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2016 HANDBOOK

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DEPARTMENT
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The 2016 Creative Arts Handbook is your ready reference guide to all of the State Fair of Texas' creative contests. We've added some great new competitions this year to accompany your favorites, so you'll have more opportunities than ever to flex your creative muscle. Along with the 950 plus categories of pre-Fair art and craft challenges, we offer approximately 200 cooking contests that take place every day of the Fair as well. Whether this is your first year or 25th year competing, make this your year to explore your wildly creative side.

There are two ways to enter:

IN PERSON:
- Deadline to mail your entry form and fee is Friday, July 22, 2016.
- An entry receipt will be mailed or emailed to you.
- Bring this receipt and your entry item to the Creative Arts Building on Friday, Saturday or Sunday, Aug. 12, 13, 14, from 9am to 5pm. If your receipt does not arrive in time to bring with you, bring entries in anyway.

BY MAIL:
- Deadline to mail in your entry form, fee, item and return-mail postage* is Friday, July 22, 2016.

After judging, all exhibitors will be notified of their entry's status via mail or email. Also, keep an eye on www.bigtex.com, where we'll post all the judging results. Entries that are awarded ribbons will be on display in the Creative Arts Building during the entire run of the Fair.

Please read the following pages for details on contest rules and guidelines. Note that only one entry per person per category is allowed.

The Creative Arts staff is delighted that you'll be sharing your creations in this year's contests. We can't wait to see y'all soon!

Best wishes,
Kathy Bennett

* We ask that you include return-mail postage on items other than photographs to avoid C.O.D. charges.
CREATIVE ARTS SHOWPLACE THEATRE
Performances Daily

"WORLD ON A STRING"

OUTGO'S CELEBRITY CHEF PROGRAM
DAILY DEMOS
11:00 am  *  12:30 pm  *  2:30 pm  *  4:30 pm

HOME DEPOT'S STATE FAIR

COMPETITION KITCHEN (CONTESTS DAILY)
2016 Cookbooks for sale, “featuring winning recipes” from contests held during 2015.
Big Tex® Cookie Cutters & Linens – for sale!!!

BUTTER SCULPTURE
By: Ken Robison

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS WEB PAGE

http://www.bigtex.com
Look for Creative Arts Competitions, complete listing of Contest Dates, Rules and Categories.
Judging Results will be listed for all Departments and Contests.

FAIR TIME BUILDING HOURS
Friday and Saturday – 10 am to 10 pm
Sunday thru Thursday – 10 am to 9 pm
OUR MISSION

The State Fair of Texas celebrates all things Texan by promoting agriculture, education, and community involvement through quality entertainment in a family-friendly environment.

WE ARE COMMITTED TO

• Education and agriculture as our foundation.

• Operating in a fiscally conscious manner.

• Providing excellent customer service.

• Investing in the Fair product, our Fair Park home, and our community.

• Responsible stewardship to ensure that the State Fair of Texas will thrive for future generations.

• Preserving the traditions of our historic institution.

• Constant innovation for future Fairs’ success.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS®

The State Fair of Texas® is a unique company, in that it is a tax exempt, non-profit corporation that operates in a publicly owned park.

Fair Park is managed and operated by the Park and Recreation Department of the City of Dallas.

Our take-in dates, give-back dates and hours are often difficult to set because of the numerous events taking place in Fair Park during the months before the fair starts. Last minute schedule changes are not uncommon. We work hard to make participating in our department enjoyable for all.

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* Title Change in 1988 from General Manager to President
2016 RULES AND ENTRY GUIDELINES

We invite you to enter exhibits for competition and awards in any department or contest. Children and teenagers are invited to enter open classes or special sections, according to their age. Age designations for entries shall be consistent throughout all departments and contests and, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

- **Children** (up to 11 years of age)
- **Junior** (12 to 17 years of age)
- **Adult** (18+ years of age)
- **Honorary** (70+ years of age, or persons in rest homes or hospitals)

Articles which have been displayed at any previous exhibition of the State Fair of Texas will not be accepted a second time.

All handmade articles for competition must be made by one individual, and entries cannot be accepted from two or more persons, nor from groups or organizations, unless otherwise specified! (Exception: a Two-person quilt and a Group Quilt - 3 persons or more). Security is provided during building hours. Every precaution is taken to protect all articles, but it is distinctly understood that in no case shall the State Fair of Texas®, its directors, officers or employees be held responsible for any loss, damage, or injury of any character to any person, animal, vehicle, art work, exhibit or article, while participating in the Creative Arts / Special Events Department at the State Fair of Texas®. Any insurance deemed necessary by an exhibitor must be provided by that exhibitor.

Employees of the Creative Arts / Special Events Department of the State Fair of Texas® may not exhibit in any department. Any complaints or grievances not settled before the end of the fair should be sent in writing to the Director of Creative Arts / Special Events, State Fair of Texas®. Include all pertinent information. After a full review, the decision of the Director and staff shall be final.

The entry guidelines, as well as rules and instructions, are listed below. All entries and awards in this department shall be subject to the rules and instructions published in this handbook and should be read by each participant.

The first half of this book is dedicated to the items that are entered into the fair for display in our numerous showcases. These items must be entered pre-Fair in order to give time for judging and decorating.

The second half of this book is dedicated to the many contests, including cooking contests, which Creative Arts conducts during the Fair.
A. PRE-FAIR ENTRIES

1. Each person desiring to enter articles in the Creative Arts Department Competition must first register their “entry item's information” using the Entry Form (located in the back of this handbook and mailing to us by Friday, July 22, 2016 - which is the closing date for registration.) This form may be duplicated and must be used to register in all departments that you are entering except Food Contests held during the Fair. (See # 9 below).

2. Each entry item's information must be typed or printed on the Entry Form (12 items per page) and must include the following:
   - Name of exhibitor
   - Complete mailing & email address
   - Daytime telephone number
   - Department letter (A, B, C, etc.)
   - Class number & (description of class used in handbook)
   - Entry fee applicable to the article (fees vary)
   - Payment for all entry fees.

3. Entry fees vary and are listed under each department or contest. Entry fees must accompany all registrations. Checks or money orders should be made out to State Fair of Texas. All returned or insufficient funds checks will be subject to a $40.00 fee. Entry fees will not be refunded or transferred.

4. There is no entry fee charge for senior citizens, age 70+, or those in hospitals or nursing homes, who then become Honorary entrants.

5. Entry items may be transferred to another class prior to judging if the Director and Department Manager decide it would fit better in another category. However, exhibitors are responsible for their own entry errors and those of their agents filling out entry blanks.

6. Only one entry is allowed in a class number.

7. Entry items not classified in the handbook will not be accepted for competition.

8. Confirmation receipts for all registrations will be sent via email or by US Post Office mail. If you do not receive your receipt in time for take-in, please bring your items anyway. We will have you in our system.

9. To register for food contests held during the Fair, use the "food contest entry form" which is located in the handbook on back of the contest information. Only the food contests that are cooked in the building require advance registration to reserve an oven. Participants will be chosen by lottery drawing. See each cook off contest for rules.
B. DELIVERY of ENTRIES - (ENTRY ITEMS CAN BE DELIVERED IN PERSON or “MAILED IN” – see description below:)

1. Entry items DELIVERED IN PERSON should be brought, along with your registration confirmation receipt which we email or mail to you after we receive your entry form, to the Creative Arts Building on August 12, 13 or 14, 2016, from 9 am to 5 pm. Please bring items in even if your receipt does not reach you in time.
   - Entry items that are DELIVERED IN PERSON must be picked up in person, unless you have requested in writing that the entry item be returned by mail and have provided packaging and prepaid postage.

2. Entry items “MAILED IN” must ACCOMPANY entry form and entry fees and must be received by Friday, July 22, 2016. Packages should be sent prepaid to our address on page 1.
   - Entry items that are MAILED IN will be returned at the close of the fair and “PREPAID POSTAGE IS NOW REQUIRED”. Please include with your entry form and entry fee adequate postage or a prepaid return mailing label to return mail the package. Note: COD costs have become too expensive for all concerned. No money orders, checks or cash will be accepted from exhibitors for return of packages. It usually requires three + weeks to prepare shipments after the fair closes.
   - Exception: Mailed-in Photographs do not require a prepaid return mailing label because the return postage fee is included in the entry fee.

