

Division 16 – HONEY

Chairperson: John Magdanz

2019 Exhibition Theme: “Milk & Cookies”

2019 Colour Challenge: Black & White

Entry Fee: \$1 per entry

Register between July 15th and August 30th. Last day to register: Friday, August 30th, by 5 pm.

Delivery of Exhibits: Please bring all Honey exhibits to Mellor Hall on Thursday, Sept. 5th between 10 am and 5:30 pm. They must be in place by 6 pm for judging.

Pick Up of Exhibits: Sunday, Sept. 8th – after 4 pm. If unable to collect your exhibit(s) by 6 pm, come the following week. The Exhibition is open Monday to Friday, from 9 am to 5 pm.

Prize Money: 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$3, 3rd - ribbon only. Pick up prize money and special awards from the Office during the week of Sept. 23rd to 27th – 9 am to 5 pm.

Rules:

- Only one exhibit per person allowed in any one class.
- All exhibits of honey and wax (except creamed honey) must be the current year’s production.
- Classes 1, 2, 3, 7, 10 and 13 - honey to be placed in clear cylindrical 375ml glass jars.
- No black foundation in frames of honey.
- All frames of honey and all blocks of beeswax must be wrapped in plastic wrap.
- Comb honey must be wrapped in plastic wrap or presented in Ross round containers.
- In judging, the Honey standard for color will be based on the Dominion of Canada Classifier.
- Exhibits judged according to the National Score Card.
- After judging, a 3” x 5” white card with exhibitor’s name & address (in black) may be set on the exhibit.
- Exhibitor’s may purchase a 3-day pass for \$17. The regular gate fee for adults is \$10 to \$12 per day.

LIQUID HONEY SCORECARD (Classes 1, 2 and 3)

• Appearance and uniformity of containers	5
• Uniform level of fill	5
• Colour	5
• Freedom from crystals	15
• Freedom from foreign material	15
• Freedom from air bubbles either in suspension or as froth	15
• Uniformity of honey	5
• Brightness	10
• Flavor and aroma	10
• Density	15
Total Points	100

DISPLAY SCORECARD (Class 12)

• Educational value	30
• Quality	20
• Variety of products	20
• Attractiveness	30
Total Points	100

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SPECIAL AWARDS:

B.C. Honey Producers’ Association Perpetual Trophy
(Cowichan District)

For Best Liquid Honey in Show

Cowichan Beekeepers Perpetual Trophy

For Grand Aggregate points

Albert Cole Memorial Tray - For Best Frame of Honey

John Viczko Trophy - For Grand Aggregate Novice

Bert Mitchell Award - For Best Novice Honey

Section 1: Honey and Products

Class

- Honey – white, three 375ml jars (rule c). **Special prize: \$25 donated by Lindahl Farms.**
- Honey – golden, three 375ml jars (rule c).
- Honey – amber, three 375ml jars (rule c).
- Frame of honey – shallow or dadant (no black foundation).
- Foundationless frame of honey – shallow or dadant.
- Frame of honey – deep (no black foundation). **Special prize: \$20 donated by Cowichan Beekeepers Club.**
- Honey – chunk, three 375ml jars (rule c).
- Honey in comb – 3 sections.
- Bees Wax – one block, not less than 1 lb. **Special prize: \$25 donated by Bee Haven Farm.**
- Novice class – honey, three 375ml jars (rule c). **Special prize: \$25 donated by Hardie Honey.**
- Observation Hive – 1 or 2 frames, with all stages of brood, sufficient stores, marked Queen, and drones.
- Display – 25 lb. of honey plus other hive products, must be attractive & educational (max. 24” x 24”). **Special prize: \$50 donated by Flying Dutchman.**
- Creamed honey – three 375ml jars (rule c).

Section 2: Mead (Honey Wine)

Each entry to consist of two 750ml bottles (1 for judging and 1 for display).

Class

- Dry mead
- Sweet mead
- Dry fruit mead
- Sweet fruit mead
- Sparkling mead