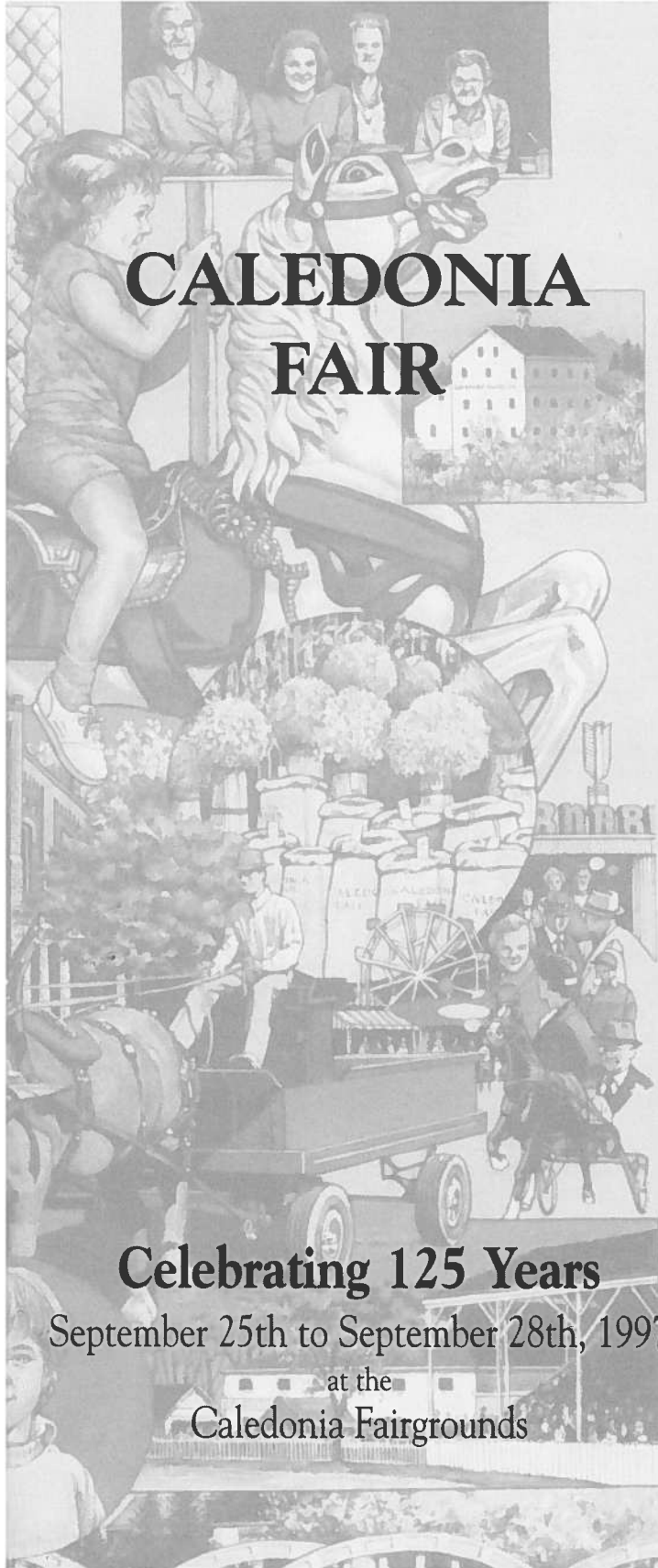




CALEDONIA FAIR

Celebrating 125 Years

September 25th to September 28th, 1997

at the
Caledonia Fairgrounds

In Memoriam 1996

Archie Bain

Art Thompson



PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE

Welcome to the 125th Caledonia Fair

It is a great pleasure to welcome you to this special edition of Caledonia Fair. For 125 years our Agricultural Society has brought exhibitors and spectators together along the beautiful Grand River. We will be holding additional events during this year and invite you to join with us as we celebrate this milestone.

We continue to be very much an agricultural fair, offering producers a showcase for their products and providing our urban friends with the opportunity to learn more about agriculture. Whether you are a first time exhibitor, or have been part of our fair for many years, your involvement is greatly appreciated.

We would also extend our gratitude to those businesses and individuals who have joined our newly formed "Friends of the Fair" and those who have chosen to advertise in this book. Thank you for supporting our fair and we look forward to continuing our relationship with you.

It is definitely a privilege for us to serve as Presidents during this Anniversary year. It is a time to reflect back on all those who have developed and strengthened this fair, a time to also say a sincere thank you to our many members who are working so hard to carry on the tradition.

The Caledonia Agricultural Society offers a welcome invitation to everyone to participate in our 125th fair.

Russell and Karen Douglas
1997 President and Homecraft President
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FAIR QUEEN for 1996



Welcome to the 125th Caledonia Fair!

The Caledonia Fair is a long standing tradition in our community, evolving since 1873 into the present picturesque showcase of a proud agricultural community. Being the largest fall fair in Haldimand, the Caledonia Fair has many different activities. Whether you enjoy strolling along the Grand, browsing through exhibits, or partaking in the action packed High School Challenge and Demolition Derby, the Fair has something for everyone.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Caledonia Agricultural Society for allowing me to represent them, and for making me a part of the Fair's great tradition. I have enjoyed my reign as the 1996 Fair Queen, and look forward to continued involvement with the Caledonia Agricultural Society.

Jennifer Armstrong

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A HISTORY OF CALEDONIA FAIR

Picture Caledonia in 1873. Canada is seven years old and Caledonia is a thriving village on the banks of the scenic Grand River. The building of the plank road in 1842 and the arrival of the rail station in 1852 have brought a measure of prosperity. On January 16th, 1873, a meeting is held in the Caledonia Town Hall and a motion is made that it is "desirable to form an Agricultural and Arts Society for the purpose of holding Agricultural and Arts Exhibitions every Fall". Thus, the Caledonia Agricultural and Arts Society was founded. The first Caledonia fair was held on October 15th, 1873 on Edinburgh Square. There was no admission to the fair but ten cents was charged to see homecraft and horticultural displays in the Drill Hall. Hugh Stewart served as President over a board of 32 Directors.

The present fairgrounds were purchased in 1878 from the Government of Canada for \$250.00 with the assistance of David Thompson, MP for Haldimand. The grounds were surveyed, fenced and the Drill Hall moved in time to hold the first two day fair on the new grounds that year. Unfortunately it rained heavily and the Society had to negotiate a loan of \$125 to pay prizes.

The 1880's witnessed many improvements to the fairgrounds. A tree planting program began and a plank walk was built from the Entrance Gate to the Drill Hall. The race track was built since "fast horses" were a major attraction. Box Stalls were erected in 1883 and a Judge's Stand built at a cost of \$49. By 1885 it was evident that more space was needed and several adjoining lots at the west end were purchased. To convince one lady to sell her property, the Society presented her with five bags of potatoes! A twenty foot extension was added to her house and became the Fair's Dining Hall. The 1888 Fair was completely rained out and once again the Society had to borrow money.

The next decade was an active time for the Society. In 1891 the fairgrounds, then called the "Park", were once again extended with the purchase of a lot at the east end. As well, in 1891 the President received a letter from the Treasurer of the defunct Central Fair of Hamilton indicating that they wished to sell their grandstand. The Board authorized a bid of \$100.00 but it was not accepted until 1893. It was then moved from Victoria Park for a cost of \$150.00. The grounds were leased to the Baseball, Cricket and Lawn Tennis Club for one dollar each. In 1896 tenders were received for the building of 58 rods of Park Fence. The following year the Caledonia Bicycle Club rented the "Agricultural Park" in the summer months for \$17.00. The Silver Jubilee Exhibition in 1897 had gate receipts of \$1065.65 with a prize pay out of \$1106.00. Records also indicate that in 1893 the first Lady Directors were named.

The turn of the century witnessed many changes for the Fair. In February of 1900 the fair sent delegates for the first time to the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association of Fair and Exhibitions in Toronto. Also in that year, arrangements were made with the Minister of Agriculture to amalgamate the York Fair with the Caledonia Agricultural and Arts Society. The Building Committee constructed 200 feet of stock sheds on the grounds for a cost of \$350.00. These were rented out to Cattle, Sheep and Pig Exhibitors for a cost of 50 cents per stall. A new three story Judge's Stand was erected and a committee was formed to organize special attractions in front of the Grandstand. Gas fixtures were purchased for the Drill Hall and sidewalks were installed. For many years, the Board discussed the possibility of constructing a two-way tunnel under the race track to improve pedestrian traffic. In 1909 the famous Caledonia Fair tunnel was built for a cost of \$600. In 1910 the Village of Caledonia requested a Special Meeting to discuss the possibility of building a skating and curling rink on the grounds. It was felt that the 160' x 100' structure would be beneficial to both parties. The Society granted a sum of \$500.00 toward the project and was to have free use of the building and a first mortgage. The proposal was not completed at this time.

In 1902 a Haldimand Old Boy's Reunion was held in conjunction with the Fair and over 11,000 people attended, most arriving by special train. Sachem headlines boasted "WE HAD A GREAT FAIR." The Fair minute book states that "Caledonia can scarcely handle a much larger crowd and the agricultural park which by the way cannot be enlarged has proved far too small years ago."

One curious development in this period was a change in the name of the Fair. On January 8, 1902 it was moved by Joseph Hudspeth and Robt. Creighton that "we form a new Society to be known as the Seneca and Oneida Agricultural Society." In 1907 the Department of Agriculture instructed that the name change to the Caledonia Agricultural Society.

At the Annual Meeting in 1912 the President declared that the "society is in a very flourishing condition" with assets totalling \$8117. Several items of interest appear in the Minute Book during this decade. Ribbons were used in place of cards for awards in the livestock classes. The Grounds Committee was granted \$700 to improve the track and \$500 to erect new horse stalls at the east end of the grounds. Hydrants were installed opposite the grounds for fire protection and attendance turnstiles were purchased. In 1915 a secretary's and ticket office were constructed as well as a restroom and "closet for ladies." During the years of the First World War, the Dining Hall was given to the ladies for Red Cross Work and the Society donated \$300 to the War Fund.

The Fair suffered during the twenties and thirties. In fact the minutes of the Annual Meeting of 1920 seemed to foreshadow what lay ahead. The weather was stormy and the meeting adjourned early since the hall was too cold. The fair suffered from frequent rainy dates and once again had to borrow money to meet expenditures. The first three day fair in 1928 was established to try and cut inclement weather losses. Despite the financially difficult times, improvements continued. The Cattle sheds were extended, four ventilators installed and some of the buildings were wired for electricity.

In 1924 the issue of constructing an Arena on the grounds resurfaced. A committee of citizens approached the Board and after many special meetings the Fair agreed to "enter into a contract with the Caledonia Arena Ltd. providing for the conveyance of a parcel of land in return for the use of the building to be erected thereon." The Drill Hall which had been turned over to the Fair from the Dept. of the Militia in 1922 was taken down and an Arena built. The Fair received \$300 stock in the Arena Company.

During the Depression gates admissions were reduced from 50 cents to 25 cents. In 1935 receipts were so low that the fair could only initially pay 65 cents on the dollar. The fair also purchased Liability Insurance for the first time in 1936. Of special note, the only time the fair was not held was in 1937 when the Board of Health cancelled all fairs due to an outbreak of polio.

The fair survived the depression years and moved on to the challenges of the early forties and the war years. In 1942 the board moved that "all persons in the King's uniform be admitted free." Prize List covers included headlines of "Carry on Canada" and "On To Victory." Win The War categories were offered. Money was donated to a variety of War Funds including \$50 to the Victory Club "to assist them in their work sending boxes to the boys of the surrounding District who are fighting for our freedom." In 1943 the Arena display was considered "good under war conditions" and boasted a "Bacon for Britain" Exhibit.

The War ended and the Fair enjoyed a much needed influx of young men joining the Society. In 1945 an extensive improvement program was undertaken. The grounds were levelled, the race track widened and new fences built. Municipal water was also installed. This was not without controversy. A special meeting was held with some members voicing "vigorous protests" over the "spending of too much money." Considerable effort was given to the Exhibition Hall and the minutes reveal that "outsiders were delighted with the attractiveness and neatness of our hall." In 1946 Reg Hudspeth was appointed Fair Secretary, assuming the position from his father Weylie. Reg was well respected in the fair community and continued as Secretary until his retirement in 1977.

The Arena is a recurring theme in the history of Caledonia Fair. In 1946 the Caledonia Arena Co. was in financial trouble and after lengthy discussion, the Society agreed to consider the purchase of the Arena from the mortgage holder. However, it was not until April of 1949 that the Fair completed the deal. Apart from the \$2800 for the building, other expenses included: installation of lavatory, \$1500; painting of building, \$1000; building road fence, \$800; flood lighting, \$500; and repair to Arena, \$600. The Fair took over the operations of the Arena and began the endless task and expense of keeping it repaired.

By 1953, Caledonia Fair was the tenth largest of the 249 fairs in Ontario and continued to improve. In 1958 the Sheep and Pig Barn were lost to fire but new barns were rebuilt that same year. Electricity was added to all the barns. The Fair enjoyed good weather, attendance soared. and the Fair office finally got a telephone.

In 1961 the main entrance to the Arena was modernized. The Exhibition Hall became the showcase of the Fair and 1800 new royal blue and gold streamers were suspended from the ceiling. Nearly a quarter of a mile of red, white and blue bunting and five truck loads of autumn leaves decorated the exhibits. Lady Directors wore new wine coloured blazers and the Men Directors sported tan coloured, ten gallons hats.

A major restructuring of the grounds took place in 1962. The old grandstand was beyond repair. A new grandstand with a capacity of 1260 was built along the river bank. Unfortunately it rained continuously on all 3 days and nights of the fair and it was not used.

A new entrance was added to the Exhibition Hall in 1966 in time for the special events of Centennial year. Centennial features included an antique parlour and kitchen, antique school supplies and a Spelling Match. All directors wore period costume. Once again, plans were defeated by the weather. Continuous rain forced the cancellation of the horse shows, races and night shows. However it was reported that "over 12,000 loyal people braved the elements clad in every type of raincoat and rubber footwear imaginable."

The seventies were an eventful decade for the Fair. In 1970 a new horse barn was built at the east end of the grounds. In May of 1970 the town proposed a new Arena which would be owned by the Society and leased to the Caledonia Community Service Board for ten months of each year. The Society agreed and donated \$10,000 to the project. It was then discovered that in order to obtain a debenture, the Society needed to deed the land (approximately 120' by 220') over to the town. The Society did this and a 99 year lease was signed. Another highlight was the announcement in 1971 that the fair had achieved Class A status, the highest classification for fairs in Ontario. The following year the Fair celebrated its 100th birthday with many special features and projects.

By the early seventies, a four day fair was discussed. Midways had become a means of financial survival for most fairs and without the promise of an extra day's revenue, the Midway could not promise continued association with the Fair. After much debate, Caledonia held its first four day fair in 1974. The current Fair Office and Dining Hall were built in 1974 as a joint project with the Kinsmen.

In the 1980's and 90's, the Society began to meet the challenge of adapting to a changing population. Where once the Fair met the needs of a largely rural population, urbanization required new strategies in what experts were now calling "the fair industry." Livestock competitions were no longer enough. Agri-education became a major focus with demonstrations and displays helping to bridge the growing gap between urban and rural. The Special Events Platform was started in 1986 to offer more entertainment for fair visitors. A new Poultry Building was also built that year.

Towards the end of the decade, the Society reluctantly admitted that it was time to retire Horse Races at the Fair. The track barely met industry standards and the tunnel under the racetrack needed major repair. Thus 1989 saw the last "fast horses" at Caledonia Fair. (Officially races were still on the 1990 program but rain forced their cancellation.) The tunnel was covered over in 1991. It was definitely the end of an era but the fairgrounds gained some much needed space. The Horse Barn at the east end of the grounds was renovated in 1995 to become Squire McKinnon's Barn, a popular animal display.

In 1997 Caledonia Fair proudly celebrates its 125th Anniversary. It is a time of reflection as we look back at the people and events that have shaped our history. We thank them for our legacy. This year's fair will certainly look different from that small fair on Edinburgh Square in 1873. Yet the enduring qualities of our traditional country fair remain the same. There will still be a hint of anticipation and excitement in the crisp, autumn air as friends and family gather together for another edition of the Caledonia Fair.

PAST PRESIDENTS

Hugh Stewart	1873-74
David Young	1875-78
James Madigan	1879-80
Matthew Richardson	1881-82
David Young	1883
John Thorburn	1884-85
Joseph Hudspeth	1886-87
George Clark	1888-89
W.H. Hull	1890-91
Thomas Conboy	1892-93
James Urie	1894-95
J. Barrington	1896-97
N.H. Wickett	1898-99
Wm. Petch	1900-01
Isaac Weylie	1902-03
James Douglas	1904
James Parke	1905-06
R.E. Walker	1907-09
D.Z. Gibson	1910-11
W.W. Hull	1912
W.A. Douglas	1913-14
J.W. Richardson	1915-16
Wm. Grinyer	1917-18
J.W. Old	1919
J.M. Moore	1920
Wm. Doyle	1920-21
W.S. Hudspeth	1923-24
M.C. Senn	1925
D. Kelly	1926-27
Wm. Berry	1928-29
J.H. Howden	1930
Joe Martindale	1931-32
T.L. Peart	1933-35
Allan Anderson	1936-37
J. Leslie Old	1938-39
Herbert Howden	1940-41
Fred Stoneman	1942-43
A.J. Cowie	1944
H.J. Anderson	1945
Wilson Douglas	1946
G.B. Martindale	1947
Norman Hyslop	1948
Walter Weylie	1949-50
John K. Peart	1951-52
Tal Woolley	1953-54
Rae Hudspeth	1955-56
George Berry	1957-58
Robert Thompson	1959-60
Ernest Hagan	1961-62
Angus Bain	1963-64
Gilbert Douglas	1965-66
Thomas Hyslop	1967-68
Lewis Hussack	1969-70
Lewis Keefer	1971-72
James McBlain	1973-74
Emerson Peart	1975-76
J.C. Beattie	1977-78
Clarke M. Smith	1979-80
Stanley Jerome	1981-82
Fred Thompson	1983-84
Donald Douglas	1985-86
Allan Murray	1987-88
K. Bruce Smith	1989-90
John Douglas	1991-92
Don Carlin	1993-94
John Hussack	1995-96

PAST PRESIDENTS OF HOMECRAFT

Mrs. W.S. Hudspeth	Many years previous and 1945
Mrs. Norman Hyslop	1946-47
Mrs. J. Leslie Old	1948-49
Mrs. Wilson Douglas	1950-51
Mrs. Ross Howley	1952-53
Mrs. G.B. Martindale	1954-55
Mrs. Lewis Keefer	1956-57
Mrs. Robert Thompson	1958-59
Mrs. John K. Peart	1960-61
Mrs. Mac Stoneman	1962-63
Mrs. R.N. Moore	1964-65
Mrs. Ernest Hagan	1966-67
Mrs. Gilbert Douglas	1968-69
Mrs. J.C. Yule	1970-71
Mrs. J.C. Beattie	1972-73
Mrs. Angus Bain	1974-75
Mrs. Rae Hudspeth	1976-77
Mrs. Clarke Smith	1978-79
Mrs. Harold Bothwright	1980-81
Mrs. John Nelles	1982-83
Mrs. Lewis Hussack	1984-85
Mrs. Beverly Buist	1986-87
Mrs. Madelene Fox	1988-89
Mrs. Irene Cruickshank	1990-91
Mrs. Lois B. Douglas	1992-93
Mrs. Linda Fisher	1994-95

CALEDONIA FAIR QUEENS

Wanda Overend (Zymirski)	1986-87
Jodie Wodskou (Easson)	1987-88
Sara Berry	1988-89
Cheryl Passmore (Campbell)	1989-90
Karen Douglas (Barkey)	1990-91
Paula Brenzil	1991-92
Allison McAlpine	1992-93
Catherine Paul	1993-94
Rachel Rae	1994-95
Jennifer Fraser	1995-96
Jennifer Armstrong	1996-97



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1939	J.W. Richardson
1940	William Berry
1941	Weylie Hudspeth
1943	Thos L. Peart
1944	Herb Howden
1945	Fred Stoneman
1946	Wm. A. Douglas
1947	A.J. Cowie
1948	Dennis Kelly
1949	G. Ben Martindale
1951	Harry J. Anderson
1952	Norman Hyslop
1953	Wilson Douglas
1954	Duff Thompson
1955	Norman Patterson
1956	Joseph Martindale
1957	J. Leslie Old
1958	A. M. Rice
1959	D. Tal Woolley
1960	Rae Hudspeth
1961	A. Gordon Skinner
1962	George Berry
1963	John K. Peart
1964	Robert F. Thompson
1965	Reg. Hudspeth
1966	Ernie Hagan
1967	Angus Bain
1968	Mrs. Norman Hyslop
1969	Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Douglas
1970	Mr. and Mrs. Cam Wickett
1971	Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hyslop
1972	Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hussack
1973	Mrs. Ross Howley
1974	Lewis Keefer
1975	Archie Bain
1976	Mr. and Mrs. Jim McBlain
1977	Mrs. Robert Thompson
1978	Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Peart
1979	Mrs. Mary V. Nelles
1980	Mrs. John K. Peart
1981	Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Beattie
1982	Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Smith
1983	Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Yule
1984	Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jerome
1985	Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bothwright
1986	Fred Thompson
1987	Mrs. Vera Hagan
1988	Mr. and Mrs. Donald Douglas
1989	Mrs. Beverly Buist
1990	Allan Murray
1991	Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox
1992	Mr. and Mrs. K. Bruce Smith
1993	Mrs. Irene Cruickshank
1994	Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas
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1996	Don Carlin

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CHRISTMAS CORNER - Mrs. Laurel Slack, Mrs. Connie Stubbs, Mrs. Darlene Yule.

ORGANIZED GROUP DISPLAY - Mrs. Irene Cruickshank, Mrs. Diana Cruickshank.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT - Mrs. Marjorie Yule, Mrs. Linda Smith, Mrs. Marylou Cunningham, Mrs. Shirley Montross, Mrs. Matie Paul, Mrs. Shirley Young, Mrs. Diane Peart, Mrs. Brenda Ferris, Mrs. Marie Peart.

FLOATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS - Mrs. Jean Peart, Mrs. Anne McBlain.

Lady Directors were first named to the Board in 1893. However it was not until 1946 that there was the beginning of a separate division for women. It was called the HOME DEPARTMENT and included Baked Products, Canned Fruits, Domestic Needlecraft and Women's Work. It subsequently became the Ladies Division and is now updated to Homecraft.