C. JUDGING

1. Judging will begin after August 14th, which is the last day pre-fair “delivered in person” entries are accepted.

2. Only winning entries will be exhibited during the Fair and they must remain on display for the entire period of the Fair.

3. An entry will be judged on its individual merit and will place as the judges deem fitting. It is possible that a ribbon will not be awarded.

4. After judging, exhibitors will be notified by mail, as to the status of their entry. Non-winning items MUST be picked up as follows:

   "PRE FAIR - NON-WINNING" ENTRY ITEM PICK UP:

   Wednesday, September 07 (Noon to 5 pm)
   Thursday, September 08 (9 am to 5 pm)
   Friday, September 09 (9 am to 5 pm)
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Note: Entries items not picked up will be stored in the attic until after the Fair, but MUST BE picked up by Friday, October 28th, 2016, or a LATE FEE OF $10 WILL BE CHARGED.

POST FAIR PICK UP  "PLEASE NOTE NEW HOURS"

Wednesday,  October 26  Noon – 5pm
Thursday,    October 27  9am – 5pm
Friday,      October 28  9am – 7pm

Note: All entries items ""MUST"" be picked up at this time, or a $10 LATE FEE will incur. If items are NOT picked up, they may be disposed of or donated to a local charity.

BEST COMPETITOR AWARD
For Cooking Contests during Fair Time
1st place - $100  2nd Place - $50  3rd Place - $25

Awarded to contestants with the most purple, blue, red and white ribbons won in cooking contests during the Fair. Points are calculated as follows:

Best of Show Purple Ribbon  -  4 points
Blue Ribbon  -  3 points
Red Ribbon  -  2 points
White Ribbon  -  1 point

Best Competitor Award Ribbons will be awarded following the last contest on Sunday, October 23, 2016.

Note: 2015 First Place winner will not be eligible to compete for this award in 2016

THE DIRECTOR’S AWARD

The Director of Creative Arts / Special Events will select one entry that best represents the current year’s theme of the State Fair of Texas®. A special ribbon will be awarded.
DEFINITIONS

AMATEUR: A person who engages in an event or activity as a pastime rather than a profession.

CLASS: A group of like exhibits that are judged together, a sub-category of a department, same as lot.

CLASS NUMBER: The number assigned to each class or lot.

DEPARTMENT: A generalized category of exhibits or a group of classes / lots.

ENTRY: An eligible exhibit which is entered and judged.

EXHIBITOR: The owner of the exhibit as shown on the entry form.

EXHIBITOR NUMBER: A permanent number that is assigned each person entering the Creative Arts Department of the fair.

HANDBOOK: A book that contains rules and regulations regarding entry in the Creative Arts Department of the fair.

LOT: Same as a class.

RULE BOOK: Same as handbook.

PROFESSIONAL: A person who engages in an event or activity for monetary profit (& earns more than $2,000 per year), a person who teaches and / or instructs a particular craft or skill (i.e. sewing, needlework, baking, and so on). In Photography, a professional photographer uses photography to earn money; amateur photographers take photographs for pleasure and to record an event, emotion, place or person.

Any person who has edited, produced, printed and published a cookbook for individual gain will not be eligible to compete.
Creative Arts Department
State Fair of Texas®

Entry Information
and
Mailing List Policy

Each year we mail our HANDBOOK in May. Those who have entered the previous year will receive a handbook free of charge.

If you have not entered and would like to receive the book, send $5.00 to:

Creative Arts Mailing List
P. O. Box 150009
Dallas, TX 75315

Please send in your request as soon as possible. Use the form below.

The same information is available on our web page starting in June each year at http://www.bigtex.com

Clip out and mail this form with $5.00. Make payment to State Fair of Texas

Please send the 2016 or the 2017 Handbook to the following:

Print Name:__________________________________________

Print Address:_______________________________________

Print City:_________________ State______Zip___________
DEPARTMENT A

ART

FOUR (4) ENTRIES ONLY

ENTRY FEES:
ADULT SECTION -- $5.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION -- $4.00 per entry
CHILDREN'S SECTION -- $2.00 per entry

- Please read # A "PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- The Art Department is open to amateurs only and all art must have been completed within the year prior to entry.
- Works from teachers and professional artists are acceptable if they do not earn $2,000 of their income per year from the sale of their art.
- No picture larger than 3' x 3' (including frame) will be accepted.
- MAXIMUM WEIGHT 25 LBS., WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF OVER.
- Breakable glass on pictures is not allowed!! (You may use Plexiglass, non-breakable glass or plastic!)
- Entries must be sturdily framed and equipped with proper hangers, screws and wire. If in the judgment of the Director of Creative Arts this is not properly done, the art piece will not be considered for judging.
- Works which have been exhibited in the State Fair of Texas Art Department will not be accepted a second time.
- The State Fair of Texas is not responsible for damaged, broken and/or missing items.
- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.

ADULT SECTION

Contestants are permitted to enter FOUR (4) classes only, and only one entry per class.

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ADULT - OIL / ACRYLIC / PASTEL

A100. Still Life, i.e. food & veggies, flower(s)  A106. Seascape
A101. Landscape with or without people; fowl or animals; summer or winter scene  A107. Town or Cityscape
A104. Fantasy  A110. State Fair Theme-Current Yr
A105. Abstract  A111. Any Subject
ADULT- WATER COLOR

Class
A112. Any Subject

ADULT- INK

A113. Any Subject

ADULT- CHARCOAL OR PENCIL

A114. Landscape with or without people, poultry or animals
A117. Still life, i.e. food & vegetables
A115. Animal
A118. Any subject
A116. Portrait

ADULT-MIXED MEDIA

A119. Two mediums combined to complete art work (Example: charcoal-pencil, or ink-acrylic)

ADULT-PRINTMAKING

A120. Printmaking

JUNIOR SECTION

(Twelve Years through Seventeen Years)

Contestants are permitted to enter FOUR (4) classes only, and only one entry per class.

The age of each exhibitor should be written on entry form sheet. Juniors may enter the Adult Art Section but will be in competition with Adults. Juniors will not be able to enter both Junior & Adult Divisions in Art.

BEST OF SHOW AWARDED

Awards Offered in Each Class

| 1st | 2nd | 3rd | HMs |

JUNIOR - OIL / ACRYLIC / PASTEL

Class
A121. Animal/bird
A122. Still Life, i.e. food & veggies, flower(s)
A123. Landscape
A124. Portrait
A125. Seascape
A126. Any Subject

JUNIOR - WATERCOLOR

A127. Any Subject

JUNIOR- INK

A128. Any Subject

JUNIOR- CHARCOAL OR PENCIL

A129. Animal/bird
A130. Landscape/Seascape
A131. Portrait
A132. Still life, i.e. food & vegetables
A133. Any subject
JUNIOR- MIXED MEDIA
A134. Two mediums combined to complete art work. (Example: charcoal-pencil, ink-acrylic)

CHILDREN’S SECTION
Any Media - Any Subject
Age 6 Years – 11 Years Only

ENTRY FEE $2.00

Each exhibitor is permitted only one entry in this section. Choose one from the following media – oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, ink, charcoal, pencil, finger painting, crayola. Artwork must have been completed within the last year. Entries must be sturdily framed and equipped with proper hangers, screws and wire. If in the judgment of the Director of Creative Arts this is not properly done, the art piece will not be considered for judging. No picture over 3' x 3' (including frame) will be accepted. Contestant, by entering, understands and accepts without recourse of any kind that damage may occur.

BEST OF SHOW AWARDED – FROM ALL 1ST PLACE RIBBONS
CHILDREN’S SECTION

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DEPARTMENT B

CERAMICS and HANDPAINTED CHINA

ENTRY FEES:
HOBBYISTS SECTION---$4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION---$3.00 per entry
CHILDREN'S SECTION---$2.00 per entry

Contestants are permitted to enter all classes listed, but only one entry per class.

