

# 2023 Washington County Fair Champions

## Dairy Cattle (Division B)

Grand Champion

Autumnwood Farm, Forest Lake – Registered Holstein Sr 2 Year Old in Milk

William Erf, Oakdale – Registered Brown Swiss 5 Year Old in Milk

Reserve Champion

Brad Durow, Hastings – Registered Holstein Sr 2 Year Old in Milk

Mikayla Erf, Oakdale – Registered Brown Swiss Sr 2 Year Old in Milk

## Beef Cattle (Division C)

Grand Champion

Matthew Friemann, River Falls WI – Shorthorn Plus Heifer

Reserve Champion

Blake Krueger, Hastings - Heifer

## Dairy Goat (Division D)

Grand Champion

Sarah Johnson, Scandia – Alpine Sr Yearling

Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Alpine 3 yr old Doe

Linda Libra, Hinckley – LaManchas Intermediate Doe Kid

Joann Mueller, Woodville WI – LaManchas Doe in Milk under 2 yrs

Heidi Seipel, Lake Elmo – Nubians 3 yr old Doe

Bonnie Augustine, Lake Elmo - Saanens Sr Yearling

Christine Maefsky, Scandia – Toggenburgs Sr Yearling

Carter Davis, Sandstone – Recorded Grades Sr Yearling

Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Recorded Grades Doe over 5 yrs

Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Alpine 3 yr old Doe

Christine Maefsky, Scandia – Toggenburgs Sr Yearling

Kaylee Messner, Lake Elmo – Nigerian Drawf Sr Yearling

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## Reserve Champion

Christine Maefsky, Scandia – Alpine Sr Yearling  
Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Alpine 4 yr old Doe  
Reid Davis, Sandstone – LaManchas Jr Doe Kid  
Joann Mueller, Woodville WI – LaManchas 3 yr old Doe  
Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Nubians 4 yr old Doe  
Christine Maefsky, Scandia – Saanens Sr Yearling  
Christine Maefsky, Scandia – Toggenburgs Jr Yearling  
Carter Davis, Sandstone – Recorded Grade Sr Yearling  
Joann Mueller, Woodville WI – Recorded Grade 3 yr old Doe  
Logan Berg, Boyceville WI – Alpine 4 yr old Doe  
Wendy Gedmann, Woodville WI – LaManchas Jr Milker

## Swine (Division E)

### Grand Champion

Barret Boardman, Hastings – Gilt  
Barret Boardman, Hastings – Barrow  
Klint Larrabee, Columbus – Market Gilt

### Reserve Champion

Payton Millard, Cottage Grove – Gilt  
Neal Herman, Hastings – Barrow  
Aubrey St. Clair, Afton – Market Gilt

## Poultry (Division G)

### Grand Champion

Caitlin Rademacher Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Standard Chicken  
Caitlin Rademacher Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Bantam Chicken  
Abbey Rademacher, Oakdale – Waterfowl

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## Reserve Champion

Caitlin Rademacher Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Standard Chicken

Mitch Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Bantam Chicken

Levi Libby, Stillwater – Waterfowl

## Special Awards

Caitlin Rademacher Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Overall Grand Champion Poultry

Caitlin Rademacher Ferguson, Lino Lakes – Overall Reserve Champ Poultry

## Rabbits (Division H)

### Grand Champion

Olivia Stolzenberg, Woodbury – Mini Lop Sr Buck

Snowell Egler, Newport – Mini Log Jr Doe

Hailey Saniti, Maplewood – New Zealand Sr Buck

### Reserve Champion

Oliver Stolzenburg, Woodbury – Holland Lop

Linnea Topper, Stillwater – Flemish Giant Sr Buck

## Farm Crops (Division I)

Grand Champion – Robert Ickler, Roberts WI - Oats

## Vegetables (Division K)

### Grand Champions

Bernie Tschida, Vadnais Heights – Largest Mega Bloom Tomato

Brianna Oksal, Woodbury - Freak Vegetable – Group of Tomato

Kurt Zaccardi, Newport – Kale

Kris Barnard, Oakdale – Dress a Potato (Adult)

