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147th Selkirk Triple "S" Fair & Rodeo 2025 Talent Exhibition Book

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Ag Building Selkirk Park Selkirk, Manitoba

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Exhibition Rules

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY! **REGISTRATION DEADLINE**:

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING REGISTRATION FORMS IN PERSON IS JULY 10@7PM ONLINE REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL 9AM ON JULY 10, 2025. LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Fees

Junior and 4-H members memberships are \$2.00.

Adult and senior memberships are \$5.00.

Members are given 6 free exhibits into any of the classes.

Adults are charged an additional \$0.50 each for any exhibits over the complimentary 6.

Youth and 4-H members are not charged for any exhibits over the complimentary 6.

Age levels are as follows: Adult are 16 & up, Junior is 15 & under.

Registration

You must pay membership fee to the St. Andrews - St. Clements Agricultural Society to enter in the Talent Exhibition. Membership forms can be printed or filled out electronically.

Registration forms are required for your exhibits to be accepted. Registration can easily be done online. Fees will be collected at drop off. No late registrations accepted.

Specific times and dates mentioned in this book are subject to change, in which case, changes will be communicated via email.

Online Registration

Online registration opens May 20, 2025 and closes on July 10, 2025 at 9am.

https://www.eventbookings.com/b/event/triple-s-talent-exhibition

Exhibit tags will be emailed to you to print at home. Check your Junk folder if you have not received your tags by the week of the exhibition. If you do not have a printer at home, please indicate this on your online registration form. Provide an active email address when completing your registration.

Mail-In Registration

Send your completed registration forms in advance:

Mail to Ag Society office: St. Andrews-St. Clements Agricultural Society.

Box 101, Selkirk, MB, R1A 2B1, allowing for mail delivery times

Scanned and emailed to homelivingandcrafts@gmail.com until July 10, 2025 at 9am.

Alternatively please bring a paper copy of your completed registration form at drop-off.

Forms can be found at the end of this book or here:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1CIkMCFi7t0ig94eQCzSF5e-6Kzc1NtSI/view?usp=sharing.

In-Person Registration

In-person registration is available on the day of drop-off only on July 10, 2025, from 2pm until 7pm.

Rules about Exhibits

Exhibits must be the work of the exhibitor and completed within the past two years.

Exhibits must not have previously taken a prize at any St. Andrews St Clements Agricultural Society Exhibition. Any article thus recognized will be *disqualified*.

Only 1 exhibit will be allowed per exhibitor in each class. If there is only one exhibit in a class, it will be at the discretion of the Judge whether the exhibit will receive a placement or any prize.

Tags must be attached to exhibits, either before or at drop-off. Tags must be taped, paper clipped, attached with elastic or pinned securely to the item, with the bottom of the tag folded up to the front, covering the name entirely. Do not staple.

Exhibitors are responsible for entering their exhibit in the proper class. Juniors may enter other classes if the class allows. Please note the separate division for Juniors specifically. Choose accordingly.

Before entering, please refer to the rules and judging standards, as well as those listed under their respective divisions. Judging Standards can be found on the website of Manitoba Association of Agricultural Societies. http://www.mbagsocieties.ca/judging-standards.

Any exhibitors wishing to advertise their small business alongside their exhibits is permitted to place business cards or 3x5" printout next to their items, **after** judging is complete. The Ag Society is not responsible for the advertisements.

Exhibit Drop-Off

Exhibits must be delivered to the Ag Building in Selkirk Park on **Thursday**, **July 10**, **2025 between 2:00PM and 7:00PM**. Exhibits not received by 7:00PM will not be judged.

The directors will take every precaution under the circumstances to ensure the safety of exhibits sent to the exhibition, and should property be accidentally damaged, lost or stolen, they will give all the assistance in their power toward recovery of same, but will not accept financial responsibility.

Judging & Prizes

Scoring of points in all classes and sections are as follows:

1st place - 3 points

2nd place -2 point

3rd place - 1 point

Judging Standards can be found on the website of Manitoba Association of Agricultural Societies. http://www.mbagsocieties.ca/judging-standards. The Judges reserve the right to disqualify any article that does not comply with these standards. All winning exhibits will have their tags opened after judging.

Prize money in all divisions and classes are as follows:

1st place - \$3

2nd place - \$2

3rd place - \$1

Additional awards may be available in specific classes.

Judge's decisions are final. Grievances must be made in writing to the Secretary within 7 days after the close of the exhibition. A meeting of the directors will be held, notices of which will be given, to hear and decide any grievances that may have arisen in the awarding of prizes. Any infringement of the rules and regulations will result in the withholding of prizes.