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- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in the front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- No item is to exceed 18" x 18" x 18" due to the size of display cases.
- Hanging objects must have proper hanging equipment.
- No item weighing more than 5 lbs. will be accepted.
- Plate racks, jewelry display boards, etc. must be provided if that is the way it is to be displayed.
- All articles must have been made within the last year and not entered in the State Fair in prior years.
- The State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

Edible substances will not be accepted as entries.

HOBBYISTS SECTION

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CERAMICS / EARTHENWARE

Class
B100. Decorated Ceramics (slip trailing, glass inlay, etc.)

UNDERGLAZE

B101. Opaque
B102. Combination opaque & translucent
B103. Sgraffiti
B104. Translucent
B105. Airbrush
B106. Marbleizing
B107. Miscellaneous

OVERGLAZE

B108. Metallic (gold, copper, silver)
B109. Lustre
B110. Decals
B111. Miscellaneous

GLAZE

B112. Single glaze
B113. Textured glaze
B114. Controlled glaze
B115. Miscellaneous
UNFIRED STAINS

B116. Opaque
B117. Any article of stain combined with glaze
B118. Dry brush
B119. Airbrush

B120. Combination stain & textured glaze
B121. Translucent
B122. Miscellaneous

SEASONAL

B123. Nativity sets (no more than five pieces allowed)
B124. Any other holiday
B125. Any article of Christmas

B126. Any article of ceramic or porcelain using State Fair Theme as subject

ORIGINALS IN CLAY
(Not to Exceed 14”)

B127. Angels
B128. Hand modeling – slab
B129. Raku (Japanese pottery technique)
B130. Hand modeling – coil
B131. Sculpture (3 dimensional)
B132. Bowl
B133. Cup
B134. Plate
B135. Pot

B136. Fired metals clay
B137. Pitcher
B138. Vase
B139. Hand thrown wheel work
B140. Stoneware
B141. Porcelain
B142. Pinch
B143. Fretwork
B144. Incise
B145. Miscellaneous

POLYMER CLAY
(Must Be Baked)

B146. Any article
B147. Jewelry
B148. Boxes

B149. Sculpture (3 dimensional)
B150. Vases

HAND-PAINTED CHINA ON BLANKS

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B153. Miniatures (3" x 5" & under)  B158. Figures, one or more in design
B154. Birds or fowl  B159. Fruits, nuts, berries or vegetables
B155. Florals  B160. Jewelry, one or a set
B156. Scenes  B161. Miscellaneous
B157. Seasonal or holiday

JUNIOR SECTION
(Twelve through Seventeen Years)

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POLYMER CLAY
(Must Be Baked)

B167. Any article  B170. Sculpture
B168. Jewelry  B171. Vases
B169. Boxes

POTTERY
(3 Dimensional Art Work)

B172. Sculpture  B173. Any article except sculpture

CHILDREN’S SECTION
(Eleven Years & Under)

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DEPARTMENT C
DESIGNER-CRAFTSMAN
TWO ENTRIES ONLY
(Only one entry per class)
ENTRY FEES:
ADULT SECTION --- $4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION --- $3.00 per entry
CHILDREN'S SECTION --- $2.00 per entry
• Please read # "A"PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on
page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
• Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in the front of
this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
• Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.
• Articles must be completely finished & must have been completed within
the last year.
• All hanging items (including stained glass, wood and mosaic) must be
steadily equipped with proper hangers, chains and screws.
• 36" x 36" x 36" maximum on all items. "EXCEPTION": walking
 canes, walking sticks and swords (not to exceed 52"").
• No item to exceed 25 pounds.
• No concrete items accepted.
• Awards made on quality of workmanship and originality of design. No kits.
• The State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or
missing items.

ADULT SECTION
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EGG ART
(ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS)
(No artificial or ceramic eggs will be accepted)

Class
C100. Decorated
C101. Cut or mechanical
C102. Any kind of egg with State Fair Theme-Current Year

LEATHERCRAFT
(ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS)
Articles entered in this section must be cut and made by the exhibitor. All designs used
on articles must be original. Awards will be made on the originality, suitability, applied
craftsmanship and general appearance of the embellished design, construction pattern
and material used in creating the leather article.

C103. Any leather article - machine sewn
C104. Any tooled leather article (carved, stamped and/or embossed)
C105. Any leather article - hand sewn
# MISCELLANEOUS CRAFTS

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**NOTE**

ASSEMBLAGE: An artistic composition made from scraps, junk, odds & ends, (such as paper, cloth, wood, stone, metal). Usually 3 dimensional.

COLLAGE: An artistic composition made of various materials (such as paper, cloth, wood) glued on a picture surface.

ENCAUSTIC PAINTING: Also known as hot wax painting, involves using heated beeswax to which colored pigments are added. The liquid or paste is then applied to a surface—usually prepared wood, though canvas and other materials are often used.

# JEWELRY

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**MOSAIC TILE**

(Glass, Stone and Ceramic- 25 Pound Maximum)

*No Concrete Items!!*

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**SCRAPBOOKING**

(Pages Must Be In Sleeves)

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**STAINED GLASS**

(No article to exceed 36" x 36" overall)

Each stained glass hanging piece must be sturdily equipped with proper hangers, chains and screws.

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GLASS

C137. Fused glass
C138. Slumping
C139. Flameworking beads
C140. Flameworking jewelry

C141. Flameworking sculpture
C142. Flameworking vessel
C143. Hot Shop glass-hand blown
C144. Glass jewelry

TEXTILES

C145. Woven: Articles of tableware, warp and weft thread structure
C146. Woven articles
C147. Woven wall hangings and rugs
C148. Printed fabrics or painted fabrics
C149. Creative stitchery, wall hanging (not to exceed 36" x 36" overall)
   (No quilts)
C150. Hand spun, any article

WOOD

(Canes, Walking Sticks and Swords - Not to Exceed 52”)

C151. Wood inlay, any article
C152. Turned wood, any article
C153. Carved design, stylized, relief & chip
C154. Canes, walking sticks, swords
C155. Carved human, realistic
C156. Carved animal, realistic
C157. Carved fish, realistic
C158. Wood design, using automatic
   Technology (CNC, Computerized
   Laser & 3D Photography)
C159. Carved bird/fowl/realistic
C160. Carved caricatures
C161. Bird house or feeder
C162. Fretwork
C163. Boxes & chests
C164. Children’s toys
C165. Any other using State
   Fair Theme, current year

FOLK ART

(No Ceramics)

C166. Stool
C167. Animal
C168. Fowl
C169. Plaque
C170. Miscellaneous

DECORATED GOURDS

C171. Mixed Media
C172. Fantasy / Whimsical
C173. Carved/Pyrography
C174. Vessels
C175. Birdhouses
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JUNIOR SECTION
(Twelve Years of Age to Seventeen Years)

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**Class**
C176. Tooled leather article (carved, stamped and/or embossed)
C177. Any hand-sewn article of leather

METAL WORK

**Class**
C178. Jewelry: with or without stones
C179. Sculpture, metal
C180. Metal/ Misc., Embossing

MISCELLANEOUS CRAFTS

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MOSAIC TILE
(Glass, Stone and Ceramic)
(No Concrete – not to exceed 25 pounds)

**Class**
C193. Any article

STAINED GLASS
(No article to exceed 36" x 36" overall)

Each stained glass hanging piece must be sturdily equipped with proper hangers, chains and screws.

