Vegetable & Potato Rules.

1. **Eligibility.** Entries are limited to residents of Minnesota.
   A. **Vegetable divisions.** Open to amateur gardeners only.
      1. **Amateur gardeners.** Persons who, as determined by the department superintendent, grow horticultural products for pleasure and personal use, possibly sell small quantities and who are in no way, directly or indirectly, currently connected with the production or handling of horticultural products commercially.
      2. Those persons whose principal business is growing or selling horticultural products may not show in any vegetable division.

2. **Entries.** Entry deadline Monday, Aug. 15, 2022 at 4:30 p.m.
   A. **Vegetable divisions.**
      1. Only one entry per class per exhibitor.
      2. Only one member from any household or family may make entry in any class.
      3. If there is a specific variety class, that vegetable cannot be entered in any other class.

3. **Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, 10 a.m.** Exhibitor’s meeting with superintendent: "Looking Forward to the Future".

4. **All exhibits.** There will be no sale of potatoes or vegetables at the close of the fair.
   A. **Delivery of exhibits by mail.** Express shipments should be prepaid and addressed to: Superintendent Vegetable and Potato Division, Minnesota State Fair, 1265 Snelling Avenue North, St. Paul, MN 55108. Must be clearly labeled with name of owner-exhibitor and variety.
   B. **Delivery of exhibits during the 12 days of the fair.** Exhibitors delivering items for competition during the fair will be sent parking credentials and instructions for the delivery procedure.
      1. **Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own ticket of admission to the fair.**
   C. **Staging.** All exhibits must be staged by 9 a.m. on the dates specified in each division.
      1. Exhibits will be staged under the direction of the superintendent.
      2. No exhibitor shall change or alter his or her exhibit after the hour designated for the exhibit to be in place until after judging.
   D. **Removal of exhibits.** For food safety reasons, all potatoes, vegetables and home garden collections will be disposed of in a compost recycling bin.
      1. **Exceptions.** Must be picked up by between the hours of 8-9 p.m. Labor Day, unless prior written arrangements have been made with the superintendent.
         a. Largest vegetables.
         b. Decorated pumpkins and squash.
         c. Braided onions, garlic, peppers.
         d. Container gardens.

5. **Potato exhibits.** Exhibits must be this year’s crop and grown in Minnesota by the exhibitor.
   A. Potatoes should be fresh and not previously shown at local fairs or shows.
   B. Tubers should be clean and attractive, uniform in size and shape, free from blemishes and diseases and true to variety name.
   C. Diseased potatoes will be disqualified.
   D. Any exhibit with a variety mixture will be disqualified.
   E. **Labeling.** Each variety must be correctly labeled with variety name.
      1. Potatoes entered in any other white/red/russet must be labeled with variety name.
      2. Labels and pins of a uniform size for this purpose will be furnished by this department and must be used by the exhibitor.

6. **Vegetable exhibits.** Exhibits must be this year’s crop and grown in Minnesota by the exhibitor.
   A. Use no oil or spray to enhance the appearance.
B. **Labeling.** Every sample (not specimen) must be labeled with variety name.
   1. Labels and pins of a uniform size for this purpose will be furnished by this department and must be used by the exhibitor.

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Division 142: Potatoes

Potato Rules.

1. In addition to division rules, exhibitors and exhibits are bound by the overall vegetable and potato department rules.

2. Exhibit delivery and staging.
   A. Delivery. Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022 between 7-9 a.m.
   B. Staging. Staging complete by 9 a.m.

