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**86<sup>TH</sup> Annual**

# **CROP SHOW**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 2023**

**North Dakota Winter Show**  
**March 7-12**

**Valley City, North Dakota**

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# North Dakota State Crop Show Exhibitor Guide

The 2023 North Dakota State Crop Show is on March 3rd, 2023 at the North Dakota Winter Show in Valley City

## General Rules and Regulations for Exhibitors

1. Any resident of North Dakota may exhibit a crop sample grown in North Dakota from either the 2021 or 2022 growing season.
2. An exhibitor can only enter in one division, either the open, 4-H or FFA division. No person shall be permitted to enter more than one exhibit of the same variety in any one lot.
3. Exhibitors must state on the entry tag the class, lot number and the kind and variety under which the entry is to be judged. The officials in charge of exhibits, or the judges, reserve the right to make any corrections in class or lot numbers in case of errors.
4. Open division, FFA division and 4-H division entries should use their respective official entry tag.
  - Active FFA members, either in or out of school are eligible to exhibit.
  - FFA division entry tag should include the FFA member's address and phone number, name and address of exhibitor's FFA Chapter and have entry tag signed by the instructor.
  - FFA division entry tags can be found on the North Dakota FFA website at: [www.ndffa.org/state-crop-show](http://www.ndffa.org/state-crop-show)
  - 4-H entry tags should include the exhibitor name, phone number, address and county of the exhibitor and have the entry tag signed by the Extension Agent.
  - 4-H division entry tags can be obtained by contacting your local Extension Agent.
  - **All samples and sheaves become the property of the North Dakota State Crop Show Committee and will not be returned. Extension Agents or FFA Advisors can request samples for educational purposes by completing a request form available from the Winter Show office. The sample request form is due at registration. Samples need to be picked up Monday following the conclusion of the Winter Show during office hours.**
5. Entries will not be accepted after 10 AM, Friday, March 3rd, and judging of all classes will begin at 1 PM on that date.
  - 4-H/FFA Members: if you wish to deliver your crop samples to one of the following locations they will be transported to Valley City by the entry deadline.
  - Lisbon Public School, 502 Ash Street, Lisbon, **By noon on Saturday, February 25th, 2023**
  - Beulah High School, 204 5th St. NW, Beulah, **By noon on Saturday, February 25th, 2023**
  - ND FFA State Office, 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept 270 ~ 15th Floor, Bismarck, **By noon on Thursday, March 2nd, 2023**
  - Carrington Public School, 100 3rd Ave South, Carrington, **By 6:00 pm on Thursday, March 2nd, 2023**
  - North Dakota Winter Show, 700 7th St SE, Valley City, **by 10 AM on Friday, March 3rd, 2023 (entry deadline)**
6. The North Dakota State Crop Show management will not be responsible for loss, damage, or mixture of any entry, but will exercise reasonable precaution at all times.
7. All samples must be properly labeled inside. Entry blanks should accompany all samples and must be signed. Include **variety name and company name.**

8. The following minimum quantities will be required for all entries in the open, 4-H and FFA Divisions:

- Two quarts ~ Wheat, durum, oat, barley, sunflower, rye, pea, lentil, bean and shelled corn
- One quart ~ Flax, canola, grasses, small seeded legumes, millet, and seeds of similar size
- Corn ~ Ten ears

9. Small grain sheaves should measure 2 ½ to 3 inches in diameter halfway between the butt and the head of the sheave. Sheaves should be tied firmly and securely in three to four places.

10. Entries not meeting the minimum requirements will be disqualified.

11. The management reserves the right, and the judges are authorized to reject any exhibits which in their opinion are deemed to be undesirable or not properly exhibited or represented. Commercially prepared seed, treated seed, unclean or bin run seed will be disqualified.

12. All exhibit entries will be judged by the group placing system. The best blue-ribbon entries from the three divisions in each lot will compete for Championship premium money and awards. Merit ribbons will be awarded to those samples in each lot which pass high show standards but which do not receive premium money in the Championship.

- Premium money for FFA and 4-H divisions will be: Blue – \$5; Red – \$3; White – \$1
- A \$10 premium will be awarded to the 1st place blue ribbon exhibit in the 4-H, FFA and Open division per lot.
- Championship premiums will be awarded to the top 4 to 6 exhibits among all divisions based on sponsorships:

