Dept. 21A Sunflower Contest

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Mail entries to Columbia County Fair P. O. Box 257 Chatham, NY 12037 ENTRIES & PAYMENT MUST BE POSTMARKED BY AUGUST 20[™], 2024 \$2.50 ENTRY FEE JUDGING <u>SUNDAY</u> AUGUST 25th -starting at 1:00PM

Rules:

- Three sections. Two CLASSES: Youth 12 and under. Adult 13 and older.
- Sunflowers must be home grown.
- Limit of one plant entry, per person, per class
- Sunflower entries must be brought to the Columbia County Fair, (4Corners building)
 Sunday, August 27th all entries will be accepted 1:00-2:00PM, but judging will end at 1:30.
- Winners will be announced at the end of judging.
- Pickup is Monday night at 9PM or Tuesday 9AM-noon Unless arrangements have been made. The Fair Society will dispose of leftovers on Wed.

1. Tallest Sunflower PLANT

Leaves are not necessary, please REMOVE. The tallest (SINGLE HEAD) plant will be measured from the bottom of the stalk (soil line) to the bottom center of the seed head. Cut the plant from the base of the stalk. Only the stalk including Full seed head, if head is disconnected, **it's a disqualification**. **World Record 30'1**"

2. Largest Sunflower HEAD

Heads should be cut from stalks. The measurement will be taken across the sunflower head containing a **FULL** (at least 95%) of seeds. The judges will determine if the sunflower head qualifies, if seeds are missing.

World Record 32 ¼"

World Record 837 flowers

3. MOST Sunflowers on ONE Stalk

Only open/partial open flowers (half or more) count!

Section 1: TALLEST Sunflower	Section 2: Largest HEAD	Section 3: MOST sunflowers
Class A: Adult	Class A: Adult	Class A: Adult
1^{st} \$50.00+rosette	1^{st} \$50.00+rosette	1^{st} \$50.00+rosette
2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon	2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon	2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon
3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon	3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon	3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon
Class B: Youth	Class B: Youth	Class B: Youth
1^{st} \$50.00+rosette	1^{st} \$50.00+rosette	1^{st} \$50.00+rosette
2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon	2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon	2^{nd} \$20.00+ribbon
3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon	3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon	3^{rd} \$5.00+ribbon

The Fair Society is not responsible for lost or damaged entries

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Consult each department for rules of entry

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NOTE: Every possible protection and courtesy will be extended to the exhibitors at the Columbia County Fair. But the board shall not be responsible for the loss of exhibits, animals and equipment in the case of fire, theft, loss or damage from any other cause: and the Society will not assume any liability for personal injury sustained either by the exhibitors, helpers, visitors or guests

Entries & Payment MUST Be Postmarked By August 20th

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Dept.	Section	Class	Article and Description	Entry Fee
x	х	х	for every \$10.00 spent= 1 free admission, max 6	0000