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Entry Fees: \$5 per exhibitor
Entry Deadline: All Entries must be completed online no later than 10:59 p.m. on March 15, 2019
Receiving/Conference Judging All Judging -Saturday, April 6, 2019 from 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Conference Judging Schedule will be provided to club leaders.
Location: Party Gras Building (Immediately south of Exhibit Building)
Release: Sunday, April 14, 2019, 6:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m.
Monday, April 15, 2019, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Credentials: Refer to 2019 Credential Policy for Fair Pass information.

Rules: Exhibitors entering this department must abide by the following: **General Rules and Regulations, Department Rules.** Please read and understand all rules before entering this department

DEPARTMENT RULES:

Entries must be done online at www.maricopacountyfair.org and can be paid online or by delivering fees along with a copy of your online entries receipt with checks payable to: Maricopa County Fair

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1. Contact the 4-H General Projects Superintendent or the 4-H Office (602-827-8210) with questions about proper entry classes; Contact the County Fair Office with questions about registering online and making payments.
2. 4-H members entering this department must be enrolled in a Maricopa County 4-H club for the current club year - October 1, 2018 - September 30, 2019. Cloverbuds are members who are 5-8 years old, Juniors are members who are 9-10 years old, Intermediate members are 11-13 years old, and Seniors are members who are 14-19 years old before January 1, 2019.
3. Members must be currently enrolled in the 4-H project in which they intend to exhibit at the fair.
4. A member's work is expected to progress appropriately as age and experience in a project increases. All exhibits must have been made solely by the 4-H member as part of his/her project learning, not in school or other organizations during the current 4-H year.
5. Poster exhibits may be on 22" x 28" poster board or tri-fold cardboard. Please attach material securely and far enough in advance for best adhesion. Larger exhibits should be discussed with the 4-H General Projects Superintendent, before entering.
6. All Junior, Intermediate, and Senior exhibits will be judged by the Danish System and will earn either a Blue, Red, or White Award Ribbon based on standards expected. A rosette for Best in Division may be chosen. The 4-H General Projects Superintendent, 4-H Staff or Fair Staff may disqualify or move an exhibit for incorrect entry, condition, or inappropriateness.
7. No premium monies are awarded for 4-H projects.
8. Refer to the 4-H Project Manual for educational information in the project area.
9. A maximum of 2 exhibit entries, may be entered for each class unless, otherwise noted.

Conference Judging

Again this year, judging will be done in Conference Style. All 4-H members exhibiting in the General Projects Division (still projects) will have the awesome opportunity to talk with a judge, share what they have learned, discuss any struggles they had with their project, get some expert feedback, and receive a ribbon on the spot! All details to follow include: a schedule by club, possible questions that may be asked, layout of the judging experience in the Party Gras Building, information for members who show more than one project, and more will be sent to all 4-H members through an electronic Fact Sheet at least 30-45 days before judging. Judging will take place in the exhibit building on Saturday, April 6 from 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

CLOVERBUDS

Division 4200: Cloverbuds

Exhibits should reflect activities in the 4-H Cloverbuds program in the current 4-H year. Exhibits may not contain live animals. All entries will receive participation ribbons. Enter the Cloverbud Group exhibit under the Club Leader's name. Within the description, please list all 4-H members involved in the project.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	All Entries. Limited to 5 entries per Cloverbud
101	Cloverbud group exhibit

4-H Member Classes: For all General Projects exhibit classes, contact the 4-H General Projects Superintendent for further guidance on project exhibits.

ANIMAL SCIENCE

Division 4201: Animal Sciences – Junior
Division 4202: Animal Sciences – Intermediate
Division 4203: Animal Sciences – Senior
Max of two entries per class. Entries must include a poster or diorama, and may include supporting items. Entry should be related to any type of learning about the specific species.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Beef
101	Cat
102	Cavy
103	Dairy Cattle
104	Dairy Goat
105	Dog
106	Horse
107	Meat Goat
108	Poultry
109	Pygmy Goat
110	Rabbit
111	Sheep
112	Small Pets
113	Swine
114	Veterinary Science
115	Others as described

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS

Division 4204: Citizenship and Leadership –Junior
Division 4205: Citizenship and Leadership – Intermediate
Division 4206: Citizenship and Leadership – Senior
Max of two entries per class. May be a poster or video exhibit.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Citizenship
101	Leadership
102	Service Learning
103	Other than described

Division 4207: Creative Writing – Junior
Division 4208: Creative Writing – Intermediate
Division 4209: Creative Writing – Senior
Max of two entries per class. Exhibits should be mounted to poster board, inserted into page protectors or in a binder.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Play/Script
101	Poem
102	Story
103	Other than described