- o Lot 1, Hard Red Spring Wheat: \$100, \$75, \$40, \$20, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 2, Hard Red Winter Wheat: \$75, \$50, \$25, \$15, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 3, Hard White Wheat: \$75, \$50, \$25, \$15, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 4, Durum Wheat: \$100, \$75, \$40, \$20, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 5, Flax: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 6, Malting Barley 2-Row: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 7, Malting Barley 6-Row: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 8, Feed Barley: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 9, Oat: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 10, Rye or Triticale: \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10
- o Lot 11, Soybean: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 12, Pea: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 13, Pinto Bean: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 14, White Bean: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 15, Miscellaneous Edible Bean: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 16, Miscellaneous Legume: \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10
- o Lot 17, Grass Seed: \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10
- o Lot 18, Millet: \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10
- o Lot 19, Ear Corn: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 20, Shelled Corn: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 21, Confection Sunflower: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 22, Oil Sunflower: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 23, Canola: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10
- o Lot 24, Miscellaneous Crops: \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10
- o Lot 25, Sheave: \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10

# North Dakota State Crop Show Class and Lot List

## Class I • Wheat

- Lot 1 Hard Red Spring Wheat Varieties
- Lot 2 Hard Red Winter Wheat
- Lot 3 Hard White Wheat

## Class II • Durum Wheat

- Lot 4 Durum Varieties

## Class III • Flax

- Lot 5 Flax Varieties

## Class IV • Barley

- Lot 6 Malting Varieties – 2-row
- Lot 7 Malting Varieties – 6-row
- Lot 8 Feed Varieties including 6-row

## Class V • Oat

- Lot 9 Oat Varieties

## Class VI • Rye or Triticale

- Lot 10 Rye or Triticale Varieties

## Class VII • Soybean

- Lot 11 Soybean

## Class VIII • Legumes

- Lot 12 Field Pea
- Lot 13 Pinto bean
- Lot 14 White Bean, Navy, Great Northern and Small White, etc.
- Lot 15 Miscellaneous Edible Bean (colored) (Black, Pink, Cranberry, Kidney, Small Red, Lima)
- Lot 16 Miscellaneous Legumes (Alfalfa, Sweet Clover, Lentil, Lupine, Garbanzo)

## Class IX • Grasses

- Lot 17 All Grass Seeds

## Class X • Millet

- Lot 18 Millet Varieties

## Class XI • Ear Corn (Field)

- Lot 19 All Ear Corn – Open pollinated or hybrid – The variety name or the name and number, if entered as a hybrid, must be declared by the exhibitor.

## Class XII • Shelled Field Corn

- Lot 20 Any Corn Variety Including Hybrids

## Class XIII • Sunflower

- Lot 21 Confection Sunflower
- Lot 22 Oil Type Sunflower

## Class XIV • Canola

- Lot 23 Canola Varieties

## Class XV • Miscellaneous Crops

- Lot 24 Five or more entries may constitute a separate sub-lot – Awards for exhibits in this class will be given at the discretion of the judges.

## Class XVI • Sheaves

- Lot 25 All Sheaves – Adequate samples may constitute a separate sub-lot

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## Exhibitor Tags

FFA division exhibitor tags can be found at: <https://www.ndffa.org/state-crop-show>

4-H division exhibitor tags can be obtained from your local Extension Agent

## Open Division Entry Tag

Exhibitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Lot Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Variety: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Crop Show Honoree

The 2023 North Dakota State Crop Show is dedicated to Joel Ransom, retired NDSU Extension Agronomist. Joel retired from NDSU Extension in February 2021 after 18 years. He was on the State Crop Show committee and manager throughout his career at NDSU. He organized and recruited judges for the State Crop Show.

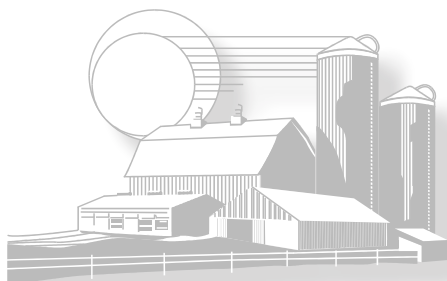
Joel was born and raised in Idaho and earned his bachelor's degree in agronomy from Brigham Young University. He earned his master's and doctoral degrees, also in agronomy, from the University of Minnesota, along with a plant physiology minor on his Ph.D.

Prior to joining NDSU, Ransom worked for 20 years as a wheat and maize agronomist for the International Maize and Wheat Improvement Center (CIMMYT). He started out stationed in Mexico, later worked in East Africa based in Nairobi, Kenya, and eventually was stationed in Nepal.

Joel was honored on several occasions for his work and service. In 2017, he was presented the George Washington Award by the NDSU Agriculture Collective in conjunction with NDSU Ag Week festivities. The student-selected award recognized his knowledge, hard work and determination to contribute to the agriculture community and industry. Joel was awarded the U.S. President's Council on Service and Civic Participation Volunteer Service Award in 2017 for his work in Senegal, Africa, where he provided more than 100 hours of service with Winrock International's USAID funded Farmer-to-Farmer program. In 2018, he was chosen by the U.S. Durum Growers Association as the recipient of the Amber Award for his significant contributions to durum growers and the industry.

