

# SPECIAL CONTESTS

## SUPERINTENDENT

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## Project G-Street

Pick Up Materials:

– August 3rd - 9th, 2024 during store hours

Sew at the Fair:

– Saturday, Aug. 10, 2024 in Heritage Building  
see page 176-177 for details

## Amateur Flower Arranging

*Sponsored by Bell Flowers*

Sunday, Aug. 11, 2024, 10am - Noon

Location: Heritage Building

see page 36 for details

## Cheese Carving

Entry Time: Tuesday, Aug. 13 at 10am

Location: 4-H Building Exhibit Room

See below for more information.

## Toilet Decorating Contest

*Sponsored by Stang Plumbing*

Location: Building #3

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## Ag Education Display Contest

Entry Deadline: Thursday, July 20

Judging: Monday, Aug. 12 beginning at 10am

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## YOU BE THE JUDGE

### CHILDREN'S WINTER HATS

In celebration of the 75th fair and the 27th year of the You Be the Judge Contest, the Montgomery County Agricultural Fair invites all Montgomery County Residents to enter a special contest.

#### RULES TO ENTER THE CONTEST

1. Children's Winter Hats must be made by the exhibitor.
2. Hats can be Crocheted, Knitted, Felted, Woven, or Sewn.
3. Hats should be able to fit a child's head.
4. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Gillis at 301-869-0766.
5. All entries become the property of the Montgomery County Agricultural Fair and will be donated to local area charities.

#### ENTRY TIMES

- Bring your items to the Home Arts Building (top of Building 6) during normal fair registration hours.
- Thursday August 8th from 2PM to 8PM or Friday August 9th from 2PM to 8PM

#### VOTING AND JUDGING

1. General Public voting will be held from Sunday, August 11 thru Wednesday, August 14 from 11AM to 9PM.
2. Winners will be notified by phone by end of day Friday, August 16.

A special awards presentation will be held in the Home Arts Building On Saturday August 17 at 7PM.

A SPECIAL AWARD IS DONATED BY A FRIEND OF THE FAIR TO THE EXHIBITOR WHO DONATES THE MOST CHILDREN'S HATS TO THE CONTEST.

## CHEESE CARVING CONTEST



Tuesday, August 13, at 10:30am  
4-H Building Exhibit Room

Come and show your artistic side and create a masterpiece with cheese!! The Fair will provide you with a two pound slab of cheese to carve your creation. You will be given 30 minutes to carve, some of the categories given for carving are Most Imaginative, Most Fair Related, Most Dairy Related, etc. Everyone gets a ribbon. Afterwards, visit The Big Cheese Booth to have one of the Fair's famous grilled cheese sandwiches! Your artwork displayed in the cheese display case located where the contest was held.

To register - call Debbie Malone at 301-972-0063  
or e-mail [dandrmalone@aol.com](mailto:dandrmalone@aol.com).

*Deadline for Registering is July 27, 2024*

1. Number of participants is limited to 12.
2. Must be an amateur carver.
3. Fair will provide a block of cheese, bring your own tools (example: paring knife, etc.)
4. You are welcome to come and get your sculpture the Sunday after Fair ends in the 4-H Building.
5. Participants must be at least 12 years old.
6. A confirmation letter will be mailed prior to the event to all participants stating confirmed time, location and instructions.

# TOILET & TOILET SEAT DECORATING CONTEST

Sponsored by:

## **STANG PLUMBING & HEATING**

### Rules:

1. All toilets and toilet seats must be cleaned and sanitized.
2. Toilets and toilet seats will not be furnished by the Fair.
3. Entries can be pre-registered using the form below and mailed to:  
Montgomery County Agricultural Fair  
Attn: Special Contest (Toilet Decorating)  
16 Chestnut Street, Gaithersburg, MD 20877
4. Entries are open to all residents of Montgomery County and Life Members of the Fair.
5. All entries must be able to withstand all types of weather, as they will be displayed outside.
6. Judging will be based on creativity and originality.
7. All entries must be taken to the designated area across from Building 3 on Friday, August 9, from 2 - 8pm. (Please come to the Fair Office and ask for Leslie if you have any questions.)
8. All entries must be picked up on Sunday, August 18, from 1-3 pm. Any entry not picked up by this time becomes the property of the Montgomery County Agricultural Fair.
9. The committee chairperson reserves the right to refuse any objectionable exhibit.

*Toilet Classes: 1 - Fair Theme. 2 - Toilet Theme. Prizes: 1st: \$50, 2nd: \$30, 3rd: \$20, 4th: \$10, 5th: \$10*

*Toilet Seat Classes: 1 - Fair Theme. 2 - Toilet Theme. Prizes: 1st: \$20, 2nd: \$15, 3rd: \$10, 4th: \$5, 5th: \$5*

## **Toilet & Toilet Seat Decorating Contest Entry Form**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (For Office Use Only)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Entry: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Entry: \_\_\_\_\_

### Classes:

Toilet Seat: \_\_\_\_\_ Toilet: \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_ (For Office Use Only)

# 2024 Amateur Flower Arranging Contest

Sponsored by Bell Flowers



- Sunday, Aug. 11 from 10am - Noon - Heritage Building
- Limited to the first 25 registrants.
- To participate please register with the Fair Office at (301)926-3100 x205, beginning July 1st.
- Flowers & supplies provided by Bell Flowers.
- Bring your own equipment.

All arrangements will be used in The Garden Room of the Heritage for luncheons during the Fair.

For more information call the Fair Office at (301) 926-3100 x205.



## **Proud Sponsor of the Amateur Flower Arranging Contest**

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