Sarah Werz, Cottage Grove – Dress a Potato (Adult)

Abby Haglin, Woodbury – Dress a Potato (ages 12 – 17)

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Grace Sahli, Cottage Grove – Dress a Potato (ages 9 – 11)

Roch Jacobson, Stillwater – Dress a Potato (ages 6 – 8)

Ignatius Jacobson, Stillwater – Dress a Potato (ages 5 and under)

Levi Libby, Stillwater – Youth Vegetables (ages 8 and under)

Brock Schiltgen, Afton – Youth Vegetables (ages 9 – 11)

### **Reserve Champions**

Traci Glaser, Stillwater – Dress a Potato (Adult)

Jerry Dirksen, Hastings – Dress a Potato (Adult)

Norah Leyde, Hastings – Dress a Potato (ages 12 – 17)

Danielle Filler, Hastings – Dress a Potato (ages 9 – 11)

Caleb Hobbs, Stillwater – Dress a Potato (ages 6 - 8)

Declan Ronayne, Oak Park Heights – Dress a Potato (ages 5 and under)

Karin Vasser, Cottage Grove – Largest Zucchini

## **Flowers (Division L)**

### **Grand Champions**

Pam Pfromm, Cottage Grove – Back to School Arrangement (Adult)

Julie Wasser, Stillwater – Arrangement in an Easter Basket (over 65)

Micah Gutierrez, Lake Elmo – Youth Flowers, Daylily (ages 8 and under)

Matteo Gutierrez, Lake Elmo – Youth Flowers, Lily (ages 9 – 12)

Laura Crimmins, Stillwater – Herb Container Garden

Kris Bernard, Oakdale – Bonsai

Josephine Libby, Stillwater – Sunflower

Diane Allen, Lake Elmo – Perennial Collection

Pam Pfromm, Cottage Grove – Annual Collection

Laura Crimmins, Stillwater – Cleome

### **Reserve Champions**

Patricia Konsti, Oakdale - Thanksgiving Arrangement (over 65)

Rachel Isaac, Stillwater – Thanksgiving Arrangement

Jurgen Andersson, Stillwater – Youth Flowers, Cactus (ages 9-12)

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Annette Sahli, Cottage Grove – Youth Flowers, Lily (ages 8 and under)

Ann Rinkenberger, Scandia – Dish Garden Succulent

Ann Rinkenberger, Scandia – Aloe

Anne Dirksen, Hastings – Lantana

Julie Wasser, Stillwater – Perennial Collection

Laura Crimmins, Stillwater – Annual Collection

Anne Dirksen, Hastings – Zinnia

### **Food Preservation (Division M)**

#### Grand Champions

Christine White, Oakdale - Pears

Ann Doering, South St Paul – Cranberry Juice

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Fruit Vinegar

Lisa Hitz-Schoer, Cottage Grove – Dried Sage

Carolyn Lichtblau, Cottage Grove – Conserves

Claire Leach, Marine – Blueberry Conserves

Lori Swerine, Stillwater – Honey Butter

Brad Kruse, Oak Park Heights – Belgium Style Beer

Claudia Williams, Oakdale – Elderberry Wine

Kristie Anderson, Afton – Dilled Beans

Chris Bremer, Stillwater – Currant Jelly

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Tomato Salsa

Daniel Scheff, Harris – Mixed Vegetable

#### Reserve Champions

Ann Doering, South St Paul – Jellied Cranberry

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Tomato Juice

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Flavored Vinegars

Jean Anderson, Cottage Grove – Cinnamon Apples

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Pineapple Jam

Jessica Kuchar, Pine Springs – Raspberry Conserves

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Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Peach Butter

