

## GENERAL RULES

### WEST HALL DEPARTMENTS

#### Board Members in Charge

*Commissioner Ryan Quarles & Dean Nancy Cox*

1. See General Rules and Regulations of the Kentucky State Fair. Any exhibitor failing to comply with any of the general rules or rules applying to their department will forfeit all premiums won.
2. Please read complete rules for each department you are planning to enter.
3. All entries must be made on official State Fair entry blanks for these departments and postmarked by July 1. Entry fee must accompany entry form. Exhibitors in these departments have the option of entering online. For more information see page 7. To enter online, go to [www.kystatefair.org](http://www.kystatefair.org). Online entries require a credit card. Complete information must be provided.
4. For exhibitors 18 to 54 years of age as of August 1, an \$10.00 departmental fee is required. For senior citizens 55 years of age and over as of August 1, the fee is \$8.00 per department. For youth who have not reached the age of 18 by August 1, the fee is \$6.00 per department. Entries must be postmarked by July 1 or a late fee will be charged.

**LATE ENTRIES:** An entry fee of \$20 per department will be charged for all entries postmarked after July 1. Late entry forms must be received by July 10. No entries will be accepted after that date.

5. Entry acceptance times are strictly enforced. Exhibitors **MUST** have their entries in the correct department by the ending time listed for their entries to be accepted.
6. All times listed are Eastern Standard Time (EST).
7. Entry tags will be mailed out to exhibitors from the Kentucky State Fair Entry Department no later than August 2nd. The exhibitor should place these entry tags on the proper articles. Each exhibitor should retain “claim check” part of entry tag to identify and reclaim article at close of fair.
8. These exhibits will be located in the **WEST HALL**. No exhibitor will be allowed in departments during the judging.
9. Please see specific release times in each department. Please note rules in each department relating to disposal of items.
10. Exhibitors outside Louisville and vicinity may ship entries, postage prepaid, to the Entry Department, Kentucky State Fair, 937 Phillips Lane, Louisville, KY 40209. Entry tags and exhibitor information should be included in package. Shipped articles will not be accepted before Wednesday, August 2 and must arrive not later than Wednesday, August 9. **NOTE:** Some departments have specific shipping/packaging requirements, please read departmental rules carefully.