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. That competition for the following prizes be open to the world, except when otherwise specified in the Prize List.

(All fees include G.S.T. where applicable)

2. ADMISSION FEES:

Thursday, September 25th - \$1.00 with food donation (to Caledonia & District Multi-Service Centre Food Bank) \$2.00 without, Elementary School and under FREE. **Fair opens at 4:00 p.m.**
Friday, September 26th - Adults \$6.00, High School Students \$3.00 until 5 p.m., Elementary School and under free. Haldimand County School Pass Valid Sept. 26th Only.
Saturday, Sept. 27th - Adults \$6.00, Elementary School \$1.00.
Sunday, Sept. 28th - Adults \$6.00, Elementary School \$1.00.

CHILDREN 5 & UNDER FREE

Limited car parking on the grounds - \$2.00.

3. All exhibitors to receive an Exhibitors ticket instead of a membership card.
4. That annual Senior exhibitor fee will be \$6.00 and Junior exhibitor fee \$3.00. Each exhibitor must purchase an exhibitor ticket before making entries, a registered firm being recognized as one exhibitor. Membership may also be purchased for \$6.00. Membership does not entitle the holder to admission to the fair.
5. All entries to be made by mail or otherwise by September 12th to the Secretary, 151 Caithness St. E. Caledonia N3W 1C2.
6. Where the amount of prizes won by the exhibitor is over \$12.00, \$6.00 will be retained for exhibitor fee for 1998. Entry Fees, as specified, will be charged. GST will be applied to Entry Fees where applicable.
7. Where the amount of prizes won by the exhibitor is less than \$3.00 there will be no deductions in lieu of entry fees.
8. The Society will not be responsible for any loss, damage or accident occurring to any person or property on the grounds during the Fair. The Directors hope patrons of the Fair obey orders. The Society will take all reasonable care of exhibits, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage. (Please note Hold Harmless Agreement on following page.)
9. While every possible assistance will be most cheerfully given in placing exhibits, no package or case of any kind whatsoever will be opened unless accompanied by the exhibitor or someone sent specially in charge.
10. That all articles entered for competition must be entered in strict accordance with the Prize List in order to secure a prize, the exact number and quantity stated in the prize list being strictly adhered to.
11. No member will be allowed to make more than one entry in each case for Society Prizes with the same animal or article unless otherwise specified. This rule not to apply to animals in herds or pens, nor to special prizes offered by persons outside the Society, but to apply to all kinds of grains, seeds, flowers, roots and vegetables, domestic and horticultural products, in which additional specimens would necessarily be similar to the first.
12. All produce to be growth of parties exhibiting same. Every animal, fowl, article, product or chattel exhibited must be the actual bona fide property and belong absolutely to the person or persons entering or exhibiting the

same. In the case of every article, product or chattel exhibited, other than livestock, the said article, product or chattel must be of the actual production, growth or manufacture, as the case may be, of the person or persons owning or exhibiting the same, except specially mentioned in the list.

13. Tickets will be placed on the work that has been exhibited before, or is entered in the wrong list, with the words "Ruled Out".
14. That the exhibitor of horses, cattle or sheep do bring them forward when called upon by the Directors, otherwise they will not be noticed.
15. No competitor will be entitled to a prize if the judges deem the stock or article unworthy of the same.
16. Any person interfering by conversation or otherwise, with the judges until after judgement is passed, shall have no prize awarded him.
17. Any exhibitor making a protest to the official judges will be required to make a deposit of \$50.00, and if said protest is not sustained the said amount will be retained by the Association.
18. All protests to be made in writing as soon as possible, so that the judges in the class may be heard on it, as the Directors of the Society do not constitute a Board of Judges to hear complaints. The Directors earnestly hope that all exhibitors will not enter protests without strong grounds for doing so, as much annoyance and unpleasantness is occasioned by protests of a frivolous nature.
19. In case an error occurs in the printing of the Prize List, the Directors have the power to rectify the same.
20. In case of insufficient funds, due to weather or other conditions, the Society reserves the right to pay only a percentage of the prizes awarded for exhibits.
21. Should a livestock show be cancelled due to weather or other conditions, the Society reserves the right to pay only a percentage of the prize money for that portion and/or mileage consideration, at the final decision of the Society executive.
22. Notice is hereby given that the Officers of the Society may, by their rules and regulations, prohibit and prevent theatrical, circus and mountebank performances, the sale of lottery tickets, exhibitions or shows, and may prohibit the sale of cheap jewellery or other articles of a similar nature, and no games of chance or gambling will be permitted on the grounds or within 200 yards thereof; the Society may also regulate or prevent the huckstering or trafficking in fruit, goods, wares or merchandise on the Exhibition Grounds, or within 300 yards thereof.
23. ALL CHEQUES FOR PRIZE MONEY MUST BE PRESENTED AT THE BANK BY THE LAST BANKING DAY IN NOVEMBER.

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

Upon making an Entry the Exhibitor shall Indemnify and Hold Harmless The Caledonia Agricultural Society, their members, agents and employees from and against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits or proceedings by any third parties that may arise out of, or may attribute to, all operations performed by or carried out by the Exhibitor, his agents, employees, or servants, or anyone for whose acts he may be held liable, howsoever caused.

HEAVY HORSES

COMMITTEE

Bruce Smith, Chairman; John Douglas, Richard Harrison,
John Wilkieson, Larry Wilkieson, Brian Walker, Bob Barker, Don Richards,
Collin Fisher, Allan Fisher, Gord Burnham, Jim Walker, Jeff Smith

Saturday, September 27th.

All line classes judged in the morning beginning at 9:45 sharp.

Two and three-year-old colts may be shown in harness as teams. Teams and Single Horses in harness must be shown hitched to a suitable four-wheeled vehicle.

DRIVERS MAY BE REQUIRED TO DRIVE A COURSE

***Exhibitor Plus One Helper (ONLY) Allowed Through Gate
With No Admission Charge**

*Exhibitors must bring their horses promptly when called.
Be sure and check the time schedule for judging.*

Entry Fee - 15% deducted from prize winners.

PRIZE MONEY

Classes 2, 3 and 4

Prizes - Section 1, 2, 3 & 4

1st, \$40.00; 2nd, \$35.00; 3rd, \$30.00; 4th \$25.00 and \$20.00 to all other entries.

Prizes - Section 6, 7, & 8

1st, \$50.00; 2nd, \$45.00; 3rd, \$40.00; 4th, \$35.00; 5th, \$30.00 and \$20.00 to all other entries hitched.

2 Entries Per Exhibitor Per Section Allowed

BREED SPECIALS

Brian & Marian Walker & Family \$20 to Champion
Clydesdale, Percheron and Belgian
Shantz Associates Auctioneers \$20 to 1st Place Single Horse in Harness
Clydesdale, Percheron and Belgian



CLASS 2 CLYDESDALES

Sec.

1. Brood Mare with Foal at side, current year.
2. Foal of 1997.
3. Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
4. Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
5. Champion & Reserve Champion on line Rosettes
Entries in Section 5 must have been previously shown in one of Sections 2, 3, or 4 above. Must be 2 years and under.
6. Single Horse in harness.
7. Pair in harness, light draught.
8. Pair in harness, heavy draught.

CLASS 3 PERCHERONS

1. Brood mare with Foal at side, current year.
2. Foal of 1997.
3. Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
4. Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
5. Champion & Reserve Champion on line Rosettes
Entries in Section 5 must have been previously shown in one of Sections 2, 3, or 4 above. Must be 2 years and under.
6. Single Horse in harness.
7. Pair in harness, light draught.
8. Pair in harness, heavy draught.

CLASS 4 BELGIANS

Sec.

1. Brood mare with Foal at side, current year.
2. Foal of 1997.
3. Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
4. Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
5. Champion & Reserve Champion on line Rosettes
Entries in Section 5 must have been previously shown in one of Sections 2, 3 or 4 above. Must be 2 years and under.
6. Single Horse in harness
7. Pair in harness, light draught
8. Pair in harness, heavy draught

CLASS 5

SPECIAL INTERBREED CLASSES

Open to Horses in Classes 2, 3, and 4.

Entrants in Sections 5, 6 & 7 must have attendants

INTERBREED SPECIALS

CIBC Caledonia 1st Prize Lady Driver, Silver Tray
Ontario Clydesdale Association Jr. Showmanship, Prize Money
McPherson Sound Jr. Showmanship (10-14), Trophy
Gord Burnham Fuels Jr. Showmanship (15-18), Trophy
Bruce Smith, Hagersville Jr. Driver, \$100 (divided equally among entrants)
Wright Fuels Unicorn Hitch, 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$30; 3rd - \$20
Gord Burnham Fuels 4-Horse Hitch, 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$30; 3rd - \$20
Grand River Veterinary Hospital Draught Mare, 1st - \$40; 2nd - \$35; 3rd - \$25
Best Draught Mare any age or breed, registered or grade.
Limit 1 entry per exhibitor.
Golden Horseshoe Antique Society 6-Horse Hitch, Trophy
Caledonia Fair 1st Prize 6-Horse Hitch, \$50
Cayuga Feed and Farm Supply Team of Registered Mares, Award

Sec.

1. Lady Driver of Draught Team.
Driving 60%, Costume 15% Turn-out 25%
50.00, 45.00, 40.00, 35.00, 30.00
All other teams hitched, \$25.00, Must Drive Course.
In recognition of the 125th Anniversary of the Caledonia Fair, we ask that Lady Drivers wear a costume of a period at least 75 years ago.
All ladies must be accompanied by a male attendant. Attendant not to be changed.
2. SPECIAL - JR. SHOWMANSHIP
JR. (10 - 14 as of Sept. 27, 1997)
SR. (15 - 18 as of Sept. 27, 1997)
Showmanship of Draught Horse
3 Years and Under.....Donated Money Divided Evenly
3. Jr. Driver Single Horse in Harness accompanied
by owner (Age 10-18 as of Sept. 27, 1997)
30.00, 25.00, 20.00, 15.00 and \$10.00 to all other entries hitched
Must Drive Course.
4. Team of Registered Mares (must be owned by one exhibitor)
50.00, 45.00, 35.00, 30.00 and \$25.00 to all other entries hitched.
5. Unicorn Hitch
55.00, 50.00, 45.00, 40.00, 35.00 and 30.00 to all other entries hitched.
6. Four Horse Hitch
70.00, 60.00, 55.00, 50.00, 40.00 and 20.00 to all other entries hitched.
7. Six Horse Hitch
100.00, 80.00, 70.00 and \$60.00 to all other entries hitched.

Basis of Judging

Conformation 50%; Equipment 25%; Driving 25%

SPECIALS

Other Specials offered by:

Clark Agri - Service, Dunnville - Jr. Champions

Callaway Mobile Feeds, Brantford - Jr. Drivers

Quick Feeds - Jr. Driver

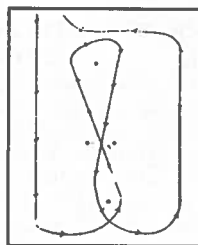
Harwill Farms, Hagersville - Vouchers - Class 2, 3, 4, - Sec. 1 & 2

DRAFT JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP

Score Card (Up to 10 points each)

1. Walk, Trot, turns, back
2. Presentation
3. Alertness & watch judge
4. General Handling
5. Suitability/showman to horse
6. Grooming, Dec. & Appointments.
7. General Appearance / proper dress
8. Capability

Entrance to Horse Ring



Exhibitor Driving Demonstration.

Drive through to back axle.

Stop and back wagon to the double trees between posts on return drive.

TIME SCHEDULE OF TRACK AND RING EVENTS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27th, 1997

(In Ring in front of Grandstand)

Class	Sec.	Time	
2	1	10:00	Clydesdale Brood Mare with Foal.
2	2	10:05	Clydesdale Foal of 1997.
3	1	10:10	Percheron Brood Mare with Foal.
3	2	10:15	Percheron Foal of 1997.
4	1	10:20	Belgian Brood Mare with Foal.
4	2	10:25	Belgian Foal of 1997.
2	3	10:30	Clydesdale Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
3	3	10:35	Percheron Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
4	3	10:40	Belgian Filly or Colt, 1 year old.
2	4	10:45	Clydesdale Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
3	4	10:50	Percheron Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
4	4	10:55	Belgian Filly, Colt or Gelding, 2 years old.
2	5	11:00	Champion & Res. Champion Clydesdale.
3	5	11:05	Champion & Res. Champion Percheron.
4	5	11:10	Champion & Res. Champion Belgian.
		11:20	Best Draught Mare
5	2	11:30	Junior Showmanship.
5	4	12:00	Team of Registered Mares.
2	8	12:15	Clydesdale Teams, Light Draught.
3	8	12:35	Percheron Teams, Light Draught.
4	8	12:50	Belgian Teams, Light Draught.
2	9	1:10	Clydesdale Teams, Heavy Draught.
3	9	1:25	Percheron Teams, Heavy Draught.
4	9	1:40	Belgian Teams, Heavy Draught.
5	1	2:00	Lady Driver of Draught Team.
5	5	2:25	Unicorn Hitch.
5	6	2:50	Four Horse Hitch
5	7	3:10	Six Horse Hitch
2	7	3:25	Single Clydesdale
3	7	3:40	Single Percheron
4	7	4:00	Single Belgian
5	3	4:10	Jr. Driver Single Horse

Horses at Caledonia Fair

Horses have always been a major part of Caledonia Fair. The earliest prize list we have is from 1897 and lists prizes for Heavy Draught, General Purpose, Carriage and Road Horses. First Prize for the best team of Agricultural or General Purpose Horses was a "Fine Scotch Tweed Suit" - value \$10 from Grafton & Co. There was also a Trial of Speed and Harnessing Contest. With double teams, the driver had to run 50 yards, harness and hitch, walk a half mile and trot a half mile. There always seemed to be protests and the 1878 minutes indicate that the Secretary was instructed not to pay the first prizes for the Buggy and Saddle Horses until the winner "gives satisfactory evidence to the President that he owns the horses."

LIGHT HORSES

COMMITTEE

Don Farrell and Ben Allison, Co-Chairmen,
Don Berry, John Dickie, Christine Barnim,
Melissa Farrell, Lindsey Farrell

CLASS 6 YOUTH SHOW

To be shown Friday, September 26, 1997

START TIME: 12:30 P.M.

Youth 18 and Under (On Horses or Ponies)
and purchase a Jr. Membership

1st - \$12.00, 2nd - \$10.00, 3rd - \$9.00, 4th - \$8.00,
5th - \$7.00, 6th - \$5.00, 7th - \$5.00

Sec.

1. Trail Class
2. Western Pleasure
3. Barrel Race
4. Western Equitation
5. Pole Bending
6. Command Class
7. Texas Speed & Action
8. Flag Race
9. Musical Chairs
10. English Pleasure
11. English Equitation

SPECIAL by Ben Allison Barrel Race Section, Prize Money

CLASS 6 - 10 - PONY DIVISION

CLASS 7

HACKNEY PONIES (under 14.2 hands)

To be shown on Saturday, September 27

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners

Sec.		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1.	Pair	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00
2.	Single - over 13 hands	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
3.	Single - under 13 hands	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
4.	Single - Stake	45.00	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00

CLASS 8

FINE HARNESS PONIES

under 50" with long mane & tail

To be shown on Saturday, September 27

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

Sec.		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1.	Pair	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00
2.	Single - Open	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
3.	Single - Stake	45.00	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00

CLASS 9

SHETLAND PONIES (under 44")

To be shown on Saturday, September 27

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

Sec.		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1.	Pair	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00
2.	Single - Open	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
3.	Single - Stake	45.00	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00

LIGHT HORSE SPECIALS

Fisherville Animal Clinic Hackney Pony, Trophy
Grandview Tack Fine Harness Pony, Trophy
John Dickie Lady Driver, Trophy
Hogeterp Meats Shetland Pony Stake, Trophy

CLASS 10

OPEN SHOW PONIES

open to Hackney, Harness or Shetland Ponies

To be shown on Saturday, September 27

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

Sec.		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1.	Ladies Pony	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
2.	Road Pony (suitable 2 wheel bike - driver to wear colors)	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00
3.	Tandem	40.00	35.00	30.00	25.00	20.00
4.	Jr. Exhibitor Driver (18 yrs and under)	30.00	25.00	22.00	18.00	15.00

TIME SCHEDULE OF LIGHT HORSE TRACK EVENTS

(To Be Shown On Track)

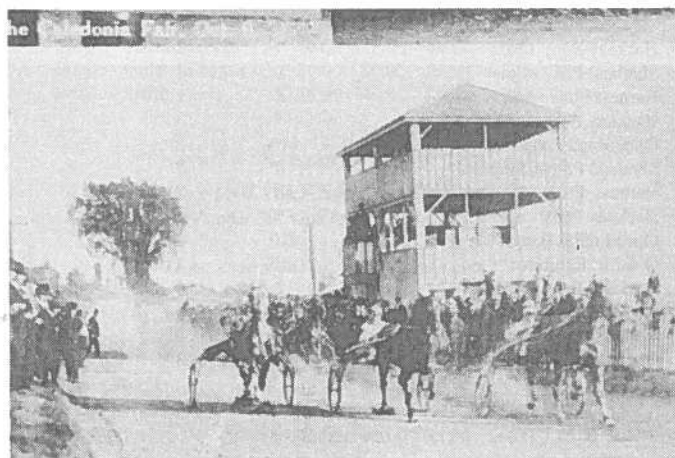
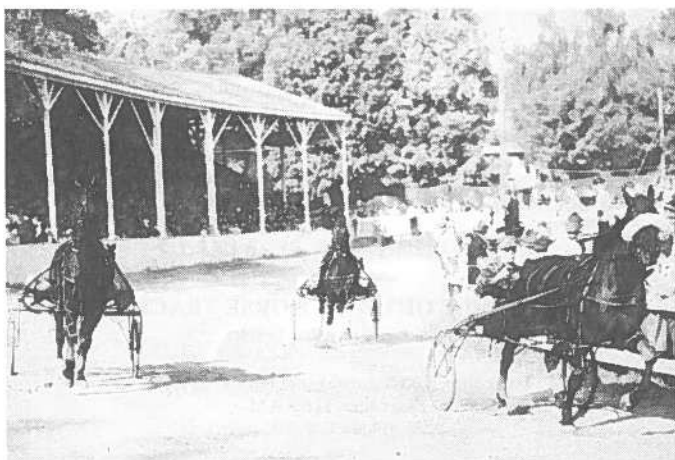
To be shown on Saturday, September 27, 1997
Start time 11:00 AM

	CLASS	SEC.
Hackney Pony - Pair	7	1
Shetland Pony - Pair	9	1
Harness Pony - Pair	8	1
Hackney Pony - under 13 h	7	3
Open Road Pony	10	2
Shetland Pony - Single	9	2
Harness Pony - Single	8	2
Hackney Pony - over 13 h	7	2
Open Ladies Pony	10	1
Open Jr. Exhibitor	10	4
Hackney Pony - Stake	7	4
Shetland - Stake	9	3
Harness Pony - Stake	8	3
Open Pony Tandem	10	3

There will be a break during the Heavy Horse Lady Driver.

And They're Off ...

Horse Racing, or "fast horses" as they were then called, was definitely the premier attraction of the early fairs. Early pictures of the Fair show thousands of spectators spilling out of the Grandstand and onto the racetrack to witness the finish. Fair Records show that there was a Race Committee as early as 1878 and they were kept busy trying to keep the racetrack in repair. In 1909 a two way tunnel was built under the racetrack to help insure the safety of pedestrians. In 1923 Caledonia entered the racing circuit with Woodstock, Simcoe and Welland. By 1944 it was difficult to get enough horses to come to Caledonia there was discussion about ending horse races. However it resurged in the 50's and continued at the Fair until 1990. The track was not up to current standards and fewer horsemen were willing to bring horses to small tracks. With a touch of sadness, Caledonia Fair said farewell to a long tradition. (Technically the last race was in 1989 since it rained at the 1990 Fair and races had to be cancelled.) The tunnel was bulldozed over and most of the racetrack fence removed.



CLASS 11 WESTERN HORSES

To be shown on Sunday Afternoon, Sept. 28

START TIME - 12:30 P.M.

Will Not Be Shown in Demolition Derby Ring

No entries taken after 1:00 p.m. the day of showing.
Entry Fee \$4.00 (includes G.S.T.) for each Section.

Prizes

1st, \$28.00; 2nd, \$24.00; 3rd, \$21.00; 4th, \$18.00; 5th, \$15.00

Sec.

1. Open Trail
2. Pick-Up Race
3. Flag Race
4. Western Pleasure
5. Western Equitation
6. Barrel Race
7. Pole Bending
8. Command
9. Texas Speed and Action
10. Dash for Cash
11. English Equitation
12. English Pleasure

SPECIAL by Ben Allison Barrel Race, Prize Money

13.

125th ANNIVERSARY PLEASURE DRIVING CLASS

To be held Sunday Sept. 28 with the Western Horse Show.

Open to all Heavy or Light Horses or Ponies, hooked single to a suitable 2 or 4 wooden wheeled vehicle.

To be dressed in a period costume of the turn of the century or before.

Horses will be asked to flat walk, park trot (slow trot), road trot (fast trot), halt, stand quiet and back. Headers may be in the ring to set horse up and then step back 2 paces.

Judged On: performance - 50%, manners - 25%, costume and turn out - 25%.



CATTLE

GENERAL RULES FOR ALL BREEDS DEFINITIONS

- 1.a **EXHIBIT**
For the purpose of the Classifications an exhibit shall be interpreted as follows: All registered animals, whether owned by one person or by more than one person (individually or jointly), are considered to be the production of the farm breeding unit on which they are maintained.
 - b **EXHIBITOR**
An exhibitor is any breeder or firm which presents animals for official placing by a judge at the time specified by the fair for judging.
 - c **BREEDING UNIT**
For the purposes of the Classifications a "Breeding Units" is defined as follows: In each classification where common interests are involved in more than one breeding operation such operations are considered as one Breeding Unit. In all cases where there is any doubt that more than one breeding unit exists, the interpretation shall be that only one breeding unit exists. The responsibility of proof of separation of breeding units shall rest with the exhibitor(s).
 - d **PUREBRED**
"Purebred" means an animal that is purebred of the breed as determined by the by-laws of an association authorized to register animals of that breed.
2. **CHECKING OF EXHIBITS**
Checking of exhibits is the responsibility of the fair or exhibition adopting the Classifications. The fair must exclude ineligible animals and those not positively identified before judging. Proof of Ownership must be available upon request.
NOTE: Cattle must be in barns by 10:00 a.m. on the day that class is shown and must remain in the grounds until after 5:00 p.m. this rule will be strictly enforced.
NOTE: Straw will be provided.

