

RULES FOR COW DECORATING CONTEST

1. Wooden cows will be available to decorate during the Taste of Hamburg-er Festival and can be entered into a contest for the best decorated. The cow decorating stand will be located at the intersection of 4th & State Streets (in the area of the Art & Craft Gallery of Hamburg) and will remain open until 3 pm or until cows are sold out. There is a \$5 fee per cow that is payable when you receive your cow.
2. Cows may be purchased prior to the event at the Our Town Foundation office located at 335 State Street; however, any cows decorated off-site will be entered into a “family” category. If you pre-purchase a cow, upon completion you can either drop it off at the Our Town Foundation Office, 335 State Street, Hamburg, no later than noon on Wednesday, August 28, or take your decorated cow directly to the cow decorating stand the day of the festival no later than 3 pm the day of the festival.
3. You may decorate your cow any way you would like and with any type of material. They do not have to be represented realistically.
4. Do NOT use temperas or watercolor paints if you plan on using the cow as a lawn decoration. Acrylic or oil paints are fine.
5. Cows will be judged at approximately 4 pm during the event. Winners will be judged in four age categories: Ages 2 – 4, 5 – 7, 8 – 10, 11 to adult. Prizes will be awarded in each age group. Ribbons and prizes will be placed next to the winning entries shortly after 4 pm. Names of the winners will be posted at the hospitality tent located near the cow decorating stand on State Street.
6. All cows may be retrieved from the decorating/display area after 5 pm. Any awarded prizes may be picked up at the hospitality tent located near the cow decorating stand between 5 pm and 6 pm after the judging has taken place.
7. Cows and prizes that are not picked up the day of the festival will be taken to the Our Town Foundation office, 335 State St., Hamburg, and can be picked up between September 4th and September 20th. Call 610-562-3106 to assure that someone will be in the office. Any cows not picked up by September 20th will be discarded.

Call 610-562-3106 with any additional questions
prior to the festival at the Our Town Foundation office, 335 State Street, Hamburg PA.

REGISTRATION FORM FOR 2019 COW DECORATING CONTEST

ENTRY # _____ (provided by Our Town Foundation)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____

Age as of August 31, 2019 _____ **\$5.00 Fee Paid** _____

Signature _____ **Date** _____