Premiums for Potatoes

Potatoes (unless otherwise listed)
$15 $12 $10 $8
Sweepstakes, Grand and Reserve Champion Potato
$25 $20

Class Listing for Potatoes

Whites

11 Atlantic
   Ten specimens.

12 Shepody
   Ten specimens.

13 Superior
   Ten specimens.

14 Yukon Gold
   Ten specimens.

15 Any other white
   Ten specimens.

Russets

21 Bannock
   Ten specimens.

22 Burbank
   Ten specimens.

23 Norkota
   Ten specimens.

24 Ranger
   Ten specimens.

25 Any other russet
   Ten specimens.

Reds

31 LaSoda
   Ten specimens.

32 Norland
   Ten specimens.

33 Pontiac
   Ten specimens.

34 Viking
   Ten specimens.

35 Any other red
   Ten specimens.

Others

41 Any colored potato
   Ten specimens.
42 Any finger potato
   20 specimens.

Potatoes
45 Grand & Reserve Champion Potato
Division 143: Vegetable Crops Group 1

Vegetables Group 1 Rules.

1. In addition to division rules, exhibitors and exhibits are bound by the overall vegetable and potato department rules.

2. Exhibit delivery and staging.
   A. Vegetable Group 1.
      1. **Delivery.** Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022. 7-9 a.m.
         a. **Staging.** Staging complete by 9 a.m.
         b. **Any class with size requirements.** Measurement will be of the fruit NOT including the stem.
   B. Giant Pumpkin Contest, classes 960 and 961.
      1. **Delivery.** Wednesday, Aug. 24, 2022 between 4-7 p.m.
   C. Container Gardens, classes 995-999.
      1. **Delivery.** Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022 between 7-9 a.m.
         a. **Staging.** Staging complete by 9 a.m.
   D. Pepper ristra, class 972.
      1. **Delivery.** Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022 between 7-9 a.m.
         a. **Staging complete by 9 a.m.**
   E. Largest Vegetable or Potato, classes 920-941.
      1. **Delivery for largest vegetable exhibits exceeding 25 pounds.** Any exhibit heavier than 25 pounds must be delivered Wednesday, Aug. 24, 2022 between 4-7 p.m.
      2. **Delivery for all other largest vegetable exhibits.** Thursday, Aug. 25, 2022 between 7-9 a.m.

Premiums for Vegetable Crops Group 1

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Class Listing for Vegetable Crops Group 1

| Vegetables Group 1                              | 500 Beans, green, filet type |
|                                                 | 6 1/2 inches or less in length. 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 501 Beans, green |
|                                                 | 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 502 Beans, wax |
|                                                 | 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 503 Beans, lima |
|                                                 | 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 504 Beans, purple |
|                                                 | 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 505 Beans, shell, fresh |
|                                                 | In pods. 25 pods. |
|                                                 | 506 Beans, shell, dry |
|                                                 | In pods. 25 pods. |
507 Beans, Romano
25 pods.

508 Beets
One variety, 4 inches or less, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

509 Carrots, large
One variety, over 4 1/2 inches, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

510 Carrots, small
One variety, 4 1/2 inches or less, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

511 Eggplant
Any variety. Three specimens.

512 Ground cherries
In husks. 25 specimens.

513 Gourds
Eight different specimens.

514 Leeks
With tops, properly trimmed. Six specimens.

515 Muskmelon
Oval or round. Three specimens.

516 Summer squash, zucchini type, green
Six specimens.

517 Summer squash, zucchini type, yellow
Six specimens.

518 Summer squash, bush scallop type
5 inches maximum diameter. Six specimens.

519 Summer squash, straightneck, golden
Six specimens.

520 Summer squash, crookneck, golden
Six specimens.

521 Winter squash, Green Hubbard
Three specimens.

522 Winter squash, Blue Hubbard
Three specimens.

523 Winter squash, Golden Hubbard
Three specimens.

524 Winter squash, Buttercup
Three specimens.

525 Winter squash, Turban
Three specimens.

526 Winter squash, Butternut
Three specimens.

527 Winter squash, Acorn type
Three specimens.

528 Winter squash, Banana
Three specimens.

529 Winter squash, Spaghetti
Three specimens.

530 Winter squash, any other named variety
Three specimens.

531 Tomatoes, large, red
2 3/4 inches in diameter or larger, stems off. Six specimens.

532 Tomatoes, small round, red
1 1/2 to 2 1/4 inches in diameter, stems off. 12 specimens.

533 Tomatoes, large round, yellow
One variety. 2 inches in diameter or larger, stems off. Six specimens.
534 Tomatoes, paste
   Stems off. Six specimens.