HERDSMAN COMPETITION

1. General appearances of entries and stable area.
2. Neatness of Exhibitors.
3. Courtesy to the public.

HERDSMAN SPECIALS

Charles & Madelene Fox	Trophy
J.C. Yule Memorial	Trophy
J.C. Beattie	Trophy

Prize Money for the Herdsman Competition is sponsored by
Egger Excavating, Dunnville.

	1st	2nd	3rd
Friday, September 26	25.00	15.00	10.00
Saturday, September 27	25.00	15.00	10.00
Sunday, September 28	25.00	15.00	10.00

Cattle, exhibited on Edinburgh Square, were a part of the first Caledonia Fair. The 1897 Prize List had categories for Durhams, Herefords, Holsteins, Ayrshires, Jerseys and Fat Cattle. Early livestock competitions were rife with protests. By 1898 the prize list stated that owners of all pure bred stock must be prepared to furnish pedigrees when called upon to do so by Judges." The present cattle barn was built in 1900.

BEEF CATTLE

COMMITTEE

Peter Stubbs Chairman,
John Hussack, James Hussack, Robert Murray,
Bob Hudspeth, Greg Bates, Ron Young,
David Young, Ernie Allan, Charlie Barker,
John Walker, Jim Walker, Jeff Smith

BEEF CATTLE CLASSIFICATION

1. **Number of Classes**
A fair must offer a minimum of 2 bull classes, 2 female classes, and 1 group class to a maximum of 10 classes.
2. **Number of Exhibits Per Breeding Unit**
A fair has the authority to increase the number of exhibits from a breeding unit from 10 to 12 exhibits to allow 4-H animals to be shown by 4-H members in open classes. Such additional exhibits will not be eligible to compete in the Breeder's Herd class.
3. **Animal Registration**
All animals being shown in single classes must be registered as purebred by the closing date entries, except calves under 6 months of age (which must be properly tattooed) in two-year and mature cow/calf classes. All animals must be legibly tattooed. Calves over 6 months of age must be registered unless the by-laws of an association states that an animal can not be registered until older.
4. Exhibitors are limited to one entry per section, however the Caledonia Fair Directors have authorized two entries per section to a maximum of two Sections.

The Exhibitor has his choice of Sections in which to make his second entries.

Please read rule above "Definition of an entry". This rule must be strictly enforced.

Judging to commence promptly at NOON.

Entry Fee will be 15% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Money Won.

**ANY BREED OF BEEF CATTLE THAT DOES NOT HAVE
3 EXHIBITORS AND 24 ANIMALS, THE SOCIETY WILL ONLY PAY
50% OF THE PRIZE MONEY.**

All Cattle To Be Halter Broken

NOTE: No Blocking Chutes will be allowed in the bleacher area - Must be kept away from ring and bleachers.

Prizes for all Sections other than Champions are:

1st Prize	\$60.00	6th Prize	\$25.00
2nd Prize	\$50.00	7th Prize	\$20.00
3rd Prize	\$40.00	8th Prize	\$15.00
4th Prize	\$35.00	9th Prize	\$12.00
5th Prize	\$30.00	10th Prize	\$10.00

CLASS 12 HEREFORD

To be shown on Sunday, September 28th at 12 Noon

- | Sec. | | Date of Birth |
|------|---|------------------------------------|
| 1. | Bull - Calf | born on or after Jan. 1, 1997 |
| | Minimum of three months of age on day of judging | |
| 2. | Bull - Jr. Yearling | born April 1, 1996 - Dec. 31, 1996 |
| 3. | Bull - Sr. Yearling | born Jan. 1, 1996 - Mar. 31, 1996 |
| 4. | Jr. and Reserve Jr. Champion Male | Rosettes |
| 5. | Bull - 2 year old | born Jan. 1, 1995 - Dec. 31, 1995 |
| 6. | Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Bulls 5 | Rosettes |
| 7. | Female - Calf | born on or after Jan. 1, 1997 |
| | Minimum of three months of age on day of judging | |
| 8. | Female - Jr. Yearling | born April 1, 1996 - Dec. 31, 1996 |
| 9. | Female - Sr. Yearling | born Jan. 1, 1996 - Mar. 31, 1996 |
| 10. | Jr. and Reserve Jr. Champion Female | Rosettes |
| 11. | Female - 2 year old | born Jan. 1, 1995 - Dec. 31, 1995 |
| | with her own 1997, natural, purebred, tattooed calf at foot. Female and calf shall be shown as a unit except that the calf is eligible to be shown as a single animal in Section 14. | |
| 12. | Female - Mature | born prior to Jan 1, 1995 |
| | with her own 1997, natural, purebred, tattooed calf at foot. Female and calf shall be shown as a unit except that the calf is eligible to be shown as a single animal. | |
| 13. | Sr. and Reserve Sr. Champion Female | Rosettes |
| 14. | Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Female | Rosettes |
| 15. | Breeders Herd | |
| | A group of four animals bred by the exhibitor, both sexes represented. Must be exhibited in previous classes. At least one animal must be owned by the exhibitor. Limited to one entry per exhibitor. | |

All the animals must be from one farm or breeding unit.

SPECIAL: by Greg Bates Grand Champion Hereford Bull, Trophy

CLASS 14 GALLOWAY

To be shown on Sunday, September 28, 1997

Sections and Prizes same as Class 12 Hereford

SPECIAL: by Bud Cunningham. .. Champion Galloway Breeders' Herd, Trophy
SPECIAL: by John Hussack Grand Champion Galloway Bull, Trophy

EXHIBITORS MUST SUPPLY THEIR OWN STRAW

CLASS 14A MARKET STEERS

To be shown on Sunday, September 27, 1997

Open to all breeds.

Three entries in each section to any one Exhibitor.
 Steers to be sired by a registered bull.

Steers will be weighed between 10:30 and 11:00 o'clock.

Steers do not have to be blood tested or vaccinated for exhibition at fairs.

Other general rules for all breeds apply.

Steer Classes to be shown after Purebred Show

Entry Fee will be 10% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Money Won

Prizes for Sections 1-3 and 5

1st Prize	\$45.00	5th Prize	\$20.00
2nd Prize	\$40.00	6th Prize	\$17.00
3rd Prize	\$30.00	7th Prize	\$16.00
4th Prize	\$25.00	8th Prize	\$15.00

Prize Money sponsored in part by ERNIE ALLEN

Sec.

1. Steer, Lightweight
2. Steer, Middleweight
3. Steer, Heavyweight
4. Champion and Reserve Champion Steers Rosettes
5. Group of 3 Steers shown in Sections 1, 2 and 3.
 Any Breed, owned by ONE Exhibitor.
The rules for Sec. 5 "Group of 3 Steers" will be strictly enforced.

GILBERT DOUGLAS MEMORIAL Grand Champion Steer, Award
 (donated by the Douglas family, Caledonia.)

Many remember the Cattle Parades in front of the grandstand. These "Grand Stock" Parades were considered a major part of the fair and the 1937 Fair Books warned that "no prizes will be paid on winners whose owners do not have them in the parade." Calf races were also popular.



DAIRY CATTLE

COMMITTEE

Bud Cunningham and Rodney Fox, Co-Chairmen;
Richard Johnson, Ralph Yule, Bill Richards
Chris Richardson, Russell Smith, Bob Creighton

DAIRY CATTLE CLASSIFICATION

1. **NUMBER OF EXHIBITS PER BREEDING UNIT**
For junior female, dry cow classes where prize money is offered, exhibits per breeding unit are restricted to a maximum of two exhibits in a maximum of two classes. There is no restriction on multiple exhibits for milking female classes.
2. **ANIMAL REGISTRATION**
All exhibits must be registered in the name of the exhibitor in accordance with the by-laws of their respective association. The certificate of registration must state that the animal is purebred or at least 75% of purebred inheritance. All exhibits must be legibly tattooed (if applicable).
3. **PROOF OF OWNERSHIP MUST BE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.**

Please read in General rules "Definition of an Entry"
This rule must be strictly enforced

Judging of Dairy Cattle to begin promptly at 1:00 p.m.

Entry Fee will be 15% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Money Won.

**ANY BREED OF DAIRY CATTLE THAT DOES NOT HAVE
3 EXHIBITORS AND 24 ANIMALS, THE SOCIETY WILL ONLY PAY
50% OF THE PRIZE MONEY.**

CLASS 15

JERSEY

Saturday, September 27

- | Sec. | | Date of Birth |
|------|--|-------------------------------|
| 1. | Female, Calf | Sept. 1, 1996 - Feb. 28, 1997 |
| 2. | Junior Yearling | Mar. 1, 1996 - Aug. 31, 1996 |
| 3. | Senior Yearling | Sept. 1, 1995 - Feb. 28, 1996 |
| 4. | Junior and Reserve Champion Female | Ribbons |
| 5. | Female (2 years old) | Sept. 1, 1994 - Aug. 31, 1995 |
| | In milk, dry or not yet calved for the first time. | |
| 6. | Female (3 years old) | Sept. 1, 1993 - Aug. 31, 1994 |
| | In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving. | |
| 7. | Female (4 years old) | Sept. 1, 1992 - Aug. 31, 1993 |
| | In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving. | |
| 8. | Female (5 years old) | Sept. 1, 1991 - Aug. 31, 1992 |
| | In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving. | |
| 9. | Female (mature cow) | Prior to Sept. 1, 1991 |
| 10. | Senior and Reserve Senior Champion Female | Ribbons |
| 11. | Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Female | Rosettes |
| 12. | Breeder's Herd (bred by Exhibitor): | |
| | A group of three animals limited to one exhibit per exhibitor. | |
| | Exhibitor must have bred all 3 animals and own at least 2. | |

The registration certificate for each respective animal must show the exhibitor as "breeder" and as "owner" ... in both cases either as an individual or in a partnership. In other words, the exhibitor may be a "joint owner" of an animal and/or the "joint breeder" of an animal. Note the exception where one animal may be owned by another exhibitor.

In Each Milking Class A Best Udder Rosette Will Be Awarded

Prizes for all sections other than Championships and Ribbon Classes are:

1st Prize	\$60.00	6th Prize	\$25.00
2nd Prize	\$50.00	7th Prize	\$20.00
3rd Prize	\$40.00	8th Prize	\$15.00
4th Prize	\$35.00	9th Prize	\$12.00
5th Prize	\$30.00	10th Prize	\$10.00

JERSEY SPECIALS

Bank of Nova Scotia Breeder's Herd, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Prizes
Russell Douglas Grand Champion Jersey Female, Trophy
Dr. Richard Johnson Champion Junior Jersey Female, Trophy

CLASS 16

GUERNSEY

Friday, September 26th

Sections same as Class 15

GUERNSEY SPECIALS

GENCOR Grand Champion Guernsey Female, Trophy
Bud Cunningham Champion Junior Guernsey Female, Trophy

CLASS 17

AYRSHIRE

CLASS 18

DUAL PURPOSE SHORTHORN

CLASS 18A

BROWN SWISS

To be shown on Saturday, September 27th

Sections and Prizes same as Class 15 Jersey

EXHIBITORS MUST SUPPLY THEIR OWN STRAW

55TH ANNUAL Haldimand Holstein Show

AT CALEDONIA FAIR

CLASS 19 HOLSTEINS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1997

President, Doug Peart
1st Vice-President, Dave Rose
Secretary-Treasurer, Mary Ann Peart
Holstein Rep., Bill Dobbin

JUDGE: Frank Donkers, Branchton

Prizes are provided jointly by the Haldimand Holstein Club and Caledonia Agricultural Society.

RULES and REGULATIONS

The general rules of the Caledonia Agricultural Society are to govern except where special rules of Black and White Show apply. Exhibitors must purchase a Fair Membership. (\$6.00)

For junior female, where prize money is offered, exhibits per breeding unit are restricted to a maximum of two exhibits in a maximum of two classes. There is restriction on multiple exhibits for milking female classes.

The Exhibitor shall be the owner as officially recorded on the registration certificate immediately prior to the commencement of judging.

The Haldimand Holstein Show is open to the region of Haldimand-Norfolk.

In the spirit of the 125th Caledonia Fair, white show clothes or blue jeans for the exhibitors are not allowed for 1997. Please dress in clothes like showmen wore in the 1870's. Please make barn displays typical of the 1870's era.

The registration certificate and the necessary record of Performance certificate must be made available for checking before the commencement of judging.

The Health of Animals Regulations will be those governing the local Fair.

Only 4-H members in Haldimand-Norfolk can be recognized with their 4-H projects in classes 1,2,3,4 and 5.

The "Code of Ethics for Dairy Cattle Exhibitors" must be strictly obeyed.

NO EXITS OR ENTRANCES TO BE BLOCKED DUE TO SAFETY REGULATIONS

Animals are to be brought into the ring youngest to eldest (according to age).

All animals to be on grounds by 10 o'clock Friday, Sept. 26, 1997.

Judging will commence promptly at 11:00 a.m.

Cattle must be removed from the grounds before 5:00 p.m.

The Haldimand-Norfolk Holstein Club is charging an entry fee of \$2.00 per animal to a maximum of \$20.00 per Exhibitor. This does not apply to 4-H Project calves. Please send a cheque payable to the Haldimand-Norfolk Holstein Club with your entry.

Entries must be in the hands of the Fair Secretary, on special forms supplied, by Friday, September 5, 1997.

NOTE: Cattle not entered by September 5th, cannot be exhibited.

EXHIBITORS MUST SUPPLY THEIR OWN STRAW

A catalogue of all entries will be made up for distribution at time of showing.

Entry Fee will be 15% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Money Won

Special Junior Showman Class:
Open to Boy or Girl 12 years or under as of Show Day.

Special Intermediate Showman Class:
Open to Boy or Girl 13-15 years old on Show Day.

Special Senior Showman Class:
Open to Boy or Girl 16-22 years old on Show Day.

Animal must also be shown in one of the Jr. Female Classes.

Sec.	Date of Birth
1. Junior Heifer Calf	March 1, 1997 and younger
2. Intermediate Heifer Calf	Dec. 1, 1996 - Feb. 28, 1997 Ribbon
3. Senior Heifer Calf	Sept. 1, 1996 - Nov. 30, 1996 Ribbon
4. Summer Yearling Heifer	June 1, 1996 - Aug. 31, 1996
5. Junior Yearling Heifer	March 1, 1996 - May 31, 1996
6. Winter Yearling	Dec. 1, 1995 - Feb. 28, 1996
7. Senior Yearling Heifer	Sept. 1, 1995 - Nov. 30, 1995
8. Junior and Reserve Junior Champion Female	Rosettes
9. Junior Breeders Herd: Group of 3 Jr. Heifers bred and owned by exhibitor	Ribbon
10. Female (Jr. 2 year old)	Mar. 1, 1995 - Aug. 31, 1995 In milk, dry or not yet calved for the first time.
11. Female (Sr. 2 year old)	Sept. 1, 1994 - Feb. 28, 1995 In milk, dry or not yet calved for the first time.
12. Female (Jr. 3 years old)	March 1, 1994 - Aug. 31, 1994 In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving.
13. Female (Sr. 3 years old)	Sept. 1, 1993 - Feb. 29, 1994 In milk or dry. If dry must be within 8 weeks of calving.
14. Female (4 year old)	Sept. 1, 1992 - Aug. 31, 1993 In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving.
15. Female (5 years old)	Sept. 1, 1991 - Aug. 31, 1992 In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving.
16. Female (mature cow)	Born prior to Sept. 1, 1991 In milk or dry. If dry, must be within approximately 8 weeks of calving.
17. Grand and Reserve Grand Champion Female	Rosettes
18. Breeder's Herd (bred and owned by exhibitor)	A group of three animals limited to one exhibit per exhibitor. Exhibitor must have bred all three animals and own at least two.

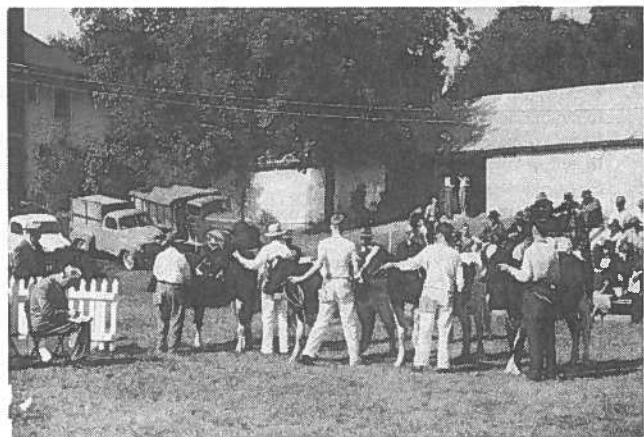
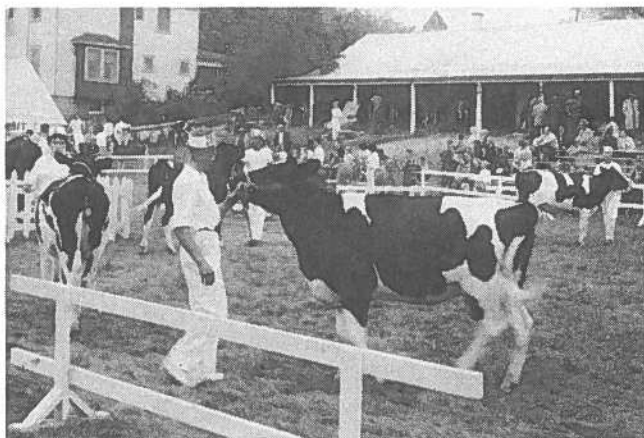
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In Each Milking Class a Best Udder Rosette Will Be Awarded.

Prizes for the above Sections, other than Championships and Ribbon Sections.

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4th Prize	\$35.00	9th Prize	\$12.00
5th Prize	\$30.00	10th Prize	\$10.00

The Fair's association with the Haldimand Holstein Club began in 1911 when the Society gave permission to the "Holstein Friesian Association" to hold a sale and "placed the sheds and grounds at disposal of said Association, free of charge." In 1943 the First Annual Haldimand County Black and White Day was held and this year marks the 55th Holstein Show.



HOLSTEIN SPECIALS

Premier Exhibitor Banner

An attractive premier Exhibitor Banner will be presented by Egger Excavating, Dunnville, and a coat will be presented by GENCOR to the individual, partnership or institution, that have the largest number of points that have been won in the individual classes by not more than 10 animals owned by the exhibitor. This does not limit the number of animals that may be shown. In the case of jointly owned animals, the joint ownership will be considered as one exhibitor and no part of the points awarded will count toward the individual score of any of the joint owners. Points will be awarded on the following basis:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Senior Milking Females	20	18	16	14	12
Junior Females	10	9	8	7	6

Premier Breeder Banner

An attractive Premier Banner will be presented by CIBC Caledonia to the individual, partnership or institution having the largest number of points that have been won in the individual classes by not more than 10 animals, bred but not necessarily owned by the winner. In the case of jointly bred animals the prefix of the animal will be followed in awarding the points. Points will be awarded on the following basis:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Senior Milking Females	20	18	16	14	12
Junior Females & Dry Cows	10	9	8	7	6

New Exhibitor

Fulsom Transport Ltd. will present a Trophy to the New Exhibitor with the most points, who has not shown more than two head in any of the past five years.

B.C.A.

Lea Metcalfe, Harwill Farms Mobile Feeds, Hagersville, will present a Trophy to the owner of the female with the highest composite B.C.A. of any single record. The winning animal must be in top three placings in her individual section.

Clark Agri-Service Breeder's Herd, Trophy
 Royal Bank, Hagersville Junior Heifer Calf, Trophy
 Wabisa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Intermediate Heifer, Trophy
 Wellandport Farm Equipment Senior Heifer Calf, Trophy
 Grand Erie Farm & Country, Dunnville Summer Yearling, Trophy
 Erie Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Junior Yearling, Trophy
 Cayuga Feed & Farm Supply Winter Yearling, Trophy
 Fisherville Animal Clinic Senior Yearling, Trophy
 Cayuga Mutual Fire Insurance Company Junior Champion Female, Trophy
 CIBC, Cayuga Junior 2 Year-Old, Trophy
 The International Stock Food Company Senior 2 Year-Old, Trophy
 Niagara Agr. Business Centre, Royal Bank Junior 3 Year-Old, Trophy
 Minor Bros. Farm Supply Senior 3 Year Old, Trophy
 Tilstra Dairy Equipment, Dunnville 4 Year Old, Trophy
 Hunsinger's, Fisherville 5 Year Old, Trophy
 Cowan Agri Supply Inc., Dunnville Mature Cow, Trophy
 CIBC, Dunnville Grand Champion Female, Trophy
 Bank of Nova Scotia, Caledonia Reserve Grand Champion Female, Trophy
 Dunnville Vet Clinic Best Udder, Trophy
 Norfolk Co-op Senior Showmanship, Trophy
 R.E. Egger Truck & Machine, Dunnville Intermediate Showmanship, Trophy
 Oneida Ford New Holland Junior Showmanship, Trophy

SHEEP

DISTRICT 4 REGIONAL SHEEP SHOW

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th

As Presented by Ontario Sheep Marketing Agency District 4
Open to District 4 Breeders Only

Judging is to commence at 10:00 a.m., Friday, September 26th.

DISTRICT 4 COMMITTEE

Gerald Comfort, Fred Bell, Keith Etsell, Jerry Kelleher

CALEDONIA FAIR SHEEP COMMITTEE

Don Douglas, Donald McBlain, Dawna Beth Douglas

SHEEP CLASSIFICATION

1. Each breed must be shown separately, and have at least three (3) exhibitors and eighteen (18) exhibits per sheep breed. Only one half the prize money will be paid if requirement not met.

For the purposes of the Classifications an exhibit shall be interpreted as follows:

2. All registered animals, whether owned by one person or by more than one person (individually or jointly), are considered to be the production of the farm or breeding unit on which they are maintained.

Where the same or common interests are involved in more than one breeding operation such operations are considered as one Breeding Unit. In all cases where there is any doubt that more than one breeding unit exists, the interpretation shall be that only one breeding unit exists. The responsibility of proof of separation of breeding units shall rest with the exhibitor(s).

3. **NUMBER OF CLASSES**

A fair must offer the following six breeding classes and may offer the optional market lamb class.

