# FARM PRODUCE

## Prize list



## **BROME FAIR**

SEPTEMBER 1-4, 2023

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### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

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## Submitting your entry

Entries may only be submitted in through the following methods:

• Online: WWW.ASSISTEXPO.COM/BROMEFAIR

• By mail: With cheque payable to BROME FAIR

• In person: Payment can be made by debit, Visa, MasterCard, cheque, or cash.

• By email: To competitions@bromefair.com accompanied by e-transfer to same email address.

\*Please list all names you are paying for in the e- transfer message/details

\*Password to use: Fun2023

#### **General Rules**

- Persons intending to compete at Brome Fair must submit their complete entry form with required documents/payments to the Brome County Agricultural Society administration by August 10<sup>th</sup> by 8 p.m.
  - a. The post mark will not be considered.
  - b. Postdated cheques are not accepted.
  - c. Any incomplete entry can be refused.
  - d. If accepted, entries submitted after this deadline may be subject to a \$10 admin. fee.
- 2. All exhibitors must pay a Brome County Agricultural Society **membership fee of \$10** for the following year to exhibit. This entitles the holder to exhibit in all sectors of the fair.
- 3. Additional 4-day passes will be given as follows:
  - a. Cattle: one (1) per three (3) head
  - b. Horses: one (1) per three (3) head
  - c. Sheep: one (1) per flock of six (6)
  - d. Goats: one (1) per herd of six (6)

A max of 3 additional 4-day passes may be given per exhibitor.

- 4. A proof of valid Liability Insurance coverage (minimum \$1,000,000) in the **exhibitor's name** must be submitted with entry forms for the following competitions: cattle, horses, sheep, goats.
- 5. Every exhibitor of the Society will be liable to take the following oath if required by any member of the Society: "I do solemnly swear that all animals and/or articles exhibited by me are either my own or made or acquired by me according to the rules of this Society, so help me God".
- 6. No article or animal shall be entered for more than one premium in the same year, except for horse performance classes, special prizes or as provided for in herd and group classes.
- 7. No competitor shall be entitled to more than one premium per class unless otherwise stated.
- 8. Any member exhibiting an article for premium contrary to the rules of the Society will forfeit all prizes awarded him that year.
- 9. Monday Departure Times:
  - a. Horses: 3 p.m.
    b. Beef: 3 p.m.
    c. Dairy: 3 p.m.
    d. Goats: 4 p.m.
    e. Sheep: 4 p.m.
    f. Campers: 8 p.m.

Any exhibitor loading animals before, will forfeit any prize money, entry fees and will not be allowed to return for the following two (2) Fairs.

- 10. All animals and articles entered for competition shall be ticketed and numbered and no person shall in any way interfere with the judges in the execution of their duties.
- 11. All prize ribbons which have been awarded by the judges must be displayed during the fair. Any infraction of this rule will ensure forfeiture of any premium awarded.
- 12. Any member of the Society found guilty of loaning or otherwise giving use of a Society badge to another person, shall forfeit all premiums obtained by him during the year.

- 13. Any and all questions of dispute that may arise shall be referred to the president and administration of the Society.
- 14. Any exhibitor lodging a protest must make it in writing, and it must be delivered to the president or the administration within three hours of the cause of protest. This must be accompanied by a deposit of \$30 in cash. If such protest is sustained, the deposit will be returned; if not, it will be forfeited to the Society.
- 15. The Society will not be liable for any bills or accounts for any prizes won that are not presented or sent to the administration within two months from the close of the year, 31st October, in which said accounts become due or said prizes won.
- 16. In the event of the Society having not enough funds to pay the prizes in full, the Directors reserve the right to deduct the necessary percentage.
- 17. All trophies must remain on grounds and returned to the office Monday night of Brome Fair.
- 18. House trailers: Parking will be reserved for the exhibitor's house trailer, but it must have the sanitary implements. All trailers/campers must have a functional fire extinguisher. In order to defray costs, a rental fee of \$50 per camper will be required. Reservation and payment must be made with the entry form before 8:00 p.m. August 10th. (livestock only).
- 19. Brome County Agricultural Society membership is due each year at the annual general meeting.
- 20. All prize cheques must be cashed by October 31st of the current year.
- 21. All prize cheques will be mailed out after fair.