Division 4210: Dance or Theater – Junior
Division 4211: Dance or Theater – Intermediate
Division 4212: Dance or Theater – Senior
Max of two entries per class. Exhibits may be of various styles. Please call the 4-H Coordinator to discuss.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Costume
101	History
102	Performance Individual (poster or video exhibit)
103	Performance Group (poster or video exhibit)
104	Performance Individual (In Person)
105	Performance Group (In Person)
106	Filmmaking
107	Other than described

Division 4213: Public Speaking – Junior
Division 4214: Public Speaking – Intermediate
Division 4215: Public Speaking – Senior
Max of two entries per class. Entries must include a poster, inserted into page protectors or in a binder. Preference of using tri-fold poster boards, for posters.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Poster Exhibit
101	Video Exhibit – Limited to 5 minutes
102	Educational exhibit related to project

VISUAL ARTS

Division 4216: Fine Arts – Junior
Division 4217: Fine Arts – Intermediate
Division 4218: Fine Arts – Senior
Max of two entries per class. 2-D Artwork should be attached to a mat board leaving a border around the outer edge. Fragile drawings and paintings should be framed. Art should be no larger than 16”X20” and must be wire hung.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Acrylics
101	Charcoal
102	Mixed Media
103	Oils
104	Pastel or Chalk
105	Pen or Ink Wash
106	Pencil
107	Print Making or Graphics
108	Scratch Board
109	Sculpture
110	Watercolor
111	Other than described

Division 4219: Photography –Junior
Division 4220: Photography - Intermediate
Division 4221: Photography –Senior
*Prints must be no smaller than 5”X7” and no larger than 8”X10”, except for a panoramic.
*All prints must be mounted securely to black or white mat board, no thicker than 1/8”. DO NOT use foam board, window mats, or frames. Mat board sizes are as follows: Use an 8”X10” mat size for a 5”X7” photo and a 11”X14” mat size for a 8”X10” photo.
*All entries must be labeled on the back of the mat with the following: Name, age, **and** year in 4-H when the photo was taken, type of camera used, and printing process used (by self in lab, by self on computer, by a print shop, by a web service, etc.)
*An explanation of any alterations made should be attached to the back of the mat.
*Limited to two entries per class, with the exception of class 100: limited to 10 entries.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	General Photography – Unedited images (Limit of 10 entries)
101	Manipulated Images – any image edited using software. Does not include changing a color print to black and white or sepia. Must include 4”x6” original image and a description of manipulations made and software used on back of mat.
102	Special Photography Techniques – includes but is not limited to panoramic, use of lens filters, night photography, time lapse photography, etc.

103	Studio Portraiture –Use of backdrops, lighting, props, etc. May be people or animals as long as correct format is used.	109	Natural craft (rocks, gourds, dried plants, etc.)
104	Photo Story – Use photography to tell a story (may use captions).	110	Paper craft or Origami
105	Photojournalism - Photography with accompanying news article.	111	Plaster craft
106	Advertising/Marketing – Use of photography to advertise/market a product, service, location, etc., including captioning.	112	Rope craft
107	Scrapbook or yearbook page layout – Photos and page layout must be sole work of exhibitor (no outside source photos).	113	Soaps
108	Calendar – 12 photographs for calendar (any theme)	114	String craft
109	Other than described	115	Wood craft (inc. balsa, burning, popsicle, toothpick)
		116	Yarn craft (other than knitting or crochet)
		117	Scrap booking (decorated cover, single page or whole book)
		118	Floral Arrangement (dried and/or artificial flowers)
		119	Other than described

CREATIVE ARTS

Division 4222: Needle and Fiber Arts - Junior
 Division 4223: Needle and Fiber Arts - Intermediate
 Division 4224: Needle and Fiber Arts - Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Crochet
101	Cross Stitch
102	Embroidery
103	Felting
104	Finger Weaving
105	Knitting
106	Latch Hook
107	Loom Weaving
108	Needle Point
109	Spinning
110	Other than described

Division 4225: Leathercraft – Junior
 Division 4226: Leathercraft – Intermediate
 Division 4227: Leathercraft – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Small Project (kit) - key fobs, coasters, coin purses, bookmarks, bracelets, etc.
101	Small Project (non-kit) - key fobs, coasters, coin purses, bookmarks, bracelets, etc.
102	Medium Project (kit) - belts, dog collars, wallets, etc.
103	Medium Project (non-kit) - belts, dog collars, wallets, etc.
104	Large Project (kit) - holsters, scabbards, purses, etc.
105	Large Project (non-kit) - holsters, scabbards, purses, etc.
106	Other than described

