

ADVANCE PRIZE LIST

Shedden Fair

35921 Talbot Line, Shedden

August 22nd & 23rd, 2026

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Class 5 – Roots & Vegetables

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Superintendent: Don Miller (519) 764-2854

Sponsor: Shedden Agricultural Society

*****MUST BE GROWN BY EXHIBITOR*****

NOTE: Exhibit hall will be closed at 4:15 p.m. for fair board staff to prepare entries for removal at 4:30 p.m. by exhibitors.

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

1. Three (3) white potatoes – not washed
2. Three (3) red potatoes – not washed
3. Three (3) yellow potatoes – not washed
4. Three (3) yellow beans
5. Three (3) green beans
6. Three (3) beans – any other colour
7. Three (3) beets – 2” stem attached
8. Three (3) beets – round long 2” stems attached
9. Three (3) yellow globe onions – unpeeled
10. Three (3) Spanish onions – unpeeled
11. Three (3) red tomatoes – stems attached
12. Three (3) green tomatoes – stems attached
13. Three (3) orange/yellow tomatoes – stems attached
14. Cherry tomatoes – one (1) pint box
15. Three (3) garden carrots – 2” stems attached
16. One (1) eggplant
17. Three (3) ears of corn – any variety, with open husk and stems attached
18. Three (3) ears of corn – ornamental with open husk and stems attached
19. Three (3) red sweet peppers – stems attached
20. Three (3) green sweet peppers – stems attached
21. Three (3) yellow sweet peppers – stems attached

22. Three (3) purple sweet peppers – stems attached
23. Three (3) orange sweet peppers – stems attached
24. Three (3) any colour hot peppers – stems attached
25. Two (2) dill stalks – in water
26. Three (3) cucumbers – table use
27. Pickling cucumbers – one (1) pint box
28. One (1) sunflower (head with seeds)
29. One (1) head cabbage - red
30. One (1) head cabbage – white
31. One (1) watermelon
32. One (1) muskmelon
33. Two (2) kohlrabi
34. One (1) zucchini
35. Five (5) gourds – same variety
36. One (1) table squash – Hubbard with stem attached
37. One (1) table squash – Pepper with stem attached
38. One (1) table squash – Buttercup with stem attached
39. One (1) table squash – Butternut with stem attached
40. One (1) table squash – Dumpling with stem attached
41. One (1) table squash – Sweet Potatoes with stem attached
42. One (1) head broccoli
43. Three (3) garlic – show with ¼” roots and ½” stems
44. Display of five (5) different fresh garden produce
45. Little Herb Garden – four (4) different herbs
46. Fair bounty using fruits, flowers, and vegetables displayed in a container. Exhibitors will receive \$15.00 in 1st, \$12.00 in 2nd and \$10.00 in 3rd place in memory of Betty & Murray Smith donated by Shedden Agricultural Society

Class 8 – Flower Show

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Superintendent: Myrna Stoss (519) 764-2352

NOTE: Exhibit hall will be closed at 4:15 p.m. for fair board staff to prepare entries for removal at 4:30 p.m. by exhibitors.

Rules & Regulations:

1. Class eight (8) is open to amateurs only and all professional or commercial growers are debarred from competition.
2. Exhibitors must be members of the Shedden Agricultural Society.
3. The recognized standard will be used by the judges as follows: colour – twenty (20) points, stem and foliage – twenty-five (25) points, substance – fifteen (15) points, form – twenty (20) points for a total of a hundred (100) points. In all collections, the quality and effect will be taken into consideration.
4. Where a section calls for a certain number of blooms, plants, spikes, etc., any more or less than that number specified will disqualify the entry automatically. It will be noted that a bud showing colour is classes as a bloom in judging.
5. In all sections calling for a vase, or vases, the vase(s) used shall be a suitable container, to be supplied by the exhibitor, and it shall not be decorated in any way.
6. All exhibitors must be on display before 11:00 a.m. Friday, August 21st, 2026

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7. Exhibitors will not be allowed to inspect other entries until after the judging.
8. The use of wire can be used in the base to support blooms.
9. Only one (1) entry allowed and exhibitor in any one (1) section.
10. Every section has individual entry.
11. Flowers must be grown by the exhibitor.

