*Gates open at 9 AM each day*

## TICKETS

Under 6 FREE 6 - 17 - \$3 18 & Over - \$6

Senior Citizens 65 & over – \$3

**Free Parking**

## 2017 Special Contests

### SCARECROW CONTEST



Scarecrows must be freestanding (on a footed or placed in a bucket of sand ) & will be displayed indoors & out at the Exhibition Hall. Minimum height is 4 feet & maximum height is 6 feet. Scarecrows can be old fashioned, high fashion, punk, or pop fashion – anything to scare the crows.

Judging will be based on creativity, originality, and workmanship. One scarecrow per exhibitor.

		1st	2nd	3rd
SC -1	Children: up to age 11	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
SC -2	Juniors: Age 12 to 15	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00
SC -3	Adult/Senior	\$15.00	\$12.00	\$8.00

## SPECIAL CONTESTS

### Homemade Jerky - D-24

1<sup>st</sup> place: \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$18, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: \$15

**YES, enter your homemade beef or turkey jerky.**

Prepare any variety or flavor of jerky. Submit three strips.

This contest is open to all comers and the winner will have bragging rights for the best homemade jerky in the area!

Entries will be judged on their own merit but the very best knock-out flavored jerky will become the winner. **C'mon guys, give it a go!**

## Yes, you can bake the ORIGINAL TOLL HOUSE COOKIE!

**D-25 Open to all ages!**

1<sup>st</sup> place: \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$15, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: \$10

These cookies originated at the celebrated Toll House in Whitman, Mass. By Ruth Wakefield. The years have not diminished their popularity. This is an original recipe – really! You have a chance to win \$20 so give it a try using the following recipe:

1 stick margarine	1 ½ cups sifted flour
½ cup light brown sugar, firmly packed	2 tablespoons hot water
½ cup granulated sugar	½ teaspoon baking soda, dissolved in hot water
1 teaspoon vanilla	1 cup chocolate bits
¼ teaspoon salt	½ chopped nuts
1 egg	

Cream margarine, add salt & vanilla. Add both sugars, gradually. Add egg & beat together until mixture is light & creamy.

Dissolve soda in hot water, sift & measure flour, & add these two mixtures alternately to creamed mixture. Fold in chocolate bits & nuts.

Drop by teaspoon onto greased cookie sheet. This will make cookies of about 2 inch size.

Bake at 375 degrees for 10 to 12 minutes.

Enter 3 COOKIES & the family will devour the rest in no time!

### KIDS' BLUEBERRY MUFFIN CONTEST

**D-26 14 Year old & younger**

1<sup>st</sup> place: \$12, 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$10, 3<sup>rd</sup> place: \$8

A favorite contest returns this year! Use the following recipe for best results. PLEASE, only one entry per family. Age of entrant must be on entry tag.

In a medium mixing bowl combine: 1 egg, ¼ cup oil 1/3 cup sugar, 1 cup milk, 1 tablespoon lemon juice  
In a small bowl combine 2 cups flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 teaspoons baking powder

Add to wet mixture, just until moistened. Batter should be lumpy. Fold in ¾ cup blueberries (fresh or frozen). Fill greased or lined muffin pan 2/3's full. Bake at 350 degrees until toothpick inserted comes out dry, approximately 15-20 minutes. We recommend parental supervision when using hot oven. **SUBMIT 3 BLUEBERRY MUFFINS**

## Class I – FARM DISPLAYS

No one article can be entered for more than one premium.