Division 4228: Related Arts & Crafts – Junior
 Division 4229: Related Arts & Crafts – Intermediate
 Division 4230: Related Arts & Crafts - Senior
 Max of two entries per class. All items should have an easily identified purpose.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Candle
101	Doll or Puppet
102	Fabric craft (other than quilted)
103	Foam craft
104	Glass craft
105	Jewelry
106	Metal craft
107	Model kit (car, plane, boat, etc.)
108	Mosaic

FAMILY AND HOME

Division 4231: Family & Home - Junior
 Division 4232: Family & Home - Intermediate
 Division 4233: Family & Home - Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Child Development
101	Consumer Education
102	Entrepreneurship – (Make business cards and/or post sign advertising your business)
103	Interior Design
104	Money Management
105	Other than described

Division 4234: Health & Fitness – Junior
 Division 4235: Health & Fitness - Intermediate
 Division 4236: Health & Fitness – Senior
 Max of two entries per class. Refer to Health and Fitness project manual.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	First Aid in Action
101	Staying Healthy
102	Keeping Fit
103	Other than described
104	Educational exhibit related to project

Division 4237: Quilting – Junior
 Division 4238: Quilting – Intermediate
 Division 4239: Quilting – Senior
 Max of two entries per class. For group exhibits, refer to Group and/or Club Exhibits section.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Pillow
101	Wall hanging
102	Blanket, lap or crib size
103	Clothing item
104	Other than described

Division 4240: Sewing – Junior
 Division 4241: Sewing – Intermediate
 Division 4242: Sewing – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Pillowcase or dish towel
101	Tote or drawstring bag
102	Pillow
103	Apron, any style
104	Skirt
105	Shorts/pants
106	Blouse or shirt
107	Vest

108	Dress or jumper
109	Jacket or Coat
110	Costume
111	Appliqué
112	Household item
113	Two or more piece ensemble
114	Other than described

NATURAL RESOURCES

Division 4243: Natural Resources and Science –Junior
 Division 4244: Natural Resources and Science - Intermediate
 Division 4245: Natural Resources and Science –Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Backyards and Beyond
101	Entomology
102	Forestry
103	Geology
104	Water Conservation
105	Other than described

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Division 4246: Outdoor Adventures – Junior
 Division 4247: Outdoor Adventures – Intermediate
 Division 4248: Outdoor Adventures – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Backpacking
101	Camping
102	Fishing
103	Hiking
104	Hunting
105	Wildlife
106	Other than described

Division 4249: Shooting Sports - Junior
 Division 4250: Shooting Sports - Intermediate
 Division 4251: Shooting Sports - Senior
 Max of two entries per class. All entries are expected to be posters.
 No firearms will be accepted for display

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Pistol
101	Rifle
102	Muzzle loading
103	Shotgun
104	Archery
105	Shooting Sports Safety
106	Other than described

FOOD & NUTRITION

Division 4252: Cake Decorating - Junior
 Division 4253: Cake Decorating - Intermediate
 Division 4254: Cake Decorating - Senior
 Max of two entries per class. Entries must be on a stiff support or disposable plate. Any containers used for transport must have all pieces labeled with the member's name. No containers used for transport, will be stored during the fair. 100% of the cake decorations must be made by the exhibitor. Store purchased decorations are not acceptable to use.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Any cake
101	Any cookie (6)

102	Decorated cupcakes (6)
103	Non-Edible base
104	Other craft project not listed

Division 4255: Food & Prepared Foods – Junior
 Division 4256: Food & Prepared Foods – Intermediate
 Division 4257: Food & Prepared Foods – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

*All entries must be on a stiff board or plate and covered securely or in a closed container marked with your name. All entries must include a recipe card. Cakes, pies, and breads should be left whole. Submit 8 of cookies, brownies, muffins, and rolls. Foods requiring refrigeration will not be accepted - meaning they must not contain perishable fillings or toppings such as: creams, eggs, custard, rice, meat, meat and vegetable combinations, cooked beans, fresh fruits, etc.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Cookies
101	Rolls
102	Biscuits
103	Muffins
104	Cake
105	Bread
106	Pastry item
107	Candy
108	Recipe Book
109	Other nonperishable item not listed

Division 4258: Food Preservation – Junior
 Division 4259: Food Preservation - Intermediate
 Division 4260: Food Preservation – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