Exhibit Pick Up

Exhibitors are responsible for picking up their own exhibits.

Exhibits may be removed from the Ag Building on **Sunday July 13, 2025 between 6:00PM and 8:00PM**, or **between Monday July 14, 2025 between 4:00PM and 6:00PM**.

Any exhibits not picked up will be discarded or donated. The Ag Society is not responsible for exhibits left after pickup time.

Classes with Sponsored Awards

| Art | Cosplay | Historical & cultural costume design, Fantasy & Sci-Fi costume design | Harlequin Costume |
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| Art | Digital Illustration | Patriotic pets | Selkirk Vet Services |
| Art | Digital Storytelling | Funniest pet video | Canvasback Pets |
| Art | First Nations & Metis | Beading, any article | Selkirk Beads |
| Art | First Nations & Metis | Ribbon skirt | Interlake Salves |
| Art | Glass Craft | Any article | Lake Winnipeg Glassworks |
| Art | Novelty Painting | Animal made art | Selkirk Vet Services |
| Art | Novelty Painting | Barn quilt, large, 6' x 6' | Addie's World of Colour |
| Art | Novelty Painting | Barn quilt, small, 3' x 3' | Addie's World of Colour |
| Art | Other Crafts | Fishing lure | Interlake Salves |
| Art | Painting | One in Division | Artists Emporium |
| Art | Woodcraft | Any woodwork article (Adult & Youth Class) | Lee Valley Tools |
| Culinary | Cakes | Decorated cake, using local berries | Aaron's No Frills |
| Culinary | Cookies | Baked dog biscuit | Huey & Coco |
| Culinary | Cookies | Chocolate chip | Manitoba Egg Farmers |
| Culinary | Dried Fruit/Foods | Fruit leather, any | Mighty Kiwi |
| Culinary | Ferments | Kimchi | Mighty Kiwi |
| Culinary | Jam/Jelly | Any jelly | Tall Grass Prairie Bakery |
| Culinary | Jam/Jelly | Strawberry jam (not freezer) | Crofter's Organic |
| Culinary | Misc. Food Items | Homemade snack, refined sugar free | Mighty Kiwi |
| Culinary | Misc. Food Items | Nanaimo bars | Simply Treats |
| Culinary | Misc. Canned | Flavoured vinegar | Mighty Kiwi |
| Culinary | Pies | Butter tarts | Manitoba Egg Farmers |
| Culinary | Quick Bread | One in Division | Prairie Flour Mills |
| Culinary | Yeast Bread | One in Division | Prairie Flour Mills |

^{*} Indicates sponsored award for this class

Classes with Sponsored Awards

| Land Products | Garden Collection | Victory garden (Adult & Youth Class) | The Flower Child |
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| Land Products | Herbs | Potted herb collection | Awaken Herbs |
| Photography | Color Photo | Fair theme | Don's Photo |
| Photography | Historical | Story about Red River North Heritage | Fidler House Bed & Breakfast |
| Photography | Historical | Historic locations along River Road | St. Andrew's Heritage Centre |
| Plants & Flowers | Artistic Arrangements | Bouquet of flowers, in vase only, Fair theme | Selkirk & District Horticultural Society |
| Plants & Flowers | Artistic Arrangements | Coffee break arrangement | Victoria's Flowers & Gifts |
| Plants & Flowers | Artistic Arrangements | Historic Manitoba wildflowers | Prairie Originals |
| Plants & Flowers | Potted Plants | Patriotic pots | The Flower Child |
| Textile | Bedspreads & Quilts | One in Division | Mook Fabrics |
| Textile | Sewing | Pet article of clothing | Selkirk Vet Services |
| Textile | Unclassified Textiles | Upcycled fabric dog toy | Selkirk Vet Services |

All Grand Champion Awards are donated by the St. Andrews and St. Clements Agricultural Society. These awards will be presented to the Junior and Adult Exhibitor High Point winners compiling the most points overall. They are presented in honour of previous volunteers and supporters that gave so much to the exhibition over the years! We honour you Gloria Stanger, Isabel Jonasson, Margaret Sterzer, Larry Sterzer, and Kenny Buus.

Best of Show is sponsored by the Red River Exhibition.

Art Department

Specific Rules:

All paintings and drawings should be framed or mounted on poster paper, Bristol board, etc.

Identify medium used, e.g., acrylic, pastel, oil, watercolour, etc.

Digital storytelling exhibits must be entered as a video file, via email to homelivingandcrafts@gmail.com.

