



A One-Day Celebration
of Old-Fashioned Community

Saturday, September 12, 2026

Rossland Arena

Doors open from 11 am to 5 pm

We acknowledge and respect that we live, work, and play on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territory of the sngaytskstx (Sinixt) People and honour all other Indigenous people who walked on and cared for these lands before us and continue to do so.

Section 100 - Children's Entries

Children under the age of 16 at the time of the Rossland Fall Fair are eligible to exhibit their work. No pre-made kits please.

Art Work: Entries must have been completed within the past 12 months, be mounted to a size not greater than 15"x18" and be the work of the exhibitor. Entries will be judged on age-appropriate presentation, craftsmanship and creativity. **No AI Images**

Baking: Entries must be displayed on white paper/plastic plates and wrapped in clear plastic.

A - Ages 6 & Under

- 101 Drawing - Any Medium
- 102 Collage - Any Medium
- 103 Decorated Rock
- 104 Cut & Paste Art
- 105 Collection (displayed on ridged base or in a box 30 x 30cm)
- 106 Moss or Fairy Garden
- 107 Lego - displayed on a rigid base size restriction 60 x 60cm (no kits)
- 108 Article made from odds & ends
- 109 Plasticine or Clay Creations
- 110 Cookies 4, any variety baked with a family member. Please include photo.
- 111 Fruit & Veggie Critter - any fruit or vegetable (need not be home grown) carved or decorated into an imaginative critter. (Displayed on a rigid base 30 x 30cm)
- 112 Other - not listed

B - Ages 7 - 9 Years

- 113 Drawing - Any medium
- 114 Painting - Watercolour, Oil or Acrylic
- 115 Collage - Any medium
- 116 Cartoon Drawing (must be original)
- 117 Cookies - 4 of any one variety on a plate
- 118 Jewellery - any medium
- 119 Mask
- 120 Moss or Fairy Garden
- 121 Pottery Piece
- 122 Lego - displayed on a rigid base size restriction 60 x 60cm (no kits)
- 123 Collection (displayed on ridged base or in a box 30 x 30cm)
- 124 Article made from odds & ends
- 125 Any sewn item - machine or hand
- 126 Fruit & Veggie Critter - any fruit or vegetable (need not be home grown) carved or decorated into an imaginative critter. (Displayed on a rigid base 30 x 30cm)
- 127 Other - not listed

C - Ages 10 - 12 Years

- 128 Drawing - Any medium
- 129 Painting - Watercolour, Oil or Acrylic
- 130 Mask
- 131 Cartoon Drawing (must be original)
- 132 Fudge - 4 pieces cut into one inch squares
- 133 Cookies - 4 of any one variety
- 134 Any other item of home baking
- 135 Decorated Cake
- 136 Woodworking, any item
- 137 Pottery Piece
- 138 Lego - displayed on a rigid base size restriction 60 x 60cm (no kits)
- 139 Article made from odds & ends
- 140 Jewellery - any medium
- 141 Collection (displayed on ridged base or in a box 30 x 30cm)
- 142 Any sewn item - machine or hand

- 143 Fruit & Veggie Critter - any fruit or vegetable (need not be home grown) carved or decorated into an imaginative critter. (Displayed on a rigid base 30 x 30cm)
- 144 Other - not listed

D - Ages 13 - 16 Years

- 145 Drawing - Any medium
- 146 Painting - Watercolour, Oil or Acrylic
- 147 Cartoon Drawing (must be original)
- 148 Pottery - Wheel thrown or hand built
- 149 Baking - Any item
- 150 Collection (displayed on ridged base or in a box 30 x 30cm)
- 151 Jewellery - any medium
- 152 Digital Art (Not AI Generated)
- 153 3-D Printing - any item
- 154 Woodworking - any item
- 155 Metal Work - any item
- 156 Other - not listed

Section 200 - Flowers

Flowers and plants **MUST** be grown by the exhibitor. Cut flowers must be presented in a **clear (uncoloured) glass container**. Entries will be judged on the basis of presentation and quality of plant material. **Be aware of the number requirements in each category.**