**Class**
C194. Any article of stained glass
TEXTILES
C195. Printed fabrics: silk screen, stencil, block painting, batik textiles

WOOD
(Canes, Walking Sticks and Swords Not to Exceed 52"")
C196. Turned wood article
C197. Carved design article
C198. Bird House or feeder
C199. Canes, walking sticks swords

FOLK ART
(No Ceramics)
C200. Animal
C201. Plaque
C202. Duct Tape
C203. String Art
C204. Any other
C205. Recycled Items

GLASS
C206. Fused glass

CHILDREN’S SECTION
Eleven Years & Under

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Class
C207. Any article of leathercraft
C208. Assemblage, wood
C209. Assemblage, other material
C210. College, any material
C211. Baskets, any media
C212. Gourds
C213. Papier mache
C214. Printed fabrics: silk screen, stencil, block painting, batik textiles
C215. Any craft using State Fair Theme, Current Year
C216. Paper craft, origami
C217. Glass (fused)
C218. Any Jewelry
C219. Any Sculpture
C220. Plaque
C221. Any article, Mosaic
C222. Paper Cutting, Paper Tole
C223. Masks
C224. Carved design article
C225. Bird House or Feeder
C226. Wood Art
C227. Recycled / found Items
DEPARTMENT D

DOLLS

ENTRY FEES
ADULT SECTION --- $4.00 per entry per class
CHILDREN’S SECTION --- $2.00 per entry per class

Contestants are permitted to enter all classes listed, but only one entry per class.

ALL ENTRIES IN THIS DEPARTMENT “REQUIRE” A STAND FOR PROPER DISPLAY!!

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- The State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.
- Adults and Juniors will compete together in the Adult Section.
- THE COMPOSITION OF THE HEAD DETERMINES THE CLASSIFICATION.
- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.

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ANTIQUE DOLLS
Before 1930, up to 24”
(A&M, Kestner, Simon, Halbig, etc.)

MODERN OR CONTEMPORARY DOLLS
After 1930, UP TO 24”
(Alexander’s, Effanbee, Horsemans, Vogue, Ideal, Mattel)

INTERNATIONAL DOLLS
Up to 24”
D111. Any Country-must be made in country represented & clothed in costume of that country.
D112. Any Country-not made in country represented.
HANDCRAFTED DOLLS
Up to 24" (Made by exhibitor)

D113. Cloth – Sculptured
D114. Cloth – Flat Face
D115. Polymer Clay (Dolls Only)

D116. Wood
D117. Other

HANDCRAFTED DOLLS
Up to 24" (Purchased)

D118. Cloth

D119. Wood

D120. Other

REPRODUCTION DOLLS
Up to 24" (Must be made by Exhibitor)

D121. Bisque, glass eyes

D122. Bisque, painted eyes

D123. China

D124. Other

CHARACTERS, CELEBRITIES AND THEME DOLLS
Up to 24"

D125. Country/Western

D126. Victorian Style

D127. Any Character Doll

D128. Any Celebrity Doll

D129. State Fair Theme, Current Year

D130. Americana

D131. Any Pair

D132. Clowns

D133. Troll Dolls

BEARS
Up to 18"

D134. Bare Bears-made by exhibitor

D135. Bare Bears-not made by exhibitor

D136. Dressed Bears-made by exhibitor

D137. Dressed Bears-not made by exhibitor

ANIMALS
Up to 18"

(No crocheted or knitted animals will be accepted)

D138. Any animal made by exhibitor

D139. Any animal not made by exhibitor

D140. Other
DOLL HOUSE

The entry must be a building consisting of more than 1 room and built to a scale no larger than 1 inch = 1 foot. Furnishings, if included, must be appropriate for the building, to the same scale and must be SECURED IN PLACE. The maximum allowable base size will be 24 inches long by 20 inches deep. The height must not exceed 18 inches. Maximum weight is 25 pounds.

D141. Doll House

CHILDREN’S SECTION

Up to 24”
For Children through 11 years of age

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Class

D142. Dolls before 1930
D143. Dolls 1930 and after
D144. International doll, in costume
D145. Baby Doll

D146. Military
D147. Bears
D148. American Girl Type
D149. Handcrafted doll – by exhibitor
DEPARTMENT E
FOODS
ENTRY FEES: $2.00 per variety

Contestants are permitted to enter 10 classes in this department, but only one entry per class.

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- The State Fair of Texas will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.
- All entries must be the work of the exhibitor and made since Sept. 1, 2015.
- Jars entered for competition must be the correct size as stated in the category being entered and contain no permanent labeling. They must be in sterilized standard customary units either 1/2 pint (8 oz.) or 1 pint (16 oz.), colorless jars specially made for canning with two piece non-decorative lids.
- All jars should be properly filled and sealed by pressure cooker or hot water bath.
- A recipe, typed or printed on a separate sheet of paper with the contestant’s name, address and phone number on the back must accompany each entry. The recipes become the property of the State Fair of Texas.

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VEGETABLES
1 Pint (16 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers – Leave 1/2” head space.
Only 1 jar of each variety required.

Class
E100. Beets
E101. Black eyed Peas
E102. Any other peas
E103. Carrots
E104. Green Beans
E105. Green Peas
E106. Corn
E107. Mixed vegetables
E108. New potatoes
E109. New potatoes & green beans
E110. Okra-whole
E111. Okra-cut up
E112. Okra & tomatoes
E113. Stewed tomatoes
E114. Tomatoes-red, whole

Vegetables will be judged on appearance, color, pack and liquid. Vegetables will not be opened or tasted.
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FRUIT
1 Pint (16 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers - leave 1/2" head space.
Only 1 (one) jar of each variety required.

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Fruit will be judged on color, pack and liquid. Fruit will not be opened or tasted.

PRESERVES
1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers - Leave 1/4" head space.

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed.

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Preserves will be judged on color, consistency, flavor and taste.

MARMALADE
1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers - Leave 1/4" Head Space.

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed.

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Marmalade will be judged on color, consistency, flavor and taste.
BUTTERS

1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers - Leave 1/4" head space.

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed.

E149. Apple
E150. Apricot
E151. Grape
E152. Pear

Butters are made by cooking fruit pulp and sugar to a thick consistency; less sugar is used than in jam. Butters will be judged on appearance, color, consistency, flavor and taste.

RELIST

1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers – Leave 1/4" Head Space.

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed.

E157. Beet
E158. Chowchow
E159. Chutney
E160. Barbecue Sauce
E161. Chili Sauce
E162. Salsa, mild
E163. Salsa, hot
E164. Mincemeat, fruit
E165. Corn relish
E166. Fruit relish
E167. Tomato Sauce, seasoned
E168. Cucumber relish
E169. Green tomato relish
E170. Holiday
E171. Pepper relish
E172. Red tomato relish
E173. Sun dried tomatoes
E174. Yellow squash relish
E175. Cranberry relish
E176. Zucchini relish
E177. Fruit salsa
E178. Mustard

Relish will be judged on color, flavor, texture, pack and taste.

PICKLES

1 Pint (16 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed.

E179. Beets
E180. Bread & butter pickles
E181. Carrots
E182. Cucumber, sour (brined)
E183. Cucumber, sour (quick)
E184. Cucumber, sweet
E185. Dill, cucumbers, whole or sticks
E186. Dill, vegetable, any kind
E187. Dill, hot
E188. Dill, sweet
E189. Figs, sweet
E190. Green Beans
E191. Cauliflower
E192. Mustard pickles
E193. Okra
E194. Onions, tiny, whole
E195. Peach
E196. Peppers, jalapeno
E197. Peppers – other hot varieties
E198. Peppers, sweet, Bell, etc
E199. Squash, zucchini
E200. Squash - yellow
E201. Tomato, chunky
E202. Watermelon

Pickles will be judged on color, flavor, texture, pack and taste.
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JELLY
1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers. Leave 1/4” Head Space.

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JAM
1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers—Leave 1/4” Head Space.

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SUGAR FREE JAM

1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers – Leave 1/4" Head Space.
NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed. "NO HONEY"

Class
E247. Peach jam
E248. Raspberry jam
E249. Strawberry jam,
E250. Tropical Fruit jam, any kind

Jams will be judged on color, consistency, flavor and taste. Natural color of fruit must be the same as the fruit color.

SUGAR FREE JELLY

1/2 Pint (8 oz) Standard Jars with Ring and Lid Covers – Leave 1/4" Head Space.

