

DIVISION 4

BAKED GOODS

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Adults 18 years and over.

RULES: NOTE RULE CHANGES FOR 2021 COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

1. Please read and follow all the important information and rules on the website.
2. Only 1 entry per class.
3. All entries, excluding decorated, must be brought on disposable plates or trays and wrapped for freshness. Home Arts is not responsible for any other plates.
4. Recipe sharing welcomed, but not mandatory. Shared recipes will be posted in the Home Arts Building for the duration of the fair, recipes may also be posted online.
5. All entries, excluding decorated, will be disposed at the end of the fair or when item becomes a health/safety concern, whichever comes first. Only awarded ribbons will be available for pick-up at end of fair.
6. Ribbons are to be picked up at the time indicated in the general rules. Present receipt stub to the Baked Goods Committee for the ribbon awards. No ribbons will be mailed.
7. Entire baked goods must be entered unless indicated.
8. Due to Covid-19 concerns judging for the 2021 baked goods contest is as follows:
 - Items this year will not be tasted, instead they will be judged strictly by an updated standards guideline
 - Updated standards guide will be released on-line for entrant review no later than July 1st
9. Since there are no facilities for refrigeration prior to judging, items which are perishable/heavily affected by heat should not be brought to the fairgrounds prior to 4:30 p. m. if possible.
10. Please take into consideration the weather and heat. Items that are deemed inedible/damaged at the time of judging due to spoilage will not be judged.

SECTION A - CAKES

- Class 1 - White**
- Class 2 - Chocolate**
- Class 3 - Yellow**
- Class 4 - Pound Cake**
- Class 5 - Cheesecake**
- Class 6 - Cake with Fruit**
- Class 7 - Cake with Vegetable**
- Class 8 - Cake with Nuts**
- Class 9 - Any other cake with icing**
- Class 10 - Any other cake without icing**

SECTION B - PIES

- Class 1 - Double crust, Fruit Filling**
- Class 2 - Single crust, Custard/Cream/Yogurt**
- Class 3 - Single crust, Meringues**
- Class 4 - Single crust, Fruit Filling**
- Class 5 - Single crust, Vegetable Filling**
- Class 6 - Single crust, Any Other**
- Class 7 - Tarts - 3 on a plate**

SECTION C - BREADS

- Class 1 - Yeast Bread - White**
- Class 2 - Yeast Bread - Dark**
- Class 3 - Quick Bread - Plain**
- Class 4 - Quick Bread - Fruit and/or Nut**
- Class 5 - Vegetable Bread**
- Class 6 - Any Other Bread**
- Class 7 - Coffee Cake/Ring - Plain, Fruit and/or Nut**
- Class 8 - Buns, 4 on a plate**
- Class 9 - Biscuits, 4 on a plate**
- Class 10 - Rolls, 4 on a plate**

Class 11 - Muffins, 4 on a plate

SECTION D - COOKIES & BARS (ENTER 4)

- Class 1 - Ginger
- Class 2 - Oatmeal
- Class 3 - Peanut Butter
- Class 4 - Chocolate Chip
- Class 5 - Brownies
- Class 6 - Macaroons
- Class 7 - Sugar
- Class 8 - Butter
- Class 9 - Pressed
- Class 10 - Filled
- Class 11 - Layer or Bar
- Class 12 - Any Other Cookies

SECTION E - CUPCAKES (ENTER 4)

- Class 1 - White
- Class 2 - Chocolate
- Class 3 - Yellow
- Class 4 - Any Other

SECTION F - FRIED DOUGHS (ENTER 4)

- Class 1 - Any Item

SECTION G - DECORATED

Exhibitor may pick up entry at end of fair.

- Class 1 - Decorated Cake, Mold Pan
 - a) Fondant
 - b) Buttercream
 - c) Any Other
- Class 2 - Decorated Cake, Freeform
 - a) Fondant
 - b) Buttercream
 - c) Any Other
- Class 3 - Non-Edible Base, Mold
 - a) Fondant
 - b) Buttercream
 - c) Any Other
- Class 4 - Non-Edible Base, Freeform
 - a) Fondant
 - b) Buttercream
 - c) Any Other
- Class 5 - Gingerbread or Cookie House/Structure
- Class 6 - Any Other Decorated Cookie
- Class 7 - Sugar/Marzipan/Fondant Decorations
- Class 8 - Any Other

SECTION H - CANDIES (ENTER 6)

- Class 1 - Fudge
- Class 2 - Hard Candy
- Class 3 - Soft Candies
- Class 4 - Candied Fruit
- Class 5 - Any Other Fruit Candy
- Class 6 - Toffee
- Class 7 - Chocolate
- Class 8 - Filled Candies
- Class 9 - Molded Candies
- Class 10 - Any Other

SECTION I - CULTURAL SPECIALITIES

- Class 1 - Cakes

- Class 2** - Pies
- Class 3** - Breads
- Class 4** - Cookies
- Class 5** - Candies

**DIVISION 4-A
JUNIOR BAKED GOODS**

For Exhibitors 17 years of age and under

Use same Sections and Classes as Adults.

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**DIVISION 4-S
SPECIAL PARTICIPANT BAKED GOODS**

For Exhibitors of any age with special developmental needs and abilities

Use same Sections and Classes as Adults.