A - Potted Plants

- 201 Cacti and/or Succulent - 3 or more kinds, 1 container
- 202 Any house plant - flowering or non-flowering
- 203 Hanging Basket - Mixed
- 204 Indoor/Outdoor Planter - not to exceed 18" any direction (including planter height)
- 205 Geranium - 1 plant
- 206 Begonia - 1 plant

B - Cut Flowers

- 207 Aster - 6 blooms any variety
- 208 Begonia - Best single bloom
- 209 Dahlia - 6 blooms
- 210 Dahlia - Best individual bloom
- 211 Daisies - 6 blooms
- 212 Gladiolus - 1 or 2 spikes, bottom flower removed
- 213 Marigolds - 6 blooms, large or small
- 214 Pansies - 6 blooms
- 215 Petunias - Single or double ruffled, 6 blooms
- 216 Rose - best individual bloom
- 217 Snap Dragons - 6 spikes
- 218 Sweet Peas - 6 or more stems
- 219 Zinnia - Large or small, 6 blooms
- 220 Mixed Annuals - 8 or more varieties
- 221 Sunflower - largest head
- 222 Other - not listed

C - Decorative Arrangements

Arrangements of fresh cut, dried, weathered or treated material in a container. No artificial flowers or foliage. Maximum space for exhibit is 24" wide, 20" deep. Backdrop material may be added. Judged on artistic merit and quality of plant material.

- 223 Memories of Yesteryear: Design incorporating an item of 50+ years ago
- 224 Harvest Plenty: Buffet table arrangement that may include fruits & vegetables in addition to floral materials.
- 225 Spirit of the Kootenay's: Must use native plants to showcase our beautiful local area.
- 226 Monochromatic arrangement using 1 colour only, including container or planter

Section 300 - Fruits & Vegetables

Entries must be displayed on white paper or plastic plates

A - Vegetables

All varieties must be grown by the exhibitor. Entries should be washed, and outer leaves removed. Tops and roots on root vegetables **trimmed to two inches**. Stems on tomatoes should be left intact. Judged on uniformity, size, colour, form, free from blemishes, condition and quality. **Be aware of the number requirements in each category.**

- 301 Beans - any bush variety, 6 pods
- 302 Beans - any pole variety, 6 pods
- 303 Beets any variety - 6 beets
- 304 Cabbage - any variety - 1 head
- 305 Carrots - 6 carrots
- 306 Corn - Table, 3 cobs, husks removed
- 307 Cucumbers - 2 cukes
- 308 Cucumbers - pickling, 4 cukes
- 309 Garlic - 2 heads
- 310 Peppers - sweet, any variety, 2 peppers
- 311 Peppers - hot, any variety, 2 peppers
- 312 Herb - 1 bunch, 1 variety, tied or in a clear glass container with water
- 313 Onions - green, 6 onions tied in a bunch
- 314 Onions - minimum 3" diameter, 4 onions
- 315 Potatoes - red/white, 4, any variety
- 316 Pumpkin - 1
- 317 Large Pumpkin - largest by circumference
- 318 Swiss Chard - 6 leaves, may be displayed in clear glass container/vase
- 319 Kale - any variety, 6 leaves, may be displayed in clear glass container/vase
- 320 Squash - winter - 1 squash
- 321 Tomatoes - green - 4 tomatoes
- 322 Tomatoes - red - 4 tomatoes
- 323 Tomatoes Cherry - 6 tomatoes
- 324 Tomatoes - any other variety - 4 tomatoes
- 325 Turnip - 1 rutabaga or Swede
- 326 Collection of Vegetables - 6 varieties
- 327 Any other vegetable not listed - 1 vegetable

B - Fruit

All entries must be grown by the exhibitor. **Stems must be left intact**. Judged on uniformity of size, colour, form, free from blemishes, condition and quality. **Be aware of the number requirements in each category.**

- 328 Apples - 4, any variety
- 329 Crabapples - 6, any variety
- 330 Pears - 4, any variety
- 331 Plums - 4, any variety
- 332 Any other tree fruit - 4 fruits
- 333 Blackberries - 6 berries
- 334 Blueberries - 6 berries
- 335 Raspberries - 6 berries
- 336 Strawberries - 6 berries
- 337 Rhubarb any variety - 6 stalks, leaves off
- 338 Grapes, light / dark skinned, outdoor grown, 3 bunches, one variety
- 339 Any other variety of small fruit - 4 fruits
- 340 Collection of fruits - 6 varieties
- 341 Basket - Home grown, mixed fruit and vegetables