535 Tomatoes, small pear, red or yellow
   Stems off. 25 specimens.

536 Tomatoes, grape
   Stems off. 25 specimens.

537 Tomatoes, cherry
   1 1/4 inches in diameter or smaller. Stems off. 25 specimens.

538 Tomatoes, plum, red or yellow
   Stems off. 25 specimens.

539 Tomatoes, large heirloom type
   2 1/2 inches in diameter or larger. Stems off. Open pollinated. Six specimens.

540 Tomatoes, small heirloom type
   2 1/4 inches in diameter or smaller. Stems off. Open pollinated. Six specimens.

541 Tomatillo
   Husks on and open. 12 specimens.

542 Pumpkins, small pie type
   Three specimens.

543 Pumpkins, large field type
   Three specimens.

544 Pumpkins, miniature, orange
   4 inches in diameter or smaller. Six specimens.

545 Pumpkins, miniature, any other color
   4 inches in diameter or smaller. Six specimens.

546 Sweet corn
   Fresh with husks. Six ears.

Largest Vegetable or Potato

920 Largest pumpkin (c. pepo)
   Determined by weight.

921 Largest squash (other than banana or scalloped)
   Determined by weight.

922 Largest banana squash
   Determined by weight.

923 Largest scalloped squash
   Circumference measurement. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.

924 Largest tomato, single bloom
   Determined by weight.

925 Largest tomato, mega bloom
   Determined by weight.

926 Largest watermelon
   Determined by weight.

927 Largest zucchini
   Determined by weight.

928 Largest cabbage
   Determined by weight.

929 Longest green bean
   Measured by a straight line from the stem to blossom end. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.

930 Largest potato
   Determined by weight.

931 Largest sunflower head
   Circumference measurement. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.

932 Largest gourd
   Circumference measurement. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.
933 Largest kohlrabi
Determined by weight.

934 Largest cucumber
Determined by weight.

935 Largest rutabaga
Determined by weight.

936 Largest turnip
Determined by weight.

937 Largest table or garden beet
Determined by weight. NO SUGARBEETS.

938 Largest bell pepper
Circumference measurement. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.

939 Largest onion
Determined by weight.

940 Largest carrot
Determined by weight.

941 Longest carrot
Measured from the crown to the end of the dominant central root. In the event of a tie, the heavier specimen will be the winner.

Giant Pumpkin Contest
960 Largest pumpkin, adult entry
Ages 17 years and older. Determined by weight. Must be delivered on Aug. 24, 2022 between 4-7 p.m.

961 Largest pumpkin, youth entry
Age 16 years and younger. Determined by weight. Must be delivered on Aug. 24, 2022 between 4-7 p.m.

Braided Garlic, Onion Ropes & Pepper Ristra
970 Braided garlic rope
Rope should be suitable for hanging; must be braided with tops of bulbs. Cord, twine, or string may be used to finish the rope off for hanging purposes only. Minimum 18 inches long.

971 Braided onion rope
Rope should be suitable for hanging; must be braided with tops of bulbs. Cord, twine, or string may be used to finish the rope off for hanging purposes only. Minimum 18 inches long.

972 Pepper ristra
Peppers strung together from this year's crop, drying for future use. Minimum 18 inches long or wreath with 18 inches circumference.

Decorative Pumpkins & Squash
980 Scarred pumpkin or winter squash
Scarring is healed-over cuts made on a growing pumpkin or squash in the field. No carving, painting, or other decorations permitted.

981 Decorated pumpkins or summer or winter squash, adult entry
Ages 17 years and older. At least two of the following three techniques must be used: carving, painting, or other decorative measures. No other restrictions.

982 Decorated pumpkins or summer or winter squash, youth entry
Ages 16 years and younger. At least two of the following three techniques must be used: carving, painting, or other decorative measures. No other restrictions.