		1st	2nd	3rd
A-1	Best Exhibit Garden Arrangement with Basket. Judged on quality of vegetables, originality, and attraction of display. (Both vegetables and farm products may be displayed and must be produced by entrant.)	15.00	12.00	10.00
A-2	Best Exhibit Garden Products Grown by Youth up to 17 years of age (not less than 8 varieties).	12.00	10.00	8.00

## Class II – VEGETABLES, FRUITS, & FLOWERS

### VEGETABLES/FRUITS

**Premiums for B-1 through B-24**

**1st \$4.00 • 2nd \$3.00 • 3rd \$2.50**

B-1	Best Exhibit Head of Broccoli
B-2	Best Exhibit Stalk Celery with Tops
B-3	Best Exhibit 3 Cucumbers
B-4	Best Exhibit 3 Tomatoes
B-5	Best Exhibit 5 Radishes with Tops
B-6	Best Exhibit 6 String Beans
B-7	Best Exhibit 6 Wax Beans
B-8	Best Exhibit 2 Ears Sweet Corn with Husk
B-9	Best Exhibit 3 Potatoes (any single variety)
B-10	Best Exhibit 5 Peas in a Pod
B-11	Best Exhibit Cauliflower
B-12A	Best Exhibit Zucchini Squash
B-12B	Best Exhibit Summer Squash
B-13	Best Exhibit 1 Turnip with Top
B-14	Best Exhibit 3 Beets with Tops
B-15	Best Exhibit 3 Carrots with Tops
B-16	Best Exhibit 1 Cabbage
B-17	Best Exhibit Head Lettuce
B-17A	Best Exhibit Kale
B-18	Best Exhibit 3 Green Peppers
B-19	Best Exhibit 2 Onions with Tops
B-20	Best Exhibit Blueberries or Raspberries (1 pint)
B-21	Best Exhibit Apples or Cherries
B-22	Best Exhibit Melon (any variety)
B-23	Best Exhibit Fruits/Berries in season
B-24	Best Exhibit Herbs

PLEASE NOTE: In some instances, following the judging, certain vegetables which do not receive a prize ribbon may not be displayed due to limited display space.

## FLOWERS

All exhibits in Flowers will be judged for display, freshness, container, and attention to exhibit specifications.

**Premiums for C-1 through C-7**

**1st \$4.00 • 2nd \$3.00 • 3rd \$2.50**

C-1	Best Exhibit of Gladiola: 5 Spikes
C-2	Best Exhibit of Dahlias:
C-3	Best Exhibit of Lilies, any variety ( 3 - 5 spikes)
C-4	Best Exhibit of Zinnias
C-5	Best Exhibit of Marigolds
C-6	Best Display of any other garden flower (5 blooms or sprays)
C-7	Best Display of Wildflowers (5 or more stems)

*\*NOTE: Stems less than 4 inches will not be accepted.*

## FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

Entries in the following categories will be judged for arrangement, composition, freshness, and container. Flowers arranged by the exhibitor may be grown or purchased by exhibitor, a single, or multiple varieties may make an entry. Please, if balloons are used, not over 6" diameter.

**Premiums for Adults C-8 through C-17**

**1st \$4.50 • 2nd \$4.00 • 3rd \$3.50**

**Premiums for Youth (12 and under)**

**1st \$3.50 2nd \$2.50 3rd \$2.00**

C-8	Arrangement in a basket
C-9	Fall Arrangement of autumn colors
C-10	Arrangement in a large vase 8 inches or taller
C-11	Arrangement in a medium vase 5 to 8 inches tall
C-12	Arrangement in a small vase not more than 4 inches
C-13	Composition of flowers using any accessories
C-14A	Arrangement in pink
C-14B	Arrangement in red
C-14C	Arrangement in white
C-14D	Arrangement in blue and/or purple
C-14E	Arrangement in any other solid color
C-14F	Arrangement of strictly foliage
C-15	Arrangement of dried flowers
C-16	Any Holiday themed arrangement, choose more than one holiday if you wish, multiple entries but only one per holiday. Please specify holiday you are representing.
C-17	House Plants (must have been in your possession for 90 days, may be flowering or foliage plant). Please, no hanging plants.

