-MAKERS-EXHIBITION

2018

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Entry Fees & Registration

Entry registration can be completed online starting in early June. Entries close at 11:59 pm on July 11, 2018. Additional entries from pre-registered exhibitors can be added on site during Move In. Entry fees are non-refundable but can be transferred to an entry in a different class or to an individual in the same household.

Entry Fees: \$1.00 per entry

Youth Classes: Free

Exhibitor Registration Fee: \$10.00 (one per exhibitor)

Each exhibitor will receive an exhibitor pass and grounds map/directions via email by July 13. Exhibitor passes must be presented upon arrival during designated move in/move out times to gain access to the grounds. Each exhibitor will also receive one complimentary K-Days General Admission One Day Pass which will be distributed upon check in of exhibits and can be used any one day of K-Days 2018.

Competition	Public Viewing	Move In	Judging	Move Out
Art	July 20 - 29	July 14 & 15 Noon – 5 pm	July 17 10 am – 3 pm	July 30 9 am - Noon
Foods & Horticulture	July 20 - 22	July 20 7 am - 9 am	July 20 9:30 am - Noon	July 23 9 am - 11 am

Donations & Sales

Exhibitors are invited to designate any entry in the "Art" Division as for sale or donation. Items will be advertised as such during public viewing and included in a live auction on July 22 at 5 pm in Hall B. Reserve bids are allowed. Northlands will retain 10% of the sale price (or reserve price for items not sold) as commission. The proceeds from the sale of all donated items will be allocated towards Agriculture Education initiatives. Purchased items will be available for pick up by the purchaser during Move Out on July 30.

Help Us Reduce Food Waste

In an effort to reduce food waste, Northlands will be providing disposal bins onsite during move out of Foods and Horticulture entries. Exhibitors can choose to deposit their entries in these bins to be used on the Northlands Urban Farm as compost or feed for our hens.

Judging Standards Handbooks

The Judging Standard Handbooks for Horticulture and for Foods, Sewing & Handicrafts can be ordered from:

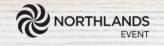
Alberta Agriculture and Food

Publication Office, 7000 - 113 Street, Edmonton, AB T6H 5T6

Phone: 1-800-292-5697 Or Viewed Free Online:

<u>Judging and Exhibiting Standards for Horticultural Shows</u> Judging Standards for Foods, Sewing & Handicrafts

For more information please call 780 471 7300 or email agriculture@northlands.com.





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Prizes & Results

The K-Days Makers Exhibition shall use the Danish System of Judging. As many 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons as merited shall be awarded in each class. However no ribbon will be awarded if the items in a class fail to meet a reasonable level of achievement. Exhibition officials reserve the right to not display entries that fail to meet a reasonable level of achievement.

First Place \$6 Red Ribbon 3 points Second Place \$4 Blue Ribbon 2 points Third Place \$2 White Ribbon 1 point * All youth entries will also receive a participation ribbon*

Results will be posted online by July 22.

Prize money less than \$20 will be paid in cash during move out. If an exhibitor does not pick up their prize money (under \$20) by 11 am on July 30, it will be donated to agriculture education initiatives. Cheques will be issued for prize money \$20 and over and mailed out by September 15. Cheques not cashed by October 31 will be cancelled with funds considered a donation to agricultural education initiatives.

Best of Section- the top entries in each class of an adult section will be judged against each other to determine the "Best of Section". The Best of Section Winner will receive a Best of Section rosette plus cash and other fun prizes. (Photography, Painting & Drawing, Hobbies & Crafts, Thread Art, Baking, Preserves, Cut Flowers, Floral Arrangements, Potted Plants, & Produce)

Best of Section Youth- the top entries in each class of a youth section will be judged against each other to determine the "Best of Section" for each age category – Primary, Elementary, and Junior. The Best of Section Winner for each age category will receive a Best of Section rosette plus cash and other fun prizes. (Photography, Painting & Drawing, Hobbies & Crafts, Thread Art (except Primary), Foods, & Horticulture)

Division Aggregates- exhibitors will receive points as outlined in the table above for each placing awarded to them. The exhibitor with the highest number of points in each division- Art, Food, & Horticulture- will be awarded the Division Aggregate Prize which includes a Champion Ribbon plus cash and other fun prizes. Only points awarded in adult classes will be used in calculation for these prizes.

