



BAKED FOODS CONTEST INFORMATION

About the Contest

The Baked Food Contest is hosted by the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo Family Fair Committee. This year the contest will take place on Saturday, February 9, 2019.

Age Division

The contestant's division will be determined by their age as of August 31, 2018. There are three divisions. Elementary: 6 - 10 years old, Junior: 11 - 13 years old, Senior: 14 - 18 years old

Baked Food Classes

Each contestant can have one entry per class. Each contestant must work alone. Food items submitted that are not listed in a class will NOT be accepted. Classification changes are NOT allowed on the day of the contest. Below are the classes:

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| 1. Gluten Free | 5. Un-Iced Cake | 9. Pie (non-fruit) |
| 2. Yeast Product, Plain | 6. Quick Bread | 10. Pie (fruit) |
| 3. Yeast Product, Sweet | 7. Bar Cookies | 11. Fudge |
| 4. Iced Cake | 8. Cookies (Rolled, Formed, or Drop) | 12. Candy (other than Fudge) |

Contest Entry

- A \$3.00 per class entry fee must be sent in with the entry form
- All entry forms must be mailed and postmarked by Thursday, January 10, 2019
- Each contestant will be mailed one (1) grounds pass and additional instructions after all forms and fees are received

Food Item Presentation

- We prefer that food item(s) be placed on a disposable plate or thin board no larger than 10" x 14"
- Entries that are not labeled properly will be placed in a class at the discretion of the committee
- Cookies, Candy, or Fudge entries must include twelve (12) pieces for judging
- We recommend that food item(s) be wrapped in clear plastic food wrap
- A copy of the recipe must be taped to the top of the dish
- The following information must be on a 3X5 index card taped on the bottom of the dish:
 - Name of Baked Food Item & Class Entered
 - Contestant Name
 - Age Division (Elementary, Junior or Senior)
 - County of Residence

Restrictions

- Any cake presented with a glaze or icing of any kind will be placed in the Iced Cake class
- Any items requiring refrigeration are NOT allowed, this includes cream cheese icing
- Pre-made mixes are NOT allowed to be the main ingredient of an entry
- On-site preparation will NOT be allowed

Show Day

- All items must be checked in between 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
- Baked food items will be released after winners are posted
- Baked food items not picked up by 1:30 PM will be disposed of
- Any awards or prizes not picked up by 1:30 PM will be mailed to the winners

Judging and Awards

- Judges' decisions are final
- Awards will be posted between Noon – 1:00 PM on the day of the contest
- Contestants placing 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Best of Show will be awarded banners, ribbons, or cash prizes
- Best of Show is selected from all first place class winners
- Judges and Family Fair Committee members are the only people allowed in the judging area

***If you have questions or need assistance before February 4, 2019, please contact:

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