NOTE: Requirement – 2 (two) of each variety entered - one will be emptied for judging, the other will remain sealed. "NO HONEY"

Class
E251. Peach jelly
E252. Strawberry jelly

Jelly will be judged on color, consistency, flavor and taste.
DEPARTMENT F
HOBBY COLLECTIONS
ENTRY FEE: $4.00 PER CLASS (A.K.A. CATEGORY)

- Please read # A "PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in the front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- Maximum entries three (3) categories only.
- Each entry/category entered must consist of "two (2)" items aged 30 years or older.
- "Exception" is "ANTIQUE" category, only one (1) item 100 years or older.
- Previous "ribbon winners" which have been displayed at the State Fair of Texas will not be accepted a second time.
- The State Fair WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGED, BROKEN AND/OR MISSING ITEMS.
- No edible substances.
- The maximum size is 18 inches long, 12 inches deep, 20 inches high unless pre-approved. Maximum weight 10 lbs.
- No more than two (2) items per frame.

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F143. Kitchen utensils  
F144. Lapel pins  
F145. Lunch boxes  
F146. Luster Ware  
F147. Mechanical items  
F148. Military items  
F149. Milk glass  
F150. Money clips  
F151. Occupied Japan  
F152. Oriental items  
F153. Paperweights  
F154. Perfume bottles  
F155. Photographs, framed  
F156. Pipes  
F157. Pitchers  
F158. Plates  
F159. Pocket items  
F160. Political items  
F161. Post cards, framed  
F162. Pressed glass  
F163. Prints, framed or matted  
F164. Purses  
F165. Salt & pepper shakers (2 pair)  
F166. School items  
F167. Sewing items  
F168. Soft drink items  
F169. Souvenir dishes  
F170. Souvenir spoons  

F171. Sports memorabilia  
F172. State Fair of Texas souvenir items  
F173. Sugar & creamer (2 sets)  
F174. Teapots  
F175. Texas items  
F176. Thimbles  
F177. Tins  
F178. Tools  
F179. Toothpick holders  
F180. Toys, automobiles, trucks  
F181. Toys, games  
F182. Toys, miscellaneous  
F183. Toys, planes  
F184. Toys, trains  
F185. Transportation items  
F186. Trays  
F187. Trophies  
F188. Tumblers  
F189. Valentines, framed  
F190. Vases  
F191. Vintage needlework  
F192. Watches  
F193. Wedgwood  
F194. World's Fair items  
F195. Youth organizations/Boys  
F196. Youth organization/Girls

ANTIQUE ITEMS

SINGLE ITEMS Only – (NO SETS)

This section is for a single item that is 100 years or more of age. “Items less than 100 years old will not be accepted”. State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items. See “ENTRY RULES & GUIDELINES” in front of handbook.

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DEPARTMENT G
HOLIDAY CORNER
ENTRY FEE: 4.00 per entry
Contestants are permitted to enter all classes listed, but only one entry per class.

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- Please read # B “DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS” in the front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- All articles entered in competition in the Holiday Corner Department must have been completed by the exhibitor within the last two years.
- No soiled articles will be accepted.
- No ceramics, plastic canvas or Polymer Clay will be accepted in this department.
- No item weighing more than 25 pounds will be accepted.
- No item larger than 42” x 38” x 24” will be accepted.
- No free standing item over 30” high.
- No Wreaths wider than 30” maximum/diameter.
- Articles for hanging must be properly equipped with hooks, wire and/or brackets. Pipe cleaners cannot be used for hangers.
- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.
- Holiday Corner entries will be judged on originality of design, eye appeal and workmanship.
- The State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

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G115. Santa Claus, “Big Tex” style
G116. Santa Claus other than stuffed or Big Tex
G117. Handmade nativity scene (5 pieces max)
G118. Handmade figures (3 pieces max), 17” high- max
G119. Decorated wearing apparel
G120. Decorated egg shell, (not artificial shell)
G121. Easter decoration
G122. Fireplace decoration
G123. Hanukkah decoration
G124. Independence Day decoration
G125. Mantel cover or decoration
G126. New Year decoration
G127. Pillow (16” x 16” maximum)
G128. Place mat, handmade
G129. Table decoration
G130. Runner, handmade (not to exceed 48”)
G131. Thanksgiving decoration
G132. Valentine decoration
G133. Wall decoration, any material
G134. Wreaths, any material, any holiday theme, (no sports), not to exceed 30”

HALLOWEEN

Class
G135. Archway decoration
G136. Costumes, Child’s (up to size 12-NO ADULT)
G137. Door decoration, no wreaths
G138. Mantle cover or decoration
G139. Masks
G140. Pillow (16” x 16” maximum)
G141. Tablecloths
G142. Table decoration
G143. Wall decoration – no wreaths
G144. Wearing apparel
G145. Window decoration
DEPARTMENT H

NEEDLEPOINT, CREWEL & COUNTED CROSS STITCH

ENTRY FEES
ADULT SECTION --- $4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION --- $3.00 per entry

AMATEURS ONLY

Contestants are permitted to enter all classes listed, “except” only 3 (three) classes can be entered in Counted Cross Stitch categories, and only one entry per class.

- Please read # A "PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in the front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- All articles entered in competition in the Needlepoint, Crewel and Counted Cross Stitch Department must have been completed by the exhibitor within the last two (2) years.
- No soiled articles will be accepted.
- Entries must be of a size suitable to be shown in one of our exhibit cases.
- Framed articles may not exceed 648 square inches, including frame.
- Unframed items may not exceed 24" L x 18" W x 12" D.
- ALL ITEMS MUST BE BLOCKED.
- All hanging articles must be properly equipped with wires, screws or brackets.
- EDIBLE SUBSTANCES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED ON ITEMS ENTERED.
- The State Fair of Texas will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

CREWEL
(Fancy Work Using Wool Thread)
Do Not exceed 648 square inches including frame.

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# NEEDLEPOINT

(Canvas Embroidery, Countwork)

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## AMATEURS ONLY

Needlepoint is up to 16 stitches per inch.
Petit Point is 18 or more stitches per inch.
Bargello is straight vertical or straight horizontal, miscellaneous stitches per inch.

**PAINTED CANVAS/CHARTED DESIGN**—artwork prepared by person other than one doing needlework (thread not included).
A kit is a commercially prepared package, all materials included. Measurements must include frame.

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COUNTED CROSS STITCH

"Only 3 (three) classes may be entered in this section"

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**AMATEURS ONLY**

For information purposes:

Picture: 9" x 13" = 117 square inches. Include frame.
Picture: 15" x 24" = 360 square inches. Include frame.
Picture: 18" x 36" = 648 square inches. Include frame.

**Class**

H136. Picture not over 117 square inches, up to 13 stitches per inch.
H137. Picture 118 to 360 square inches, up to 13 stitches per inch.
H138. Picture 361 to 648 square inches, up to 13 stitches per inch.
H139. Any other article of counted cross stitch, up to 13 stitches per inch.
H140. Picture not over 117 square inches, 14 to 18 stitches per inch.
H141. Picture 118 to 360 square inches, 14 to 18 stitches per inch.
H142. Picture 361 to 648 square inches, 14 to 18 stitches per inch.
H143. Any other article of counted cross stitch, 14 to 18 stitches per inch.
H144. Picture not over 117 square inches, over 18 stitches per inch.
H145. Picture 118 to 360 square inches, over 18 stitches per inch.
H146. Picture 361 to 648 square inches, over 18 stitches per inch.
H147. Any other article of counted cross stitch over 18 stitches per inch—no pillow.
H148. Pillow.
H149. Counted Cross Stitch Christmas stocking over 14 to 18 stitches per inch.
H150. Counted Cross Stitch Christmas stocking up to 13 stitches per inch.
H151. Counted Cross Stitch Sampler.
H152. Computerized Counted Cross Stitch.

