



# News Release

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### **Festival announces 2022 exhibits contest winners**

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 8, 2022) – The Florida Strawberry Festival announced today the winners of its annual exhibits contest.

Each year, every exhibit including outside concessions, civic clubs, educational exhibits, arts and crafts, and others are judged on decoration and overall presentation.

“Exhibit judging is a highly anticipated event,” said Florida Strawberry Festival President Paul Davis. “We encourage all of our guests to visit the grounds to see the hard work these vendors and concessioners put into their exhibits.”

In the arts and crafts category, Bee-Haven HoneyFarm won first place, Farmer’s Lane second place, and Montana Antlers Art Flowers third place.

In the commercial exhibits category, Fox Lane Baskets won first place, Ye Olde Toffee Shop second place, and Chocolate Strawberry Express third place.

In the outside concessions category, Cookie Barn won first place, Florida Food Specialties second place, and Garden Farms Soap third place.

In the educational exhibits category, Hillsborough County 4-H Council won first place.

In the civic clubs category, St. Clements Shortcake won first place, East Historical Society Shortcake second place, and Transforming Life Church third place.

In the agricultural exhibits category, Parkesdale Farms won first place, Parkesdale Greenhouse second place, and Florida Strawberry Growers Association third place.

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## **About the Florida Strawberry Festival**

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, over 500,000 visitors enjoy the festival's headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2022 Florida Strawberry Festival will take place March 3 – March 13 in Plant City, Fla. For more information, visit [www.flstrawberryfestival.com](http://www.flstrawberryfestival.com), Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest22).

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