Container Gardens
995 Herb Garden
Five or more different types of growing kitchen or culinary herbs in a suitable container. Must not include multiples of same type, must be properly labeled. Container no larger than 24 inches high and 14 inches in diameter, or 6 inches wide and 36 inches long. Judged Sunday, Aug. 28, 2022.

996 Tomato Garden

997 Pepper Garden

998 Eggplant Garden
999 Okra Garden

Division 144: Vegetable Crops Group 2

Vegetable Crops Group 2 Rules

1. In addition to division rules, exhibitors and exhibits are bound by the overall vegetable and potato department rules.

2. Exhibit delivery and staging.
   A. Delivery. Sunday, Aug. 28, 2022. 7-9 a.m.
   B. Staging. Staging complete by 9 a.m.
   C. Any class with size requirements. Measurement will be of the fruit NOT including the stem.

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Class Listing for Vegetable Crops Group 2

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618 Onions, globe, yellow  
*Cured, 1-2 inch stem. Six specimens.*

619 Onions, flat, red  
*Cured, 1-2 inch stem. Six specimens.*

620 Onions, flat, white  
*Cured, 1-2 inch stem. Six specimens.*

621 Onions, flat, yellow  
*Cured, 1-2 inch stem. Six specimens.*

622 Onions, small pickling  
*Any type or variety. Cured, 1-2 inch stem. 25 specimens.*

623 Peppers, large sweet, bell type, green  
*Six specimens.*

624 Peppers, large sweet, bell type, any other color  
*Six specimens.*

625 Peppers, poblano  
*Six specimens.*

626 Peppers, sweet, Cubanelle type  
*Six specimens.*

627 Peppers, heart-shaped, pimento type  
*Six specimens.*

628 Peppers, tomato type  
*Six specimens.*

629 Peppers, small, cherry type  
*12 specimens.*

630 Peppers, mini bells  
*12 specimens.*

631 Peppers, hot Anaheim chile type  
*Six specimens.*

632 Peppers, jalapeño type  
*12 specimens.*

633 Peppers, long cayenne type, large  
*6 1/2 inches and longer, 12 specimens.*

634 Peppers, long cayenne type, small  
*6 inches or smaller, 12 specimens.*

635 Peppers, Hungarian wax type or banana, sweet or hot  
*Six specimens.*

636 Peppers, small hot, large  
*2 inches or longer. 12 specimens.*

637 Peppers, small hot, small  
*1 3/4 inches or smaller. 12 specimens.*

638 Peppers, Thai, large  
*3 inches and longer. 25 specimens.*

639 Peppers, Thai, small  
*2 3/4 inches and smaller. 25 specimens.*

640 Peppers, habanero or Scotch bonnet  
*12 specimens.*

641 Peppers, serrano type  
*12 specimens.*

642 Broccoli  
*Three specimens.*
Home Garden Collection

Eight kinds of garden vegetables. Staged on plates. Flowers, special decorations or staging accessories not permitted. Suggested list and number of specimens: beans (25 pods); peppers (same as class); beets, carrots, cucumber, kohlrabi, onions, parsnips, sweet corn, large type tomatoes (6 specimens); summer squash (3 specimens); broccoli, eggplant, leeks (2 specimens); cabbage, cauliflower, melon, pumpkin or winter squash (1 specimen). If you wish to use other garden vegetables, contact the department superintendent at vegmanmn@aol.com.
Division 145: Vegetable Crops Group 3

Vegetable Crops Group 3 Rules

1. In addition to division rules, exhibitors and exhibits are bound by the overall vegetable and potato department rules.

2. Exhibit delivery and staging.
   A. Delivery. Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2022. 7-9 a.m.
   B. Staging. Staging complete by 9 a.m.
   C. Any class with size requirements. Measurement will be of the fruit NOT including the stem.