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Cut Flowers

1. One (1) Rose
2. Miniature Rose – Spray – One (1) stem
3. Single Petunias – Three (3) stems
4. Snapdragons – Three (3) stems

5. Small Marigolds – Three (3) blooms, under 2”
6. Large Marigolds – Three (3) blooms, over 2”
7. Large Dahlia – One (1) bloom, over 3”
8. Small Dahlia – Two (2) bloom, under 3”
9. Any other annual not mentioned above – Three (3) stems, named
10. Geraniums – same colour, Two (2) blooms with own foliage
11. Asters – Three(3) blooms
12. Any bloom - floating
13. Small Zinnias – Three (3) blooms, under 2”
14. Large Zinnias – Three (3) blooms, over 2”
15. Three (3) stems of flowers – different kinds, same colour
16. Spider Plant – pot no larger than 8”
17. Indoor Flowering plant - One (1) plant in bloom, pot no larger than 8”
18. Sunrise – a floral arrangement in appropriate colours
19. “It’s a Party” – flowers and accessories for an 8 year old girls birthday
20. “Roadside Ramble” – roadside flowers and grasses, etc, pot no larger than 10”
21. “Butterflies” – a vase of mixed flowers to attract butterflies
22. Collection of nine (9) Hosta leaves in container – at least three (4) different varieties
23. A bouquet of Pink and Red flowers
24. “Tea Time” - arrangement in a cup and saucer
25. A dish garden of succulents
26. “At the Farm” – cut flowers arranged in or including a farm toy
27. Judges choice – to be chosen by the judge from above entries
28. Exhibitor receiving most points 1 – 15 to receive \$25.00 from St. Thomas and District Horticultural Society
29. Exhibitor receiving most points 16 – 27 to receive gift card donated by Williams Funeral Home
30. Exhibitor entering the most entries will receive \$25.00 in memory of Elsie Campbell donated by Janis Harris (Harris Flower Farm)

Class 9 – Culinary Arts

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Superintendent: Deanna Cole (519) 764-2549

Committee: Karen Telford, Marilyn Carroll

Entries **MUST** be in by 11:00 a.m. Friday, August 21st, 2026. Removed Saturday, August 22nd, 2026 at 4:30 p.m.

NOTE: Exhibit hall will be closed at 4:15 p.m. for fair board staff to prepare entries for removal at 4:30 p.m. by exhibitors.

Rules & Regulations

1. All culinary art entries to be made by the exhibitor
2. All baking must be in clear plastic bags large enough for easy removals. Any iced cakes can be in a foil pan with lid.
3. All entry tags to be securely fastened to the **outside** of each exhibit opposite of open end. Open end to securely closed with Ziploc or twist tie.
4. Cakes to be placed on a firm base, no larger than one-inch (1") larger than the size of the actual article. All cakes to be right side up.
5. All pies are to be in nine-inch (20.3 cm) foil plates. Tempering plates at four hundred degrees Fahrenheit (400°F) for fifteen (15) minutes will ensure the crust is cooked.
6. All entries on foil, Styrofoam or paper plate unless otherwise stated.
7. Yeast bread to be previous day's baking on standard seven-inch (7") or nine-inch (9") pan, displayed on foil or paper tray.
8. No sticky or soft icings or whipped cream. No ready mixes or prepared fillings.
9. Buns are baked together, rolls baked separately.
10. Biscuits are baked separately.
11. No paper liners are to be used.
12. Cookies must be no larger than **three-inches (3")** and no smaller than **two-inches (2")**.
13. Squares to be cut 1 ½" x 1 ½"
14. Any special with no entry will be considered a donation to the fair.
15. No cannabis or like products in baking.