4. **NUMBER OF EXHIBITS PER BREEDING UNIT**

The maximum total eligible exhibits per breed from a breeding unit is 8 head (including the single market lamb class).

The fair may authorize two entries per class in a maximum of two single classes.

The number of breeds that may be exhibited by an exhibitor is at the discretion of the fair.

5. **ANIMAL REGISTRATION**

All exhibits must be owned by and registered as purebred in the name of the exhibitor. All animals must be legibly tattooed.

6. **FLEECE**

The following breeds must be shown in short fleece (staple less than 1 inch or 2.50 cm): Border Cheviot, Dorset, Hampshire, Oxford Down, Shropshire, Southdown, Suffolk at shows that fall between April 1 and October 14 inclusive. The same breeds mentioned above are allowed to be shown at shows that fall between October 15 and March 31, in staple length not more than 1.5 inches or 3.8 cm.

Other breeds may be shown in short or full fleece at the discretion of the fair.

6. **PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS**

All exhibits must have completed an official performance test (100 day weight).

PEDIGREES & ROP RECORDS TO BE PRESENTED MORNING OF THE SHOW

RULES and REGULATIONS

Exhibitor Plus One Helper (ONLY) Allowed Through Gate With No Admission Charge

1. Competition will be restricted to:
Breeders residing within District 4 comprised of the Regions of Hamilton- Wentworth, Haldimand-Norfolk, Niagara and Brant County.
THIS RULE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.
2. Sheep must be on the grounds not later than 9:00 a.m. Judging to commence at 10 a.m. No animal will be permitted to leave the grounds previous to 4:00 p.m.
3. All animals must be registered in the name of the exhibitor, except for Commercial Classes. Exhibitors must present registration certificates at the time of showing. Any animal will be barred if the exhibitor fails to provide proof of ownership.
4. Exhibitors will not be permitted to make more than 2 entries in 2 classes for single animals and more than 1 entry in flock and market lamb classes.
5. Substitute animals may be entered before 9:30 a.m. in place of entries already made.
6. Each exhibitor shall pay a 1997 Exhibitor Fee (\$6.00) to the Caledonia Agricultural Society. Entry fee will be 15% (+G.S.T.) deducted from prize money won.
7. Each exhibitor must be a member of the District 4 Ontario Sheep Marketing Agency. Membership may be obtained at time of entry. 4-H members owning their own lambs will be exempt from \$10.00 membership to District 4.
8. All classes must be judged in the ring to be eligible for prize money regardless of the number of entries.
9. **EXHIBITORS MUST SUPPLY THEIR OWN STRAW.**
10. Entries in "full mouth milk teeth" classes must have completed their Record of Performance (R.O.P.) test. Beginning in 1980, all entries will be requested to have completed testing. This rule to pure bred classes only.

CLASS 20 SUFFOLK
CLASS 21 LEICESTER
CLASS 22 DORSET
CLASS 23 SOUTHDOWN
CLASS 24 LINCOLN
CLASS 25 ANY OTHER BREED

If Purebred Numbers are not sufficient (i.e. 3 Exhibitors, 18 Animals), in all classes, a mixed breed class may be offered.

Prizes

1st Prize	\$26.00	6th Prize	\$14.00
2nd Prize	\$23.00	7th Prize	\$12.00
3rd Prize	\$21.00	8th Prize	\$10.00
4th Prize	\$19.00	9th Prize	\$8.00
5th Prize	\$17.00	10th Prize	\$5.00

Sec.

1. Ewe - "yearling" (3rd pair of temporary incisors must be in place). Born and bred in Canada.
2. Ewe - (First pair of temporary incisors must be in place). Born the property of the exhibitor.
3. Grand and Reserve Champion Ewe Rosette
4. Ram - "yearling" (3rd pair of temporary incisors must be in place).
5. Ram - (First pair of temporary incisors must be in place). Born the property of the exhibitor).
6. Grand and Reserve Champion Ram Rosette
7. Get of Sire - Born the property of the exhibitor. A group of three animals, first pair of temporary incisors must be in place, by the same sire. Both sexes may be represented. (Animals may or may not have been shown in previous classes).
8. Breeders Flock - (Bred and owned by exhibitor). A group of four animals. Both sexes may be represented. Each animal in the group must have been exhibited in one of the preceding classes. All animals in the group to be of one breed.

CLASS 27 SHEEP SPECIALS

1. Best Flock, any breed James McBlain & Son
2. Best flock, Long Wool Blend Denis and Jean Crankshaw
3. Best pair of Yearling Ewes, any breed Wilson Douglas Memorial
4. Grade or Crossbred Yearling Ewe Commercial Breeder's Class
(Exhibitors in purebred ewe classes not eligible to show grades of that breed.)
5. Commercial Ewe Lamb 6 prizes of \$10.00 each
6. Champion Commercial Ewe Lyndee Acres Trophy
(Must be won twice before permanent possession.)

In 1907 W.A. Douglas became Superintendent of the Sheep Department and a member of the Douglas Family has held that position ever since. New buildings were erected for the sheep in 1915. By 1938 farmers could show seven breeds including Shropshire, Cotswolds and Horned Dorsets. In 1945 Wilson Douglas, a keen sheep exhibitor himself, said that the Sheep Show was "as good as that of any Fair in the Province." The sheep barn burned down in 1958 but was rebuilt that same year.



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CLASS 27A MARKET LAMBS

To be shown on Friday, September 26th

Entry Fee 15% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Winnings

1. Market Lamb: Ewe or wether, not over 110 lbs. and not shown in regular classes. Not more than 1 entry by any Exhibitor or breeding unit.

1st Prize	\$15.00	7th Prize	\$9.00
2nd Prize	\$14.00	8th Prize	\$8.00
3rd Prize	\$13.00	9th Prize	\$7.00
4th Prize	\$12.00	10th Prize	\$6.00
5th Prize	\$11.00	11th Prize	\$5.00
6th Prize	\$10.00	12th Prize	\$5.00

PIGS

CLASS 28 MARKET HOGS

COMMITTEE

Richard Harrison, Chairman; Don Farrell, Co-Chairman;
James McBlain

Entry Fee 10% (+G.S.T.) of Prize Winnings.

RULES and REGULATIONS

One hog from one litter or pen to be exhibited by a breeder or feeder and may be pure bred, grade or cross bred.

Only one entry from any one farm or exhibitor. Maximum 10 entries.

The slaughtered carcasses will be returned for exhibit on all 4 days of the Fair, September 25 - 28th.

Entries must be received by Vickie Peart, Secretary of the Fair, not later than Friday, September 12th. Details of shipment can be arranged at that time.

Sec. 1 - Single hog slaughtered previous to Fair.

PRIZES

\$20.00, \$18.00, \$16.00, \$14.00, \$12.00 and \$10.00
to all other creditable entries.

Prize money for Market Hogs is sponsored by
Fulsom Transport, Fisherville.

Note - Trucking of the market hog will be paid by the Agricultural Society.

HOG SPECIALS

Bud Cunningham Market Hog Carcass

The Prize List from 1897 includes classes for Berkshires, Yorkshires, Tamworths and Chester Whites. In 1939 Gordon Skinner, the Agricultural Representative for the Ontario government, helped the Fair establish the Haldimand Bacon Hog Fair. In 1943 it was expanded as the "Bacon for Britain" Exhibit since export hogs were needed for the war effort. Mr. Skinner proudly stated that it was "something that no other Fair in the Province has ever entered into."

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GOATS

COMMITTEE

David Peart, Chairman; Mike Jones, Jack Beemer

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH

This show is sanctioned by the Canadian Goat Society

All goats must be in their pens by 9 a.m. on Saturday, September 27, 1997 in order that tattoos and registration certificates may be checked. As soon as you unload, move your vehicle.

Judging to commence at 10:00 a.m.

Goats must remain penned until 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 27, 1997.

All goats must be registered with the Canadian Goat Society.

The base date for calculating the age of an animal to be shown September 28, 1996 the date the animal is to be judged.

There will be no pre-show milk-out. A doe with a hard, distended udder will be disqualified at the discretion of the judge.

All animals shown in special classes **MUST** have been shown in their regular classes.

Exhibitors are permitted to show 2 entries per section.

All exhibitors must purchase an Exhibitors Membership for \$6.00. Entry fee will be **15%** of prize money won (+G.S.T.)

All exhibitors to wear white.

General rules of Caledonia Agricultural Society will apply in all cases.

All entries to be made to Caledonia Agricultural Society, 151 Caithness St. E., Caledonia, Ontario N3W 1C2 by September 12th, 1997.

CLASS 29

Prizes

1st Prize	\$25.00	4th Prize	\$13.00
2nd Prize	\$20.00	5th Prize	\$11.00
3rd Prize	\$15.00		

CLASS 29	ALPINE
CLASS 29A	NUBIAN
CLASS 29B	SAANEN
CLASS 29C	TOGGENBURG
CLASS 29D	LA MANCHA
CLASS 29E	RECORDED GRADE

The first Goat Show was held in 1985. Board members at the time admitted to knowing little about these curious beasts. They were astounded not only by the number of goats that arrived but by the spectacle of one arriving in the back of a Volkswagen Bug! Today the Goat Show remains strong and is a definite crowd pleaser.

JUNIOR DIVISION

Does under 24 months of age that are not in milk and have never freshened.

1. Junior Kid - over 3 months, under 9 months.
2. Senior Kid - over 9 months, under 24 months.

SENIOR DIVISION

Does that have never freshened or are in milk.

3. Under 2 years of age.
4. 2 years and under 4 years of age.
5. 4 years of age and over.
6. Grand and Reserve Grand Champion - Rosette.

CLASS 29F - SPECIALS

1. Best Udder in show and milk out Rosette
2. Best Doe in show Rosette
3. Best Herd \$20.00 & Rosette
Open to all classes, to consist of 4 does of one breed.
Must be owned by the Exhibitor. One entry per exhibitor.
4. Special Showmanship 1st - \$15.00; \$6.00 to all other entries
Open to boys and girls 15 years and under.
(Maximum 2 entries per breeding unit)
5. Special Showmanship 1st - \$15.00, 2nd - \$10.00
Prize Money sponsored by Fair President Russell Douglas.
Open to Exhibitors 16 yrs. and over.
6. Herdsman Competition \$25.00
Judged on general appearance of entries and barn area neatness of exhibitors and courtesy to public.

GOAT SPECIALS

David Peart Best Doe in the show, Trophy
Hewitts Dairy Ltd. Best Udder, Trophy

POULTRY

COMMITTEE

James Pearce, Chairman
Bob Hudspeth, Candy Pearce
Webb Slack, Dave Weir, Bill Pearce

Poultry must be on the grounds and placed in the Poultry Building between 6:00-10:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 24. The closing date for making entries is Friday, September 12th. **Absolutely no added entries the day of showing.**

Judging will commence at 9:00 a.m. sharp, September 25th.

All birds and animals must be in good health or the exhibitor will be asked to remove them from the building.

Feed and reasonable care will be supplied to all entries.

Due to our very limited accommodations, only the first 500 entries received will be accepted. Please send your entry list early to avoid disappointment.

Exhibitors are allowed maximum of two entries in each Section.

Entry Fee 30 cents (.28 + .2 GST) for each single entry.

All entry fees must be paid in full at the time of making entry.

Entry Tags will be attached to the pens previous to the opening date of the Fair.

Poultry must remain in the pens until 6:00 P.M., Sunday Sept. 28th

PRIZES

1st, \$3.00; 2nd, \$2.75; 3rd, \$2.50

CLASS 30

Standard Bred Poultry

	Cock	Hen	Cockerel	Pullet
Plymouth Rock, White	1	2	3	4
Plymouth Rock, Barred	5	6	7	8
Plymouth Rock, Buff	9	10	11	12
Plymouth Rock, A.O.V.	13	14	15	16
Wyandotte, A.V.	17	18	19	20
Minorca, Black s.c.	21	22	23	24
Leghorn, White s.c.	25	26	27	28
Leghorn, Brown	29	30	31	32
Leghorn, A.O.V.	33	34	35	36
Rhode Island Red, A.V.	37	38	39	40
Cornish, A.V.	41	42	43	44
Ancona, A.V.	45	46	47	48
Modern Game, A.V.	49	50	51	52
Polish, Buff Lace	53	54	55	56
Polish, White Crested Black	57	58	59	60
Polish, A.O.V.	61	62	63	64
Bred to Lay, A.V.	65	66	67	68
Old English Game	69	70	71	72
Australorp	73	74	75	76
Langsham	77	78	79	80
Buff, Orpington	81	82	83	84
Orpington	85	86	87	88
A.O.V. (Unnamed)	89	90	91	92

Bantams

Gold or Silver Seabright	93	94	95	96
Rhode Island Red	97	98	99	100
Japanese, A.V.	101	102	103	104
A.O.V.	105	106	107	108
Polish A.O.V.	109	110	111	112
Cochin, Black	113	114	115	116
Cochin, White	117	118	119	120
Cochin, A.O.V.	121	122	123	124
Rose Comb, Black or White	125	126	127	128
Cornish A.V.	129	130	134	135
Old English Duckwings	133	134	135	136
Game, Black	137	138	139	140
Game, White	141	142	143	144
Old English Black Red Game	145	146	147	148
Game, A.O.V.	149	150	151	152
Leghorn, White	153	154	155	156
Leghorn, Silver	157	158	159	160
Leghorn, A.O.V.	161	162	163	164
Modern Game, A.V.	165	166	167	168
Wyandotte, Black	169	170	171	172
Wyandotte, White	173	174	175	176
Wyandotte, A.O.V.	177	178	179	180
Plymouth Rock, Barred	181	182	183	184
Plymouth Rock, White	185	186	187	188
Plymouth Rock, A.O.V.	189	190	191	192
Brahmas	193	194	195	196
Milles Fleurs	197	198	199	200
Silkie, A.V.	201	202	203	204

Ducks

	Male	Female
Pekin	205	206
Rouen	207	208
Call, White	209	210
Call, Grey	211	212
Call, A.O.V.	213	214
Indian Runner	215	216
Muscovy	217	218
White, Crested	219	220
A.O.V.	221	222

POULTRY SPECIAL

Grand River Home Hardware Champion Bird of the Show, Trophy

CLASS 30A

Pigeons

The same Rules, Entry Fees and Prizes as Class 30 will apply.

	Male	Female
Fantail, A.V.	1	2
Homer, A.V.	3	4
Kings, A.V.	5	6
Tumbler, A.V.	7	8
Roller, A.V.	9	10
A.O.V.	11	12

CLASS 30B

Rabbits

The same Rules, Entry Fees and Prizes as Class 30 will apply.

	Male	Female
New Zealand, A.V.	1	2
Dutch, A.V.	3	4
Dwarf, A.V.	5	6
Lop, Mini or Holland	7	8
Lop, French or English	9	10
Polish	11	12
California	13	14
A.O.V.	15	16
Rex A.O.V.	17	18

RABBIT SPECIAL

Caledonia Garden Centre Champion Rabbit of Show, Trophy

Which Came First ...?

Poultry, shown in pairs, appeared in the 1897 Prize List. There was also a category for the heaviest dozen of fresh hen's eggs. Poultry and Eggs were chosen in 1948 as the first Commercial Production Feature at the Fair. This was a series of classes inaugurated to reflect a major source of farm revenue in the Caledonia area. It included competitive classes, displays and educational demonstrations.

(For Children 14 years and under)

Entries must be made with the Secretary and not on School Entry Tags. Only one entry in each section to any Exhibitor.

PRIZES

Sec.

1. Pair Rabbits, under 3 months, white
2. Pair Rabbits, under 3 months, A.O.V
3. Pair Pigeons, (fancy)
4. 1 Guinea Pig, Male
5. 1 Guinea Pig, Female
6. 1 Rabbit, Dutch or Dwarf, Male
7. 1 Rabbit, Dutch or Dwarf, Female
8. 1 Rabbit, any variety, Male
9. 1 Rabbit, any variety, Female

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1. General rules and regulations apply.
2. Display bags will be supplied by Society.
3. All sheaves must measure at least 6" at centreband and be mounted on a self-supporting stand.
4. All entries must be close to specified requirements in order to be judged.
5. 1 Peck = 1/4 bushel

Richard Harrison, Robert Cruickshank Co-Chairmen;
Mark Peart, David Peart, John Wickett, Peter Stubbs,
Owen Beemer, Kim Turnbull, Ralph Yule

CLASS 31

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Sections 1 - 15, 21 - 23	10.00	9.00	8.00	7.00	6.00
Sections 16 - 20	20.00	15.00	12.00	10.00	7.00

1. White Winter Wheat, 1 peck, named
2. Two Row Barley, 1 peck, named
3. Six Row Barley, 1 peck, named
4. Oats, 1 peck, named
5. Soybean, 1 peck, named
6. Winter, Soft Red Wheat, 1 peck, named
7. Winter, Hard Red Wheat, 1 peck, named
8. Clover Seed, Red, 1 peck
9. Timothy Seed, 1 peck
10. Trefoil Seed, 1 peck
11. 10 Ears Hybrid Corn, named, under 2800 Heat Units
12. 10 Ears Hybrid Corn, named, over 2800 Heat Units
13. 4 Stalks of Grain Corn, named
14. 4 Stalks Silage Corn, named
15. 1 Peck Shelled Hybrid Corn
16. Bushel Hybrid Corn on Cob
17. Sheaf of Winter Wheat, named
18. Sheaf of Red Wheat, named
19. Sheaf of Barley, named
20. Sheaf of Oats, named
21. Sunflower, largest head, 6 inch stalk
22. Peck of Sunflower Seeds
23. Sheaf of Sorghum, 6 stalks

Clark Agri-Services	Champion Peck of Shelled Corn Trophy
O'Neils Farm Equipment, Binbrook	Champion Sheaf of Grain Trophy
Hedley Seeds Canfield	Most Points in Class 31 Award
Pride Brand Seeds	Most Points in Corn Sections (1 Unit of Hybrid Seed Corn)
Hyland Seeds - W.G. Thompson & Sons Ltd.	Champion Peck of Soybeans (4 Units of Certified Soybean Seed)

1st prize, 5 points; 2nd prize, 4 points; 3rd prize, 3 points;
4th prize, 2 points; 5th prize, 1 point



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Ad from 1946 Prize List

The Grain and Hay Display has long been the centrepiece of our Exhibition Hall. Grain and Hay competitions were a feature in early fairs. In 1907 the Ontario government offered funding for a Field Grain Competition. As many as 35 entrants vied for titles such as Oat and Corn King. The competition continued until the late 1980's. The Grain display peaked in Centennial year with 60 sheaves and 120 bags of grain exhibited.

One of the best exhibitors in Caledonia Fair's history was Cam Wickett (pictured below). Cam exhibited at every fair from 1927 to 1977 showing everything from swine to sunflowers. However his specialty was grain. Along with wife Margaret, the Wicketts seemed to perfect the art of making sheaves and won many awards. Cam and Margaret were also Fair Directors.



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HAY & SILAGE

COMMITTEE

David Lang, Chairman; Greg Bates, John Hussack, Don Berry,
Donald McBlain, John Wilkieson, Scott Cranston

Bales may be any shape or size but **MUST weigh 25 pounds to 75 pounds**
This weight rule will be strictly enforced.

Bales and Loose hay must be properly cured.
Bales must be as they come from Baler in field.
Loose Hay will be packed in one bushel hampers.
All hay must be mechanically harvested

General Rules and Regulations Apply.

All exhibits in this Class must be placed in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00
p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening, September 24th and must
remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th.

Entry Fee 10% (+GST) deducted from winners

CLASS 31A

Prizes for Bale Sections:

1st Prize	\$10.00	5th Prize	\$5.00
2nd Prize	\$8.00	6th Prize	\$4.00
3rd Prize	\$7.00	7th Prize	\$3.00
4th Prize	\$6.00	8th Prize	\$2.00

Sec.