Premiums for Vegetable Crops Group 3

Vegetable Crops (unless otherwise listed)
$6 $5 $4 $3

Scarred and Decorated pumpkins or squash (classes 980-982, 990-992)
$10 $8 $5 $0

Class Listing for Vegetable Crops Group 3

Vegetables Group 3

700 Beans, green, filet type
   6 1/2 inches or less in length. 25 pods.

701 Beans, green
   25 pods.

702 Beans, wax
   25 pods.

703 Beans, lima
   25 pods.

704 Beans, purple
   25 pods.

705 Beans, shell, fresh
   In pods. 25 pods.

706 Beans, shell, dry
   In pods. 25 pods.

707 Beans, Romano
   25 pods.

708 Beans, Edamame
   25 pods.

709 Beets
   One variety, 4 inches or less, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

710 Carrots, large
   One variety, over 4 1/2 inches, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

711 Carrots, small
   One variety, 4 1/2 inches and less, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

712 Celeriac
   With tops. Three specimens.

713 Sweet corn
   Fresh with husks. Six ears.

714 Eggplant
   Any variety. Three specimens.

715 Hamburg parsley
   With tops. Three specimens.

716 Leeks
   With tops, properly trimmed. Six specimens.

717 Muskmelon
   Oval or round. Three specimens.
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718 Okra
6 inches or less. 12 specimens.

719 Parsnips
One variety, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

720 Salsify
One variety, tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

721 Summer squash, zucchini type, green
Six specimens.

722 Summer squash, zucchini type, yellow
Six specimens.

723 Summer squash, bush scallop type
5 inches maximum diameter. Six specimens.

724 Summer squash, straightneck, golden
Six specimens.

725 Summer squash, crookneck, golden
Six specimens.

726 Tomatoes, large, red
2 3/4 inches in diameter or larger, stems off. Six specimens.

727 Tomatoes, small round, red
1 1/2 to 2 1/4 inches in diameter, stems off. 12 specimens.

728 Tomatoes, large round, yellow
One variety. 2 inches in diameter or larger, stems off. Six specimens.

729 Tomatoes, paste
Stems off. Six specimens.

730 Tomatoes, small pear
Stems off. 25 specimens.

731 Tomatoes, cherry
1 1/4 inches in diameter or smaller, stems off. 25 specimens.

732 Tomatoes, plum
Stems off. 25 specimens.

733 Tomatoes, large heirloom type
2 inches in diameter or larger, stems off. Open pollinated. Six specimens.

734 Tomatoes, small heirloom type
1 3/4 inches in diameter or smaller, stems off. Open pollinated. Six specimens.

735 Tomatoes, grape
Stems off. 25 specimens.

736 Tomatillo
Husks on and open. 12 specimens.

Decorative Pumpkins and Squash

990 Scarred pumpkin or winter squash
Scarring is healed-over cuts made on a growing pumpkin or squash in the field. No carving, painting, or other decorations permitted.

991 Decorated pumpkins or summer or winter squash, adult entry
Ages 17 years and older. At least two of the following three techniques must be used: carving, painting, or other decorative measures. No other restrictions.

992 Decorated pumpkins or summer or winter squash, youth entry
Ages 16 years and younger. At least two of the following three techniques must be used: carving, painting, or other decorative measures. No other restrictions.
Division 146: Vegetable Crops Group 4

Vegetable Crops Group 4 Rules

1. In addition to division rules, exhibitors and exhibits are bound by the overall vegetable and potato department rules.

2. Exhibit delivery and staging.
   A. Delivery. Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022. 7-9 a.m.
   B. Staging. Staging complete by 9 a.m.
   C. Any class with size requirements. Measurement will be of the fruit NOT including the stem.

