

SECTION H - CHRISTMAS TREES

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Instructions:

1. All trees must arrive Saturday, August 21st, 2010, time 11AM to 3PM. Trees will be judged the same day.
2. All trees must be plantation grown and must be from 5' to 8' in height from the bottom of the handle to the tip of the leader.
3. Exhibitors are limited to one (1) entry per class.
4. Classes for competition:

- H1 Douglas Fir
- H2 Other Fir
- H3 Fraser Fir
- H4 Blue Spruce
- H5 Other Spruce
- H6 White Pine
- H7 Scotch Pine
- H8 Other Pine

- A9 Grand Champion (DO NOT ENTER)
- A10 Reserve Grand Champion (DO NOT ENTER)



5. Premiums Offered

\$90	Grand Champion
\$75	Reserve Grand Champion
\$55	1 st Place
\$45	2 nd Place
\$40	3 rd Place
\$35	4 th Place

6. First time exhibitors will receive 50% bonus on one entry.
7. Trees will be individually scored and ranked within the classes using the following guidelines:

		Taper	
Foliage	condition in regards to insect and disease		50 - 40%- 90%
	50 - Light, no damage		25 - 90% plus
	25 - Medium		0 - 0% - 40%
	0 - Heavy		
Foliage			
	25 - Density		
	50 - Medium to Heavy	Top	50 - Right length
	25 - Light		25 - Needlessness
Foliage Freshness			25 - Too long
	25 - Fresh		25 - Too short
	0 - Dry		0 - Multi-top
Handle		Merchantability	
	25 - Not less than 6"		50 - Good
	15 - or more than 1 3/4 "		25 - Average
	15 - for each foot of tree USD Grades (4/1/73)		10 - Poor
	0 - No Handle		
Handle			50 - 4 faces US premium
	25 - Well trimmed		25 - 3 faces US premium
	0 - Poorly trimmed		10 - 2 adjacent faces US grade or better
			0

TOTAL POINTS _____