## **OPEN CLASS HONEY EXHIBIT**

Superintendent: Rob Johnson, 360-770-6170

#### **RULES**

- 1. Entries must be the product of the entrant's apiary and must have been produced within the 12 months immediately prior to the show.
- 2. Entries accepted on Tuesday from 4 pm 7 pm. Contact Rob Johnson for clarification.
- 3. Entries will be given a serial number by the entry clerk. Labels identifying entries are forbidden. Entrants are limited to one entry per class. Color classes will be determined by entrant or assigned by the entry clerk if undeclared by entrant.
- 4. All liquid honey shall not exceed 18.6% moisture. Entries above 18.6% or below 13% shall be disqualified.
- 5. All entrants shall receive a ribbon based on the following point system:

95-100 - Blue

90-94 - Red

85-89 - White

Up to 84 – Pink

6. Only the first Blue, Red and White are paid premiums in each class. In case of a tie in points for extracted honey, entry with least moisture content will prevail. In the event of a dispute, the decision of the superintendent shall be final.

Best of Division: Rosette Best of Show: Rosette

DIVISION A: ADULT (18 and older) EXTRACTED HONEY – Submit 2 clear one-pound queenline jars with							
metal lids for each entry							
Class	Class Extracted Honey Classes 1st Blue 1st Red 1st White						
Number	-	Premium	Premium	Premium			
001	Light	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
002	Light Amber						
003	Amber	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
004	Dark	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			

<b>DIVISION B: ADULT (18 and older) FRAME HONEY –</b> Submit 1 frame wrapped once in clear plastic for						
each entry						
Class	Frame Honey Classes	1 <sup>st</sup> Blue	1st Red	1st White		
Number		Premium	Premium	Premium		
001	9-1/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		
002	7-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		
003	6-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		
004	5-3/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		
005	Other frame (top bar, Warre, etc.)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		
006	Heaviest frame (judged on weight only)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00		

<b>DIVISION C: ADULT (18 and older) CUT COMB –</b> Submit 2 – 4" x 4" square entries					
Class Cut Comb Classes 1st Blue 1st Red 1st White					
Number		Premium	Premium	Premium	
001	Cut Comb	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	

<b>DIVISION D: YOUTH (Ages 6-11) EXTRACTED HONEY –</b> Submit 2 clear one-pound queenline jars with metal lids for each entry							
Class	Class Extracted Honey Classes 1st Blue 1st Red 1st White						
Number	·	Premium	Premium	Premium			
001	Light	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
002	Light Amber						
003	Amber	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
004	Dark	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			

DIVISION	DIVISION E: YOUTH (Ages 12-17) EXTRACTED HONEY – Submit 2 clear one-pound queenline jars with						
metal lids	metal lids for each entry						
Class	lass Extracted Honey Classes 1st Blue 1st Red 1st White						
Number		Premium	Premium	Premium			
001	Light	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
002	Light Amber						
003	Amber	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			
004	Dark	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00			

<b>DIVISION F: YOUTH (Ages 6-11) FRAME HONEY –</b> Submit 1 frame wrapped once in clear plastic for each entry					
Class	Frame Honey Classes	1 <sup>st</sup> Blue	1 <sup>st</sup> Red	1st White	
Number		Premium	Premium	Premium	
001	9-1/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
002	7-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
003	6-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
004	5-3/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
005	Other frame (top bar, Warre, etc.)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
006	Heaviest frame (judged on weight only)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	

<b>DIVISION G: YOUTH (Ages 12-17) FRAME HONEY –</b> Submit 1 frame wrapped once in clear plastic for each entry					
Class	Frame Honey Classes	1 <sup>st</sup> Blue	1 <sup>st</sup> Red	1 <sup>st</sup> White	
Number		Premium	Premium	Premium	
001	9-1/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
002	7-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
003	6-1/4" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
004	5-3/8" extracting frame	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
005	Other frame (top bar, Warre, etc.)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	
006	Heaviest frame (judged on weight only)	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00	

<b>DIVISION H: NOVELTY JAR –</b> Submit one novelty shaped glass jar containing extracted honey. Division							
is open to all ages.							
Class	Novelty Jar Classes	1 <sup>st</sup> Blue	1 <sup>st</sup> Red	1st White			
Number	Number Premium Premium Premium Premium						
001	001 Novelty Jar \$3.00 \$2.00 \$1.00						

# **VI SEXTON AWARD**

Sponsored by: Skagit Valley Beekeepers Association

Open to students up to 18 years of age. Make a poster or display to present something you have learned about bees that is helpful. Submit to SVBA Booth at Fair. Poster will be judged on neatness, originality and aptness of thought. Poster size, 14" x 22". Display also up to 14" x 22".

## EXTRACTED HONEY JUDGING CRITERIA

Extracted honey shall be clear (free of crystals, wax, and/or bee parts) ungranulated, have appropriate viscosity, moisture content, sugar content and density, and be free from foreign material, smoke, and/or fermentation.

Color must fall within range per class as per "Jack's Scale of Honey Color Grader".

Entries must be submitted in a 1 pound queenline glass jar with a metal lid. Canning jars, other glass jars, plastic containers, etc., will not be accepted.

Container must be clear, free of labels and fingerprints. Metal lids must be free of rust.

#### HONEY FRAME JUDGING CRITERIA

Extracting Frame:

Uniformity of the appearance of honey and wax. Uniformity of color. Absence of uncapped cells. Absence of watery cappings. Absence of visible granulation and pollen. Cleanliness of cappings. Cleanliness of exterior frame surfaces.

### Heaviest Frame:

Judged solely on weight.