## **Judging Schedule**

Wednesday	9 am	Handicrafts
Thursday	9 am	Horses – Halter classes
Friday	8 am	Horses
Friday	9 am	Farm produce, Horticulture
Friday	1 pm	Young Farmers - Horses
Saturday	10 am	Horses, Dairy Cattle, Beef Cattle
Saturday	5 pm	Beef Overall Champion
Saturday	6 pm	Young Farmers Shepherd
Sunday	9 am	Horses
Sunday	10 am	Goats, Sheep
Monday	9 am	Young Farmers Judging
Monday	9:15 am	Horses
Monday	9:45 am	Young Farmers Beef, Dairy, Sheep, Goats

## **Rules for Judges**

- 1. Judges shall be appointed by the officers and directors of the Society.
- 2. No person shall be allowed to act as judge who is in any way connected with the exhibit to be examined.
- 3. Judges are expected, in the execution of their duties, to be careful to act with the most rigid impartiality and to respect scheduled times and keep classes running accordingly.
- 4. Judges shall award premiums to the best manufactured article of its kind.
- 5. Judges shall, in awarding premiums on bulls, cows and heifers, have reference to the quality of such animals for improving stock and/or for dairy purposes.
- 6. Should there be one exhibit in a class or section; judges can use their own discretion as to awarding a premium. In all cases where they do not think the exhibit worthy, they can withhold the premium. Judges shall in no case award a prize unless they consider the exhibit worthy of such a premium.
- 7. Ownership of an exhibit shall not be in evidence during judging.
- 8. Any person not authorized to do so; conversing with the judge while on duty or otherwise interfering will forfeit any right he may have for a prize. It shall be the duty of the judge to report to the administration, on handing in the books, any infringement of the rule.
- 9. Upon discovery of any fraud, deception, dishonest practice, or misrepresentation regarding any exhibit, which may have influenced or been intended to influence the decision of the judge, the executive committee has the power to withhold payment of the prize awarded.
- 10. Any person who shall attempt to interfere with the judge in the performance of his duties, or shall afterwards, on the premises of the Society, use any abusive language to any judge in consequence of an award made by him, shall forfeit his right to any premium to which he might otherwise be entitled. Said person will also be excluded from exhibiting for one year thereafter. Judges are particularly requested to report any such breach of this rule.

#### **FARM PRODUCE DEPARTMENT**

### **Important Dates**

August 10 (Thursday)	8 pm	Registration Deadline	
August 31 (Thursday)	6-9 pm	Bring your entries to fair (horticulture building)	
September 1 (Friday)	9 am	Judging	
September 4 (Monday)	6 pm	Pick up your entries	

#### **Committee**

Chair	Irene Norris	
Vice-Chair	Carol Padner	
John Rhicard		Paul Hébert
Serena Shufelt		Helen Rhicard

#### **Farm Produce Rules**

- 1. Classes shall be open to all competitors, space permitting, with priority given to residents of Brome, Missisquoi and Shefford Counties.
- 2. Exhibits will be received Thursday before fair from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- 3. Judging will start Friday at 9:00am. Committee members only will be permitted in the judging area.
- 4. **Section 910**: Every exhibitor must be a beekeeper.
- 5. **Section 920**: Every exhibitor must be a maple producer. The exhibits presented should not display any trademark of the exhibitor.
- 6. The judges' decisions are final.
- 7. The society is not responsible for any damage to, loss or theft of exhibits.
- 8. Your bracelets will be given to you ONLY upon receiving your entries at the Horticultural building, on the Thursday night before fair. Complete failure to exhibit will result in forfeiture of your 4-day pass. NO REFUNDS
- 9. If you do not receive your entry tags a week before fair, please call us.
- 10. 375 ml jars available at local maple suppliers
- 11. Standard bottles to be used by everyone. Folia Bottles are available at the office. Please reuse bottles from previous years if possible.

**Prizes:** \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14, \$12, \$10

• Should there be only one exhibitor in this section, they will receive \$300 to make a display of all products.

	Classes		
1.	Cut comb honey, Two containers, 375g		
2.	White Honey, Two 375ml jars		
3.	Golden Honey, Two 375ml jars		
4.	Amber Honey, Two 375ml jars		
5.	White Granulated Honey, Two 375ml jars		
6.	Golden Granulated Honey, Two 375ml jars		
7.	White Creamed Honey, Two 375ml jars		
8.	Golden Creamed Honey, Two 375ml jars		
9.	Pollen, Two 375ml jars		
10.	Honey vinegar, One 500 ml jar		
11.	Bees Wax, Two blocks of 375ml		
12.	Chunk Honey, Two 375 ml jars		
13.	Gift basket of honey products Prizes: \$25, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14		
14.	Box of honey products, Able to be shipped (with closing lid) Prizes: \$25, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14		
15.	Commercial display of honey. In optional containers between 5kg & 10kg max.  Display not to cover more than two lineal feet of table space or be more than 36" high Prizes: \$50, \$45, \$40, \$35, \$30, \$25		
16.	New Exhibitor, One 375ml jar each comb honey, golden honey, and white honey Prizes: \$15, \$14, \$13, \$12, \$10, \$8		