Digital illustration exhibits must be entered as a printed version provided for display.

Costume Design exhibits may be displayed using mannequins brought by exhibitors or flat on a provided table.

Colouring page options can be found at the back of this book and many other pages are <u>online</u> to choose from. For your exhibit, choose one page from what's available.

Rules for Youth Schoolwork Classes:

Any student may enter a higher-grade class, but not a lower grade. (Exceptions may be made for those requiring accommodations – please contact Talent Exhibition Committee for more info.) Pre-sketching in pencil is allowed on all exhibits unless otherwise stated.

Paper construction exhibits and models must be fastened securely to a base.

Division: Ceramic & China

Class 1. Ceramic, any article

Division: Cosplay & Costume Design

Class 1. Fantasy & Sci-Fi costume design *

- Historical & cultural costume design *
- 3. Handmade props & accessories

Division: Digital Illustration (Originated from blank digital canvas using digital tools)

Class 1. Patriotic pets *

Division: Digital Storytelling (Creative social media post, short video (e.g. Reels, TikTok))

Class 1. Funniest pet *

Division: Drawing (e.g. Charcoal, pastel, pen/ink, pencil)

- Class 1. Animals, wildlife
 - 2. "We are Canadian" theme
 - 3 Floral
 - **4.** Fantasy & Sci-Fi
 - **5.** Culture & heritage
 - 6. Other, not listed

Division: First Nations & Metis

- Class 1. Ribbon skirt *
 - 2. Beading, any article *
 - 3. Other, not listed

Division: Glass (e.g. 3D stained glass, leaded glass/mirror, foiled glass/mirror, etched glass/mirror, hand blown)

Class 1. Glass, any article *

Division: Novelty Painting

Class 1. Barn Quilt, large, 6' x 6' *

- 2. Barn Quilt, small, 3' x 3' *
- 3. Animal Made Art *
- **4.** Painting on Rock
- **5.** Pour 'n' Paint
- 6. Other, not listed

Division: Painting (e.g. Watercolor, acrylic, oil, encaustic)

Class 1. Animals, wildlife *

- 2. "We are Canadian" theme *
- 3. Floral *
- 4. Fantasy & Sci-Fi *
- 5. Culture & heritage *
- **6.** Other, not listed *

Division: Paper Crafts

Class 1. Greeting card, any occasion

- **2.** Journal
- **3.** Origami
- 4. Paper quilling
- 5. Scrapbook page
- **6.** Other, not listed

Division: Seasonal

Class 1. Ornament, < 4"

- 2. Wall hanging, wreath
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Woodworking (e.g. Walking sticks, wood burning, wood turning, power tool carving, hand carving, toy, vehicle)

Class 1. Woodwork, any article *

Division: Youth

Class 1. Any schoolwork, elementary

- **2.** Any schoolwork, junior high
- 3 Any schoolwork, high school
- **4.** Craft foam, pom pom
- 5. Building blocks, any type, original, own design
- **6.** Science fair project
- 7. Heritage fair project
- 8. Other, not listed

Division: Misc. Art

Sharp objects must be properly protected!

Class 1. Air dry clay

- 2. Any upcycled or repurposed article
- 3 Artificial flower arrangement
- **4.** Diamond painting
- 5. Diorama/model
- **6.** "We are Canadian" theme colouring page (mixed media) (from book or online)
- **7.** "We are Canadian" theme colouring page (pencil crayons, crayons, oil pastels, markers) (from book or online)
- 8. Fimo-like clay
- 9. Fishing lure *
- 10. Painted acrylic sun catcher
- 11. Traditional & heritage craft, any type

Culinary Department

Specific Rules:

Exhibits must be exhibitor's own work and made from scratch.

Cakes must be removed from their containers.

Baking must be enclosed in clear plastic bags or clear containers.

No plastic wrap or cupcake liners.

Canning & Preserving Divisions Rules:

Jars must be labeled with contents. Labels should be placed on the side of the jar, including year produced. Attach tags with rubber bands.

All exhibits must be made in proper preserving jars, sealed. Canned items must have screw-on ring top. No paraffin wax.

All canned goods entered must be prepared using proper canning practices. Water bath canning is required for high-acid foods, and pressure canning is required for low-acid foods. Oven canned items will not be accepted.

Jars will be opened for judging.