Joel and his wife Patty live in Bismarck to fulfill an assignment to preside over the Bismarck, North Dakota, Temple of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. They oversee and train about 200 volunteers that serve the Church members who visit the Temple from North and South Dakota, parts of Montana, and Minnesota.

Joel will be honored at the North Dakota Winter Show Ag Social, at the North Dakota Winter Show south exhibit building, on Wednesday, March 8, 2023





# Premium List - Championship Division

## Class I • Wheat

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## Class II • Amber Durum

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## Class III • Flax

Lot 5	All Varieties .....	Columbia Grain ..... p. 10
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## Class IV • Barley

Lot 6	Malting Varieties – 2 row.....	ND Certified Seed .....p. 8
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Lot 8	Feed Varieties Including 6 row .....	ND Barley Council ..... p. 11

## Class V • Oats

Lot 9	Any Variety.....	Columbia Grain ..... p. 10
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## Class VI • Rye or Triticale

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## Class VII • Soybeans

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## Class XII • Shelled Field Corn

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## Class XIII • Sunflower

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## Class XVI • Sheaves

Lot 25	All Sheaves.....	North Dakota Winter Show .....p.7
<i>Adequate samples may constitute a separate sub-class</i>		

# North Dakota State Crop Show Planning Committee

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LOT 12 Field Peas \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
 2022 Winner: Hunter Bachmeier  
 LOT 18 Millet \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10  
 2022 Winner: Joel Lemer

Lot 24 Miscellaneous Crops \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10  
 2022 Winner: Anna Copenhaver  
 Lot 25 Sheaves (3) \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
 2022 Winners: Joel Lemer, Linda Lemer, No Entries

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LOT 6 Malting Barley 2 Row \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: Joel Lemer

LOT 7 Malting Barley 6 Row \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: No Entries

## North Dakota in Crop Production

North Dakota ranks **FIRST** in the U.S. in the production of these commodities:  
(Based on 2021 Production)

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Crop	Percent of total U.S. Production
Canola.....	85%
Flaxseed .....	82%
Pinto Beans .....	57%
Durum Wheat.....	53%
Spring Wheat.....	53%
Peas.....	42%
Dry Edible Beans (All) .....	28%

in these commodities:

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Crop	Percent of total U.S. Production
Oil Sunflower .....	41%
All Sunflower.....	40%
Lentils .....	28%
Non-oil Sunflower .....	48%
Rye .....	12%

in these commodities:

# 3<sup>RD</sup>

Crop	Percent of total U.S. Production
Beans, Navy .....	23%
Barley .....	19%
Sugarbeets.....	18%
Beans, Black.....	17%
Oats .....	10%

North Dakota also ranks **fourth** in Chickpeas (7%), **fifth** in Potatoes (5%), and **tenth** in Soybeans (4%).



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LOT 21 Oil Sunflowers \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: *No Entries*

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LOT 13 Pinto Beans \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: Donavin Bartz

LOT 14 White Beans \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: *No Entries*

LOT 15 Misc. Edible Beans (colored) \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10 2022 Winner: Kadence Kost

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LOT 5 Flax \$100 \$50 \$20 \$10 \$10 \$10  
2022 Winner: Maxim Cuibotareanu

LOT 9 Oats \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: Joel Lemer

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and management practices have a big influence on our annual wheat quality, but genetics also have an impact. North Dakota grown wheat can best meet our customer's quality demands through good management practices and planting varieties that have the genetics for quality, as well as agronomic and yield traits.

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The North Dakota Wheat Commission encourages production of high quality wheat and is pleased to sponsor awards for the following wheat classes:

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2022 Winner: Linda Lemer

**Lot 2 - WINTER WHEAT**

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2022 Winner: No Entries

**Lot 3 - HARD WHITE WHEAT**

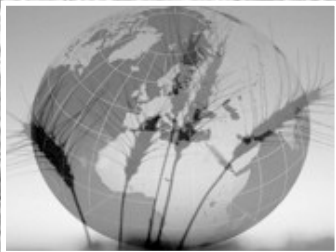
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2022 Winner: Tom Utke

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LOT 10 Rye or Triticale \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10  
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LOT 23 Canola \$100, \$50, \$20, \$10, \$10, \$10  
2022 Winner: Kylie Skadberg

## **Rutledge Kane Showmanship Award**

Awarded to the individual displaying the highest quality and number of samples.

**2022 Winner ~ Joel Lemer**

This award is sponsored by the Rutledge Kane family in his memory. The winner is determined by the number of exhibits entered and the quality of each exhibit. The selected individual is designated as the champion showman for the North Dakota State Crop Show.

### **The Crop Show Honoree and Rutledge Kane Award Recipient**

will both be recognized at the Ag Social  
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