Dave Bance, Woodbury – Kolsch Pale Lager

Melanie Richert, Somerset, WI – Raspberry Rhubarb Wine

Julie Ahrens, White Bear Lake – Dill Pickles

Kirsten Libby, Scandia – Plum Jelly

Daniel Scheff, Harris – Yellow Wax Beans

Daniel Scheff, Harris - Applesauce

Food Preservation Superintendents Award

Claudia Williams, Oakdale

### **Baking (Division N)**

Grand Champions

Sheila Rydeen, Stillwater – Recipe Challenge – Pineapple Star Cookies

Clara Winter, St. Paul – Gluten Free Bars

Melissa Jacobson, Forest Lake – Orange Scones

Laura Ackerman, Cottage Grove – Decorated Cake

Rachel Thalacker, Dellwood – Salted Caramel Chocolate Cupcakes

Christa Carter, Somerset Wi – Champagne Cupcakes

Chloe Fliflet, Lake Elmo – Popsicle Sandwich Cookies

Carolyn Brockpahler, New Richmond WI – Pecan Bars

Reserve Champions

Meg Jungbluth, Stillwater – Recipe Challenge – Pineapple Star Cookies

Stephanie Landsem, Lake Elmo – Gluten Free Oatmeal Cookies

Elizabeth Dillon, Woodbury – Lemon Bars

Reese Rowan, Woodbury – Lemon Bars

Chloe Fliflet, Lake Elmo – Decorated Cake

Chloe Fliflet, Lake Elmo – Caramel Cracker Layer Bars

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## Eggs, Syrup & Honey (Division O)

Grand Champions

Isaac Milender, Lake Elmo – Large Brown Eggs

Reserve Champions

Grace Sahli, Cottage Grove – Medium White Eggs

## Needlework (Division P)

Grand Champions

Bree Doepner, St. Paul – Revel Wall Hanging

Lily Schute, North St. Paul – Purse

Lorraine Schire, Oakdale – Infant Sweater

Joy Malm, Mahtomedi – Shawl

Lily Schute, North St. Paul – Hat

Barbara Morgan, Woodbury – Rectangular Stole

Trillian Patneau, Stillwater – Wet Felting

Stacy Dobson, Stillwater – Winter Girl (animal)

Barbara Board, Oakdale – Lap Robe

Lorraine Schire, Oakdale – Siesta Breeze Afghan

Thomasine Bettles, Stillwater – Cable Afghan

Pam Zimmerman, Apple Valley – Embroidered Father Christmas Wall Hanging

Danith Fryar, Cottage Grove – Counted Thread Picture

Linda Keith, South St. Paul – Butterfly Counted Thread

Pam Zimmerman, Apple Valley – Day Pillow Machine Embroidered

Deb Roettger, Lake Elmo – Appliqued Table Runner

Liberty Lyon, Hampton – Holiday Pillowcases

Mildred Balfanz, Stillwater – Dish Towel Hand Embroidered

Ellen Christofferson, Forest Lake – Wool Blanket

Shelly Hildreth, Woodbury – Quilted Purse

Mildred Balfanz, Stillwater – 18” Doll Clothes, Costumes

Linda Longlet, Woodbury – Machine Embroidered Tree Skirt

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Shelly Hildreth, Woodbury – Snowballs in Bag  
Karen Simons, Woodbury – Nativity Machine Embroidered Ornament  
Jean Olson, Woodbury – Adult Dress  
Emily Ponder, Cottage Grove – Hand Sewn Garment  
Kathy Irvine, Woodbury – Vest (Garment Challenge)  
Sue Bay, Newport – Quilt on a Stick  
Carol Carlson, Woodbury – Special Event Quilt Top  
Liberty Lyon, Hampton – Machine Pieced Quilt Top  
Jean Hansen, Mahtomedi – Machine Quilted Quilt Top  
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Shelly Hildreth, Woodbury – Machine Embroidered Quilt Top  
Marie Ehlenz, Cottage Grove – Machine Quilted Scrappy Quilt  
Linda Longlet, Woodbury – Machine Appliqued Quilt Top  
Marge Frahs, St. Paul – Tied Baby Quilt

