

2023 Stilwell Kiwanis Strawberry Festival Entry Form

Exhibitor Information:

Name: _____ Mailing Address: _____

Strawberry Patch Physical Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Acreage: _____ Variety/varieties: _____

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1. All berry grower contestants must have membership and entry dues paid by 4pm March 13, 2023 to the Adair County OSU Extension Office, 220 W. Division, Courthouse Basement, Stilwell, OK. Growers may enter berries only grown in Adair County, and field visit of berry patch, will be done on or before the Saturday before Festival, 4:00p.m, by 3 Grower Association members.
 2. A youth may enter if the farm has at least one acre of strawberries. Youth must be a member of the strawberry growers association and be 12-18 years of age, anyone who will be 19 before the contest or have graduated high school will be allowed to finish the year.
 3. Partnership operations will be considered as one entry.
 4. An entry will allow the designated grower committee, or an authorized representative, permission to view or inspect the above stated strawberry patch, harvest and store 1 quart for DNA testing if needed, up to and including festival day.
 5. On festival day, all berry entries (5 flats) must be present by 11 a.m. to be judged and eligible for the auction.
 6. All show berries must have a minimum of 1" stems and be exhibited in official Stilwell Strawberry boxes, to be exhibited (A, B, and C boxes only)
 7. I have personally grown and materially participated in the growing of my berry entry this year.
 8. **Statement:**
Believing it is in the best interest of all strawberry grower exhibitors to maintain the reputation and integrity of our festival, and to continue to present a wholesome food product, the above list of practices will have to be followed to participate in this and any future contest. I, the strawberry grower, have read, understand and will abide by all rules and regulations of the Stilwell Kiwanis Strawberry Festival. The Stilwell Kiwanis reserves the right to disqualify any entry found in violation of any stated rules and will forfeit all auction sale premium money and may result in forfeiture of all future festival competitions, and could result in criminal prosecution and/or fines.
 9. Written protest must be accompanied by \$250.00, non-refundable unless protest upheld. Check made payable to Adair County Strawberry Grower Association.

Name: (print) _____

Sign: _____

Date: _____