- One bale Red Clover Hay, first cutting, min. 85% Red Clover
- One bale Red Clover Hay, second cutting, min. 85% Red Clover
- One bale Grass Hay, first cutting min. 85% Grass
- One bale Alfalfa Hay, min. 85% Alfalfa, first cutting
- One bale Alfalfa Hay, other than first cutting, min. 85% Legume
- One bale Alfalfa, direct seeding
- One bale Birdsfoot Trefoil and Grass
- One bale Mixed Hay, first cutting, minimum 30% Grass
- One bale Mixed Hay, other than first cutting, minimum 30% Grass

Prizes for Sections 10 - 16:

1st Prize	\$8.00	5th Prize	\$2.00
2nd Prize	\$7.00	6th Prize	\$1.00
3rd Prize	\$6.00	7th Prize	\$1.00
4th Prize	\$5.00	8th Prize	\$1.00

- One bushel hamper Loose Red Clover hay, min. 85% Red Clover
- One bushel hamper Loose Alfalfa Hay, 1st cutting, min 85% Legume
- One bushel hamper Loose Alfalfa Hay, other than 1st cutting, min. 85% Legume
- One bushel hamper Mixed Hay, minimum 30% Grass
- One Peck Bag Haylage
- One Peck Baleage
- One Peck Corn Silage (at least one week old)

HAY SPECIALS

Clarke Smith Champion Hamper, Trophy
CIBC Hagersville Champion Bale, Trophy
W.J. Heaslip Ltd. Peck of Baleage, Trophy
Norvartis Most Points in Class 31A (\$100 of Certified Alfalfa Seed)

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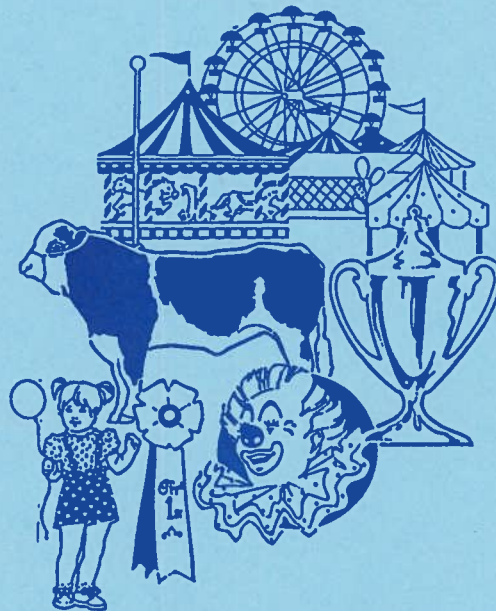
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Thursday, Sept. 25th

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4:00 p.m. — Exhibition Hall open to spectators
— ***Conklin Midway**
Pay One Price — \$14.00 (Thursday Only)

7:00 p.m. — **BOB & LARRY MARTIN - Rural Roots Music — Special Events Platform**

10:00 p.m. — Buildings Close

Friday, Sept. 26th

- 9:00 a.m. — Gates Open
Elementary School Students and under 6 FREE all day

10:00 a.m. — Buildings Open

Conklin Shows — Special Rates For Children

- 10:00 a.m. — Judging of District 4 Sheep
11:00 a.m. — Holstein Show
12:30 p.m. — Youth Show (Horses)
11:30 a.m. } Converse "Slam Jam"
1:30 p.m. } Basketball
3:30 p.m. } Outside Arena
1:00 p.m. — Judging of Dairy Class - Guernsey
4:30 p.m. — Pet Show on Special Events Platform
Sponsored by CGC, Hagersville
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Grandstand

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- 9:00 a.m. — Gates Open
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9:45 a.m. — Heavy Horse Show
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11:00 a.m. — Light Horse Judging and Track Events
1:00 p.m. — Jersey Show

Baby Show in Special Events Tent - sponsored by Conklins
Registration 1:00 p.m.
Contest to commence at 2:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. — "ONE GOT AWAY"
- Special Events Platform

7:30 p.m. — **DEMOLITION DERBY**

10:00 p.m. — Buildings Close

Sunday, Sept. 28th

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12:00 noon — Conklin Shows on Midway
12:00 noon — Herefords, Galloways & Market Steers
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GRANDSTAND

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Haldimand-Norfolk Horse Pullers
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1:30 & 3:00 — Instant Replay - Flyball Dogs

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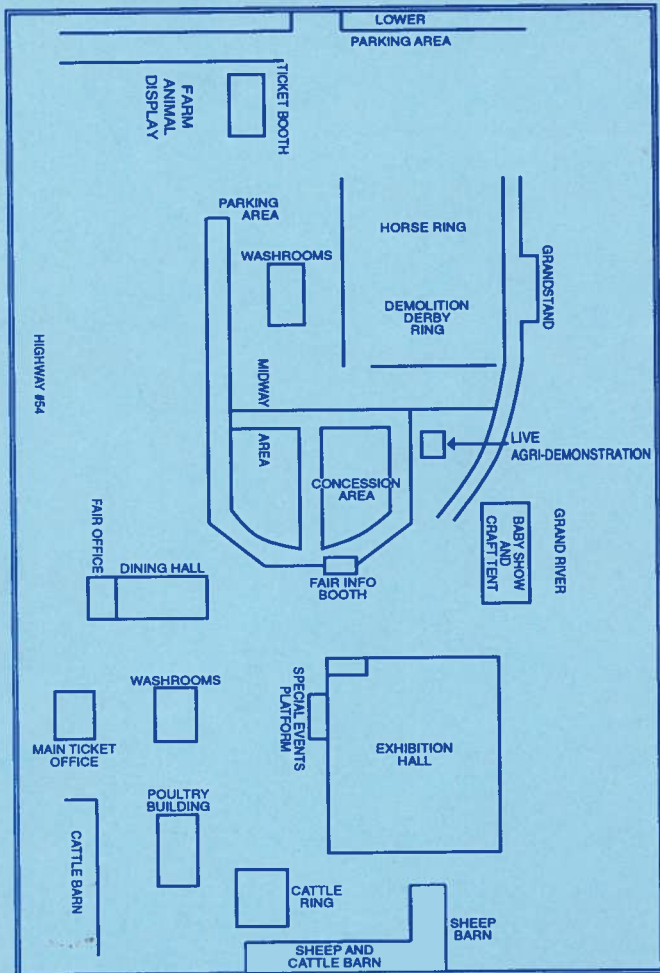
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ROOTS, VEGETABLES & FRUIT

COMMITTEE

Tom Peart, Chairman; Russell Douglas,
Stanley Jerome, Elroy Thompson, Don Forbes,
Dave Wickett, Jack Beemer

RULES

1. The largest vegetables will not necessarily win.
2. Stems must be left on pumpkins and squash.
3. All classes of A.O.V. must be correctly named.

Entry Fee 10% (+G.S.T.) deducted from winners

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ROOTS & VEGETABLES SPECIALS

Peart's Strawberry Farm 1st. Prize for the Heaviest Pumpkin or Squash
Stanley Jerome Collection of Vegetables, Award

CLASS 32

FIELD ROOTS

Trays provided by Society

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Heaviest Pumpkin or Squash	40.00	30.00	20.00	10.00
*\$5.00 to all other entries				
2. Heaviest Pumpkin (Jack O Lantern)	15.00	10.00	5.00	3.00
3. Potatoes, White A.O.V., 18	3.50	3.00	2.50	
4. Potatoes, Early Variety, named, 18	3.50	3.00	2.50	
5. Potatoes, Red AV, 18 in Trays	3.50	3.00	2.50	
6. Collection of Potatoes, 3 varieties, 4 quart basket of each	8.00	7.00	6.00	
7. Pyramid of Potatoes, 18 in. sq. base	8.00	7.00	6.00	

NOTE: Entries in Sec. 1, 2, 40 & 41 may be reclassified by the Committee or Judge if incorrectly identified.

GARDEN VEGETABLES

	1st	2nd	3rd
8. Cabbage, red, 3 heads	2.50	2.25	2.00
9. Cabbage, green, late, 3 heads	2.50	2.25	2.00
10. Cabbage, A.O.V., 3 heads	2.50	2.25	2.00
11. Cauliflower, 3 heads	2.50	2.25	2.00
12. Carrots, table, 6 roots	2.50	2.25	2.00
13. Table Beets, 6 roots	2.50	2.25	2.00
14. Parsnips, six	2.50	2.25	2.00
15. Onions, Spanish, 12	3.00	2.50	2.00
16. Yellow Cooking Onions, 12	3.00	2.50	2.00
17. Onions, A.O.V., 12	3.00	2.50	2.00
18. Display of Onions, any or all var., on tray supplied 12" x 16"	5.00	4.00	3.00
19. Largest Onion, A.V	2.50	2.25	2.00
20. Rope of Onions, at least 24" long	10.00	8.00	6.00
21. Onions, pickling, 2 quart basket	2.50	2.25	2.00
22. Brussel Sprouts, 2 quart basket	2.50	2.25	2.00
23. One plant of Parsley, pot grown	2.50	2.25	2.00

24. Peppers, hot red, three	2.50	2.25	2.00
25. Peppers, sweet red, three	2.50	2.25	2.00
26. Peppers, sweet green, three	2.50	2.25	2.00
27. Cucumbers for slicing, six	2.50	2.25	2.00
28. Cucumbers for pickling, 2 qt. basket	2.50	2.25	2.00
29. Heaviest Cucumber	2.50	2.25	2.00
30. Tomatoes, red, slicing six	2.50	2.25	2.00
31. 3 largest tomatoes, A.V., not green	2.50	2.25	2.00
32. Collection of Tomatoes, 3 varieties named, 3 of each variety, arranged on a tray supplied 12" x 16"	5.00	4.00	3.00
33. Pint, Cherry Tomatoes	2.50	2.25	2.00
34. Eggplants, 2	2.50	2.25	2.00
35. Pumpkin, pie, 2	2.50	2.25	2.00
36. Watermelon, one	2.50	2.25	2.00
37. Muskmelon, two	2.50	2.25	2.00
38. Delicate or Sweet Potato Squash, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
39. Longest Zucchini	3.00	2.50	2.00
40. Italian Zucchini	3.00	2.50	2.00
41. Zucchini, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
42. Squash, Hubbard, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
43. Squash, Butternut, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
44. Squash, Buttercup, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
45. Squash, Pepper, 2	3.00	2.50	2.00
46. Squash, 5 var., 1 of each named	6.00	5.00	4.00
47. Heaviest Hubbard Squash	6.00	5.00	4.00
48. Squash, A.O.V., 2 named	3.50	3.00	2.50
49. Unusual vegetable named not a gourd	3.00	2.50	2.00
50. Collection of Gourds on a tray 12" x 16"	5.00	4.00	3.00

51. Collection of Vegetables, 30" x 30", not less than 6 varieties (no gourds allowed). Forms supplied by Fair. Must be a solid display of vegetables. Quality 50 points; Arrangement 40 points; Educational Features 10 points. Prizes - \$50.00, \$40.00, \$30.00, and \$20.00 for all other worthy entries.

CLASS 33

FRUIT

All Classes of A.O.V. must be named

APPLES

	Prizes			
	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Five on a Plate	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$2.25	\$2.00
Four Quart Basket	\$7.00	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00
Hamper	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$6.00	

A look at past Prize Lists reveals the changing trends in what people grew in their gardens. Early lists had categories for nine varieties of potatoes and old apple varieties included Ribstone Pippins, Alexandras, Spitzenburg and Seek No Further. One interesting section in the 1897 asked exhibitors to display a Collection of Farm Produce and stated that "the purpose of this prize is to see what extent our farmers can produce the necessities of life." This was to include everything raised on a farm - roots, grain, seeds, fruit, butter, cheese and yarn.

FLOWERS & PLANTS

COMMITTEE

Sharon McBurney (765-6543), Darline Miskelly,
Cathy Jude, Betsy McBurney, Jan Cranston, Wendy McBurney

All exhibits in this class must be placed, with **tags securely fastened**, in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 24th, and must remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 28th. However, all exhibits must be removed very promptly after 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th.

Entry Fee 10% (+GST) deducted from winners

POINT SYSTEM

1st prize, 4 points; 2nd prize, 3 points; 3rd prize, 2 points; 4th prize, 1 point

CLASS 34

Prizes - Sections 1 to 53

1st, \$4.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00; 4th, \$1.00

POTTED PLANTS

Prize Money for Potted Plants is sponsored by Green Horizons, Mt. Hope.

All entries must have been grown in the pots that they are shown in and must have been the property of the exhibitor for at least 3 months.

Sec.

1. Coleus/s plant
2. Begonia/s any variety
3. Pot of Assorted Plants, 2 or more
4. Geranium/s (must be grown in a pot)
5. African Violet, double, (one crown)
6. African Violet, single, (one crown)
7. Impatiens/s non-hanging pot
8. Ornamental Plant/s in bloom or fruit not listed in a non-hanging pot
9. Non Blooming, Decorative Plant/s or Herbs, not listed above
10. Indoor Hanging Basket: ready to hang
11. Outdoor Hanging Basket: ready to hang
12. Dish Garden: Cacti or Succulent, at least 3 varieties, in one container (accessories allowed)
13. Collection of House Plants: 3 varieties in separate pots on tray
14. Fern or Parlour Palm. This was a popular class in the earlier years of the fair. A special prize by Dorothy Bain, President of the Ladies Division, 1974-75 will be awarded to the winner.
15. Most Unusual Plant, **named**

POTTED PLANT SPECIAL

Haldimand Horticultural Society Most Points, Award
Dorothy Blain Fern or Parlour Palm, Award

Flowers and Plants became a separate category just after the turn of the century. This year we have tried to make the 125th fair more notable by including classes and ideas from previous prize lists. Special prizes should add to the significance of the year and give added incentive to participate in this special event. Thank you to all who donated prizes.

Apple Sections

	5 on a Plate	4 Quart Basket	Hamper
McIntosh	1	9	17
Early Apple, A.O.V.	2	10	18
Ida Red	3	11	19
Delicious (Red)	4	12	20
Northern Spy	5	13	21
Courtland	6	14	22
Spartan	7	15	23
Empire	8	16	24
Winter Apples A.O.V			25

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
26. Pyramid of any or every variety of winter apples, approx. 16" sq. base	12.00	10.00	8.00

OTHER FRUITS

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
27. 5 Pears, Bartlett	3.00	2.50	2.00
28. 5 Pears, Bosc	3.00	2.50	2.00
29. 5 Pears, (A.O.V. named)	3.00	2.50	2.00
30. Grapes, 2 qt. Basket, Blue	3.00	2.50	2.00
31. Grapes, 2 qt. Basket, Red	3.00	2.50	2.00
32. Grapes, 2 qt. Basket, White or Green	3.00	2.50	2.00
33. 4 Quart Basket, Blue Grapes	5.00	4.00	4.00
34. 4 Quart Basket of Grapes, A.O.V	5.00	4.00	4.00
35. Table Centre, home grown fruit	7.00	6.00	5.00
36. Collection of Ontario Grown Fruit, not less than 30" square.			

Quality 50 points; Arrangement 40 points; Educational Features 10 points.
Prizes - \$30.00, \$25.00, \$20.00 and \$12.00 for all other worthy entries.

Fair Attractions

Early entertainment at the fair, apart from horse racing, depended largely on local talent and competitions. At the 25th Caledonia Fair in 1897, Bicycle Races were an attraction with categories for both single and married gentleman. In 1908 there was a Marathon Road Race. Rules called for entrants to go "down one side of the river and cross the bridge at York, up the other, and once around the track." 1909 saw a Two Mile Road Race for farmers or farmers' sons. A special meeting in 1911 gave a committee a \$500 limit for Special Attractions and outside shows were hired. However the board advised that "all gambling devices and immoral shows ... be kept off the grounds both days of the fair."

The shows and attractions that played at Caledonia Fair are reflection of what was popular in each era. The 1931 prize list announced that as well as a mammoth vaudeville performance, "Louise Van Buren & her Girl's Orchestra will supply snappy music." During the Depression years as the Fair struggled to survive, entertainment was modest. At the 1935 Fair there was Log Sawing, Tug of War, a Calf Race and a Men's Softball Tournament. Local Concert Bands were popular with bands from Caledonia, Kohler, Fisherville, Hagersville and Cayuga providing entertainment. During the fifties there were the Congress of Hollywood Dare Devils and Fisher's 3 Ring Circus. In 1959 and for many years after there was Professional Wrestling. The Fair introduced the first of a long line of Motorsports shows in 1962 when the Auto Dare Devils thrilled the crowds. Through the sixties and seventies Thrill Shows, featuring either the Imperial or Trans Canada Hell Drivers, played the fair. And no one will forget the infamous Country Sweetheart Female Mud Wrestlers in 1982. The first Demolition Derby at Caledonia Fair crashed into action in 1970 and remains the greatest, almost weatherproof, crowd attraction today.

CUT FLOWERS

All Cut Flowers must have been grown by the exhibitor.

16. Zinnias, up to 1-1/2", 5 blooms
17. Zinnias, 1-1/2" to 3", 3 blooms
18. Zinnias, large, over 3", 3 blooms
19. Cosmos, 3 sprays
20. Snapdragons, 5 spikes
21. Chrysanthemums, 3 sprays
22. Calendula, 5 blooms
23. Marigolds, large flowering orange or gold, 5 blooms
24. Marigolds, large flowering lemon, 5 blooms
25. Marigolds, any other variety, 3 sprays
26. Petunias, 3 sprays
27. Petunias, (double), 3 sprays
28. Petunias, (1 plain spray, 1 double spray, 1 ruffled spray)
29. Asters, (double), 3 sprays
30. Asters, (curled or single), 3 sprays
31. Dahlia, Pom Pom, under 2", 1 bloom
32. Dahlia, Ball type, 1 bloom
33. Dahlia, Miniature Decorative, under 4", 3 blooms
34. Dahlia, Miniature Cactus, under 4", 3 blooms
35. Dahlia, cactus, 4" to 6", 1 bloom
36. Dahlia, Decorative, 4" to 6", 1 bloom
37. Dahlia, cactus, over 6" in dia., 1 bloom
38. Dahlia, Decorative, over 6" in dia., 1 bloom
39. Dahlia, any other variety or novelty not listed above, 3 blooms
40. Dahlia, 3 varieties, 1 bloom of each
41. Gladioli, 1 spike
42. Any other kind of annual not listed, one variety, 5 blooms, spikes or sprays
43. Best Hybrid Tea Rose
44. Best Grandiflora Rose, more than 3 blooms
45. Full bloom rose in a brandy snifter or glass bowl
46. Salvia's, 5 spikes, any cultivar

CUT FLOWERS AND COLLECTIONS SPECIAL

Haldimand Horticultural Society Most Points, Award

COLLECTIONS

47. Roses, bowl or vase, more than one variety
48. Chrysanthemums, vase or bowl
49. Collection of marigolds displayed in a suitable container
50. Collection of zinnias displayed in a suitable container
51. Vase or bowl of geraniums
52. Vase or bowl of mixed perennials
53. Sweetpeas, Verbena, Stock, Gladioli, Nasturtiums, Asters, Zinnias, and Dahlias are a selection of annuals listed in past prize books. Choose 3 and display in vase or bowl. The winner of this section will be given a prize donated by the Caledonia Garden Centre.

COLLECTIONS SPECIAL

Caledonia Garden Centre Section 53, Award

ARRANGEMENTS

Fresh Flowers to be used in arrangement unless otherwise stated.
Flowers do not have to be grown by the exhibitors.
Please have accessories well attached as the arrangements will be moved.

Prizes

1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00; 4th, \$2.00

54. **HERBAL TEA** - an arrangement in a teapot using herbs and flowers.
55. **DAY AT THE BEACH** - an arrangement using something that you would find at the beach as your container, accessories allowed.
56. **CIRCLE OF LIFE** - create a wreath using materials of your choice. winner of this class will receive a prize donated by the Coach House Gift Shop.
57. **EVERYTHING'S COMING UP ROSES** - create a fresh design that includes roses.
58. **WALK IN THE WOODS** - using a 9 x 13 inch container depict the title.
59. **RECESS** - an arrangement using a child's toy as your container.
60. **BRIDAL BOUQUET** - create a bouquet suitable for a bride to carry, the winner of this class will receive a special gift from the Blue Lady Flowers and Gift Shop.
61. **A GOOD READ** - an arrangement depicting a book title, include the title on a card no larger than 4 x 3 inches.
62. **GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN** - this arrangement must include one article from a previous fair that can be easily identified, this item can be used as your container or an accessory.
63. **HAPPY 125th** - create a centrepiece suitable for a banquet table, must include the numbers 125. Madelene Fox, President of the Ladies Division in 1988-89 has donated a prize for the winner of this class.
64. **BEGINNER'S LUCK** - open only to those people who have not shown in the arrangement class before, designer's choice.
65. **THEY'RE PLAYING OUR SONG** - choose your favourite tune and illustrate it using fresh plant material and accessories, must include the title on a card 4 x 3 inches (taken from the 1967 fair book).
66. **GOOD THINGS COME IN SMALL PACKAGES** - an arrangement not over 4 inches in height or width including your container, using a thimble as your container.
67. **AUTUMN BEAUTY** - an arrangement using Fall colours, may include fruit and or vegetables.
68. **THINKING OF YOU** - an arrangement using all silk materials.

ARRANGEMENT SPECIALS

Haldimand Horticultural Society Most Points, Award
Coach House Gift Shop Circle of Life, Award
Blue Lady Flowers and Gift Shop Bridal Bouquet, Award
Madelene Fox Happy 125th, Award

69. **SOCIETY SPECIAL** - a front facing design in a basket (not glass or china), must be at least 20" in height.
Prizes: \$10.00, \$9.00, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.00 and \$2.00 to all other entries
70. **SPECIAL FLOWER DISPLAY**; Open to any organizational society. No membership needed and no entry fee charged. This display is to be a collection of flowers (potted plants allowed) tastefully arranged on three steps, each five feet long. The flower display must be accompanied by a card 12" x 18" naming the organization making the display. To be judged according to the following score - Eye Appeal and Originality - 40 points; Freshness of Flowers and Varieties - 30 points; Individual Arrangements - 30 points. An extra 10 points will be given if the display includes memorabilia from previous fairs. The Special Flower Display was first featured in 1948.
Prizes: \$30.00, \$25.00, \$20.00, \$17.00 and \$12.00 to all other entries.

BAKED PRODUCTS

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Mary Carlin (765-0341), Mrs. Pat Wickett,
Mrs. Vicki Lanigan, Mrs. Diane McEachern

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**DIRECTORS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR BAKING
LEFT AFTER 6:30 P.M. ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH, 1997.**

Classes exceeding 20 entries may be divided at time of judging

Point System

1st prize, 4 points; 2nd prize, 3 points; 3rd prize, 2 points; 4th prize, 1 point

SCORE - Appearance 30; Texture 30; Taste 40

Paper plates will be supplied
No mixes to be used, unless specified.

All wrappings will be removed after Judging for Display Purposes

CLASS 35

BAKED PRODUCTS SPECIAL

Richard Crossman Most Points Overall

Prizes, Sections 1 - 22

1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00; 4th, \$2.00

YEAST PRODUCTS

The winner of Section 2 may enter the Bread Competition at District 6, OAAS, Nov. 1, 1997, Binbrook, and on winning, compete at the 1998 Fair Convention.

- Sec. .
1. Half (1/2), White Bread, not to exceed 9x5
 2. Half (1/2), 60% Whole Wheat Bread, not to exceed 9x5
 3. Half (1/2), Oatmeal Bread, not to exceed 9 x 5
 4. Three Clover Leaf Rolls - Prize List of 1967
 5. **Special by Caledonia I.G.A.** - Braided Fruit Loaf - Whole - Iced
1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd Place - \$6.00

MUFFINS AND FRUIT LOAVES

6. Tea Biscuits (3)
7. Cranberry Muffins (3) - Must not be baked in papers
8. 6 Muffins - 3 Varieties, 2 of each, **named**, presented in a decorative tin from the past and not baked in papers.
9. Banana Bread, **no nuts (2 slices)**
10. Chocolate Zucchini Loaf, **(2 slices)**
11. Date-Nut Loaf, **(2 slices)**
12. Loaf, any other variety, **Named, (2 slices)**

COOKIES and SQUARES

13. Sugar Cookies Decorated for Christmas - (3 different)
14. Unbaked Cookies (3)
15. **Special by Caledonia IGA** - Baked Squares, 3 varieties, 1 of each
1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd Place - \$6.00
16. Peanut Butter Cookies (3)
17. Brownies, Iced (3)
18. Thimble Cookies (3)
19. Coconut Macaroons - white (3)

TARTS

Homemade Pastry

20. Butter Tarts (3) **(Raisins Only)**
21. Mincemeat Tarts (3)
22. Tarts, any other variety, **named, (3)**, all one kind

Prizes - Sections 23 - 37

1st, \$6.00; 2nd, \$5.00; 3rd, \$4.00; 4th, \$3.00

CAKES

23. **War Cake** - Recipe as follows:
This cake was made during WW II when eggs, butter, and milk were in short supply
2 cups brown sugar 2 tps mixed spice
1 cup shortening 1 tsp cloves
1 lb raisins 1 tsp salt
2 tps cinnamon 2 cups water
Boil all the above ingredients on the top of the stove. Add 1 1/2 tps baking soda, flour to thicken, about 3 cups. Bake in a moderate oven for 1 hour (350 degrees F).
24. Coffee Cake, Baked in Tube Pan
25. Cupcakes made from a mix, decorated (3)
26. Chocolate Layer Cake, Chocolate Icing
27. Carrot Cake, Iced, not to exceed 9" x 9".
28. White Layer Cake - Maple Cream Icing. - Prize List of 1937
29. **Director's Special** - Decorated Cake, 125th Birthday Theme
Display Base not to exceed 12" - Styrofoam Base may be used
Judged on Decoration Only. 1st Place Winner - \$20.00.
30. Tomato Soup Cake - not to exceed 9" x 9".