C - Zucchini on Parade

Judged on presentation, craftsmanship and creativity. Recipes for baked goods are optional. **Be aware of the number requirements in each category.**

- 343 Smallest
- 344 Longest
- 345 Biggest in diameter
- 346 Most unusual shape
- 347 Zucchini Loaf or Bread
- 348 Zucchini Cookies - 4 on a plate
- 349 Zucchini Muffins - 4 on a plate
- 350 Zucchini Pickles or Relish
- 351 Any other Zucchini entry

D - Zucchini Grand Prix

- 352 Zucchini vehicle must be made of a single zucchini. Vehicle must be less than 25cm (10 in) in width including wheels and decorations (to fit on track). At least one axle must pass through the zucchini (e.g. dowel with spinning wheels is acceptable, a zucchini strapped to a skateboard or a toy is not). Vehicle must be gravity-powered. Will be judged on creativity and speed.

Section 400 - Breads & Muffins

Entries must be displayed on white paper/plastic plates and wrapped in clear plastic. Entries **must not** be made with mixes. Recipes optional. Judged on crust, size, crumb-texture, moisture, colour, lightness, flavour and odour.

A - Bread / Loaves (1 loaf, large or small)

- 401 White Bread
- 402 Whole Wheat/Multi-Grain Bread
- 403 Sourdough Bread
- 404 Rye Bread
- 405 Raisin Bread
- 406 Gluten or Yeast Free Bread
- 407 Lemon or Orange Loaf
- 408 Banana Loaf
- 409 Pumpkin Loaf
- 410 Any other bread or loaf

B - Buns (4 baked together)

- 411 White Buns
- 412 Whole Wheat Buns
- 413 Cinnamon Buns
- 414 Any other buns

C - Muffins (4 on a plate)

- 415 Banana Muffins
- 416 Blueberry Muffins
- 417 Chocolate Muffins
- 418 Bran Muffins
- 419 Any other muffins

D - Other Bread (4 on a plate)

- 420 Baking Powder Biscuits
- 421 Scones

Section 500 - Home Baking - Desserts

Entries must be displayed on white paper or plastic plates and wrapped in clear plastic. Entries **must not** be made with mixes. Judged on crust, size, crumb-texture, moisture, colour, lightness, flavour and odour.

A - Cakes & Squares

- 501 Chocolate Cake - Butter icing
- 502 Carrot Cake - Cream cheese icing
- 503 White Cake - White icing
- 504 Brownies - 4 on a plate, iced
- 505 Granola Bars - 4 on a plate
- 506 Any other Squares - 4 on a plate
- 507 Any other cake
- 508 Best Lunch Box Snack

509 Vegan Cake or Square -

***Must include Recipe with entry**

B - Pies & Tarts

- 510 Apple Pie - Single or Double crust
- 511 Huckleberry Pie - Lattice or Crumb top
- 512 Rhubarb Pie
- 513 Any other Pie
- 514 Any Tarts - 3 on a plate

C - Cookies & Candy

- 515 Sugar Cookies - 4
- 516 Chocolate Chip Cookies - 4
- 517 Molasses Cookies - 4
- 518 Oatmeal Cookies - 4
- 519 Peanut Butter Cookies - 4
- 520 Shortbread
- 521 Assorted Cookies - 2 each of drop, roll, square
- 522 Any Cookie not listed
- 523 Homemade Fudge - 4 pieces, any variety
- 524 Any other homemade chocolates or candy
- 525 Gluten Free - any variety - 4

D - Family Recipe

- 526 Any baking item (4 on plate) that showcases your family history. Include a small printed write up (under 150 words) about why this recipe is important to you, your family or the story behind it.

Section 600 - Canning & Preserving

One jar of each must be **labelled, dated and sealed**. Screw bands and lids must be clean and rust free, seals must not be broken. All entries must be current year or one year previous. Entries not meeting these requirements will not be judged. Judging is based on appearance, colour and clearness. Jars will NOT be opened.

