

SPARTANSBURG COMMUNITY FAIR

DEPARTMENT 22

Section 3

KIDS' CONTESTS

Chair: Bradley Scouten

PRIZES: Awarded at the event and vary by event

Children's Obstacle Course

Monday

1. Age 4-9 years @11 AM
 2. Age 10-14 years @ Noon
- Meet near the Gazebo

Big Wheel Race

Monday

@ 4:30 PM

Meet near the Homeshow Buildings

Football Throw

Tuesday

@ 6PM

@ the Ball Field (behind the stage)

Arcade Basketball Shoot

Wednesday @ 6 PM

Between the Homeshow Buildings

Kids' Pedal Tractor Pull

Thursday @ 6 PM

Boys 12 & under / Girls 12 & under

On the road behind the stage

Other activities may be planned during the week- watch Facebook for information

KIDS' COLORING CONTEST

PRIZES: 1st-\$5 2nd-\$4 3rd-\$2.00 4th-\$1

CLASSES: (Age as of September 1) Each age will have a specific page to color

1. 1-3 years
2. 4-6 years
3. 7-9 years
4. 10-12 years

Coloring pages will be available at Spartansburg businesses beginning July 15, or they can be downloaded from: spartansburgcommunityfair.com

1. Acquire a coloring page for the child's age group
2. Print child's name, age and address ON THE BACK of the page
3. Enter colored page at Fair Office on Sunday, August 31 ~ 11 AM-5 PM

Prizes can be picked up from the Fair Office Tuesday-Saturday

HAY / STRAW BALE DECORATING

ELIGIBILITY: One entry per group. A. Family B. Business 3. Group

Bales decorated to represent something you would see at the Spartansburg Fair or the 2025 PA State Fair Theme: "Cultivating the Future Generation"

Displaying a sign that is visible and readable from the road clearly stating "Spartansburg Community Fair: September 1-6"

1. Register no later than August 1- Entry form on p. 90 or online: spartansburgcommunityfair.com
2. Any size bale may be used: hay or straw, round or square, wrapped, painted or natural
3. Display must be on property owned by entrant-or used with permission of the owner
4. Must be in place August 16-September 6
5. Judging will be conducted on-site (where the bale is displayed)
6. Criteria: Overall appearance- ~ 20%, Originality ~ 50%, Visibility of fair dates ~ 30%

All entries will receive an 8X10 Photo to be displayed at the fair

Prize: 1 winner of \$50 donated by SN Hawley Insurance.

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CREATE A GNOME CONTEST

Create a gnome in one of the themes
Must be free-standing. Under 18" tall

1. Garden Gnome 2. Holiday Gnome

**Return Entry Form (page 89) by August 25th
or register online (p 91)**

AGE CATEGORIES

YA- 12 & UNDER YB- 13-18 YEARS ADULT

REQUIREMENTS

1. All materials provided by contestant.
- 2.. Must be "family friendly"
(No advertising or politics)
3. Be creative
4. Enter Gnome, ready to display
Sun. Aug. 31~11-5
5. Judging Monday, September 1
- 6.. Prize money at Fair Office starting Tues 4PM.

PRIZES: 1st- \$5 2nd- \$4 3rd- \$3

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PET ROCK CONTEST

Create a Pet Rock in one of the themes.
Must be free-standing

1. Fair Animal 2. Best Dressed

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AGE CATEGORIES

YA- 12 & UNDER YB- 13-18 YEARS ADULT

REQUIREMENTS

1. All materials provided by contestant.
- 2.. Must be "family friendly"
(No advertising or politics)
3. Be creative
4. Enter Pet Rock, ready to display
Sun. Aug. 31~11-5.
5. Judging Monday, September 2
- 6.. Prize at Fair Office starting Tuesday after 4 PM.

PRIZES: 1st- \$5 2nd- \$4 3rd- \$3

STATE POSTER CONTEST

Entry form is located on page 91

Theme:

1. One poster per exhibitor, per age group
2. Three state **CLASSES:** ages as of June 1:
90. 8-11, 91. 12-14, 92. 15-18.
3. The poster size must be 14 x 22 inches
4. **This year's theme is "Powering Pennsylvania."** Contestants will be asked to submit artwork that showcases Pennsylvania agriculture and its role in powering the state's economy.
5. Evaluation criteria:
use of the theme,
visual appearance
creativity by exhibitor's age.
8. **State level premiums** for each CLASS:
1st~\$100, 2nd~\$75, 3rd~\$50
9. State awards presented by the PA Dept. of Agriculture during the 2023 PA Farm Show.
10. Posters will not be returned.

FAIR PRIZE: for each CLASS: 1st - \$5
Prize money can be picked up at the
Fair Office starting Tuesday after 4 PM.