

HUNTERDON COUNTY 4-H & AGRICULTURAL FAIR

August 20-24

BAKED GOODS

Entries taken on Tuesday, August 19th

12 noon – 2:30 p.m.

Contest Rules:

- There will be no pre-registration and there will be no prize money. Ribbons will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in all classes. A Best of Show will be chosen from among the 1st prize winners in each category. Ribbons may be picked up at the tent following judging on Tuesday, August 19th or until 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 24th when the fair closes.
- All entries are to be registered and received at the Agricultural Tent on Tuesday, August 19th (the day before the fair opens) from 12 noon to 2:30 p.m. Exhibitor's name may not appear on the entry, only on the exhibitor card. Judging will begin immediately at 3:00 p.m.
- All entries must be submitted with complete recipe, including a list of all ingredients, amounts, preparation, cooking time and temperatures. Commercial mixes used for any part of the product will disqualify the entry from judging. Entries should be presented on disposable plates and should be covered. **Prize winning baked products from previous years are not eligible for judging.**
- All entries must be made by the exhibitor. Competition is open to all ages. Children are welcome to compete in any class. There are three classes especially for juniors age 5 to 16, My Favorite Cookie class #820, Brownies class #821, The entry must be made by the child (no adult help, please).
- Exhibitors may enter a maximum of one product in each category. Judging will be based on accepted standards appropriate to the product. All recipes and goods preparation must follow current USDA standards. No raw eggs are to be used for entries. Entries requiring refrigeration such as custard or cream fillings, whipped cream toppings or meat/cheese fillings will also not be accepted. All pies must be accompanied by the recipes for filling and crust. Taste testing will be subject to the discretion of the judges should there be any question of food safety.
- Following judging, a portion of each product will be displayed. The entire product judged Best in Show will be displayed. All other remaining products may be picked up Tuesday, August 19th after 8:00 p.m. at the Agriculture Tent. Any items not picked up will be disposed of. A card containing the name and address of the exhibitor will be attached to the exhibit after it has been judged.
- Any entries unfit to show will be disqualified.
- After the exhibits are arranged, they will be under exclusive charge of the fair committee and not even the owner shall have the right to remove them until the exhibit is closed. The management may at any time remove an exhibit which is in bad condition.
- All classes are open to all exhibitors, but subject to above rules and regulations.