Breads, Rolls & Muffins

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

1. One (1) loaf, white bread – **NOT** made in a bread machine
2. Five (5) tea biscuits
3. One (1) banana loaf – no nuts
4. One (1) lemon loaf, glazed
5. Five (5) morning glory muffins
6. Five (5) scones with raisins

Cakes, Cookies & Candies

7. Five (5) oatmeal date filled cookies
8. Five (5) peanut butter cookies
9. Five (5) unbaked cookies – any kind
10. Five (5) oatmeal chocolate chip cookies
11. Five (5) squares made with cereal – any kind
12. Five (5) pieces fudge – any kind (1 ½” x 1 ½”)
13. Cookie mix in a jar (dry ingredients only) layered – to be given as a gift
Appearance only to be judged, with recipe attached

Pies & Tarts

14. Apple pie with spice and crumb top
15. Raisin pie double crust
16. Two (2) fruit pie – fruit to be named
17. Blueberry pie double crust
18. Five (5) butter tarts with raisins

Canned Goods

To use mason pints (500 ml) or jelly jars (250 ml), seal and ring to be included. Jars that are not sealed will be disqualified.

19. One (1) jar bread and butter pickles
20. One (1) jar dill pickles
21. One (1) jar sweet pickles – any kind
22. One (1) jar relish – your choice

- 23. One (1) jar raspberry jam – cooked
- 24. One (1) jar peach jam – cooked
- 25. One (1) jar of two (2) fruit jams (one (1) fruit to be rhubarb)
- 26. One (1) jar red pepper jelly
- 27. One (1) jar any other kind of jam not listed above – recipe **MUST** be attached

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Sponsored Entries 28 - 30

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

- 28. One (1) loaf of pumpkin bread
- 29. Five (5) rhubarb muffins
- 30. Five (5) corn meal muffin

OAAS Maple Syrup Competition

Entry must be solely the person/family entering the competition

- 31. Two (2) curved Kent style glass bottles (D&G # 505188 syrup bottle with handle) 250ml or equivalent

- 1) Canada Grade A
- 2) Amber

OAAS Liquid Honey Competition

Entry must be solely the person/family entering the competition

Exhibitors of honey must be registered beekeepers and exhibits shown by them must be pure honey from floral sources in their apiaries

- 32. Liquid honey shall consist of two(2) clear glass containers of 500 grams (375ml)

OAAS Butter Tarts Competition

- 33. Six (6) butter tarts – with raisins (no nuts, no fruit) – No bought tart shells

Specials

Prize: 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

34. Double crust raspberry pie (to donor) – donated by Jeff Cole \$20.00
35. Double crust raisin pie (to donor) – donated by Maxine Lampman \$15.00
36. Double crust blueberry pie (to donor) – donated by Rob Lampman \$15.00
37. Double crust apple pie, (to donor) – donated by Doreen Verbune \$20.00
38. Thirteen (13) butter tarts plain (to donor) – donated by Stewart Livestock \$25.00
39. Pumpkin pie (to donor) – donated by Miller Livestock \$25.00
40. Thirteen (13) Brownies, iced, NO NUTS (to donor) – donated by Koyle Farms \$25.00
41. Carrot cake, square pan, cream cheese icing (to donor) – donated by Marlene Carroll \$20.00
42. Double crust rhubarb (to donor) – donated by Sandy Lynch \$20.00
43. Double crust elderberry (to donor) – donated by Ray Lunn \$25.00
44. Double crust cherry pie (to donor) – donated by Sandy Lynch – in memory of Florence Cole. \$25.00
45. Thirteen (13) date squares (to donor) – donated by Helen Lynch \$30.00
46. Double crust peach pie (to donor) – donated by J & B McArthur \$25.00
47. Rhubarb Cake 9"x13", iced (to donor) – donated by Jo Ann Galbraith \$20.00
48. Carrot cake, 9x13", iced (to donor) – donated by Shirley Longhurst \$20.00
49. Apple pie crumb top, (to donor) – donated by Bill Leitch \$20.00
50. Decorated chocolate layer cake for birthday(to donor)–donated by J&C McArthur \$30.00