**MISCELLANEOUS EMBROIDERY**

(STAMPS DESIGNS- no counted cross stitch)

H153. Pillow
H154. Pillowcase
H155. Picture Kit 118 to 648 square inches (includes frame)

H156. Runner
H157. Other (single item only)
H158. Baby Blanket
H159. Ribbon embroidery

(NOT STAMPED DESIGN- no counted cross stitch)

H160. Ribbon embroidery
H161. Surface embroidery with metal and silk
H162. Foreign embroidery (Brazilian, etc.)
**JUNIOR SECTION**  
(Seventeen years of age and under)

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DEPARTMENT I

NEEDLEWORK AND SEWING

ENTRY FEES:
ADULT SECTION -- $4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION -- $3.00 per entry

Contestants are permitted to enter all classes listed, but only one entry per class.

- Please read # A "PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN OF ENTRY ITEMS" in the front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- No glued items will be accepted in this department.
- All items entered in this department must be completed by the exhibitor within the last (2) two years.
- No soiled articles will be accepted.
- Framed doilies will not be accepted.
- No wall hanging item can exceed 36" x 36".
- All knit and crochet items must be blocked.
- An original item is one TOTALLY conceived and executed by the exhibitor. A kit is a commercially prepared package with pieces to be assembled.
- The State Fair of Texas will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

*Please Note: Knit & Crochet Baby Blankets have moved to Dept. J.*

**ADULT SECTION**

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**CROCHET**

(Thread, Yarn, Ribbon, Work Cotton)

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<td>1114. Article with crochet trim</td>
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<td>1101. Christening Dress</td>
<td>1115. Wearing apparel that does not fit another category</td>
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<td>1102. Doilies up to 12&quot;</td>
<td>1116. Pillow – 24&quot; x 24&quot; (max) crocheted front and back</td>
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<td>1103. Doilies up to 18&quot;</td>
<td>1117. Pillow Doll</td>
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<td>1104. Doilies up to 24&quot;</td>
<td>1118. Vest</td>
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<td>1105. Runner</td>
<td>1119. Infant sweater set (2 or more pieces)</td>
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<td>1106. Toddler dress/suit</td>
<td>1120. Neck scarf</td>
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<td>1107. Stuffed animal or toy, pattern</td>
<td>1121. Baby dress/suit</td>
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<td>1108. Stuffed animal or toy, original design</td>
<td>1122. Recycled / reused</td>
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<td>1109. Tablecloth</td>
<td>1123. Any article of crochet not mentioned above/no afghans</td>
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<td>1110. Sweater</td>
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<td>1111. Toddler sweater</td>
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<td>1112. Hat</td>
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<td>1113. Filet Crochet</td>
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KNITTING

Class
- I124. Stole, shawl or poncho
- I125. Coat, dress or suit
- I126. Child's sweater
- I127. Cardigan sweater
- I128. Slipover sweater
- I129. Original design (any article)
- I130. Baby dress/suit
- I131. Stuffed animal or toy, original design
- I132. Stuffed animal or toy, pattern
- I133. Toddler sweater
- I134. Knitted Lace
- I135. Christening Dress
- I136. Hat
- I137. Neck scarf
- I138. Socks / gloves
- I139. Hand Bag or Tote
- I140. Infant sweater set (2+ pieces)
- I141. Vest

MISCELLANEOUS HANDWORK
(NEEDLEWORK)

Class
- I142. Beadwork, wearing apparel
- I143. Beadwork, jewelry
- I144. Beadwork, any article other than above
- I145. Felt craft, using purchased felt
- I146. Needle felting
- I147. Hand knitted or crochet felting
- I148. Any article of appliqué
- I149. Quilted wall hanging not to exceed 36" x 36" (hand quilted)
- I150. Pull thread
- I151. Any article of tatting
- I152. Soft sculpture

BOBBIN LACE

Class
- I153. Original design-pattern developed and worked by lacemaker
- I154. Adapted design-pattern interpreted by lacemaker

SMOCKING

Class
- I155. Child's Dress, size 1 to 3
- I156. Child's Dress, size 4 to 7
- I157. Child's Dress, size 8 to 12
- I158. Any article other than above

HARDANGER

Class
- I159. Household item

SEWING MACHINE ARTICLES

Class
- I160. Children's wearing apparel
- I161. Infant's wearing apparel
- I162. Machine quilted wall hanging-max 36" square
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DOLL CLOTHES

* Doll clothes MUST be removable.
* (Clothes may be entered without dolls)

**Class**

| I179. Doll Clothes - Sewn |
| I180. Doll Clothes - Crochet |

**JUNIOR SECTION**

(Seventeen years of age and under)

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**Class**

| I181. Appliqué, any article |
| I182. Beadwork, any article |
| I183. Crochet, any article |
| I184. Knitting, any article |
| I185. Patchwork, any article |
| I186. Pillow – 12” x 12” max |
| I187. Hand sewn, any article |
| I188. Recycled / reused |
| I189. Sewing Machine work, any article |
| I190. Stuffed animal |
| I191. Bobbin lace- orig. design |
| I192. Bobbin lace - adapted design |
DEPARTMENT J

AFGHANS, RUGS, QUILTS AND BEDSPREADS

ENTRY FEES:
ADULT SECTION --- $4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION --- $3.00 per entry

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- All articles entered in competition in the Afghans, Rugs, Quilts and Bedspreads Department must have been completed by the exhibitor within the last (2) two years.
- Entry fee is waived for all exhibitors over 70 years of age or in rest homes or hospitals.
- The Department is for AMATEURS ONLY. No teachers or professionals.
- State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

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"ALL AFGHANS MUST BE BLOCKED"

AFGHANS
(Large – 50" x 70" and over, excluding fringe)

AFGHANS
(Small – less than 50" x 70", excluding fringe)

AFGHANS
(Infants and Toddlers)
(From Carriage size- 34"x 36" - To Crib size - 39" x 41")
QUILTS

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- With the exception of baby quilts, all quilts and bedspreads must be a minimum of 72" long and be either King, Queen, Double or Twin bed size.
- Quilts must have been completed within the last 2 (two) years.
- No soiled article will be accepted.
- Quilts must have been quilted by the exhibitor with the exception of the two person class.
- Quilts made from pre-stamped kits “will not be accepted” in any classification!
- All quilts must be quilted – "no tie quilts or coverlets will be accepted”.
- NOT ALL QUILTS MAY BE DISPLAYED BY HANGING!

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<td>J118. Group quilt - (3 or more persons) hand or machine quilted, any design, not eligible for Best of Show</td>
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<td>J119. Quilted mug rug (max 10&quot; x 10&quot; - 100 sq inch). Not eligible for Best of Show</td>
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<td>J111. Patchwork – machine quilted</td>
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<td>J112. Combination – hand quilted</td>
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<td>J114. Embroidered-hand or machine quilted</td>
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QUILTS

(INFANTS AND TODDLERS)

(Hand or Machine Quilted)

Not over 42" square – 1,764 square inches

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<td>J128. Family album, (t-shirts, scanned photo, etc). No charms or trinkets attached (hand or machine quilted).</td>
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## RUGS

(Rugs must be clean – not over 3' x 4')

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### RUGS (HAND HookING)

(Not over 3' x 4')

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<td>J133. Small Rug – 18&quot; x 24&quot; and under (any cut)</td>
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<td>J134. 9, cut and up including hand torn</td>
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<td>J135. Utilitarian- (No Rugs) Not eligible for Best of Show</td>
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## JUNIOR SECTION

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<td>J137. Afghan</td>
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<td>J138. Bedspread / tie quilt</td>
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DEPARTMENT K

PHOTOGRAPHY

A “TOTAL” OF SIX (6) PHOTOGRAPHS ALLOWED
ENTRY FEES:

ADULT SECTION --- $6.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION --- $4.00 per entry
CHILDREN SECTION --- $2.00 per entry
TEACHER & PROFESSIONAL SECTION---$6.00 per entry

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- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.
- Entries in this department must be the work of the exhibitor.
- Photographs must have been taken since January 1, 2015.
- State Fair will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.