SECTION 920: Maple

**Prizes:** \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14, \$12, \$10

- A red ribbon will be given for the most points in this section.
- Some classes sponsored by the *Syndicat des producteurs acéricoles de la région de St-Hyacinthe.*

■ PLEASE BE SURE TO ENTER SYRUP IN PROPER CLASS 9, 10, 11, 12

	Classes			
1.	Maple granulated sugar, One 375ml glass jar			
2.	Maple Taffy, One 375ml glass jar			
3.	Maple Jelly, One 375ml glass jar			
4.	Soft Maple Candy, One 250g box			
5.	Hard Maple Candy, One 250g box			
6.	Maple nut candy, One 250g box			
7.	Six cones filled with maple taffy			
8.	Six cones filled with maple butter			
9.	Maple syrup- Golden (new grading system), One 500ml folia bottle			
10.	Maple syrup, Amber (new grading system), One 500 ml folia bottle			
11.	Maple syrup, Dark (new grading system), One 500ml folia bottle			
12.	Maple syrup, Very dark (new grading system), One 500ml folia bottle			
13.	Hard maple sugar, Three 375g cakes			
14.	Soft maple sugar, Three 375g cakes			
15.	Soft maple sugar, One 375ml glass jar			
16.	Maple butter, One 375ml glass jar			
17.	Maple vinegar, One 500 ml folia bottle			
18.	Maple caramel, One 375ml glass jar			
19.	Gift basket of maple products Prizes: \$25, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14			
20.	Box of maple products, Able to be shipped (with closing lid) Prizes: \$25, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$14			
21.	Best complete commercial and artistic display of maple products. No less than 4l of syrup in commercial containers, and not more than 4kg of sugar products. Display not to cover more than 2 lineal feet of table space or be more than 36" high.  Red Ribbon awarded for 1st prize  Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$80, \$70, \$60, \$50			

**Prizes:** \$15, \$13, \$11, \$9, \$7, \$5

	Classes		
1.	Fodder corn, Three stalks		
2.	Best sheaf of oats, 4.5" in diameter		
3.	Best sheaf of barley, 4.5" in diameter		
4.	Best sheaf of wheat, 4.5" in diameter		
5.	First cut hay, Displayed in a large plaxtic bag 60cm X 60cm		
6.	Second cut of hay, Displayed in a large plaxtic bag 60cm X 60cm		
7.	Haylage, from wrapped round bale, Display in Ziplock bag 26.8cm X 27.3cm		
8.	Harvested ripe oats, 1lb in a plastic bag		
9.	Corn silage, Displayed in large Ziplock bag 26.8cm x 27.3cm		
10.	Soya stalks, 10 stalks, to be hung		

SECTION 940: Eggs

**Prizes:** \$6, \$5, \$5, \$3, \$2, \$1

	Classes		
1.	Farm grown chicken eggs- brown, extra large, 1 dozen, not commercial		
2.	Farm grown chicken eggs- brown, large, 1 dozen, not commercial		
3.	Farm grown chicken eggs- white, extra large, 1 dozen, not commercial		
4.	Farm grown chicken eggs- white, large, 1 dozen, not commercial		
5.	Small basket of 12 different kinds, sizes and colour of eggs		

## **SECTION 950:**

## **Christmas Decor**

**Prizes:** \$15, \$13, \$11, \$9, \$7, \$5

Classes				
1.	Christmas wreath made from natural boughs, No artificial decorations			
2.	2. Christmas tree, Up to 7' with bow. With a base that can stand on its own			

## **TROPHIES**

Section 920 – Maple

Most points Brome County

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Section 920 – Maple

**Most Points** 

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Section 910 – Honey

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#### **SANBORN TROPHY**



## FARM PRODUCE PRODUIT DE LA FERME 2023

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Je reconnais avoir pris connaissance des règlements de l'Expo Brome et je m'engage à m'y conformer et à en respecter toutes les conditions.  I have read the Brome Fair rules and regulations and agree to abide by and comply with all conditions.  Signature  Date								
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