

CHESHIRE FAIR – Maple Department August 3-6,2023

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Premiums

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
Div. A	\$15.00	\$13.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Div B-G	\$13.00	\$10.00	\$8.00			
Sweepstakes	\$13.00					

Divisions:

- A. SYRUP: In commercial glass 2lb. honey jar.
- B. SUGAR CAKES/CANDY: One half-pound or more in commercial package. (100% maple product in a mold)
- C. MAPLE CREAM: One half-pound or more in commercial glass jar.
- D. DAMP SUGAR: One half-pound or more in commercial package.
- E. MAPLE FUDGE: One half-pound or more in commercial package.
- F. DRY SUGAR: One half-pound or more in commercial package.
- G. JUNIOR DIVISION (entries limited to youth 18 years old and under): One pint (473mL) or more of syrup in unmarked commercial glass container.

SWEEPSTAKES

Winner is based on highest total score on entries in at least four divisions and has placed in the money in at least two divisions.

<u>Note:</u> NH Producers who win 1^{st} , 2^{nd} , or 3^{rd} place in Division A are eligible to compete for the Carlisle Trophy with the New Hampshire Maple Producers Association, based on the eligibility criteria set forth by the NHMPA.

MAPLE RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1. Exhibits to be in place Wednesday, August 2, between 4-7 PM (Sugar House).
- 2. No labels (names, address, etc.) are to be attached to jars.
- 3. Exhibits must be picked up at the end of the fair from the **Sugar House or Monday, August 7 between 6-7 PM at the Cheshire Fair Office**.

EXHIBITION RULES & REGULATIONS

- 1. Maple will be displayed in the Cheshire Fair Sugar House, which is open daily from approximately 9 AM to 9 PM.
- 2. All exhibitors are entitled to purchase 1 (one) pass per department entered at a discount. Vouchers to purchase passes are obtainable from each department superintendent.
- 3. No item may be entered that has been exhibited in any previous year.
- 4. The exhibitor will furnish all containers. The Cheshire Fair Association will not be responsible for loss or damage of containers, so please do not use valuable containers.
- 5. The exhibitor must name all entries. Entry Form below or are available, along with Exhibit Tags, at the Fair Office.
- 6. All decisions by the judges will be final.
- 7. Entries are open to everyone in all departments, except when otherwise stated. (i.e. junior divisions)
- 8. The Cheshire Fair Association will not be responsible for any accident or damage that may occur to persons or property while on the fairgrounds or on the road leading to the fairgrounds.

- 9. Entries must remain for exhibit for the duration of the Fair. Any unauthorized removal of an exhibit will result in loss of premiums. See individual departments for times that exhibits may be picked up.
- 10. Prize money and ribbons not claimed by designated pickup time are forfeited. Items not picked up will be donated to a local charity.
- 11. Entries without competition will be judged on merit to the discretion of the judge in each department.
- 12. Exhibits that could be entered in more than one division will be placed at the discretion of the judge.
- 13. The Cheshire Fair Association reserves the right to prorate or defer premium payments, if necessary, should funds not be available to grant immediate payment.
- 14. Any knowing violation of these rules and the rules of each department will disqualify the exhibitor from premium awards.

EXHIBIT ENTRY FORM

MAPLE

- Please fill out Entry Form in advance. It will save time when you bring your exhibit(s).
- Exhibitor Passes are available for purchase at a discounted rate.
- PLEASE PRINT ALL ENTRIES
- I have read the rules and regulations governing Exhibition Hall Policy and have complied with the rules stated therein.

Signature: _____ Dated: _____

EXHIBITOR'S NAME:	Phone:	_Phone:		
EMAIL:				
STREET:				
DIVISION	NAME OF ARTICLE			