### Reserve Champions

Louise Van Ostrand, Hugo – Cabled Socks  
Greta Dallager, Hugo – Hannah, Crocheted Doll  
Peggy Ellis, Oak Park Heights – Red Multi Cardigan  
Katherine Anderson, Oakdale – Vegetable Play Food  
Barbara Morgan, Woodbury – Orange Cable Hat  
Katherine Anderson, Oakdale – Needle Felted Wool Pumpkin  
Lorraine Schire, Oakdale – Dream Body Afghan  
Geri Fisher, Oakdale – Knitted Afghan  
April Warner, Cottage Grove – Counted Thread  
Tracy Carlier, Cottage Grove – Crocheted Cat Pillow  
Elsie Andersson, Stillwater – Dish Towel Hand Embroidered  
Gabriella Buschmann, Woodbury – Hand Embroidered Towel/Napkin  
Mildred Balfanz, Stillwater – Hand Embroidered Pillowcase  
Linda Keith, South St. Paul - Fine cross-stitch Mona Lisa Necklace



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Deb Roettger, Lake Elmo – Wool Purse

Elsa Jozefow, Stillwater – Doll Clothes

Kathy Jurek, Lake Elmo – Freestanding Lace

Deb Roettger, Lake Elmo – Pumpkin Hand Embroidered

Kathy Jurek, Lake Elmo – Beaded Tree Ornament

Dolores Pemble, Hastings – Child Outerwear

Deb Roettger, Lake Elmo – Fleece Hat, Headband & Cowl

Carol Carlson, Woodbury – Machine Pieced Quilt Top

Mary Foster, Woodbury – Machine Quilted Quilt Top

Albany Lyon, Hampton – Machine Pieced Quilt Top

Debra Schussler, Cottage Grove – Machine Pieced Quilt Top

Mary Foster, Woodbury – Machine Appliqued Quilt Top

Shelly Hildreth, Woodbury – Quilted Baby Quilt

### Award - Basket of Yarn

Emery Ranem, North St. Paul – Crocheted Bucket Hat

Brita Norum, Cottage Grove – Crocheted Stuffed Animal

Lucia Van Heel, Oakdale – Knitted Long Scarf

Lily Schute, North St. Paul – Crocheted Top

### Sheepy Yarn Shoppe, White Bear Lake - Gift Certificate

Barbara Morgan, Woodbury – Shorty Socks

Joy Malm, Mahtomedi – Knitted Cowl

Thomasine Bettles, Stillwater – Knitted Cable Stitch Afghan

### Knitting from the Heart, Woodbury – Gift Certificate

Lisa Kruse, May Township – Knitted Drawstring Bag

### JoAnne Olson Memorial Award for Outstanding Youth Needlework

Greta Dallager, Hugo – crocheted doll

Elsa Jozefow, Stillwater – doll clothes

### Youth Needlework Awards

Greta Dallager, Hugo – Crocheted Doll

Marya Wenzel, Lake Elmo – White Finger-Knit Scarf

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Autumn Glaser, Stillwater – Loom Knitted Hat  
Liberty Lyon, Hampton – Machine Pieced Quilt Top  
Elle Fry, Scandia – Wall Hanging  
Lily Plath, Woodbury – Counted Cross Stitch Picture  
Logan Albrecht, Grant – Crocheted Hat  
Liberty Lyon, Hampton – Holiday Pillowcases  
Margaret Buschmann, Woodbury – Hand Embroidered Towel/Napkin  
Olivia Salitros, Marine on St. Croix – Counted Thread Pillow  
Sophie Jozefow, Stillwater – Patchwork Pillow  
Sophie Jozefow, Stillwater – Hand Sewn Toy Cat  
Elsa Jozefow, Stillwater – Machine Quilted Purse  
Emery Ranem, North St. Paul – Crocheted Bucket Hat  
Gabriella Buschmann, Woodbury – Hand Embroidered Towel/Napkin

