Rules and Regulations

- 1. All entries are done online. Entry forms available at <u>www.nokomisagsociety.com</u>. Contact Sheri Pedersen at 306-528-7969 with any questions or if you are unable to use the online form for any reason.
- 2. All Participants must accept the Participant Waiver when submitting online entries.
- 3. Each exhibitor shall pay an entry fee, per entry, as set out in the Fair Book.
- 4. Exhibitors are allowed multiple exhibits per class
- 5. All precautions will be taken by the Nokomis Agricultural Society for the health and safety of exhibits and persons at the Fair.
- 6. The Directors shall have the power to postpone the Fair or any part thereof, through stress of weather or for any reason they may deem sufficient.
- 7. Directors in charge of any department shall have power to disqualify any exhibit for non-compliance of any rules.
- 8. No person shall act as judge in any class in which he or she is an exhibitor.
- 9. No person shall be allowed to interfere with the Judges or, by any means whatever, impart undue information while in discharge of their duties. Exhibitors so interfering will forfeit all right to any prize to which they might otherwise be entitled. The director in charge of any class has full power in the management of that class during the time of judging.
- 10. The decision of the judge will be final in all cases. Judging standards are available from the secretary.
- 11. No article will be eligible for more than one prize.
- 12. If any article or animal is entered in the wrong section of its class, the judge shall have the power to order the entry to the proper section of its class.
- 13. If any article or animal, in the opinion of the Judge, is not worthy of a prize the decision of the judge shall be final. Articles on display shall not be handled by anyone other than the Director in charge of the Section.
- 14. All homemade articles shall have been handmade within two (2) years of show date. Any article may only be exhibited for one (1) year.
- 15. All exhibits, other than livestock, sheaves, cleaned, threshed grains and forage for feed must be grown or manufactured by the exhibitor.
- 16. No article shall be admitted with name, mark or initial thereon. Hobbies and handicrafts that have been initialed, marked or signed will be accepted in these cases providing exhibitors completely conceal such initials, marks or signatures so that no name is visible to the judge.
- 17. Any exhibitor shall, if required by the Board, make a statutory declaration that the exhibit(s) made by him/her as shown in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Society. In case the exhibitor refuses to make such declaration upon request, all premiums awarded to him/her shall be forfeited.
- 18. All exhibits, with the exception of livestock, must be in the Recreation Centre by 11:00 am on the Friday before the Fair.
- 19. Horses must be on grounds by 9:00 am and may leave anytime after 5:00 pm.
- 20. Cattle must be on grounds by 10:00 am and may leave anytime after 5:00 pm.
- 21. Sheep must be on grounds by noon and may leave anytime after 5:00 pm.
- 22. All sheep must be penned.
- 23. All bulls must have rings in nose or a bull lead and tied with a neck rope.
- 24. All horses must be tied to trailer when not performing. All stallions must have extra neck rope.
- 25. Any exhibit removed before 5:00 pm will thereby forfeit the right to any prize.
- 26. The Executive's decision will be final in any disputes or infringement of the rules.
- 27. Any infringement to the rules and regulations may be punished by withholding the prize, expulsion from the Society or both.