*All entries must be labeled with product name, date preserved, and method used. Two jars are expected per entry. One jar will be used for display and one jar will be opened for judging purposes. The opened jar will be disposed of.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Canned fruit
101	Canned vegetables
102	Canned meat
103	Dried fruit or fruit leather
104	Dried meat
105	Jams, jellies, or preserves
106	Pickles or relish
107	Salsa
108	Sauce
109	Soup
110	Other than described

PLANT SCIENCE

Division 4261: Horticulture - Junior
 Division 4262: Horticulture - Intermediate
 Division 4263: Horticulture – Senior
 Max of two entries per class. Entries must have been grown by the exhibitor. Label each entry identifying the common name and variety.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	House plant
101	Succulent
102	Cactus
103	Dish garden of at least 3 house plants, succulents, or cactus
104	Terrarium, any size, covered
105	Container garden art of vegetables or garden plants
106	Evergreen or shrub propagated from stem/cutting, 1 plant

- 107 Plant propagated from cutting or seed - 1 plant, tree or shrub (identify method of propagation, when entering exhibit)
- 108 Rose, cut, one stem in a vase
- 109 Garden flowers, cut, three stems in a vase
- 110 Herbs, potted or cut stems in a vase
- 111 Vegetables, provide 3 samples
- 112 Fruits or nuts, provide 3 samples
- 113 Gourds, provide 1 sample
- 114 Growing crops
(provide samples such as: 6 ears of corn, one cup of barley seed, sheaf of wheat or alfalfa, etc. in a box or basket)
- 115 Garden decoration, made for use in the garden
- 116 Landscape design
- 117 Scarecrow
- 118 Floriculture – flowers may be purchased and arranged.
- 119 Compost
- 120 Other than described

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Division 4264: Technology – Junior
 Division 4265: Technology – Intermediate
 Division 4266: Technology – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Aerospace
101	Rocketry
102	Kite
103	Computer Science Web Design
104	Computer Science Visual Programming
105	Computer Science Innovation
106	Electricity
107	Geospatial
108	Small Engines
109	Large Engines
110	Other than described

GROUP AND/OR CLUB EXHIBITS

Division 4276: Club Exhibits
 *If posters are included in the exhibit, they should not cover more than 4' x 4' of wall space. Free standing exhibits should be no larger than 2 1/2' deep x 4' wide x 4' high. For larger exhibits, contact the 4-H General Projects Superintendent. Enter the group exhibit under the Club Leader's name. Within the description, please list all 4-H members involved in the project.
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Project exhibit
101	Educational exhibit
102	Promotional exhibit

(Cloverbud group and/or club exhibit entries can be found under Cloverbud entries)

SELF-DETERMINED

- Self-determined projects may be:
- 1) an advanced project option established for youth who have delved deeper into a project area than the average 4-H'er and has successfully completed all the project levels prior to aging out of 4-H, OR
 - 2) a project option in which a current 4-H project does not address, and must be approved by Maricopa County 4-H Staff.

Through the self-determined project, 4-Her's will work closely with their Club Project Leader to determine their goals, objectives, and method of display to showcase at the County Fair or the FCS Day.

Examples of Self-determined projects include: 1) a club determines that they would like to do a project that is not listed in the project list, but is approved by a 4-H Staff member; 2) a member has completed all levels of the woodworking project and would like to make something that is beyond the scope of the levels of the project.

Division 4267: Robotics – Junior
 Division 4268: Robotics - Intermediate
 Division 4269: Robotics – Senior
 Max of two entries per class.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Junk Drawer Robotics
102	Robotics Notebook
103	Robotics Showcase–demonstrated exhibit that may be taken home & photo used for display.
104	Other than described

Division 4270: Welding – Junior
 Division 4271: Welding – Intermediate
 Division 4272: Welding – Senior
 Max of two entries per class. Technique used must be declared when entering exhibit.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Arc
101	Arc MIG
102	Arc TIG
103	Gas, oxyacetylene
104	Other than described

Division 4273: Woodworking - Junior
 Division 4274: Woodworking - Intermediate
 Division 4275: Woodworking - Senior
 Max of two entries per class, except in "Other than described" where two different items may be entered.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Description</u>
100	Birdhouse or feeder
101	Kitchen item
102	Small furniture piece
103	Large furniture piece
104	Game or toy
105	Refinished item
106	Office item
107	Decorative item
108	Other than described

Self-determined project members must type a description of the project and they will be judged in the area in which the General Projects Superintendent and 4-H Staff determine are appropriate.

Categories Include:

CLOVERBUDS

ANIMAL SCIENCES AND CARE

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS

VISUAL ARTS

CREATIVE ARTS

FAMILY CONSUMER SCIENCES

NATURAL RESOURCES

OUTDOOR RECREATION

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