### **Crafts (Division R)**

#### Grand Champions

Sophia Dalton, Woodbury – Nature Dragon  
Tyler Greeder, Hugo – “Weldo” the Welded Dog  
Evelyn Sahli, Cottage Grove – Paper Mache Moose Head  
Tyler Greeder, Hugo – Oil Barrel turned into Infinity Table

#### Reserve Champions

Jackson Johnson, Stillwater – My First Turkey  
Sophia Dalton, Woodbury – Mystery Shack from Gravity Falls

### **Arts (Division S)**

#### Grand Champions

Virginia Loeffelmacher, Mahtomedi – Watercolor Painting Landscape  
Mary Margaret Foley, Stillwater – Watercolor Painting Still Life

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Peter Foley, Stillwater – Watercolor Painting Animal

Grace Sahli, Cottage Grove – Acrylic Painting Animal

Megan Murphy, Woodbury – Pencil Drawing Animal

Kara Winter, St. Paul – Watercolor Painting

### Reserve Champions

Thaddeus DeCaro, Stillwater – Pastels/Chalk Drawing Animal

Thaddeus DeCaro, Stillwater – Pencil Drawing Animal

Aemilia Wollak, Stillwater – Acrylic Painting Birds

Matt Worm, Lake Elmo – Oil Painting People

Sophia Dalton, Woodbury – Acrylic Painting Animal

## **Collections (Division T)**

### Grand Champions

Karin Vassar, Cottage Grove – Lake Superior Agates

Jase Hagglund, Forest Lake – Agates

Grace Sahli, Cottage Grove – Rock Collection

Micah DeCaro, Stillwater – Rock Collection

Gabriella Isaac, Stillwater – Memory Album

Dannielle Filler, Hastings – Memory Book

Knut Greenlee, Oakdale – Mario

Joe Hayes, Cottage Grove – Antique Fishing Display

### Reserve Champions

Kris Barnard, Oakdale – Vintage Stamps

Levi Libby, Stillwater – Agate Collection

Evelyn Sahli, Cottage Grove – Seashells

Jake Leach, Marine – Antique Fishing Tackle

Elijah Pringle, Hugo – Playing Cards

Julie Lapos-Kuchar, Pine Springs – Digital Memory Book

Matteo Gutierrez, Lake Elmo – Collection of Family History

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## Photography (Division U)

### Grand Champions

Crystal Arellano, Woodbury – Lone Tree Scene

Alicia Plevell, Hastings – Animals Sunday Walk

Janet Marko, Stillwater – Animals

Teresa Rumppe, Woodbury – Elements of Nature, Late Fall

Alicia Plevell, Hastings – Minnesota Nice, Lake Rebecca Fish on Ice

Janet Marko, Stillwater – Still Life

Doug Wood, Forest Lake – Landscape Scene

Avis Peters, Stillwater – Animals, Geese & Fog

Maggie Justen, Stillwater – Portrait, Frankie

Cindra Schmidt, Hugo – Elements of Nature, Nelson Lake

Giovanna Rodrigues, Lake Elmo – Grand Prismatic (Yellowstone Mt.)

### Reserve Champions

Maggie Justen, Stillwater – Tells a Story, Vietnam Memorial

Janet Marko, Stillwater – Still Life

Ivy Keen, Wyoming – Animals, Veda

Dannielle Filler, Hastings – Animals

Giovanna Rodrigues, Lake Elmo – Minnesota Nice, Northern MN Black Bear

Josh Buck, Vadnais Heights – Corn Portrait

Katie Hainey, Woodbury – People, The Bucket Lady

Crystal Arellano, Woodbury – Botanical Arts, Sunflowers

Olivia Salitros, Marine – Elements of Nature, Sunset

Janet Marko, Stillwater – Scene

Cindra Schmidt, Hugo – Animals, Crane

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## Woodworking (Division V)

Grand Champion

Robert Bay, Newport – Variety of Carved Pins

Reserve Champion

Robert Garbe, Stillwater - Sewing/Craft Storage Box

Rod Olson Award – Youth Woodworking

Jude Cook, Lake Elmo – Sword

Essie Sikora, Marine – Race Car