Alameda County Fair
2019 Competitive Exhibits
ENTER YOUR BEST

Make, Take, Grow or Show It!
Enter by **April 24, 2019**

**Pleasanton, Calif.** -- Whatever your hobby, passion or distraction, there’s likely a contest for it at the Alameda County Fair. Crafty types of all ages and ability levels are encouraged to enter their best work in any of the Fair’s many youth or adult competitions.

Contest categories include Culinary Arts, Fiber Arts, Garden & Floral, Handcrafts, Hobby Collections and Science & Technology.

Popular categories:
- Baking
- Cake/Cupcake Decorating
- Ceramics
- Crochet/Knit
- Decorative Doors
- Dolls
- Garden & Produce
- Homebrew
- Hobby Collections
- Flowers/Herbs
- Floral Arrangements
- Jams/Salsas
- Jewelry Making
- Livestock
- Metal Work
- Needlework
- Fine Art
- Photography
- Pinewood Derby
- Poetry
- Quilting
- Scrapbooking
- Sculptures
- Sewing
- Small Animals
- Stained Glass
- Table decoration
- Wine (amateur & commercial)
- Woodworking
- Wool & Fleece Show
- Wood Carving

Youth contests also include categories for school projects and performing arts. Visit [annual.alamedacountyfair.com](http://annual.alamedacountyfair.com) for more information.
The Fair also offers a variety of contests for specialized talents including:

- Classic Treats Made From Scratch
- Duct Tape Art
- Dutch Oven Cooking Contest
- Egg Carton Art
- Bling Something
- Origami
- Repurpose or Recycle It!
- Shoe Box Float
- Beef is King
- Mystery Cookie
- Many more

Divisions accommodate all ages and ability levels, including physically and/or mentally challenged.

The Fair also offers a variety of fun daily contests for all ages:

- Diaper Derby (babies)
- Food Eating Contest (daily)
- Photo at the Fair
- Poems at the Fair
- Plein Air Painting
- On the Spot Salsa Contest
- Soap Carving (youth)
- Cocktail Fest Hat Contest (adult)
- National Anthem singers (selected in advance, must submit video)

For a complete list of contests, entry information & rules, visit: annual.alameda countyfair.com

The deadline for most entries is **Wednesday, April 24, 2019**. Please check the entry guide books for entry and delivery dates.

Some competitions are judged in advance of the Fair and require earlier entry deadlines including wine, homebrew, and national anthem. Visit website for details.

For more information including schedules, Discount Days and concert & special event ticket info, visit the Fair’s website at www.alamedacountyfair.com. Facebook, Instagram and Twitter offer additional information, previews, updates, contests and giveaways.