Class 10 – Home & Hand Crafts

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Committee: Sandy Molnar (519) 631-6141, Rosemary Player

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OAAS Annual Hand Quilted Championship Quilt

Eligibility, Rule & Conditions

General Conditions

- A. Entries must be solely made and hand quilted by the exhibitor and exhibited and judged at a local Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies (OAAS) to be eligible for this competition.
- B. Entry quilts must be a minimum of 280” measured on the perimeter (smaller quilts will not be eligible to proceed to the next level of competition)
- C. The winner’s name and pattern to be displayed at the Fair on sign provided by OAAS.
- D. Judging will occur at the local fairs and district levels. A Provincial Grand Champion Quilt will be selected at the Annual OAAS Convention.
- E. Upon making an entry into the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies Quilt Competition, the Exhibitor agrees to participate in any promotional activities related to the competition.
- F. The winning Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies Champion Quilt will not be eligible to compete in any future District and/or Convention OAAS competition.

OAAS Machine Quilted Competition

Rules for quilts

- A. All entries must be made or completed since 2024 or 2025.
- B. All entries to be the exhibitor’s own work.
- C. The quilting must be through all three layers (top, batting, back) and not be mounted on a frame. The quilt may have a sleeve attached to the back for the purpose of hanging the quilt.
- D. The winning OAAS Machine Quilt will not be eligible to compete in any future OAAS fair district and/or provincial competitions.
- E. It is exhibitor’s responsibility to give credit to the original designer of the quilt pattern based on copyright rules.
- F. The use of domestic, mid arm and/or long arm equipment is permitted on hand or computer guided machine quilt entries.

Prizes 1st – \$16.00 2nd – \$14.00 3rd – \$12.00

OAAS Rules Apply

Hand Quilted

- 1. Pieced
- 2. Appliqué
- 3. Cross stitch
- 4. Sampler

Machine Quilted

- 1a) Pieced
- 2a) Applique
- 3a) Cross Stitch
- 4a) Sampler

Quilts – Any size

5. Pieced quilt – hand quilted by a group or individual
6. Pieced quilt – by a group or individual machined quilted
7. Quilt as you go quilt
8. Whole cloth – by a group or individual machined quilted
9. Crazy quilt
10. Novelty quilt (T-shirt, ribbon, etc.)
11. Quilt – pre-printed quilt top, machined or hand quilted – Judged on quilting only

Prize 1st – \$10.00 2nd – \$8.00 3rd – \$7.00

12. Quilt top
13. Wall-hanging, ready to hang
14. Table runner, any size and technique
15. Table topper, any size and technique
16. Lap robe, any size and technique
17. Memory quilt – under 50” x 50”

Baby Quilts

Prize: 1st – \$10.00 2nd – \$8.00 3rd – \$7.00

18. Crib quilt – Pieced – hand or machined quilted
19. Crib quilt – Panel only (**no added material**) – hand or machined quilted
20. Crib quilt – Panel with added material – hand or machined quilted

Knitted or Crocheted

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

21. Lap robe – Knitted (any size)
22. Lap robe – Crocheted (any size)
23. Adult Afghan – Knitted larger than 45”x45” approximately
24. Adult Afghan – Crocheted larger than 45”x45”
25. Baby Afghan – Knitted, any size
26. Baby Afghan – Crocheted, any size
27. Adult slippers – Knitted or crocheted
28. Head band – Knitted or crocheted

- 29. Scarf – Knitted or crocheted
- 30. Toy or Doll
- 31. Toque – Knitted or crocheted