A - Fruits

- 601 Cherries (dark or light)
- 602 Peaches
- 603 Pears
- 604 Plums
- 605 Raspberries
- 606 Collection of any 3 fruits
- 607 Applesauce
- 608 Any other fruit

B - Vegetables

- 609 Beans - Any Variety
- 610 Beets
- 611 Carrots
- 612 Tomatoes
- 613 Any other vegetable

C - Pickles & Relishes

- 614 Pickled Asparagus
- 615 Pickled Beets
- 616 Pickled Carrots
- 617 Pickled Cucumbers - Dilled
- 618 Pickled Onions
- 619 Bread & Butter Pickles
- 620 Mustard Pickles
- 621 Sweet Mixed Pickles
- 622 Antipasto
- 623 Chili Sauce
- 624 Salsa
- 625 Flavoured Vinegar - Any variety, corked bottle
- 626 Any relish
- 627 Collection - Any 3 pickles and/or relish
- 628 Any other Pickles

Section 700 - Jams & Jellies

One jar of each must be **labelled, dated and sealed**. Screw bands and lids must be clean and rust free, seals must not be broken. All entries must be current year or one year previous. Entries not meeting these requirements will not be judged. Judging is based on appearance, colour and clearness. All entries must be current year or one year previous. Jars will NOT be opened.

A - Jam

- 701 Apricot Jam
- 702 Blueberry Jam
- 703 Huckleberry Jam
- 704 Peach Jam
- 705 Pear Jam
- 706 Plum Jam
- 707 Raspberry Jam
- 708 Strawberry Jam
- 709 Any Marmalade
- 710 Any Jam not listed
- 711 Collection - Any 3 jams/marmalade

B - Jelly

- 712 Apple Jelly
- 713 Crabapple Jelly
- 714 Elderberry Jelly
- 715 Grape Jelly
- 716 Mint Jelly
- 717 Raspberry Jelly
- 718 Red Currant Jelly
- 719 Pepper Jelly
- 720 Jalapeno Jelly
- 721 Any Jelly not listed
- 722 Collection - Any 3 jellies

Section 800 - Adult Arts & Crafts

Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and not a professional. Must be ready for display or hanging. Judged on presentation, craftsmanship and creativity. Size must not exceed 60 x 60cm. **Any articles must be clean.** No AI generated images.

A - Traditional

- 801 Sketch - charcoal, ink or pencil
- 802 Painting - watercolour, oil or acrylic
- 803 Hand painted fabric - any medium
- 804 Ceramic or Pottery Piece
- 805 Jewellery - any item
- 806 Leathercraft - any piece
- 807 Felting - any piece
- 808 Macramé - any piece
- 809 Stained Glass - any piece
- 810 Lego - displayed on ridged base, size restriction 60 x 60 cm. No kits.
- 811 Collection (pins, spoons, ski passes etc) - must have 12 or more
- 812 Any other craft

B - Green Art - Using any recycled material

Entries must use all recycled materials. This can include glass, fabric, cardboard, metal, tin, plastic, cork, paper or natural materials. Items can be flat or 3D.

- 813 Paper Art - item using only paper, cardboard or tissue.
- 814 Natural Art - item made from natural materials (ie. driftwood, moss)
- 815 Plastic Only Art - item using only bottles or plastic bags
- 816 Mixed Media - using a mix of any recycled material
- 817 Any other item

Section 900 - Photography

All photographs must have been taken by the exhibitor and will not be the work of a professional photographer. Prints can be 4" x 6" or 5" x 7". Exhibits will be judged on composition, quality, and artistic merit. No AI generated images.

A - Junior Photographers (16 and Under) Colour Photographs (One PER category)

- 901 Landscapes
- 902 Portraits
- 903 Pets and animals
- 904 Small town life
- 905 Family and Friends
- 906 Water
- 907 Nightscapes
- 908 Digitally manipulated image (no AI)
- 909 Other not listed
- 910 Collection - 4 to 8 photos of a related subject.
Colour or black and white.