Division: Cakes

Class 1. "We are Canadian" theme, any shape, any type

- **2.** Frosted vanilla cupcakes (2 count)
- 3. Decorated cake, using Canadian berries *
- **4.** Other, not listed, frosted
- **5.** Other, not listed, not frosted

Division: Cookies (4 count)

Class 1. Chocolate chip *

- 2. No bake
- 3. Shortbread
- 4. Sugar
- 5. Baked dog biscuit *
- 6. Other, not listed

Division: Dried Fruits/Foods

Class 1. Fruit leather, any type *

Division: Ferments

Class 1. Kimchi *

Division: Pies (Whole pie)

Class 1. Apple, 2 crust

- 2. Cream
- **3.** Lemon meringue
- 4. Manitoba grown fruit
- 5. Butter tarts, no nuts or seeds *

Division: Quick Breads (1/2 loaf, 2 muffins/biscuits)

- Class 1. Banana loaf *
 - 2. Lemon loaf *
 - 3. Other loaf, not listed *
 - **4.** Fruit muffin *
 - 5. Other muffin, not listed *
 - 6. Bannock *
 - 7. Gluten free *
 - 8. Any biscuit *

Division: Yeast Breads (1 loaf, 2 handhelds)

Class 1. Any yeast bread *

- 2. Any yeast handhelds (e.g. rolls, buns, pretzel)*
- 3. Any sweet yeast bread/handhelds (e.g. rolls, buns, donuts) *
- **4.** Sourdough *
- 5. Gluten free *

Division: Misc. Food Items

Class 1. Fusion baking

- **2.** Global cuisine dish
- 3. Homemade snack, refined sugar free *
- 4. Nanaimo bars *

Division: Processed Vegetables

Class 1. String beans

2. Other, not listed

Division: Misc. Canned Items

Class 1. Flavoured vinegar *

2. Syrup, any fruit

Division: Jam/Jelly

Class 1. Strawberry jam, not freezer *

- 2. Raspberry jam, not freezer
- 3. Saskatoon jam
- 4. Pineapple jam
- 5. Other jam, not listed
- 6. Grape jelly *
- 7. Crab apple jelly *
- 8. Savoury jelly *
- **9.** Other jelly, not listed *

Division: Pickles/Relishes

Class 1. Dill cucumber, whole or spears

- 2. Sweet cucumber, chink or sliced
- 3. Pickled beans
- 4. Beet pickles
- 5. Other pickle, not listed
- 6. Cucumber relish
- 7. Any other relish, not listed

Land Products Department

Specific Rules:

Exhibits must have been grown by the exhibitor in this current year. Arrange exhibits on shallow containers so that all are visible. Attach tag securely. Do not use plastic wrap.

Division: Fruits & Berries

Class 1. Any berry, 4 count

- **2.** Any stone fruit, 1 count
- 3. Other fruit, not listed

Division: Vegetables

Class 1. Rhubarb, 2 stalks

- 2. Tomato, any heirloom, 1 count
- 3. Summer squash, any variety, 1 count
- 4. Root vegetable, any variety, 1 count
- 5. Other vegetable, not listed

Division: Large Specimens (1 count)

Class 1. Potato

- 2. Pumpkin
- 3. Tomato

Division: Herbs (Culinary, functional)

Class 1. Any culinary herb collection, min 3 varieties with names

2. Any functional herb collection, min 3 varieties with names *

Division: Garden Collection

Class 1. "Best Dressed Scarecrow"- exhibitor's choice

2. Victory Garden, 5-8 count, any garden harvest items *

Division: Misc. Land Product

Class 1. Soap, not from kit, single bar

- **2.** Eggs, any variety, 2 count
- 3. Land Freaks & Oddities, up to 3 count

Photography Department

Specific Rules:

Photos must be taken by the exhibitor.

The same photo cannot be resized and entered into a different class.

Division: Black & White

Class 1. Open, any subject

Division: Historical

Class 1. Any subject, story to tell about Red River North Heritage *

2. Historic locations along River Road *

Division: Colour

Class 1. "We are Canadian" theme *

- 2. Scenic
- 3. Agriculture
- 4. Animals, wildlife
- **5.** Any family
- **6.** Any subject, story to tell
- **7.** Close up birds
- 8. Close up flower in bloom
- **9.** Close up nature
- 10. Drone image

Plants & Flowers Department

Specific Rules:

Due to moisture conditions, tags must be attached with pins or rubber bands; not tape. Please include plant names where possible.

All bouquets/arrangements should be made using fresh flowers unless otherwise specified.

