

**GENERAL REGULATIONS
APPLICABLE TO EXHIBITORS OF ALL DIVISIONS
62nd ANNUAL MOHAVE COUNTY FAIR
SEPTEMBER 11 - 14, 2008**

1. The Fair Committee will take every precaution to ensure proper care and protection of exhibits, however we will not accept responsibility for loss or damage to any exhibit.
2. Due to computerization of entries Pre-registration required in ALL Divisions.
3. **Each exhibitor will receive 1 Free Ticket to enter the Fair. (Exceptions Livestock / 4-H / FFA) exhibitors, who receive enough for tending their animals.**
4. ALL exhibits (except animals) to be left in place until Tuesday, Sept. 16, 2008, 4pm -8pm. See your animal's department for release times.
5. Due to limited exhibit space each department has restrictions on the # of entries each exhibitor may submit. Please follow each of the division rules regarding limitations.
6. Exhibitors must be a resident of Mohave County, or the invited areas of Parker, Needles, Laughlin, Seligman, or Supai.
7. **Only items listed in the Premium Book will be accepted for exhibit in all divisions.**
8. Entries must NOT have been entered in any previous M.C. Fair. Exception being 'Collections' - see that department for qualifications.
9. All entries must be the product of the submitting Exhibitor. It is the desire & intent of the M.C.Fair Committee to accept all entries in good faith.
It is not a learning experience, especially for a child, if a parent or other adult does the work and enters it in a child's name.
IF you have a craft that was given to you as a gift, and you feel it is a 'winner', you may enter it in the name of the person who made it
10. Exhibitors are encouraged to comply with the Special rules in each Division and their departments to avoid being disqualified.
11. By submitting an entry the exhibitor agrees to accept these regulations & any rules pertaining to the Division & department they choose to enter.
12. All exhibitors are responsible for transporting exhibits to and from check-in area.
13. M.C. Fair Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry deemed unfit or objectionable.
14. **ONLY ASSIST DOGS ARE ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.** Dogs participating in an event can only be in that event area, & must enter in a container or on a leash; & must leave the Fairgrounds immediately after the event.

PREMIUMS

Checks will be mailed to Exhibitors.

EXHIBIT JUDGING

1. All Judges are to be certified and/or highly qualified for the their area of responsibility.
2. The judges shall read carefully the general regulations, division rules and all special rules under the heading of the department in which they are responsible.
3. Judges shall adhere to the criteria required by their division. Judges MUST NOT award prizes to an unworthy exhibit. It is the intention of the Fair Committee that no

premium of distinction of any kind shall be given to any animal or article that does not meet the criteria. This rule MUST be strictly adhered to; Whether or not there is competition within that lot. See each division for the criteria required.

4. Ignorance of rules is inexcusable for a judge.
5. For judging Proposes, Superintendents reserve the right to combine or separate similar classes and lots depending on the amount of entries.
6. Decisions of the judges are final in all cases, except where mistake, fraud, misrepresentation or collusion, not discovered at the time of award, is apparent. In such cases the judge may make a re-decision or with the judges approval, the matter may be referred to the M.C. Fair Committee or their representative, from whose decision there is no appeal.

ENTRY FORMS

All Divisions require Pre-registration.

Any questions, call the superintendent of that Division's department.

Submission of Entry FORMS for Open Exhibit & Livestock

Divisions: Mail them to or bring them to the

Mohave County Fairgrounds

2600 Fairgrounds Blvd.

Kingman AZ 86401

FAX forms to: 928-753-8383

Open Exhibits -

Official entry forms are due by midnight on **Aug 15th 2008** to the Fairgrounds office. Forms for this division are located on page 13, of this Premium Book, also at www.mcfairgrounds.org

Forms for all animal departments are located in the Fair Premium Book behind each department also at www.MCFairgrounds.org, and should be postmarked or on file in the Fairgrounds office no later than the **specified date** for that department.

Open Livestock -

Official entry forms are **due August 24th 2008 by 5p.m.** Entry forms are on page 49, and online.

Horse and Gymkhana -

Official entry forms are **due September 8, 2008 by 5p.m.** Entry forms are on page 61, and online.

Dog Show -

Official entry forms are **due September 1, 2008 by 5p.m.** Entry forms are on page 63, and online.

4-H & FFA DIVISION - All entry FORMS due

August 15, 2008.

Send entry forms to:

Mohave County Cooperative Extension

101 E. Beale St, Suite A

Kingman, AZ 86401