PRINT SIZES: Photographs less than (5” x 7” or larger than 11” x 14”) will not be accepted.
- Prints will not be accepted for judging unless mounted or glued on a rigid foam core or mat board that is (11” x 14” – NO EXCEPTIONS) and overall thickness may not exceed 3/8”). Matting on top is optional.
- No glass, frames, hangers or brackets accepted on any photo.
- Only one photo may be entered in a class/category.
- Only one entry subject per class will be accepted (e.g. the same subject may not appear in two classes/categories).

NO DATE, TIME STAMP OR NAME ALLOWED ON FRONT OF PHOTO. PHOTO WILL BE DISQUALIFIED!

REQUIRED: EXHIBITORS MUST PRINT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER, DATE & LOCATION PHOTO WAS TAKEN AND THE CLASS/CATEGORY ON THE FOAM BACKING OF EACH PHOTO. (NO MARKS ON THE ACTUAL PHOTO). JUNIORS MUST INCLUDE THEIR AGE.

ALL PHOTOS SENT IN BY MAIL – WILL BE RETURNED BY MAIL. (NO FEE REQUIRED. MAIL BACK FEE IS INCLUDED IN ENTRY FEE!) ALLOW THREE (3+) WEEKS AFTER THE FAIR CLOSES.

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ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS

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TEXAS BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION
WILL AWARD $50.00 TO 1ST PLACE WINNER IN CLASS K 113 HONEY BEES

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### JUNIOR COLOR SECTION

**ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS**

(ages 12 thru 17 years)

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ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS
(ages 6 thru 11 years)
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MUST BE MOUNTED ON AN 11" X 14" FOAM OR MAT BACKING!
MUST LIST: NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, AGE, DATE & LOCATION
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SCALE MODELS

ENTRY FEES:
ADULT SECTION --- $4.00 per entry
JUNIOR SECTION --- $3.00 per entry
CHILDREN'S SECTION --- $2.00 per entry

- Please read # A "PRE-FAIR ENTRIES" in the front of this handbook on page 9 to find out how the entry form should be completed.
- Please read # B "DELIVERY/TAKE-IN" OF ENTRY ITEMS" in front of this handbook on page 10 for submission dates.
- Due to the limited display area, each entrant is encouraged to build as small as is practical for the subject.
- Entry sizes will be 12" long x 18" wide x 16" high.
- EXCEPTION: Ships (only) may be 36" long x 36" high x 18" deep.
- No item weighing more than 35 lbs. will be accepted in this Department.
- The State Fair of Texas will not be responsible for any damaged, broken and/or missing items.
- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.

ADULT SECTION
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS

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The model that has been built from components of a single commercial kit substantially as the manufacturer of the kit intended. Color schemes and/or markings may be changed; minor structural changes and nominal addition of non-kit components may be made to correct, change and/or improve detailing. Judging will be on the basis of complexity of original kit, accuracy of representation, overall workmanship and total impression of the model.

Class
L100. Aircraft
L101. Wheeled vehicle
L102. Tracked vehicle
L103. Ship (sails)

L104. Ship (powered)
L105. Figure—no more than three
L106. Any other subject

ADULT KIT CONVERSION

The model must demonstrate the use of components of commercial kits combined with hand-built parts and/or significant structural changes to kit components. "Super-detailed stock" kits will be accepted in this section. The entrant should submit a statement of the general work involved in the construction of the model. Judging will be based on the difficulty of technique, amount of handwork involved, overall workmanship and total impression of the model.

Class
L107. Any subject
ADULT SCRATCH BUILT

The model must be a scale representation of a full size prototype. Kit components and/or commercial parts may be used only in an incidental manner. The entrant should submit a statement describing the general features of the work involved in the model. Judging will be based on originality of subject, accuracy of representation, overall workmanship and total impression of the model.

L108. Primarily metal
L109. Primarily wood
L110. Box rooms, any material(s)
L111. Shops (retail-repair/etc)
L112. Non-scale, any material(s)
L113. Primarily paper
L114. Wheeled vehicle
L115. Any other materials (s)
L116. Scale buildings or houses (no doll houses)

L117. Figures not to exceed 25 in number
L118. Shoe Box Parade Float, patriotic
L119. Shoe Box Parade Float, holiday
L120. Shoe Box Parade Float, State Fair Theme

ADULT DIORAMA

Any scene representing the class theme will be accepted. Commercial pre-built components may be used as required. All components must be securely mounted to a single base that does not exceed 12" Long x 18" Wide x 16" High.

Dioramas will be judged as a whole based on originality of subject, complexity, overall workmanship and total impression of the scene.

Class
L121. Non-military theme
L122. Military theme (before 1900)
L123. Military theme (1900 and after)
L124. Any use of State Fair Theme
L125. Whimsical or Fantasy scene

JUNIOR SECTION

ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS
(12 Years Through 17 Years)

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JUNIOR KIT

Models are to be constructed from commercial kits. Judging will be on the basis of overall workmanship and total impression of the model.

Class
L126. Aircraft
L127. Wheeled vehicle
L128. Tracked vehicle
L129. Ship (sails)
L130. Ship (powered)
L131. Any other subject
JUNIOR KIT CONVERSION
The model must demonstrate the use of components of commercial kits combined with hand-build parts and/or significant structural changes to kit components. "Super detailed stock" kits will be accepted in this section. The entrant should submit a statement of the general work involved in the construction of the model.
Judging will be on the basis of difficulty of technique, amount of handwork involved, overall workmanship and total impression of the model.
L132. Any subject

JUNIOR SCRATCH-BUILT
Models may represent the builder's impression of any subject and need not necessarily be of a real object. Judging will be on the basis of originality of subject, complexity, overall workmanship, total impression of the model and age of entrant.
L133. Models built primarily from raw materials (wood, paper, etc.)
L134. Models built primarily from kit parts
L135. Shoe Box Parade Float, patriotic
L136. Shoe Box Parade Float, holiday
L137. Shoe Box Parade Float, State Fair Theme

JUNIOR DIORAMA
Any scene representing the class theme will be accepted. Commercial pre-built components may be used as required. All components must be securely mounted to a single base that does not exceed 12" L x 18" Wide x 16" High. No diorama component may be entered in any other class.
Dioramas will be judged as a whole on the basis of originality of subject, complexity, overall workmanship and total impression of the scene and age of entrant.
L138. Military theme (before 1900)
L139. Military theme (1900 and after)
L140. Non-military theme

CHILDREN'S SECTION
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS
(Elfven Years and Under)
Entrants in this age group may instead elect to enter in the JUNIOR SECTION in the appropriate class and subject to the Junior Section Entry Fee and rules. Judging of entries in this section will be on the basis of overall workmanship, the total impression of the model and the age of the entrant.
L141. Kits, any subject (No Legos/ K’Nex)
L142. Scratch built, any subject (No Legos/K’Nex)
L143. Scratch built, St Fair Theme (no Legos or K/Nex)
L144. Shoe Box Parade Float, patriotic
L145. Shoe Box Parade Float, holiday
L146. Shoe Box Parade Float, State Fair Theme
CHILDREN’S DIORAMA

Any scene will be accepted. Commercial pre-built components may be used as required. All components must be securely mounted to a single base that does not exceed 12” Long x 18” Wide x 16” High.

Dioramas will be judged as a whole on the basis of originality of subject, complexity, overall workmanship and total impression of the scene and age of entrant.

Class

L147. Any theme

LEGOS

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ADULT LEGOS
SCRATCH BUILT – NO KITS
12” Long x 18” Wide x 16” High

L148. Adult Legos

JUNIOR LEGOS
SCRATCH BUILT – NO KITS
12” Long x 18” Wide x 16” High

L149. Junior Legos

LEGOK’NEX ASSEMBLIES

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LEGO assemblies must be on a sturdy base other than those in LEGO kits and must conform to dimensions within 12” L x 18” Wide x 16” High. Assemblies that easily become separated must be secured by other means than just pressure fitting.