CAKE SPECIALS

Richard Crossman Most Points - Cakes
Director's Special Decorated Cake

PIES

6" - 9" Bottom Measurement Pie Plate

31. Peach Pie
32. Raisin Pie
33. Cherry Pie
34. **Special by Jones Bakery** - Raspberry Pie
1st - \$12.00; 2nd - \$10.00; 3rd - \$8.00
35. Apple Pie without spice
36. Mincemeat Pie
37. Pie (Any other variety, **named** double crust, no cream-filled pie)

PIE SPECIALS

Jones Bakery Raspberry Pie
Martha Roulston Memorial Most Points - Pies

Prizes - Sections 38-43
1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00; 4th, \$2.00

CANDY

Prize Money for the Candy Sections is sponsored by Haldimand House and The Caledonia Candy Company

38. Maple Cream Fudge, Plain, 8 pieces, each 1" square
39. Chocolate Fudge, Plain, 8 pieces, each 1" square
40. Decorated Pint Jar, Homemade Nuts and Bolts
41. Almond Bark, 5 pieces, displayed in a suitable dish
42. Peanut Brittle, 5 pieces, displayed in a suitable dish
43. Candy Apple, 2
44. **DECORATED VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS BASKET:** 6 qt Basket of homemade goodies for Christmas, chosen from 5 sections in Class 35, may include up to 3 other gift items. Judged on appearance and suitability only.
1st - \$10.00; 2nd - \$8.00; 3rd - \$6.00; 4th - \$5.00

45.

BAKE QUEEN SPECIAL "Old Fashioned Christmas"

Prizes
1st, \$30.00; 2nd, \$25.00; 3rd, \$20.00; 4th, \$17.00
and \$12.00 to all other entries

Arrangement to be placed on a suitable base covered with foil, not to exceed 18" x 24", judged on appearance and suitability only.

MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING

1. Fruit Cake, iced
2. Assorted Fancy Sandwiches, 3 varieties, 3 of each
3. Shortbread, 3
4. Three Homemade Christmas Favours, edible
5. Handmade Old-Fashioned Christmas Card

Baking did not appear in the Fair Prize List until the late 1890's and no entries were accepted unless accompanied by cash! During the early 1900's, an exhibitor winning a Special Class received 50 pounds of Bridal Veil Flour. Exhibits were displayed in the "Drill Hall." Unfortunately no copies of the 1920's Prize Lists exist. Beginning in 1931, baking could be sold and buyers would place tickets on the items they desired. In 1940, winners had a 5% Entry Fee deducted for the first time, followed by another 5% in 1941. During the forties, larger quantities were required and bakers had to submit 6 each of buns, muffins, tarts and tea biscuits.

The first Bake Queen Special appeared in 1962 and no theme was used that year. Now to Centennial Year and the overall point winner received \$20 worth of silverware from Simpson-Sears. The fair celebrated its 100th year in 1972 and a Special Class entitled "Grandmother's Pantry" asked for sugar cookies, tea biscuits and doughnuts.

Today the number of exhibitors continues to grow regardless of the cost of baking supplies. "Pride prevails over the pocket book" when that first prize winner is shown prominently for all to see.

CANNED GOODS & PRESERVES

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Jean McClung, (765-6264)
Mrs. Sue Honchar, Mrs. Kathleen McBlain, Mrs. June Wise

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Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners

Only specified sizes will be judged

CANNED GOODS & PRESERVES SPECIAL

Clanbrassil Women's Institute Most Points Overall

CLASS 36

Prize Money for Sections 10 - 19 sponsored by Lawrence's Sporting Goods

Prizes - Sections 1 - 59
1st, \$4.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00; 4th, \$1.00

CANNED FRUIT

in 500ml. jars and must have a perfect seal

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| 1. Raspberries | 6. Plums |
| 2. Peaches | 7. Applesauce |
| 3. Pears | 8. Blueberry Pie Fill |
| 4. Cherries | 9. Cherry Pie Fill |
| 5. Rhubarb | |

JAMS

in jam or jelly jars 250 ml. **Only Sealed**

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| 10. Raspberry Jam | 17. Apricot Jam |
| 11. Pear Jam | 18. Frozen Strawberry Jam |
| 12. Cherry Jam | 19. Frozen Raspberry Jam |
| 13. Strawberry Jam | 20. Fruit Marmalade |
| 14. Peach Jam | 21. Blueberry Jam |
| 15. Plum Jam | 22. AOV not listed, named |
| 16. Black Currant Jam | |

JELLY

in jam or jelly jars 250 ml. **Only, sealed**

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| 23. Apple Jelly | 27. Cherry Jelly |
| 24. Grape Jelly | 28. Black Currant Jelly |
| 25. Red Currant Jelly | 29. Pepper Jelly |
| 26. Mint Jelly | 30. AOV not listed, named. |

CANNED VEGETABLES

500 ml. (Sealed)

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| 31. Tomatoes (whole) | 33. Tomato Juice |
| 32. Stewed Tomatoes, plain | |

Canned Goods were introduced in 1897 with prizes offered for mixed pickles, tomato catsup and a collection of jellies. In the era before refrigeration, many canned vegetables were listed and in 1931 there was even a category for canned chicken.

PICKLES

500 ml. (Properly Sealed)

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| 34. Dill Pickles | 42. Hot Vegetable or Pickle |
| 35. 9 Day or 4 Day Pickles | 43. Hot Dog Relish (Green) |
| 36. Mixed Pickled Vegetables | 44. Mustard Relish |
| 37. Icicle Pickles | 45. Chilli Sauce with Fruit |
| 38. A.O.V. not listed. Named | 46. Chilli Sauce (plain) |
| 39. Bread and Butter Pickles | 47. Zucchini Relish |
| 40. Pickled Beets | 48. Corn Relish |
| 41. Mustard Pickles | 49. Spaghetti Sauce (no meat) |

SALAD AND DRESSING

Any suitable container

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| 50. Bean Salad (pint jar) | 55. Salsa Sauce |
| 51. Carrot Salad (pint jar) | 56. Pickled Eggs (quart jar) |
| 52. Boiled Salad Dressing (pint jar) | 57. Herbed Vinegar or Oil |
| 53. French Dressing (8 oz. jar) | 58. 2 Bars of Soap - 1923 Prize List. |
| 54. Taco Sauce | 59. Maple Syrup, 1 pt - 1923 Prize List |

Prizes - Sections 60 - 64

1st, \$7.00; 2nd, \$6.00; 3rd, \$5.00; 4th, \$4.00

60. Collection of Pickles: Dill Pickles, Pickled Beets and Bread and Butter Pickles.
61. Collection of Relishes: Green Hot Dog Relish, Corn Relish and Chili Sauce (Plain).
62. Coffee Time Special: Peach Jam, Grape Jelly & Strawberry Jam.
63. Pantry Shelf Special: 1 Pint Peaches (sealed), 1 Pint Dill Pickles, Strawberry Jam, Grape Jelly.
64. Theme: "A Decorated Box Social" to include 6 items in Class 36. (judged on appearance only) - **Prize money sponsored by Jean Peart.**



Refreshment Booths

In the early years the Society asked for tenders to operate Refreshment Booths. In 1887 one of the operators asked the board to pay half of a fine he received for selling liquor on the grounds during the Fair. He stated that he had paid "a large figure for the use of grounds" and it was "previous custom and known to the Directors that Liquor had been sold." The motion was defeated and tenders were told that "no intoxicating drinks were allowed on the grounds."

The record for the longest continuous food concession belongs to Laur's Taffy which has been a fair tradition since the early 1900's. Pictured above is the Caledonia Baptist Church Booth. Crowds still flock to their booth to get Hot Soup and Homemade Pie.

NEEDLECRAFT

All exhibits in this Class must be placed in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening, September 24th and must remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th. However, all exhibits must be removed very promptly after 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th.

All articles in this Class must be hand made, include some stitching and new work. Soiled or used articles will be disqualified.

SCORE

Design 30; Workmanship 50; Appearance 20

POINTS

1st prize - 3 points; 2nd prize - 2 points; 3rd prize - 1 point

NEEDLECRAFT SPECIALS

Willow Grove W. I. Most Points Section 52 - 76
Grand Smockers Most Points Section 97 - 100
Bob Speller, M.P. Grand Champion, Quilt

CLASS 37

Entry Fee 10% (+G.S.T.) deducted from winners

Prizes Sections 1 - 117

1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00

COMMITTEE

Section 1 - 43: Mrs. Janice Anderson 768 - 5274,
Mrs. Ruth Zadanyi, Mrs. Cindy Benedict, Janice Zadanyi

Measurement not to include the frame

1. Article of Cross-Stitch - framed, not to exceed 18" x 24" (Living Room)
2. Article of Cross-Stitch - (Kitchen)
3. Article of Cross-Stitch - framed, not to exceed 18" x 24" (Dining Room)
4. Article of Cross-Stitch - framed, not to exceed 18" x 24" (Bedroom)
5. Article of Cross-Stitch - (Birds or Animals)

Some stitching required on each craft item
Measurement not to include frame

6. 125th Anniversary - A picture from Great Grandmother's parlour
7. Needlepoint picture, not petipoint, longest side up to 24"
8. Sampler, with a message, framed not to exceed 18" x 24"
9. Embroidered Picture. (framed)
10. Crewel - framed picture (not to exceed 18" x 24")
11. Article of Cross-Stitch - no pictures
12. Afghan, knitted, not less than 40" x 55"
13. Afghan, crocheted, not less than 40" x 55"
14. Afghan, Granny squares, not less than 40" x 55"
15. Duvet Cover
16. Quillow - pillow in a quilt.
17. Cushion, crocheted
18. Cushion, patchwork, not quilted, suitable for a family room
19. Cushion, not quilted, suitable for a bedroom
20. 125th Anniversary - Victorian Cushion
21. Wall Hanging, not quilted, ready to hang, not to exceed 45"
22. Lace Tablecloth, not smaller than 50" x 68"
23. Embroidered Tablecloth
24. 2 Place Mats (practical), not quilted

25. 2 Place Mats, fancy, not Quilted
26. 2 Napkin Rings, not ceramic
27. Centrepiece, crocheted, 18" or under
28. 2 Hot Dish Mats, fancy, not quilted
29. 2 Hot Dish Mats, practical, not quilted
30. Table Runner, not quilted
31. 2 Coasters, not quilted
32. Article of silk ribbon embroidery
33. One Pillow Sham, not quilted
34. One Pair White Pillow Cases with Embroidery
35. Pin Cushion, fancy
36. 125th Anniversary - Article with homemade Battenburg Lace suitable for the parlour - 1912 Prize List.
37. A Dresser Scarf
38. Potpourri Article (sewn)
39. Decorative Toilet Tissue Holder
40. Hand Decorated Guest Towel
41. Fabric Basket
42. Decorative Air Freshener Cover
43. Smocked Article, not clothing

COMMITTEE

Section 44 - 76: Mrs. Jayne Townson 765 - 3277,
Mrs. Lois B. Douglas

Soiled or used articles will be disqualified.

44. 2 Tea Towels - cross-stitched
45. 2 Terry Towel Hand Wipes
46. Tea Cosy, displayed on a teapot
47. Sewn Craft Article, Suitable for Kitchen, first time exhibitor
48. A Sewn Craft Article, suitable for a kitchen
49. Apron
50. Draft Stopper
51. Door Stopper

ADULT WEAR

52. Lady's Hand-Knit Cardigan
53. Knitted Pullover Sweater all ONE colour
54. Knitted Pullover Sweater, using at least 3 colours
55. Knitted Pullover Sweater, first time exhibitor
56. Knitted Vest or Shell
57. Crocheted Vest or Shell
58. Lady's After Five Wear
59. Lady's Nine to Five Wear
60. Lady's Matching Blouse and Skirt
61. Lady's Vest (not knitted or crocheted)
62. Lady's Dress Pants or Walking Shorts
63. Lady's Skirt
64. Lady's Jacket, lined
65. Lady's Jacket, unlined
66. Lady's Fancy Blouse
67. Western Style Shirt
68. Nightwear, smocked
69. Nightwear, not smocked
70. Teen's Plaid Flannel Pants
71. Polar Fleece Pullover Jacket
72. Article of Clothing from Polar Fleece
73. Purchased Sweatshirt, decorated (stitching required)
74. Boxer Shorts
75. Article sewn from a recycled pair of jeans
76. Handmade of Clothing from Great Grandmother's Trunk. A short historical note and/or picture may be attached.

CHILDREN'S WEAR

COMMITTEE

Section 77 - 117: Mrs. Lois A. Douglas 765 - 2384,
Mrs. Debra Bunting, Mrs Sandra Stirling

77. Newborn's Sweater, crocheted
78. Newborn's Sweater, knitted
79. Newborn's 3 piece Sweater Set, knitted, suitably mounted
80. Child's Sweater, Fairisle
81. Child's Sweater using a graph pattern, not Fairisle
82. Child's Knitted Pullover, one colour
83. Child's Sweater, knitted cardigan
84. Stuffed Toy for Baby (child safe)
85. Stuffed Toy made from fabric (child safe)
86. Baby's Afghan, crocheted, not less than 30" x 50"
87. Baby's Afghan, knitted, not less than 30" x 50"
88. Baby's Carriage Cover, Knitted, not less than 20" x 30"
89. Baby's Carriage Cover, Crocheted, not less than 20" x 30"
90. Child's Hallowe'en Costume
91. Child's Hat and Mitt Set, up to 8 years, hand knit
92. Child's Toque, knitted
93. Article of Clothing made from Polar Fleece
94. Child's Sweatshirt
95. Girl's Blouse or Shirt
96. Antique Christening Dress (pre 1950). Historical note or picture may be attached.
97. Garment, Smocked, Bishop Style
98. Garment, Smocked, Yoke Style
99. Girl's Fancy Dress, under 12 years, no smocking
100. Girl's Dress and Pinafore
101. Girl's Jumper
102. Handmade Accessory for the hair
103. Child's Slippers

SENIOR CITIZEN'S WORK

Age 55+

104. Needlepoint on plastic canvas (eg. gift box, tissue box, coasters)
105. One Placemat
106. Any Craft Article, knitted
107. Any Craft Article, crocheted
108. Cushion, exhibitors choice
109. A Craft Learned at Grandmother's Knee
110. Rug, braided
111. One pair knitted socks
112. One pair knitted mitts
113. One Knitted or Crocheted Hat
114. Craft article made by a MAN
115. Something useful made from something useless
116. One Christmas Decoration
117. Any Craft Article - sewn

In the early part of the century, Needlecraft classes were divided into two categories. Domestic Manufactures included practical items such as quilts and mats with one section calling for 10 yards of all wool, white flannel. Fancy Work included fine handwork with as many as 12 sections of embroidery and a wide variety of laces.

One interesting special in 1938 was for "New Canadians" and asked for exhibits of cross stitch and embroidery.

QUILTS

COMMITTEE

Section 118 - 135; Faye Farrell (765-2794),
Lorraine Johnson, Colleen Beemer

Ontario Agricultural Museum Quilt Competition

Quilt to be double bed size, at least 72" x 90". Champion Quilt to compete at the District annual Meeting in November. Prizes: 1st-\$25.00, 2nd-\$15.00, 3rd-\$10.00 donated by the "Hobby Horse Quilt Shop", Georgetown, Ontario. The first prize quilt from the District is entered in the Competition at the O.A.A.S. convention in Toronto in February. The Ontario Agricultural Museum will purchase the grand Champion Quilt for \$1,000.00 and add the quilt to the Quilt Collection. If an exhibitor does not wish their quilt to compete in this competition, please include this information on your entry form. The Reserve Champion Quilt is eligible to compete in place of the Grand Champion Quilt.

HAND QUILTING AND/OR HAND APPLIED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Quilts may be shown a maximum of 2 successive years
Soiled or used articles will be disqualified.

Sec.	1st	2nd	3rd
118. Crib Quilt, nursery design, quilted	6.00	5.00	4.00
119. Single Bed Quilt at least 40" x 80"	8.00	6.00	5.00

Prizes Sections 120 - 127

1st, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$6.00

Section 120-126 to be at least 72" x 90" Quilt Pattern to be named

120. "My first Quilt" by a first time quilt exhibitor
121. Quilt judged for quilting only
122. Quilt, hand sewn on applique
123. Quilt, Exhibitor's Choice
124. Quilt made by an exhibitor who is 60 years or over
125. Quilt, hand-applied and embroidered
126. Quilt, reversible, both sides plain material, fancy quilting
127. Antique Quilt at least 50 years old

Prizes Sections 128 - 135

1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00

128. "Wall Hanging, quilted, not to exceed 45" any side, unframed, ready to hang
129. Wall Hanging, Machine Quilted
130. 2 Place Mats, quilted
131. 2 Hot Dish Pads, quilted
132. Table runner, quilted
133. Single Quilt Block - Unquilted depicting Caledonia Fair's 125th Anniversary (Not to exceed 12 x 12)
134. Cushion (not larger than 20" x 20") pieced and quilted
135. Cushion (not larger than 20" x 20") appliqued and quilted



ART

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Roxanne Wilkieson (765-3258), Mrs. Margaret Bernhardt,
Mrs. Marilyn Barker

All exhibits in this class must be placed with tags securely fastened in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on Wednesday evening, September 24th, and must remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday afternoon, September 28th. However, all exhibits must be removed very promptly after 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th.

All exhibits in this class must have not been exhibited at a previous Caledonia Fair and must be bona fide work of the exhibitor.

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

CLASS 38

May be copies unless otherwise stated.

Exhibits must be properly framed, dry, ready to hang with
Exhibitor Tags Securely Fastened - on front, top right corner of picture
by exhibitor.

Prizes - Sections 1 - 29 (excluding Sec. 6)

1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00

OILS

No paint by numbers.

Sec.

1. Landscape
2. Mountain Scene
3. Still Life (flowers)
4. Seascape or Shoreline
5. Portrait (not from photograph)
6. Special by the Caledonia Men's Club: Original, Landscape
Name the location. 1st, \$15.00; 2nd, \$10.00; 3rd, \$5.00
7. Any Subject

Please note rule regarding framing,
ready to hang and exhibitor tags

WATERCOLOURS

8. Landscape (Spring or Summer)
9. Animal or Bird
10. Barns, gate or fences
11. Portrait not from photograph
12. Any Subject

PASTEL

13. A Floral Bouquet
14. Portrait (not from photo)
15. Along the Banks of the Grand River
16. Any subject

The Art Department has been part of Caledonia Fair as far back as 1897. In early prize books the "Fine Arts" class had entries for paintings on wood, marble, bolting cloth, silk and china. Watercolours and Oil were the only two medias listed. Other interesting sections were pyrography or poker work and a collection of waxwork. First prize was 75 cents.

MIXED MEDIA

17. North American Native Subject
18. Rural Scene - Named
19. Any Subject
20. Painting on Silk, no larger than 8" x 10", from the 1897 Fair Book.

INK, CHARCOAL, PENCIL, ACRYLIC

21. Ink, any subject
22. Charcoal, any subject
23. Pencil, any subject
24. Pencil, Farm Scene
25. Pencil, Portrait (not from photograph)
26. Acrylic, landscape
27. Acrylic, any subject
28. Any Media, not previously listed
29. **Town of Haldimand Museum Board Special:**
A Prize of \$20.00 and a trophy will be awarded for the best **Pencil, Pen or Charcoal Drawing** of an item of local historical value.
Edinburgh Heritage and Cultural Centre reserves the right to have a copy made of all original entries, and use them for their fundraising drive.
All artists will be credited wherever possible.

NOTE: FOR JUNIOR ART - SEE JUNIOR FAIR

PHOTOGRAPHY

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Roxanne Wilkieson (765-3258),
Mrs. Margaret Bernhardt, Mrs. Marilyn Barker

ALL EXHIBITS IN THIS CLASS MUST HAVE NOT BEEN EXHIBITED AT A PREVIOUS CALEDONIA FAIR

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

CLASS 38A

Sec. 1 to 8 to be mounted on 8 1/2" x 11" Bristol Board, not framed, Entry Tags Securely Fastened to Front, Top Right Corner of Bristol Board.

NOTE: COLLECTION OF PICTURES - NOW ONLY 2

	Prizes		
	1st	2nd	3rd
Sec. 1 - 8	4.00	3.00	2.00
Sec. 9 - 10	5.00	4.00	3.00
Sec. 11	Special		
Sec. 12	10.00	8.00	6.00

- Sec.
1. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Christmas Lights
 2. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Animals
 3. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Flowers, not wild
 4. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Your vacations
 5. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Winter Scenery
 6. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Grand River
 7. Collection of 2, coloured snapshots, Children - 1972 Prize List
 8. Collection of 2, black and white snapshots, Previous Caledonia Fair

Sections 9 to 11 to be mounted on 8" x 10" Bristol Board, not framed, Exhibitor Tags securely fastened to the front right corner.

9. 5" x 7" Coloured Photo, Sunset
10. 5" x 7" Coloured Photo, Country Lane
11. 5" x 7" Coloured Photo, Scenery
12. Poster Size, no smaller than 16" x 20" Coloured, Mounted, Ready to Hang, Exhibitor's Choice

PHOTOGRAPHY SPECIALS

Dostal IDA Pharmacy and Colortron Photo Service Ltd Most Points
1st Prize- Voucher for \$30.00 worth of developing and printing at Dostals.
2nd Prize- Voucher for \$20.00 worth of developing and printing at Dostals.
PHOTO-JEAN-IC-SNAPS (Jean McClung) Section 11 Prize Money
1st. - \$10.00, 2nd - \$6.00, 3rd - \$4.00

CRAFTS

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Carrie Anderson (765-3331),
Mrs. Joyce Smith, Mrs. Kathy Johnson.

