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## 2022 NC Apple Festival - Window/Display Contest

#### Theme: "APPLE SPIRIT IN 76"

## **Rules and Regulations**

- 1. Window display should remain in place through the conclusion of the NC Apple Festival "Labor Day."
- 2. Theme for 2022: "APPLE SPIRIT IN 76"
- 3. All Displays must be Original.
- 4. Participants must use <u>Authentic Apples</u> from a local grower and their name displayed in a good location! Window Card will be provided to list Growers Name and Address.
  - "Substitutions for an apple made from paper, plastic, etc. will be excepted if needed to hang from ceiling, window, mannequin, unstable props. If a flat surface or display fixture real apples must be used."
- 5. Include Educational elements as this is the most points given per display. Such NC Apples into your Display, Apple Products, Why Apples are Healthy, Apple Farm Related Equipment, and Fun Facts about Henderson Co. Apple Production.
- 6. Helpful Websites: BlueRidgeAppleGrowers.com, NCApples.com, NCFieldFamily.org, and NCAgr.gov
- 7. EXTRA Elements to your Display not listed could receive extra points.
- 8. Please select the appropriate category for your business.
- 9. Entry Forms need to be received by: Friday, August 26, 2022
- 10. FAX Entry form to: 828-698-1629
- 11. After entry form is returned, if participant CANNOT participate, please contact:

ACE&TA: 828-435-0413 NC Apple Festival: 828-697-4557

Judging will begin at 8:00am - 4:00pm on Thursday September 1, 2022, or when all entries have been judged. All 1-3 place winners will receive ribbons on Thursday after Judging has concluded. The winners will be announced at the Opening Ceremonies of the NC Apple Festival, Friday, 4pm, September 2, 2022. Media outlets will receive the list of participants.

#### **AWARDS**

Up to 50 Participants will receive a Participation Ribbon to hang in their display. Get those Applications in Early and calling your Apple Grower to secure those Apples!

From each category there will be a First, Second, and Third Place Ribbon Awarded ONE overall Judges Choice will be presented from the First Place Winners from the Categories.

# **ALL DECISIONS OF THE JUDGES ARE FINAL!**