Division: Cut Flowers

Class 1. Shrub rose, one spray

- 2. Lily, 1 spike (no day lilies)
- 3. Annuals, not listed, 1 stem

Division: Indoor Potted Plants

Class 1. Cactus

- 2. Succulents, any variety
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Outdoor Potted Plants

Class 1. Patriotic Pots, any mixed variety, "We are Canadian" theme *

- 2. Succulents, any variety
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Artistic Arrangement

Class 1. Bouquet of flowers, in vase only, "We are Canadian" theme *

- 2. Coffee Break, in a coffee mug-view from all sides, "We are Canadian" theme *
- 3. Historic Manitoba wildflower bouquet using garden grown native plants *

Textiles Department

Specific Rules:

Exhibits must be exhibitor's own work.

Exhibits must be clean.

Division: Bedspreads & Quilts (at least 60" x 70")

Class 1. First quilt *

- 2. Historical & cultural stories *
- 3. Iconic Canadian symbols *
- 4. Traditional Canadian blocks (e.g. Hudson's Bay, log cabin, red & white) *

Division: Crochet

Class 1. Stuffed animal

- 2. Any garment
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Knit

Class 1. Hat, tam, or toque

- 2. Any garment
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Sewing

Class 1. Sewn bazaar item (No more than 1 meter of material)

- 2. Pet article of clothing *
- 3. Other, not listed

Division: Household

Class

- **1.** Apron, party or service
- 2. Place mats, set of 2
- 3. Any upcycled article

Division: Misc. Textiles

Class

- 1. Traditional & heritage embroidery
- 2. Any creative rug or rug craft
- **3.** Felt applique article (e.g. stocking, mini pillow)
- **4.** Hand quilted article (not quilt)
- 5. Upcycled fabric dog toy *
- **6.** Visible mending article

4-H Department

Specific Rules:

Exhibits must be from the current 4-H year.

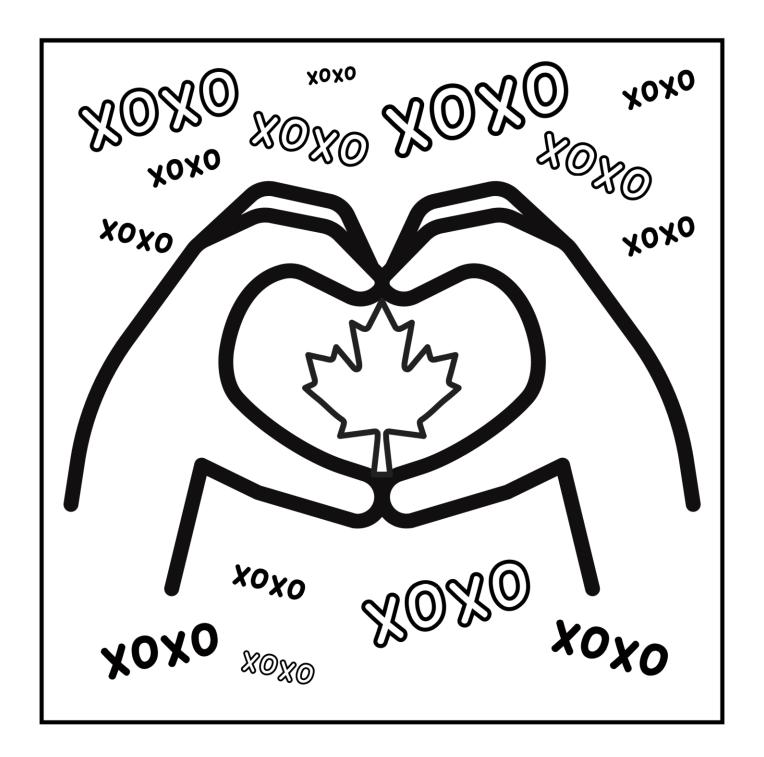
Division: Multipurpose Or Animal Project

Class

- 1. Project showcase display
- 2. Elected officer book
- 3. Project book



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Talent Exhibition Registration Name Mailing Address **Email Address** Phone Age as of Jan 1, 2025 Required for Juniors As the exhibitor registering in this exhibition, I hereby certify that exhibits made hereunder are made Disclaimer in accordance with the Rules and Regulations as published in the 2025 Talent Exhibition Book, and further agree to be governed in all causes by the Rules and Regulations. Signature If Other, Not Listed, Dropped Division Class Picked Fee Results Description Off e.g. Crochet 1 6 Watercolour landscape e.g. Painting Free Free Free Free Free Free

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^{*} Indicates sponsored award for this class

| Division | Class | If Other, Not Listed, Description | Dropped Off | Picked <u>Up</u> | Fee | Results |
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