All exhibits in the Class must **NOT** have been exhibited at a previous **Caledonia Fair** and **must** be bona fide work of the exhibitor.

Only one entry in each section by any one Exhibitor is allowed. **Please** place the entry in the **most appropriate** class. Articles in an inappropriate class will not be judged.

All exhibits in this Class must be placed in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 24th, and must remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th. All exhibits must be removed at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28th. All exhibitor's tags must be firmly attached.

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

CLASS 39

CRAFTS SPECIAL

Caledonia Country Crafters Most Points Sections 1 - 20

Prizes Sections 1 - 30

1st, \$4.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00

Classes exceeding 20 entries may be divided at the time of judging.

1. Ceramics, one article of combined technique
2. Ceramics, animal or bird or figurine
3. Novelty item for bazaar (to be sold for UNDER \$5.00)
4. Handmade doll, suitable for child to play with
5. Stuffed Animal made of fur
6. Stuffed Animal made of cloth, dressed
7. One article with Valentine theme
8. Grapevine Decoration
9. Artificial Floral Arrangement under 20"
10. Artificial Floral Arrangement over 20"
11. Calligraphy, one item, original
12. One item created using rubber stamp(s)
13. A Craft Article based on Paper (no paper tole)
14. Paper Tole, ready to hang
15. One article of wood with folk art painting
16. One metal article with tole painting
17. Jewelry, one pair of earrings
18. Jewelry, one piece or matched set
19. Plastic Canvas Project
20. Any other Craft Article not listed in any class in this book

WOODCRAFT

All exhibits in the Class must **NOT** have been exhibited at a previous Caledonia Fair and **must** be bona fide work of the exhibitor.

Only one entry in each section by any one Exhibitor is allowed.
All exhibitor's tags must be firmly attached.

Prize Money for Woodcraft donated by Fleming's Construction.

21. Woodcraft, one enclosed article for storage (ie. bread box, silver chest, jewel box)
22. Woodcraft, one turned item
23. Woodcraft, one functional article (other than storage or shelf)
24. Woodcraft, toy
25. Woodcraft, game
26. Wood Carving - animal or bird
27. Wood Carving - any subject other than animal or bird.
28. Marquetry
29. Small Table (ie. end, night, T.V., etc.)
30. Wood Crafter's Choice - any woodcraft article not listed above.

Thrills, Chills and Spills - The Midway

No traditional country fair would be complete without the sounds and sights of the Midway. Early records mention the hiring of a Merry-go-round but it was not until 1926 that a committee was appointed to go to the Fair Convention in Toronto and be "empowered to engage midway attractions." Conklin's All Canadian Shows provided the 1934 midway. During the next thirty years, the fair struggled to keep a good midway and hired at least ten different amusement companies. The search ended with a contract in 1961 with Bernard Amusements. They were bought out in 1978 by Conklin's who still "play" the Caledonia Fair.

Anyone who visited the Fair Midway prior to 1968 probably has vivid memories of wading through mud mixed with straw. Caledonia has had more than its share of rainy fair days. After a complete washout in 1967, the Society began the ongoing project of laying asphalt pathways on the fairgrounds to reduce the misery of mud.



CHRISTMAS CORNER

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Laurel Slack (772-3996),
Mrs. Connie Stubbs, Mrs. Darlene Yule

All exhibits in this class must not have been exhibited at a previous Caledonia Fair.

All articles must be ready to hang, if so stated.

Entry Fee 10% deducted from winners.

CLASS 39A

CHRISTMAS CORNER SPECIAL

Isobella Bothwright..... Most Points

Prizes

Sec. 1-26 1st, \$4.00; 2nd, \$3.00; 3rd, \$2.00

Note the change in section order from the Advanced Prize List.

Christmas of Days Gone By 1873 Era

Sec.

1. Handmade Candle not to exceed 12"
2. Christmas Decoration using spices or cinamon sticks
3. Tree Ornament, Victorian theme, ready to hang (e.g. Battenburg Lace, Tatting, Ribbons, Lace, etc.)
4. Gift Basket "To a Good Neighbour", not to exceed 18 "
5. A Gingerbread article, not to exceed 12 "
6. A Paper Christmas Decoration, not to exceed 18"
7. An Article made from used Christmas Cards
8. Antique Article decorated for Christmas, not to exceed 18"
9. Decorated Christmas Tree (other than ceramic) not to exceed 18"
10. Christmas Tree Ornament, stitchery (ready to hang)
11. Christmas Tree Ornament, any other kind (ready to hang)
12. Christmas Wreath, grapevine (ready to hang)
13. Christmas Wreath, any other kind (ready to hang)
14. Christmas Swag (ready to hang)
15. Christmas Stocking
16. Christmas Tree Top Decoration
17. Christmas Apron
18. Christmas Table Cloth
19. Christmas Tree Skirt
20. Table Runner
21. A "Santa Claus" article
22. A Wooden Article, Folk Art Painted, Christmas Theme, not to exceed 18"
23. Decorated Christmas Gift Bag
24. Christmas Door Stop
25. Article of Clothing, Christmas Theme
26. Christmas Table Centrepiece, (Not to exceed 18")
27. Christmas Table Favour
28. Article of Jewelry, Christmas Theme
29. Handcrafted Teddy Bear, Christmas Theme (not to exceed 18")
30. Handmade Christmas Card

ORGANIZED GROUP DISPLAY

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Irene Cruickshank (765-4192), Mrs. Diana Cruickshank

CLASS 40

"AN INVITATION TO TEA IN 1872"

1. Over-all arrangement of display.
2. A Cross-Stitched Luncheon Cloth, 36 x 36 (may be part of your display backdrop)
3. An Antique Family Photograph (framed)
4. A Homemade Apron, like the one Great Grandmother wore
5. A Homemade Candle, in a suitable holder
6. A Teapot covered with a Tea Cosy suitable to the display
7. Scones or Tea Biscuits, 3
8. Homemade Preserve in a small jelly jar
9. A Fresh Flower Arrangement suitable for the Tea Table

Each display will be allotted space five feet long, having a table surface only 11 inches wide but including a 20 inch high sloped riser immediately back of the flat surface. A backdrop of your choice should be used to enhance your display.

Each group must have ready a card 12" x 18" naming the Group to be attached to the exhibit after the judging is completed.

No membership fee is required and no entry fee will be charged.

Prizes

1st Prize - \$50.00; 2nd Prize - \$30.00; 3rd Prize - \$25.00
and \$20.00 to all other entries

Please make your entry early so that adequate display space may be arranged.

The deadline for entries is Friday, September 12, 1997.

The Judge's score will be forwarded with the prize money, but the score will also be posted the day the displays are judged.

These displays must be arranged in the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 24th and must be removed promptly at 6:00 p.m. September 28, 1997.

A special category for Women's Institute appeared in the 1931 Prize List. Twenty items were required and included everything from a pumpkin pie to a fancy hankerchief. First prize was \$12. In 1940 the W.I. competition was rescinded due to the War. This was replaced by a competition open to authorized groups of Red Cross Workers making making such things as Seaman's Stockings, Rifle Mitts and Amputation Covers. After the war, the regular competition resumed and by 1951 only ten items were requested. In 1955 themes were introduced. Competition was fierce with as many as 18 Institutes competing. By the late 1980's displays dwindled as many Institutes disbanded. Thus in 1991 a change was made and this category became the Organized Group Display allowing other groups to also participate.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Marjorie Yule (765 4103), Mrs. Shirley Montross.
Mrs. Matie Paul, Mrs. Mary Lou Cunningham,
Mrs. Shirley Young, Mrs. Diane Peart,
Mrs. Linda Smith, Mrs. Marie Peart, Mrs. Brenda Ferris

SPECIAL

The school winning the most number of points
in all sections will receive \$50.00 from the Caledonia Fair.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Entries will be disqualified if all printed rules and instructions are not followed.

1. Entry Tags must be placed in the upper right hand corner of Artwork, Printing and Writing.
2. Open to ALL CHILDREN of the former County of Haldimand, and Township of Onondaga.
3. Only one entry from each pupil in each section and a limit of five entries from each Grade in a Classroom.
4. Pupil's name and school must appear on the entry tags only.
5. School entry tags to be filled out by the teacher or parent to certify that the it is the work of the student. Tags are available from the Society Secretary, 151 Caithness St. E., Caledonia or the School Principal.
6. Entries to be placed in The Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 24, 1997. Tags must be attached.
7. Due to limited space, only prize winners may be displayed.
8. All exhibits must remain until Sunday, Sept. 28, 1997. School Exhibit closes at 5 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 28, 1997.
9. Exhibits must be collected at 6:00 p.m. by pupils or teachers.
10. Directors are not responsible for articles left after 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, September 28, 1997.
11. Articles left after 6:30 p.m. may be disposed of by the Directors.
12. Homeschooling and Preschool: Put name, address and phone number on back of entry tag.

CRAFTS, ART, PRINTING/WRITING

NO MOUNTING ALLOWED

THEME - CELEBRATE THE 125th CALEDONIA FAIR

featuring excerpts from Prize Lists of past fairs

Note: All printing and writing is to be on lined paper, binder paper can be used if the margins and ring holes are removed.

PRE-SCHOOL AND JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN:

Sec.

1. 1993 Prize List: An animal made from playdough, not to exceed 15cm x 15cm x 15cm (6" x 6" x 6").
2. A crayon coloured "Birthday Cake", not to exceed 30cm x 30cm on white paper.

KINDERGARTEN:

3. 1985 Prize List: A decorated soup can pencil holder.
4. "My Favourite Fair Food" using tempera paint. 46cm x 60cm (18" x 24").

GRADE 1:

5. A popsicle stick puppet with paper farm animal figure.
6. 1984 Prize List: "Helping Grandma or Grandpa" in tempera paint. 30 cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
7. Printing: First name only, printed in FREE HAND on construction paper Leaf, not to exceed 15cm (6"). Printed in PENCIL ONLY.

GRADE 2:

8. A decorated paper fan made from wallpaper (finished size not to exceed 30cm x 30cm (12" x 12")).
9. 1976 Prize List: "A Maple Tree in Fall" using torn paper no larger than 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
10. Printing: "Caledonia Fair 1872 - 1997" on half sheet of lined paper every other line in PENCIL.

GRADE 3:

11. A decorated "Paper Weight Rock" not to exceed 8cm (3") in any direction.
12. "My Caledonia Fair Memory" in oil pastels, 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
13. Printing: The Alphabet, both upper and lower case letters in PENCIL, every other line on half sheet of lined paper.

GRADE 4:

14. A clown puppet out of a paper lunch bag.
15. Exterior view of an "Old One Room School House", any media, 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
16. Printing: Print the following poem in PENCIL, every other line on half sheet of lined paper.

If I Were an Elephant

If I had an elephant's floppy ears,
I'd wash them once in seven years;
I'd use my trunk for a garden hose
And make a nozzle out of my nose.

Merle Crowell

GRADE 5:

17. A log house made from tree twigs, not to exceed 23cm (9") in all directions. **Must be sturdy.**
18. Make a "Quilt" using any media, 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
19. Writing: 1908 Prize List - The Alphabet, both upper and lower case letters written in INK or PENCIL, every other line on half sheet of lined paper.

GRADE 6:

20. Wall Paper Border for your bedroom, showing the pattern repeat, no longer than 50cm or wider than 15cm (19.5" x 6").
21. 1932 Prize List: Draw a map of Ontario free hand, 1 colour, showing 5 cities, Grand River and Caledonia on paper 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
22. Writing: 8 lines of poetry written in INK or PENCIL every other line on half sheet of lined paper.

GRADE 7:

23. Create an Invitation Card, inviting someone to the 125th Anniversary of the Caledonia Fair. Not exceeding 13cm x 18cm (5" x 7").
24. Sketch an Historic Landmark of Caledonia in pencil only on 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
25. Writing: "O Canada" written on every line in INK on 1 full sheet of lined paper.

GRADE 8:

26. Create a hot air balloon using paper mache, not to exceed 46cm (18"). Must be ready to hang.
27. "An Antique Form of Transportation" to Caledonia Fair using pencil crayon 30cm x 46cm (12" x 18").
28. Writing: "God Save the Queen" written in INK every line on full sheet of lined paper.

1st prize, \$4.00; 2nd prize, \$3.00; 3rd prize, \$2.00;
4th Prize, \$1.00; 5th prize, \$1.00

The first time the School Exhibit appeared as a separate category was in 1908. Prizes were offered in the areas of Art, Nature Study and Penmanship. One section in that year asked students for the "best plan for an up-to-date rural school house to accommodate 48 pupils." First prize was \$1.00.

BAKING AND FOOD

All baking is to be homemade unless stated otherwise.

29. **Kindergarten - Grade 2:** Rice krispie squares (3)
30. **Kindergarten - Grade 2:** A nutritious after school snack.
31. **Grade 3 and 4:** Unbaked Cookies (3) (one kind).
32. **Grade 3 and 4:** One English Muffin Pizza.
33. **Grade 5 and 6:** White Cupcakes (iced) (3) from a mix.
34. **Grade 5 and 6:** Unbaked Squares, one kind (3).
35. **Grades 7 and 8:** An 8" x 8" Chocolate Cake, from a mix, iced. Place on a foil covered cardboard base.
36. **Grades 7 and 8:** Your favourite muffin recipe (3).

1st. \$4.00; 2nd. \$3.00; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.00; 5th. \$1.00

37. SPECIAL by the School Exhibit Committee.

Your school lunch, displayed in a suitable container. Label all contents. Please use **empty** drink container only, **no liquid** in it.

Prizes: 1st. \$6.00; 2nd. \$5.00; 3rd. \$4.00; 4th. \$3.00; 5th. \$2.00

FLOWERS

1. Please bring flowers in tin cans where applicable. **NO GLASS JARS.**
2. Please bring your own tin cans for containers.
3. Choose flowers with long stems.
4. Please fasten school entry tags securely on exhibits.
38. **Pre-School:** Bouquet of Garden Flowers
39. **Kindergarten - Grade 4:** Petunias, same colour, 5 sprays
40. **Kindergarten - Grade 4:** Floral Bouquet in a small plastic container for your teacher
41. **Grades 5 - 8:** Petunias, same colour, 5 sprays
42. **Grades 5 - 8:** Silk Floral arrangement in a coffee mug for the Fair Queen

Sections 43 to 51, 54: Open to all grades.

43. Marigolds, French (small), 5 sprays
44. Your favourite house plant, small pot, not hanging, identified.
45. Rose, 1 Bloom with own foliage. May use glass vase.

1st. \$4.00; 2nd. \$3.00; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.00; 5th. \$1.00

VEGETABLES

1. Vegetables to be from the home garden.
2. Choose specimens as nearly the same shape and size as possible.
3. Cut off tops leaving only 1".
4. Polish with a dry cloth.
46. Tomatoes, 3 specimens
47. Red or White Potatoes, 3 specimens
48. Longest Zucchini
49. Carrots, 3 specimens
50. Beets, 3 specimens
51. Onions, 3 specimens (not Spanish)
52. **Kindergarten - Grade 4:** 1 common Vegetable, the most unusual shape.
53. **Grade 5 - 8:** Design a car using potatoes, not to exceed 8" x 8". **NOT DECORATED. MUST BE STURDY!**
54. Collection of mixed vegetables, gourds and natural materials arranged in a wicker basket for a dining table centrepiece.

1st. \$4.00; 2nd. \$3.00; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.00; 5th. \$1.00

SCHOOL SPECIALS

Committee: Matie Paul

SPECIAL BY THE CALEDONIA HUNTERS' AND ANGLERS' CLUB

A free expression poster, 12" x 18" (30 cm x 46 cm), mounted on standard 18" x 24" (46 cm x 62 cm) construction paper. A poster should state a short message in words. **SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT!**

55. Junior Poster, Grades 1, 2 and 3: Local Wildlife
56. Intermediate Poster, Grades 4, 5 and 6: Habitat
57. Senior Poster, Grades 7&8: The Threat of the Purple Loosetrife (flower and plant)

1st prize, \$6.00; 2nd prize, \$4.50; 3rd prize, \$3.50; 4th prize, \$2.00;
5th prize, \$1.50; 6th prize, \$1.25; 7th prize, \$1.25

The winning 1st, 2nd and 3rd posters will become the property of the Caledonia Hunters' and Anglers' Club.

SPECIAL BY THE CANADIAN WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

A free expression **POSTER**, 1/2 Bristol Board sheet, 14' x 22', **NOT MOUNTED**. Must convey one definite idea, no more than two types of lettering in one poster; no stencilling; no writing. Should be clearly and easily seen and understood from a distance. Use of brand names not allowed. NO liquor or tobacco advertisements may be used. **SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT!**

Basis of judging: Subject and originality of thought - 60%;
Neatness, arrangement and general workmanship - 40%.

Sec.

58. **Grades 3 and 4:** Medium-magazine cut outs, crayons, ink, paints, felt markers, etc. No pencil crayons.
Subject: alcohol, tobacco or drugs as related to health, happiness & home.
Slogan: Your choice (e.g. The best things in life are free from alcohol)
Prizes: 1st, \$5.00; 2nd, \$4.00; 3rd, \$3.00; 4th, \$2.00; 5th, \$1.00
59. **Grades 5 and 6:** Medium - paints, ink, felt markers or cut outs of student's own work.
Subject: tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs.
Slogan: Your choice (eg. Cigarettes leave you breathless).
Prizes: 1st, \$6.25; 2nd, \$5.00; 3rd, \$3.50; 4th, \$2.00; 5th, \$1.00
60. **Grades 7 and 8:** Medium - paints, ink, felt markers, or cut outs of subjects own work.
Subject: alcohol, tobacco or other drugs as related to problems in the home, social welfare, health, safety, crime, etc.
Slogan: Your choice (e.g.: Pot and driving are like gasoline and matches).
Prizes: 1st, \$7.50; 2nd, \$6.25; 3rd, \$5.00; 4th, \$4.00; 5th, \$3.00

All prize winning posters in Sec. 58, 59 and 60 will be retained for further competition. **PLEASE PUT YOUR HOME ADDRESS ON THE BACK OF THE ENTRY TAG**

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION HEALTH BOOKLET Rules

1. The book must be individually done.
2. **AVOID THE USE OF LIQUOR AND TOBACCO ADVERTISING.**
3. Covers should be attractive and related to the subject matter.
4. On the back page write: Name; Grade; School; full home address including Town, County, Province and Postal Code; Year.
5. Basis of judging will be subject matter - 75% and arrangement and general excellence - 25%.
6. **SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT!**

Booklets for Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4 must include each of the following:

Sec.

61. **Grades 1 and 2**
a. State 5 health rules and illustrate by drawings or pictures.
b. List 4 good drinks and 4 good foods with illustrations of each.
c. Answer to: Why do drinking and smoking injure health?
Prizes: 1st prize, \$9.00; 2nd prize, \$7.00; 3rd prize, \$5.00
62. **Grades 3 and 4**
a. State 5 health rules and illustrate by drawings or pictures.
b. List 4 good drinks and 4 good foods with illustrations of each.
c. Answer to: Why do drinking and smoking injure health?
Prizes: 1st prize, \$9.00; 2nd prize, \$7.00; 3rd prize, \$5.00
63. **Grades 5 and 6**
Booklet must include each of the following:
a. State 5 health rules and illustrate by drawings or pictures.
b. List 4 good drinks and 4 good foods with illustrations of each.
c. Answer to: Why do drinking and smoking injure health?
d. Tell a story that teaches a lesson about alcohol and cigarettes.
Prizes: 1st prize, \$9.00; 2nd \$7.00; 3rd, \$5.00
64. **Grades 7 & 8:** Organize a booklet on **ONE** of the following: alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs. Booklet must include each of the following:
a. Effect of your chosen drug on health, study, sport, business, insurance and length of life, public safety and accidents. News stories, clippings, or statements may be included. **DO NOT USE LIQUOR OR TOBACCO ADVERTISEMENTS.**
b. Report an interview regarding this drug with **ONE** of the following: a chemist, a physician, an insurance person, a police officer, a business person.
c. Give quotations regarding this drug from **ONE** of: the Bible, literature, or outstanding authority in sports or medical field.
Prizes: 1st prize, \$10.00; 2nd prize, \$8.00; 3rd prize \$6.00

ALL WINNING ENTRIES in Sec. 61, 62, 63 & 64 BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE W.C.T.U.

SPECIAL BY ALAN R. MACDONALD

A free expression poster 12" x 18" (30cm x 46 cm), mounted on 18" x 24" (46cm x 62 cm), construction paper. A poster should state a short message in words. **SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT!**

65. **Junior Poster, Grades 1-3**
Topic: "Smiles".
Prizes: 1st - \$15.00; 2nd - \$10.00; 3rd - \$5.00
66. **Intermediate Poster, Grades 4-6:**
Topic: "Good Dental Care".
Prizes: 1st - \$20.00; 2nd - \$15.00; 3rd - \$10.00
67. **Senior Poster, Grades 7 & 8:**
Topic: "Happiness is Having Your Own Teeth".
Prizes: 1st - \$25.00; 2nd - \$20.00; 3rd - \$15.00

Dr. Macdonald will keep the prize winning posters of sections 65, 66 & 67. He will contact these winners for presentation of the crests he is donating. Please include name, address and phone number on the back of entry tag.

SPECIAL BY HALDIMAND CHIROPRACTIC SOCIETY
For Display in Local Chiropractic Offices

A poster having anything to do with Chiropractic Care, 12" x 18" (30cm. x 46cm.), mounted on 18" x 24" (46cm. x 62cm.) construction paper. Poster must include title of the topic given.

68. **Intermediate Poster, Grade 4-6**
Topic: "Chiropractic Care Helps Me Stay Healthy".
Prizes: 1st, \$20.00; 2nd, \$15.00; 3rd, \$10.00
69. **Senior Poster, Grade 7 & 8**
Topic: "Chiropractic Care Helps Me Stay Healthy".
Prizes: 1st, \$25.00; 2nd, \$20.00; 3rd, \$15.00

Winning posters will be retained by the Haldimand Chiropractic Society.

SPECIAL BY RICK P. WIERSMA OPTOMETRIST

A free expression poster 12" x 18" (30 cm. x 46cm.), mounted on 18" x 24" (46cm. x 62cm.), construction paper. A poster should state a short message in words.
SPELLING MUST BE CORRECT!