Premiums for Vegetable Crops Group 4

Vegetable Crops (unless otherwise listed)

$6 $5 $4 $3

Sweepstakes, Vegetable Crops

$25 $20 $15 $12 $0

Home Garden Collection

$25 $20 $18 $15 $10

Class Listing for Vegetable Crops Group 4

Vegetables Group 4

800 Cabbage, flat, green
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

801 Cabbage, round, green
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

802 Cabbage, pointed, green
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

803 Cabbage, red
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

804 Cabbage, Savoy
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

805 Cabbage, Chinese
  Any variety, with 3-4 wrapped leaves. Three specimens.

806 Cucumbers, slicing
  6 inches or larger. Six specimens.

807 Cucumbers, large pickling
  4 to 5 inches long. 12 specimens.

808 Cucumbers, small pickling
  2 to 3 inches long. 12 specimens.

809 Cucumbers, English type
  10 inches or longer. Six specimens.

810 Cucumbers, lemon type
  Six specimens.

811 Cucumbers, any other type
  Six specimens.

812 Kale
  Three specimens.

813 Kohlrabi, green
  Tops trimmed 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

814 Kohlrabi, purple
  Tops trimmed 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

815 Brussels sprouts
  Tops trimmed, 12-14 inch stalk. One specimen.

816 Celery
  With tops. Three specimens.
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817 Peppers, large sweet, bell type, green
   Six specimens.

818 Peppers, large sweet, bell type, any other color
   Six specimens.

819 Peppers, poblano
   Six specimens.

820 Peppers, sweet, Cubanelle type
   Six specimens.

821 Peppers, heart-shaped, pimento type
   Six specimens.

822 Peppers, tomato type
   Six specimens.

823 Peppers, small, cherry type
   12 specimens.

824 Peppers, hot Anaheim chile type
   Six specimens.

825 Peppers, jalapeño type
   12 specimens.

826 Peppers, long cayenne type, large
   6 1/2 inches and longer. 12 specimens.

827 Peppers, long cayenne type, small
   6 inches or smaller, 12 specimens.

828 Peppers, Hungarian wax type or banana, sweet or hot
   Six specimens.

829 Peppers, small hot, large
   2 inches or larger. 12 specimens.

830 Peppers, small hot, small
   1 3/4 inches or smaller. 12 specimens.

831 Peppers, Thai, large
   3 inches and longer. 25 specimens.

832 Peppers, Thai, small
   2 3/4 inches and smaller. 25 specimens.

833 Peppers, habanero or Scotch bonnet
   12 specimens.

834 Peppers, mini bells
   12 specimens.

835 Peppers, serrano type
   12 specimens.

836 Radish, winter type
   Tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

837 Rutabaga
   Tops and roots trimmed to 1-2 inches. Three specimens.

838 Sweet potatoes
   Six specimens.

839 Turnips
   Tops and roots trimmed. 1-2 inches. Six specimens.

840 Watermelons, round
   Three specimens.

841 Watermelons, long
   Three specimens.

842 Horseradish
   Tops trimmed to 1-2 inches. 2 specimens.
900  Sweepstakes, Vegetable Crops

Awarded to the four highest scoring exhibitors in classes 500, 600, 700 and 800 on the following point system: First place 3 points, second place 2 points, third place 1 point.

Home Garden Collection

951  Home Garden Collection

*Eight kinds of garden vegetables. Staged on a plate, in one box.*

Suggested list and number of specimens: beans (25 pods); peppers (same as class); beets, carrots, cucumber, kohlrabi, onions, parsnips, sweet corn, large type tomatoes (6 specimens); summer squash (3 specimens); broccoli, eggplant, leeks (2 specimens); cabbage, cauliflower, melon, pumpkin or winter squash (1 specimen). Flowers, special decorations or staging accessories not permitted. If you wish to use other garden vegetables, contact the department superintendent at vegmanmn@aol.com.

952  Home Garden Collection, Miniature Vegetables

*Eight kinds of miniature garden vegetables. Staged on a plate, in one box. Two to three of each specimen.* Suggested list of specimens: beans, beets, broccoli, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, cucumber, eggplant, kohlrabi, leeks, melon, onions, parsnips, peppers, pumpkin, squash, sweet corn, tomatoes. Flowers, special decorations or staging accessories not permitted. Plates for staging and labels for naming the variety will be furnished by management. If you wish to use other garden vegetables, contact the department superintendent at vegmanmn@aol.com.