

First Annual Table Scaping Competition

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Western Carolina State Fair and
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Prizes:

1st Place: \$250 plus gift certificates from varies places
2nd Place: \$150 plus gift certificates from varies places
3rd Place: \$100 plus gift certificates from varies places

Rules & Information

1. Design a formal tablescape for 2 - theme of your choice.
2. Each exhibitor will be assigned a 3' x 3' x 29" tall table.
3. Each exhibitor must provide dishes, centerpieces, crystal, silver, and any other decorations. Use your imagination. Chairs may not be used in the display. Each exhibitor must use a tablecloth or covering that comes to the floor or use a Velcro attached skirt (underneath the table may be used for your storage).
4. Each tablescape must include a framed menu, and 2 place settings for that menu.
5. Live flowers may be used but cannot be replenished during the fair week - perishable food is not permitted to be a part of the tablescape display.
6. The competition is open to the first 15 exhibitors to register at www.westerncarolinastatefair.com The deadline to register is September 30th. If you have questions, please contact Amanda Dennis 803.671.0586 or by email at wcsfcompetitiveexhibits@gmail.com.
7. Set up will be Saturday, October 8th 10am – 2pm in the Warren C. Lucas building at the Western Carolina State Fairgrounds.
8. The Fair reserves the right to reject any table setting that is objectionable or unsuitable.
9. "On-Site" judging will take place on Monday, October 10 for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Ribbons will be place on the tablescapes for the duration of the fair.
10. Tablescapes are to remain on display for the entire fair and can be picked up on Sunday, October 23rd from 6pm-9pm.
11. Judging criteria is as follows:
 - a. Creative interpretation of theme
 - b. Visual impact
 - c. Appropriate formal placement of tableware necessary for the menu
12. You will receive updated information regarding the competition prior to the fair.



**SPECIAL
EXHIBITS**

TABLESETTING THEME

Criteria For Judging Tablesettings

Adherence to Guidelines / Etiquette	20%
Functionality / Suitability	20%
Originality / Artistic Arrangement	20%
Incorporation of the Theme	10%
Balance / Harmony	10%
Overall Picture	20%