70. **Intermediate Poster: Grades 4 - 6**
Topic: "A Better View of You"
Prizes: 1st. \$20.00, 2nd. \$15.00
71. **Senior Poster: Grades 7 - 8**
Topic: "What To Do When You Meet A Blind Person".
Prizes: 1st. \$25.00, 2nd. \$20.00

Prize Winning Posters will be retained by Dr. Rick P. Wiersma.

PRESIDENTS' POSTER CONTEST

72. **Youth Poster Competition** on the theme of "Promoting Caledonia Fair", handmade by an elementary school student. Poster Size 11" x 17". (28cm. x 43cm.). The Fair will keep the 1st Prize poster to enter in the O.A.A.S. District Competition.
Prizes: 1st. \$4.00; 2nd. \$3.00; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.00; 5th. \$1.00



1997 PET SHOW

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COMMITTEE:

Roxanne Wilkieson (765-3258);
Faye Farrell; Linda Fisher; Diana Cruickshank;
Diane McEachern; Allison McAlpine; Peggy Beckerson

Friday, September 26, 1997, 4:30 p.m.
Special Events Platform

Classes open to boys and girls **14 years of age and under.**

No Entry Fee

Animals must be caged or on a leash and kept under control by the exhibitor at all times. The Caledonia Agricultural Society is **not** responsible for run-a-ways.
Rabies Vaccination Certificate Must Be Available Upon Request.

Prizes

1st. \$3.00; 2nd. \$2.50; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.50; 5th. \$1.00

Sec.

1. Most Colourful Cat
2. Cutest Kitten under 6 months
3. Heaviest Cat
4. Cat Dressed as a Baby
5. Most Entertaining Dog shown by a child 7 to 14 years of age
6. Prettiest Dog
7. Dog that resembles its Master
8. Dog and Master Dressed Alike
9. Pet that resembles Lady President of Caledonia Fair
10. Best Matched Pair of Similar Pets
11. Pet Any Other Variety
12. Pet dressed for the 125th Caledonia Fair (period costume)

STUFFED PET SHOW

Follows Pet Show

Stuffed pets must be hugged and cuddled a lot!!!!

13. Most Loved Dinosaur
14. Largest Stuffed Bear
15. Stuffed Pet Dressed for 125th Caledonia Fair (period costume)
16. Smallest Stuffed Pet
17. Unusual Stuffed Pet

The Pet Show was first held in 1983 in the Special Events Tent along the Grand River. First prize was \$1.50. The turnout of animals was so great that it was moved in 1991 to the Special Events Platform by the Arena. In 1992 a Stuffed Pet show was added so that children with allergies to real animals could also take part.

JUNIOR FAIR

COMMITTEE

Peggy Beckerson (768-5039), Doug Murphy (772-7194),
Russell Smith (765-4907), Vivian Hussack, Jim Hussack,
Bruce O'Brien, Cindy Murphy, Allison McAlpine, Dale Lang

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Unless specified the sections below are open to persons age 8 to 18.
2. Each Exhibitor must purchase a Junior Exhibitor's Pass for \$3.00, which will entitle the holder to limited admission to the Caledonia Fair.
3. No entry fee will be charged or retained in Junior Classes.
4. Entry deadline is Friday, September 12, 1997.
5. Each Exhibitor is allowed one entry per section.
6. **All exhibits must be placed in the Junior Section of the Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 24, 1997 and must remain until 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 28, 1997, at which time all exhibits must be removed promptly.**
7. All exhibits of baking must be covered with "Saran Wrap".
8. All entries of sewing should be pressed and cleaned.
9. Exhibitor tags should be attached securely to each item.
10. Entry tags on items mounted on Bristol Board or Construction Paper must be placed in the **top right hand corner** of the article.
11. Failing to comply with directions given in the individual sections could result in disqualification of the entry.
12. The directors reserve the right to split classes.
13. The general rules and regulations of the Caledonia Agricultural Society apply except where noted.

JUNIOR FAIR SPECIALS

DOFASCO	Prize Money (Sec 1-50)
Scott and Jan Cranston	Prize Money (Sec 54-63)
Sims Locks Women's Institute	Most Points, Jr Baking (Sec 1-19), Award
Vickie Peart	Most Points, Jr Horticulture (Sec 43-63), Trophy
Allan Murray	Most Points Jr Handicrafts (Sec 20-37), Trophy
Peggy Beckerson	Rice Krispie Squares
	(\$5.00 additional prize to top six entries in Sec 66)
Haldimand Milk Producers	Shortbread Cookies
	(\$5.00 additional prize to top six entries in Sec 2)
Haldimand Farm Safety Committee	Safety Poster
	(\$5.00 additional prize to top six entries in Sec 37)
Caledonia School of Art	Most Points Jr Art (Sec 38-42), Gift Certificate
Caledonia Country Crafters	Most Points 43A (Sec 64-80), Award

Prizes

1st. \$4.00; 2nd. \$3.00; 3rd. \$2.00; 4th. \$1.00

DOFASCO

has kindly sponsored the prize money for sections 1-50.

The beginning of our Junior Fair started in 1932 with the Haldimand County Boy's Club Section. Clubs that competed were the Holstein Calf Club, Foal Club and Shorthorn Calf Club.

The first special for Junior Girls appeared in 1934. It was not until after the war in 1946 that a separate Junior Department including Livestock, Field Crops, Handicrafts and Junior Girls formed. Since then there have been many changes and today these groups have merged under the title of Junior Fair. The Fair continues to appreciate the enthusiasm of these Junior exhibitors.

CLASS 43

Open to Juniors 8 to 18 years of age on opening day of the Fair.

POINTS

1st., 4 points; 2nd. 3 points; 3rd., 2 points; 4th., 1 point

JUNIOR BAKING

Sec.

1. Chocolate Cupcakes iced and decorated (3).
2. **The Haldimand Milk Producers Special.**
Shortbread Cookies (3) (May Be Rolled or Dropped).
To qualify for this special entries must use a recipe that includes butter (margarine is not allowed) and must have the recipe attached.
3. Banana Loaf (1/2 Loaf).
4. Single Layer Cake decorated to celebrate Caledonia Fair's 125th birthday.
5. Apple Crisp, 1 serving in a suitable dish.
6. Peanut brittle, 6 pieces.
7. 1 small jar of Freezer Strawberry Jam.
8. 1 small jar of homemade Salsa.
9. 1 500ml. (Pint) jar Relish, any variety, must be Sealed.
10. 1 500ml. (Pint) jar of sweet Pickles, must be Sealed.
11. Angel Food Cake from a Mix - no icing required.
12. **For Young Men Only** - A Chocolate Cake, single layer iced 8 x 8
13. 1/2 Loaf of White Bread, Made in a BREAD MACHINE (mix is acceptable).
14. 1 piece of Fruit Pie must be 2 crust.
15. Butter Tarts (3).
16. Chocolate Chip Muffins, (3), NO PAPERS ALLOWED!
17. Chocolate Chip Cookies, (3).
18. Microwave Brownies, (3).
19. Chocolate Fudge, 6 pieces.

JUNIOR HANDICRAFTS

20. A Christmas Wreath.
21. A Wrapped Gift for Christmas.
22. A Homemade Christmas Card.
23. A Homemade Christmas Tree Ornament.
24. An Article of sewing, your choice.
25. A Hand - Decorated T Shirt or Sweatshirt. May be decorated on a purchased shirt.
26. An Article of Cross-Stitch.
27. Useful or Decorative Wooden Article.
28. An useful item made from recycled material.
29. A Babysitter's Kit - A collection of 8 items found useful when babysitting. They must be displayed in an appropriate and serviceable container. Not to exceed 15cm. x 30cm.
30. An Article made from Building Blocks, (ie. Lego), made from a kit. Not to exceed 30cm. x 15cm. Exhibitor's Choice.
31. An Article made from Building Blocks, (ie. Lego), must be the exhibitor's own design and not contain any part from a kit. Not to exceed 30cm. x 15cm.
32. A Suncatcher (kits allowed).
33. Handmade Windchimes.
34. Dress a Teddy Bear for Fair 100 years ago. Bear not to exceed 1 metre, (39") in height.
35. One collection of 4 Coloured Photos mounted on Bristol Board or Construction Paper 25cm. x 35cm. (approx. 10" x 14").
Subject: **My Family.**
Photographs must be taken by the exhibitor.
Entry tag must be secured in the top right hand corner.

36. A Collection of Caledonia Fair Memorabilia, could consist of photos, souvenirs, prize lists, etc. Should not exceed 1 metre x 1 metre.
37. **The Haldimand Farm Safety Committee Special.** A Safety Poster Promoting Child Safety in the Rural Area.

JUNIOR ART

38. An original Cartoon, of your own design. 8 1/2" x 11".
39. Acrylic, Any Subject.
40. Water Colour, Any Subject.
41. Charcoal or Pencil Sketch, Any Subject.

JUNIOR HORTICULTURE & FIELD CROPS

42. Your Favourite Houseplant.
43. A collection of Fresh cut Flowers in a Decorated Container for any Special Occasion.
44. Collection of 4 kinds of vegetables (3 of each) named. Arrangement and display to count.
45. A Geranium grown in a pot.
46. Tomatoes, Red, (3).
47. 2 Squash, 1 Variety, (must be labelled).
48. Longest Zucchini. (Italian Zucchini are not allowed).
49. Carrots, Table 4 roots.
50. Onions, 1 variety, (3).
51. Jack 'O' Lantern type Pumpkin decorated with natural materials.
52. A Collection of 5 Weeds, pressed and identified, mounted for display on a sheet of Bristol Board or Construction Paper not to exceed 60cm. x 60cm. (approx. 24" x 24").
53. A Collection of 10 pressed leaves, identified, mounted for display on a sheet of Bristol Board or Construction Paper not to exceed 60cm. x 60cm. (approx. 24" x 24").

Prize Money for Sections 54 - 63 donated by Scott and Jan Cranston.

54. White Wheat, 2 kg.
55. Red Wheat, 2 kg.
56. Oats, 2 kg.
57. Barley, 2kg.
58. Hybrid corn 5 ears. Variety to be named.
59. Sunflower, Largest head.
60. One entire Soybean Plant, named and mounted, including root, with the greatest number of pods. Maturity to count.
61. 8" Slice of 1st Cutting Baled Hay.
62. 8" Slice of 2nd Cutting Baled Hay.
63. Tallest Corn 1 Stalk.

CLASS 43A

EXCLUSIVE TO JUNIORS 8 TO 12 YEARS OF AGE!

The same prize and point schedule applies as in Class 43.

BAKING

- Sec.
64. 1/2 Loaf of Whole Wheat Bread, Made in a BREAD MACHINE (mix is acceptable).
65. Homemade Candy made in the MICROWAVE, 6 pieces.
66. **Special by Peggy Beckerson** - Rice Krispies Squares (3).
67. Blueberry Muffins from a Mix, (3) Papers Allowed.
68. Large decorated Cookie, no larger than 8 inches in diameter.
69. Oatmeal cookies (3).

HANDICRAFTS

70. A Handmade Tote Bag.
71. An Article of Podging.
72. A Homemade Pog. Must not exceed 6cm. in diameter.
73. A Decorated Running Shoe.
74. One collection of 4 Coloured Photos mounted on Bristol Board or Construction Paper 25cm. x 35cm. (approx. 10" x 14").
Subject: **My Pet.**
Photographs must be taken by the exhibitor.
Entry tag must be secured in the top right hand corner.
75. A Homemade First-Aid Kit.

ART

76. An Original Cartoon, of your own design, 8 1/2" x 11".
77. Watercolour, Any Subject.
78. An Article of Pottery, not thrown on a wheel.

HORTICULTURE

79. An Arrangement of Marigolds in a suitable container.
80. A collection of DRIED WEEDS in a Natural state, in a suitable container, ie. Milkweed, Cattails, and Teasels may be used. The container must be prepared so that it will not tip over. The weeds must be in a dried state, therefore water is not necessary.

4-H CLUBS

CLASS 44A

HERDSMEN'S COMPETITION

RULES

1. Entries to be made to Fair Secretary on forms supplied.
2. Exhibits must be prepared by the Members of the Club.
3. Any Theme acceptable.
4. The Club Name must be prominently displayed.
5. 4-H Exhibit Cards must be properly filled out and properly displayed.
6. Club Exhibits must be set up from 10 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.
7. **Paved Walkway must be kept clear.**

Prizes

\$30.00; \$25.00; \$20.00; \$15.00 and \$10.00 to all creditable entries.

OFFICIAL SCORE CARD

	Score
1. General Appearance - Eye Appeal	20
2. Club Name and 4-H Exhibit Cards	15
3. Courtesy of Attendant or Attendants	15
4. Neatness of Exhibitors	10
5. Grooming of Individual Entries	10
6. General Information about 4-H Work	20
7. Display of Record Books	10
TOTAL	100

The Fair has been a long-time sponsor of the 4-H program. At the 1963 Fair there were 41 displays set up by 4-H clubs and 166 4-H calves exhibited. In 1969, to accomodate these large numbers, the 4-H livestock program moved to Thursday, its own separate day. However in 1995 the 4-H was integrated back into the Saturday program due to a growing number of off-farm participants.

CLASS 44B

INTER-CLUB GROUP OF THREE CALVES

Group of 3 4-H Calves selected and exhibited by members of any one 4-H Club.
Calves to be born after March 1st, 1996.
Two entries only by any one Club.
Entries to be judged for uniformity and presentation.
The Coach and Holders must be members of the same Club.
This Class to be shown in the morning with the Open Classes.

Prizes

\$30.00; \$25.00; \$20.00; \$15.00 and \$10.00 to all other creditable entries.

CLASS 44C

4-H CLUB EXHIBITS

1. Open to all 4-H Clubs in the Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk.
2. Exhibit must have definite relationship to the work of the respective club.
3. Entries shall be made to Caledonia Agricultural Society on or before Friday, September 12, 1997. Please use the Official Entry Form.
4. No entry fee will be charged in this section.
5. Exhibits must be placed in the Junior Section at the Caledonia Fair Exhibition Hall between 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 24th and remain until 6:00 p.m. Sunday, September, 28th.
6. Table Space of 2 feet 6 inches by 4 feet, (92cm. x 122cm. approx.) will be available. Display board at back of exhibit must not exceed 3 feet, (1 metre) in height.
7. The 4-H Logo **MUST** be in a prominent location of the display. Failure to comply to requirement would mean elimination from the competition.
8. No electrical equipment permitted.

OFFICIAL SCORE CARD

Must Display 4-H Logo

	Score
ATTRACTS ATTENTION (stopping power)	20
EFFECTIVE TITLE (short, personal, catchy)	10
SUITABLE SUBJECT (subject related to the 4-H Program)	10
HOLDS INTEREST (encourages study, is thought-provoking, personal)	10
CONVEYS MESSAGE (accomplishes purpose, promotes action)	30
GENERAL APPEARANCE (simple, balanced, attractive)	10
WORKMANSHIP (neat, well constructed, wellspaced, easy to read)	10
TOTAL	100

Prizes (Group System)

1st, \$35.00; 2nd, \$25.00; 3rd, \$15.00

HALDIMAND COUNTY

4-H LIVESTOCK CLUB SECTION

Calves will be shown according to breed and class
All calves will be shown on Saturday, September 27, 1997.

All project animals must be on the fairgrounds not later than
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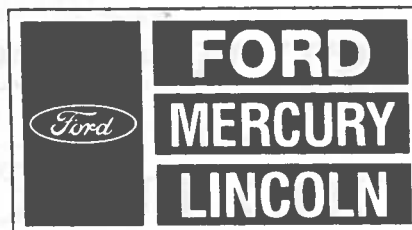
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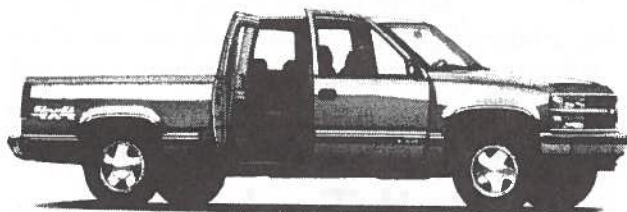
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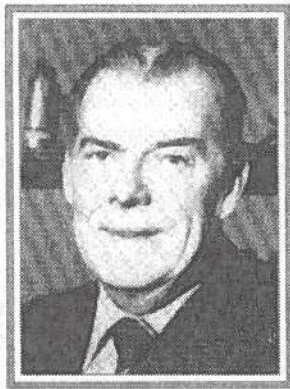
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CIBC, Caledonia - Heavy Horse
Ontario Clydesdale Association - Heavy Horse
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Golden Horseshoe Antique Society - Heavy Horse
Grand River Veterinary Hospital - Heavy Horse
Wright Fuels - Heavy Horse
Quick Feeds - Heavy Horse
Callaway Mobile Feeds - Heavy Horse
Clark Agri-Service - Heavy Horse
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Grandview Tack - Light Horses
John Dickie - Light Horses
Hogeterp Meats - Light Horses

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J.C. Beattie - Herdsman

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Bud Cunningham - Galloway
John Hussack - Galloway
Gilbert Douglas Memorial - Market Steers
Ernie Allen - Market Steers

Russell Douglas - Jersey
Dr. Richard Johnson - Jersey
Bank of Nova Scotia, Caledonia - Jersey
GENCOR - Guernsey
Bud Cunningham - Guernsey

James McBlain & Son - Sheep
Lyndee Acres - Sheep
Wilson Douglas Memorial - Sheep
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Russell Douglas - Goats

Grand River Home Hardware - Poultry
Caledonia Garden Centre - Rabbit
Jim Pearce - Pets

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Haldimand Sod - Green Horizons - Flowers & Plants
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Caledonia Garden Centre - Flowers & Plants
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Caledonia Country Crafters - Junior Fair

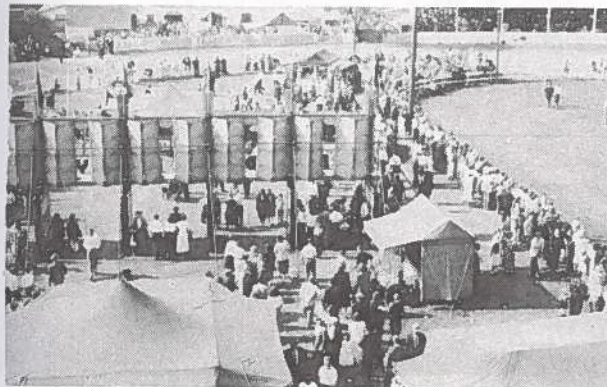
Cayuga Mutual Fire Insurance - 4-H
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World's Finest Shows - Baby Show
Lawrence Sporting Goods - Baby Show

Don Carlin - Concession Awards
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BABY SHOW 1997

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Joyce Smith, Mrs. Mary Carlin, Mrs. Marg Bernhardt,
Mrs. Matie Paul, Mrs. Vicki Lanigan, Mrs. Carrie Anderson

Sponsored by World's Finest Shows (Conklins)

- REGISTRATION -

Saturday, September 27, 1997
from 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Babies' Judging to commence at 2:00 p.m.

Separate Classes for Boys and Girls

3-6 MONTHS (if born between)	March 28, 1997 - June 27, 1997
6-9 MONTHS	Dec. 28, 1996 - March 27, 1997
9-12 MONTHS	Sept. 28, 1996 - Dec. 27, 1996
12-15 MONTHS	June 27, 1996 - Sept. 27, 1996

All times are approximate

When one class is finished, the next one will begin.

If there are no twins, overall winner class will begin at 4:00

Time	Class	Age	born between
2:00	A Girls	12-15 MONTHS	June 27, 1996 - Sept. 27, 1996
2:15	B Boys	12-15 MONTHS	June 27, 1996 - Sept. 27, 1996
2:30	C Girls	9-12 MONTHS	Sept. 28, 1996 - Dec. 27, 1996
2:45	D Boys	9-12 MONTHS	Sept. 28, 1996 - Dec. 27, 1996
3:00	E Girls	6-9 MONTHS	Dec. 28, 1996 - March 27, 1997
3:15	F Boys	6-9 MONTHS	Dec. 28, 1996 - March 27, 1997
3:30	G Girls	3-6 MONTHS	March 28, 1997 - June 27, 1997
3:45	H Boys	3-6 MONTHS	March 28, 1997 - June 27, 1997
4:00	I Twins	3-9 MONTHS	Dec. 28, 1996 - June 27, 1997
4:15	J Twins	3-9 MONTHS	Dec. 28, 1996 - June 27, 1997
4:00 - 4:30	Overall Winners		
4:30	Group Picture of all Class Winners		

The first mention of a Baby Show appears in the 1930 Fair Minutes. This event was sponsored by Robinson's Department Store until about 1953. Future Fair President Bruce Smith is pictured here (middle) with his mother, Muriel. In 1979 the Homecraft Department decided to re-establish the contest and it remains a popular fair attraction.



Congratulations

to the

The Caledonia Fair, a 125 year tradition

The Caledonia Regional Chamber of Commerce commends the Caledonia Agricultural Society for its overwhelming achievement of longstanding commitment and dedication to our community. A multitude of Caledonia and area individuals for 125 years have staged a high ranking Fair in Ontario to showcase agriculture, product exhibition, entertainment and more.

In the early days of Caledonia Fair, the Grand Trunk train brought the midway and thousands to Caledonia Fair year after year. The Chamber salutes the 125th Caledonia Fair by also recognizing the importance of the Caledonia station and train travel to the early development of Caledonia and its Fair. The Grand Trunk Station restoration, an initiative of the Caledonia Regional Chamber of Commerce, is nearing completion in time for the 125th Caledonia Fair.

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COME TO THE FAIR

A Salute to the 125th Anniversary of Caledonia Fair

Come to the Fair, we want to see you there
We're celebrating by the Grand
Caledonia's alive, our Fair is One Twenty Five
The fairest in the land.

We've got horses, ducks and chickens too, and pigs and cows galore
We've got rabbits, sheep and goats and donkeys, wait, I'll tell you more!
There are rugs and mittens, skirts and dresses, pillows by the score
There are Christmas crafts and quilts you'll find
And yet you ask for more? Well....

Chorus

We have hay and grain and vegetables displayed from door to door
We have fruits and crafts and babies too, how can you ask for more?
Oh the hot dogs, hamburgs, candy floss have smells you can't ignore
Oh, and don't forget the midway, so much fun there is in store.... So

Chorus

There are jugglers, singers, dancers, fiddlers, flowers, photos more
There are cakes and pickles, breads and jams, you cannot ask for more
So come join the celebration, Come please be a part
As we look back over all these years, look forward as we start.... And

Chorus

Lyrics & Music by Pat Hussack

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