Youth Aggregates- youth exhibitors will receive points as outlined in the table above for each placing awarded to them. The exhibitor with the highest number of points in each age category- Primary, Elementary, and Junior- will be awarded the Youth Aggregate Prize which includes a Champion Ribbon plus cash and other fun prizes. Only points awarded in youth classes will be used in calculation for these prizes.

Family Aggregate-awarded to the family with the highest number of points (cumulative total from all members of the same household). Winners will receive a Champion Ribbon plus cash and other fun prizes. Families must register during check in to be eligible for this award. Cheque will be issued to the individual with the highest number of points.

Overall Aggregate- awarded to the individual with the highest number of total points across all adult divisions. The winner will receive a Champion Ribbon plus cash and other fun prizes. Only points awarded in adult classes will be used in calculations for this prize.

In the event of a tie for any aggregate prize, the exhibitor with the highest number of 1st place entries will be deemed to be the winner.





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General Rules

Please read directions carefully for each section and class (regarding dimensions, size, quantity of items required, etc). Failure to follow directions may result in the item being disqualified. **Exhibitors must notify the organizers of any entries exceeding 18" x 24" dimensions to ensure sufficient space.**

The K-Days Makers Exhibition is for amateur enthusiasts to portray their work. Exhibitors are restricted to individuals who earn less than 50% of their income from their endeavors.

Exhibitors may reside anywhere, not just in Edmonton. Unless otherwise noted, produce and cut flower entries must be grown in Alberta, north of Red Deer.

All exhibitors MUST be the bona fide maker or grower of their exhibits. The use of commercially produced or grown products will result in the forfeiture of ALL prizes won by exhibitor.

Only Judges and designated exhibition officials are allowed in the Exhibit Area during Judging. Judges will be selected from a pool of qualified individuals as determined by Northlands with input from the appropriate professional organization.

All entries must arrive during the move in time noted. Organizers reserve the right to refuse entries that arrive after the designated time. Entries must be removed during the designated move out time. Entries not picked up during this time become the property of Northlands. Removal of entries by the exhibitor prior to the designated move out time will result in the forfeiture of all prize monies.

Youth entries will be divided into 3 separate sections: Primary (8 years old and younger), Elementary (9 to 12 years old), and Junior (13 to 17 years old). All ages are as of the first day of K-Days.

Youth are welcome to compete in any adult section, provided they exhibit a unique entry in each class. (ie. a single recipe cannot be used in multiple categories, the same photograph cannot be entered twice)

All entries must have official exhibition tags attached. Tags will be available during Move In.

Unless otherwise specified, exhibitors may submit a maximum of two (2) entries per class, provided each entry is unique. Exhibits are to be entered under only one name, with the exception of the group quilt class.

Entries containing scenes of violence, nudity, or sexually suggestive content will not be accepted.

All exhibits must have been made within the past two years and not previously been entered in the K-Days Makers Exhibition. Exceptions apply to houseplants only.

Organizers reserve the right to combine classes due to insufficient entries or divide classes with extensive entries into multiple classes. Organizers may also move an entry if it better fits in another class.

Interpretation of all rules shall be made by exhibition officials, whose decision shall be final. Should any question arise not provided for in the Rules and Regulations, the decision of the exhibition officials shall be final. The right to alter, interpret, amend, add to or cancel any of these rules, or to grant relaxation from them in individual cases is reserved to the exhibition officials.

All properties of exhibitors entered for competition shall be subject to control of the organizers, but in no case shall Northlands be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury of any nature to any such property while in Northlands possession. Organizers will take reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of articles, but property owners should make their own arrangements for coverage against loss, damage