Kitchen

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

- 32. Two (2) practical pot holders
- 33. Two (2) kitchen finger towels
- 34. Two (2) decorated tea towels
- 35. Two (2) dish cloths – knitted or crocheted – mounted
- 36. Full apron
- 37. Pillow Case
- 38. Carry all bag – decorated or plain
- 39. One (1) pair oven mitts

Miscellaneous

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

- 40. Article using **blue colours**
- 41. Handcrafted whimsical wreath, any medium, ready to hang
- 42. Decorated jean jacket
- 43. Article for our feathered friends (bird house, feeder, bath, etc.)
- 44. Two (2) quilt blocks, mounted
- 45. Two (2) quilt block - paper piecing, mounted
- 46. Adult's bib
- 47. Cushion – any style – pillow form may be used
- 48. Friendship bracelet
- 49. Diamond dot painting – no larger than 40cm x 50cm (14"x16"), framed
- 50. Article made from denim or camouflage
- 51. Gnome – any medium 15" (38cm) and under
- 52. Design painted on a board – approx. 50" or less (127cm)

53. Have you just completed an excellent piece of work, only to find there is no section to enter it? Then enter it here!

Christmas Corner... All articles for Christmas

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

- 54. Apron
- 55. Two (2) pot holders
- 56. Door decoration – any medium, ready to hang
- 57. Countdown to Christmas calendar – panel or handcrafted
- 58. Snowman – approx. 30" (76cm) – any medium
- 59. Stocking – handcrafted & decorated
- 60. Two (2) Christmas Ornaments
- 61. Christmas scene in a glass container
- 62. Christmas table centrepiece – any medium
- 63. Fabric runner – any size
- 64. Christmas gift wrapped in other than paper

Scrapbooking – One page Depicting

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

- 65. Wedding
- 66. Vacation
- 67. Birthday
- 68. Family
- 69. Grandchild(ren)
- 70. Hobby
- 71. Pets
- 72. Memory page

Paper Crafts

All cards require an envelope and verse

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

73. Thank you card

74. Christmas card

75. Birthday card

76. Any occasion card

77. Thinking of you card

78. Diamond dot card

Art

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

All entry signatures must be covered with something more than the entry tag

79. Pencil, pin charcoal or pastel sketch

80. Drawing of your choice

81. Flower or Flowers - watercolour

82. Scene, your choice, any medium

83. Wildlife any medium

84. Scene somewhere in Southwold Township named, any medium

Class 12 – Photography – Must be Mounted

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Superintendent: Dan O'Connor (519) 764-2107

Sponsored by the Shedden Agricultural Society

Photo to have 1" border

All photo's to be taken by the exhibitor and only one (1) entry per class section

Please place entry tag on lower right hand corner close to picture

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1. Flower
2. Bush in flower
3. Spider web
4. Close up of any insect
5. Selfie – photo taken of self
6. My favourite holiday
7. Grandparent(s) and grandchild(ren) working together
8. Clouds
9. Reflection
10. Bird
11. Sunset
12. Rural scene
13. Farm animal(s)
14. Moon
15. Farm tractor
16. Birthday party
17. Colour red in a garden
18. Child(ren) with pet(s)
19. Sun & fun
20. Our little farmer
21. A shadow
22. Under construction
23. Action shot

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Class 13 – Adult Hobbies

Friday, August 21st, 2026

Superintendent: Shirley Longhurst (519) 764-2939

Rules:

Must be 55 years of age or older to enter

Articles must be at least 50 years old.

Sponsored by Middlemarch Women's Institute and Shedden Agricultural Society.

Prize: 1st – \$7.00 2nd – \$6.00 3rd – \$5.00

1. Costume jewellery – 1 necklace, mounted
2. One (1) Greeting card
3. School report card
4. Pie Tin
5. One (1) Small Kitchen gadget
6. Postcard - mounted
7. Bible

Any enquiries regarding the Advance List, call 519-764-2939