

**DEPARTMENT 16 – CHRISTMAS TREES and WREATHS**

**Country Scenes ... Blue Ribbon Dreams**

**ENTRY FEE: \$1 PER ENTRY**

See general rules and guidelines on Pages 4 & 5.

Use general entry forms on Page 67.

All exhibitors must live in Carbon County or West Penn Township, Schuylkill County. All exhibits must be grown or produced in Carbon County or West Penn Township, Schuylkill County.

**SECTION 1 – CHRISTMAS TREES**

1. Trees to be exhibited shall be within five to seven feet height range measuring from the bottom of the handle to the top of the tip.
2. No trees may be exhibited that have been sprayed with or have artificial color or other chemicals added in any manner.
3. No trees may be exhibited with limbs or foliage added that did not grow naturally in place.
4. Trees may be exhibited as they have grown naturally or they may be sheared and shaped by exhibitor.
5. Each exhibitor is limited to a maximum of three (3) entries in this section.
6. Holders should accompany trees.
7. The tree may be cut or balled.
8. All trees must have a trimmed handle of 5 to 8 inches.

<b>PREMIUMS:</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
	\$50	\$40	\$30

<b>CLASS</b>	10	Concolor Fir
	20	Douglas Fir
	30	Fraser Fir
	40	Balsam/Canaan Fir
	50	Colorado Blue Spruce
	60	White Spruce
	70	All Other Spruces
	80	Any Pine

**Score Card**

<b>Foliage:</b> Fresh, clean, uniform .....	15
<b>Taper:</b> All classes, 40% to 90% .....	10
<b>Density:</b> Uniform medium density is scored highest.....	15
<b>Handle:</b> Well trimmed 5 to 8 inches in length .....	10
<b>Color:</b> Normal .....	10
<b>Naturalness:</b> Not perfectly smooth outside appearance.....	10
<b>Damage or defects:</b> Crooked stem, holes, uneven sides, etc.....	30
<b>PERFECT SCORE</b> .....	<b>100</b>

**Best of Show – Christmas Tree – Rosette**

**SECTION 2 – WREATHS**

Wreaths must be made with greens on a 16 inch frame-any type

<b>PREMIUMS:</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
	\$15	\$14	\$13	\$12	\$11

<b>CLASS</b>	1010	Wreath/Douglas Fir
	1030	Wreath/Fraser Fir
	1050	Wreath/White Pine
	1070	Wreath/Crows Foot
	1080	Wreath/Any Other not listed
	2000	Wreath/Decorated

**SECTION 3 – MISCELLANEOUS**

<b>PREMIUMS:</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
	\$10	\$9	\$8	\$7	\$6

<b>CLASS</b>	100	Fresh Evergreen Box or Log/Decorated (6" wide x 12" length) must be made with greens.
	200	Fresh Evergreen Garland – 10' or more