## Class III – HOME CANNED FOODS & COOKED FOODS

**Premiums for D-1 through D-4**

**1st \$3.50 • 2nd \$3.00 • 3rd \$2.50**

### CANNED FOODS

D-1	Best Exhibit of canned vegetables -3 varieties, no more, no less
D-2	Best Exhibit of canned vegetables by youth under 16, 2 varieties, no more, no less
D-3	Best Exhibit of jellies and/or jams 2 varieties – no more no less
D-4	Best Exhibit of pickles and/or relishes Not less than 2 or more than 4 varieties

### BAKED FOODS

**- No Commercial Mixes to Be Used -**

**Open to all age groups**

**Premiums for D-5 through D-23**

**1st \$4.50 • 2nd \$4.00 • 3rd \$3.50**

D-5	Best one or two crust pie
D-6	Best cake, any variety
D-7	Best decorated cake
D-8	Best plate 3 cupcakes
D-9	Best plate 3 doughnuts
D-10	Best 3 sugar cookies
D-11	Best 3 molasses cookies
D-12	Best 3 toll house cookies
D-13	Best 3 peanut butter cookies
D-14	Best 3 any other variety cookies
D-15	Best 3 brownies
D-16	Best 3 dessert bars
D-17	Best bread
D-18	Best plate 3 biscuits
D-19	Best plate 3 blueberry muffins
D-20	Best plate 3 muffins – your choice
D-21	Best fudge – 4 pieces – any variety
D-22	Best Needham candy – 4 pieces
D-23	Best other candy – 4 pieces

## Class IV - DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

**Premiums for E-1 through E-5**

**1st \$2.50 • 2nd \$2.00 • 3rd \$1.50**

E-1	Best display of 4 or more dairy products
E-2	Best ½ pound butter
E-3	Best ½ dozen brown eggs
E-4	Best ½ dozen white eggs
E-5	Best ½ dozen any other eggs

## Class V – GRANGE EXHIBITS

### All Articles to be Labeled

F-1	Grange Exhibits	\$100	\$85	\$75
<b>Score Card for Grange Exhibits</b>				
1.	Quality of products displayed			200
2.	Quantity and distribution of products			150
3.	Variety of products			150
4.	General appearance of exhibit as a whole			150
5.	Arrangement (in relation to grouping of related products)			100
6.	Originality of theme (plan) of exhibit			75
7.	Neatness and orderliness of exhibit			75
8.	Adequate labeling of exhibit			50
9.	Bible and flag			50
	Total			1000

## Class VI – HOME ARTS & CRAFTS

Items in Class VI and VII must have been crafted within the past 24 months and not previously exhibited at Monmouth Fair. One entry per person per category, please.

***(Please read categories carefully – Only items listed will be accepted for exhibit.)***

No more than one article to be entered in a division of Class VI except where specified.

All articles must be clearly identified on Entry Tag.

Premiums on the following will be paid on each of the various types of fancy work such as knitted, crocheted, braided, latch hook, etc.

### Premiums for H-1 through J-1 1st \$5.00 • 2nd \$4.50 • 3rd \$4.00

H-1	Fill-size bed Afghan
H-2	Lap throw Afghan
H-3	Rug – Hooked or Braided
H-4	Bedsread
H-5	Tablecloth
H-6A	Lap Quilt
H-6B	Appliqued Quilt
H-6C	Pieced Quilt
H-6D	Whole Cloth Quilt
I-1	Adult Clothing, such as Dress, Sweater, Jumper, Blouse, Shirt, Skirt
J-1	Child's Dress, Sweater, Other Clothing

## BABY

### Premiums for K-1 through K-7 1st \$4.00 • 2nd \$3.50 • 3rd \$3.00

K-1	Afghan, crib size
K-2	3-piece Baby Set
K-3	Dress
K-4	Sweater
K-5	Bootees
K-6	Bonnet
K-7	Quilt, crib size