B - Adults

Colour Photographs (One PER category)

- 911 Landscape/Water/Flowers
- 912 Portraits
- 913 Pets
- 914 World Photo Journey
- 915 Family and Friends
- 916 Reflections
- 917 Sunrise/Sunset
- 918 Night Illuminations
- 919 Animals or birds
- 920 Action shots
- 921 Aerial or Drone shots
- 922 Architecture
- 923 Digitally manipulated image (no AI)
- 924 Other not listed

Black & White (One PER Category)

- 925 Portraits
- 926 Animals
- 927 Cityscapes
- 928 Landscapes
- 929 Digitally manipulated image (no AI)
- 930 Other not listed
- 931 Collection - 4 to 8 photos of a related subject.
Colour or black & white.

Section 1000 – Indigenous Art

Artwork sharing the creative inspirations and histories of Indigenous Peoples from local or regional communities and lands.

Please include a small label with each entry letting us know which First Peoples inspired your creation.

A – Ages 6 & Under

- 1001 Drawing
- 1002 Painting
- 1003 Beading
- 1004 Baking

B – Ages 7 to 15

- 1005 Drawing
- 1006 Painting
- 1007 Beading
- 1008 Carving
- 1009 Jewellery
- 1010 Textiles
- 1011 Baking

C – Adult (16 & Over)

- 1012 Drawing
- 1013 Painting
- 1014 Beading
- 1015 Carving
- 1016 Jewellery
- 1017 Textiles
- 1018 Baking

Section 1100 - Eggs & Honey

A – Eggs

Eggs must be displayed in an egg container, only 6 eggs required. Will be judged on size, uniformity, colour, quality of shell. Eggs must be fresh.

- 1101 Eggs, white
- 1102 Eggs, brown
- 1103 Eggs, coloured
- 1104 Eggs, other than chicken

B – Honey

Honey must be displayed in a clear jar or container (500ml). Honey will be judged on appearance, colour, brightness and uniformity. Must be free of foreign materials, crystals and air bubbles.

- 1105 Honey, light
- 1106 Honey, dark
- 1107 Frame of honey
- 1108 Beeswax, one pound

Section 1200 - Sewing & Needlework

Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and ready for display or hanging. Judged on presentation, craftsmanship and creativity.

Article must be clean.

- 1201 Quilt, any quilted item
- 1202 Pieced Wall Hanging
- 1203 Appliqued wall hanging
- 1204 Bed/Crib Quilt - machine pieced and hand quilted
- 1205 Bed/Crib Quilt - hand pieced and hand quilted
- 1206 Bed/Crib Quilt - machine pieced and machine quilted by exhibitor
- 1207 Any quilt pieced by exhibitor but professionally quilted
- 1208 Petit Point/Needle Point/Cross Stitch/Hardanger/Embroidery - any article
- 1209 Decorative Pillow
- 1210 Garment made on a sewing machine
- 1211 Weaving - any article
- 1212 Any other sewing or needlework item

Section 1300 - Knitting & Crocheting

Entries must be the work of the exhibitor and ready for display or hanging. Judged on presentation, craftsmanship and creativity.

Article must be clean.

A - Knitting

- 1301 Afghan
- 1302 Baby Set - 2 pieces
- 1303 Toque or Hat
- 1304 Socks
- 1305 Scarf (includes infinity scarf or cowl)
- 1306 Mitts or Gloves
- 1307 Under Age 13, any knitted item
- 1308 Age 13 to 16, any knitted item
- 1309 Any other knitted item

B - Crocheting

- 1310 Bedspread/Table cloth
- 1311 Afghan
- 1312 Baby Set - 2 pieces
- 1313 Toy, stuffed
- 1314 Toque or Hat
- 1315 Scarf
- 1316 Under Age 13, any crocheted item
- 1317 Age 13 to 16, any crocheted item
- 1318 Any other crocheted item

Section 1400 - Best Loved Teddies & Stuffed Toys

The stuffed animals can be handmade or purchased but must be a bedtime friend.

A - Ages 6 & Under

- 1401 Best loved teddy bear
- 1402 Most stylish bear in the Fair
- 1403 Fuzziest bear
- 1404 Littlest bear
- 1405 Best bedtime friend (other than a teddy bear)

B - Ages 7 to 15

- 1406 The most sophisticated bear
- 1407 The bear I never tell my friends about
- 1408 The animal that guards my bed during the day
- 1409 A huggable when my bear is not around

C - Adults (16 & Over)

- 1410 The stuffed toy that got me through childhood

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Area B
Lower Columbia - Old Glory