## KNITTED, CROCHETED OR SIMILARLY SEWED ENTRIES

### Premiums for L-1 through M-4

### 1st \$4.00 • 2nd \$3.50 • 3rd \$3.00

L-1	Stuffed Animal
L-2	Stuffed Doll
L-3	Pair Mittens or Gloves
L-4	Pair Slippers
L-5	Hat
L-6	Scarf
L-7	Handbag
L-8	Doily/Towel Edging
L-9	Picture-framed ready to hang
L-10	Sampler framed ready to hang
L-11	Doll Clothes (3 pieces)
L-12	Pair Pillow Slips
L-13	Decorative Clothing
L-14	Doll with hand made clothing
L-15	Apron
L-16	Wall Hanging
L-17	Quilt Top
L-18	Pillow
L-19	Pair of Stockings
L-20	Pot Holders – collection of 3
M-1	Best Display of 2 articles of needlework by youth 12 to 16
M-2	Best Display of 2 articles of needlework by youth under 12
M-3	Best Display of Sewing by youth by youth 12 to 16
M-4	Best Display of Sewing by youth under 12

## Class VII – CRAFTS

***Paintings and drawings. need to be suitably framed and ready to hang.***

***Please, no string, tape, or yarn.***

***Photographs may be entered matted or with framed.***

Each painting/drawing/photograph entry may be any subject, however, please note that an entrant may only have one in each category, such as one flower, or one sunset.

## ARTWORKS

		1st	2nd	3rd
N-1	Painting – Adult (Oil, acrylic, watercolors, etc.)	\$5.00	\$4.50	\$4.00
N-2	Painting – Youth under 16 (Oil, acrylic, watercolors, etc.)	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.00
N-3	Drawing – Adult (Pastel, chalk, charcoal, pencil, other)	\$4.50	\$4.00	\$3.50
N-4	Drawing – Youth under 16 (Pastel, chalk, charcoal, pencil, other)	\$3.50	\$3.00	\$2.50
N-5	Photography – B/W or Color matted or framed	\$4.00	\$3.50	\$3.00

## CREATIVE CRAFTS

CREATIVE HOBBY TO CONSIST OF 3 ITEMS; NO MORE, NO LESS.

No model cars to be entered in this class – see O-30.

### Premiums for O-1 through O-3

### 1st \$5.00 • 2nd \$4.00 • 3rd \$3.50

O-1	Best Creative Hobby Adult
O-2	Best Creative Hobby 12-16
O-3	Best Creative Hobby under 12

**Items listed in O-4 to O-32 will be judged as Youth (15 and under) and Adult (16 and over). Prize awards same for both.**

### Premiums for O-4 through O-32

### 1st \$4.50 • 2nd \$4.00 • 3rd \$3.50

All items in O-4 to O-32 to consist of **ONE** piece or one set unless otherwise specified.

O-4	Candlework/Soap
O-5	Caning
O-6	Ceramic
O-7	Wreath
O-8	Crewel
O-9	Handmade Jewelry
O-10	Leatherwork
O-11	Stamped Cross Stitch
O-12	Counted Cross Stitch
O-13	Plastic Canvas Needlework
O-14	Beadwork
O-15	Metalwork
O-16	Christmas Tree Ornaments – 3 pieces
O-17	Photography (snap-shot Collection of 5 mounted)
O-18	Shellwork
O-19	Stained Glass Creation
O-20	Weaving
O-21	Woodcraft
O-21A	Crafted Birdhouse
O-22	Crafted Lamp or Lampshade
O-23	Needlepoint
O-24	Stamping Collection of 3
O-25	Stencil Painting
O-26	Decorative Painting on Wood
O-27	Decorative Painting on Metal
O-28	Folk Art
O-29	CRAFTS FROM RECYCLED ITEMS
O-30	Toy Model or construction from Lego® May be one item or a model unit display
O-31	Scrapbooking (3-4 page sample)
O-32	All other entries not listed in a category above. (One entry per person in this category, please.)