LEGO Assemblies
L150. 7 years and under
L151. 8 to 11 years of age

K’NEX Assemblies
L152. 7 years and under
L153. 8 to 11 years of age
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**CREATIVE ARTS CONTEST CALENDAR**  
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**This is a Texas Beekeepers Assoc.’s Contest for Beekeepers! (Black Jar and Appearance Jar).**
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT

CASI CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Chili Turn-in Time – 1:00 pm
Judges Check in - 11:30 am

CASI CHILI ENTRY FEE - $15.00
CASI CHILI SHOW – NO FEE

ALL CHILI COOKS WILL RECEIVE A ONE DAY FAIR PASS AND A ONE DAY PARKING PASS TO THE 2016 STATE FAIR OF TEXAS. CAN BE USED ANY DAY "EXCEPT" SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016.

- Pre-registration requested, but will accept entries on contest day.
- Registration form is on next page.
- Cooking area will be as directed.
- Enter Grand Ave Gate (Gate # 5) from Robert B. Cullum Blvd and proceed to the first stop sign. Park as directed. Gates will open at 6:00 a.m. No overnight parking is permitted.
- Registration table will be located in tent where we will also have the judging.

CLASS:
10-01. 1st Place CASI Chili – will receive $100.00, plus Big Tex Trophy
2-10th Places will receive a Ribbon only
10-02. 1st Place CASI Chili Show – will receive $100.00, plus Big Tex Trophy
2-3rd Places will receive a Ribbon only

1. Contestants must supply a fire extinguisher. (Strictly enforced – checked when entering area.)
2. Propane stoves are allowed.
3. All cooks will be allowed one parking space for cooking.
4. MEAT MUST BE CONTAINED IN COOLED ICE CHESTS.
5. CHILI must be cooked on site, starting with raw meat; no beans or other fillers allowed. CASI RULES.
6. Contestants are not allowed to give samples to public as per health department.
7. No cooking on grass area.
8. No judges under 21 will be allowed to judge any part of this contest.
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THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT
ENTRY FORM

CASI CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Turn in Time – 1:00 pm

ENTRY FEE: CASI CHILI - $15.00
(CASI Chili Show – No Fee)

Bring completed entry form to the contest.

Print Head Cook Name: ____________________________

Print Team Name: ____________________________

Print Address: __________________________________

City________________ State________ Zip________

Daytime Telephone No.: __________________________

Email Address: _________________________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
10-01. CASI CHILI $15.00
10-02. CASI CHILI SHOW NO FEE

ALL RULES AND PROCEDURES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT
NO RULES CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Chili Turn-in Time – 1:30 pm

Judges Check in 11:30 am

CHILI ENTRY FEE $15.00

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have the judging.

CLASS:
10-03. 1ST Place No Rules Chili – will receive $100.00, plus Big Tex
Trophy
2-3rd Places will receive a Ribbon only

1. Contestants must supply a fire extinguisher. (Strictly enforced –
checked when entering area.)
2. Propane stoves are allowed.
3. All cooks will be allowed one parking space for cooking.
4. MEAT MUST BE CONTAINED IN COOLED ICE CHESTS.
5. CHILI must be cooked on site, starting with raw meat.
6. NO RULES CHILI MUST HAVE FILLERS (e.g., onions, beans,
tomatoes, etc.). NO EXOTIC MEATS ALLOWED.
7. Contestants not allowed to give samples to public as per health
department.
8. No cooking on grass area.
9. No judges under 21 will be allowed to judge any part of this
contest.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT
ENTRY FORM

NO RULES CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Turn in Time – 1:30 pm

ENTRY FEE: $15.00

Bring completed entry form to the contest.

Print Head Cook Name

Print Team Name

Print Address

City____________ State________ Zip______

Daytime Telephone No.__________________ Cell________________

Email Address:

CLASS:

10-03. NO RULES CHILI $15.00
(Must add fillers such as onions, beans, tomatoes, etc.)

ALL RULES AND PROCEDURES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT

BARBECUE COOK-OFF

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Chicken Turn-in Time – 12:00 noon
Ribs Turn-in Time – 1:00 pm
Judges Check in 11:30 am

BBQ SPARE RIBS ENTRY FEE - $15.00
BBQ CHICKEN ENTRY FEE - $15.00

ALL BBQ COOKS WILL RECEIVE A ONE DAY FAIR PASS AND A
ONE DAY PARKING PASS TO THE 2016 STATE FAIR OF TEXAS.
CAN BE USED ANY DAY“EXCEPT”SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016.

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proceed to the first stop sign. Park as directed. Gates will open
at 6:00 a.m. No overnight parking is permitted.
- Registration table will be located in tent where we will also have
the judging.

Class:
10-04. 1st Place BBQ Ribs – will receive $100, plus Big Tex Trophy
2-3rd Places will receive a Ribbon only
10-05. 1st Place BBQ Chicken – will receive $100, plus Big Tex Trophy
2-3rd Places will receive a Ribbon only

1. Contestants must supply a fire extinguisher. (Strictly enforced –
checked when entering area.)
2. Propane stoves are allowed.
3. All cooks will be allowed one parking space for cooking.
4. MEATS AND FOWLS MUST BE CONTAINED IN COOLED ICE
CHESTS.
5. Contestants are not allowed to give samples to public as per
health department.
6. No cooking on grass area.
7. No judges under 21 will be allowed to judge any part of this
contest.
8. BBQ PORK RIBS MUST BE COOKED ON SITE. ALLOW 7 RIBS
FOR JUDGING. NO SAUCES OR GARNISH ALLOWED.
9. CHICKEN MUST BE ½ OF WHOLE CHICKEN.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT
ENTRY FORM

BARBECUE COOK-OFF

SUNDAY, SEPT. 25, 2016

CHICKEN Turn-in Time – 12:00 noon
RIBS Turn-in Time – 1:00 pm

BBQ CHICKEN ENTRY FEE - $15.00
BBQ RIBS ENTRY FEE - $15.00

Bring completed entry form to the contest.

Print Head Cook Name: ____________________________

Print Team Name: ____________________________

Print Address: ____________________________

City: _______________ State: ___________ Zip: ___________

Daytime Telephone No: _______________ Cell: ___________

Email Address: _____________________________

Circle Class number (s) you are entering:
CLASS:
10-04. BBQ Ribs
10-05. BBQ Chicken

ALL RULES AND PROCEDURES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT

3-POT DUTCH OVEN COOK-OFF *

Sunday, Sept. 25, 2016
Main Dish, Dessert and Bread Turn-in Time – 1:30 pm
Start Time: 8:30 am
Judges Check in 1:00 pm
IDOS DUTCH OVEN ENTRY FEE - $15.00
*THIS IS AN INTERNATIONAL DUTCH OVEN SANCTIONED EVENT

ALL DUTCH OVEN COOKS WILL RECEIVE A ONE DAY FAIR PASS AND A ONE DAY PARKING PASS TO THE 2016 STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CAN BE USED ANY DAY “EXCEPT” SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2016.

- Pre-registration requested, but will accept entries on contest day.
- Registration form is on next page.
- Cooking area will be as directed.
- Enter Grand Ave Gate (Gate #5) from Robert B. Cullum Blvd and proceed to the first stop sign. Park as directed. Gates will open at 6:00 a.m. No overnight parking is permitted.
- Registration table will be located in tent where we will also have the judging.

NOTE: This is a three-pot cook-off, consisting of a main dish, a dessert and bread. You MUST cook in a Dutch oven, *use charcoal only* and enter all three classes. The Grand Champion winner is eligible to go to the World Championship Cook Off in Sandy, Utah in March of 2017.

Grand Champion – will receive Big Tex Trophy
Reserve Grand Champion – will receive Ribbon
3rd Place – will receive Ribbon

1. Contestants must supply a fire extinguisher. (Strictly enforced – checked when entering area.)
2. All cooks will be allowed one parking space for cooking.
3. MEATS AND FOWL’S MUST BE CONTAINED IN COOLED ICE CHESTS.
4. Contestants are not allowed to give samples to public as per health department.
5. No cooking on grass area.
6. No judges under 21 will be allowed to judge any part of this contest.
7. Cook’s meeting at 8:00 am. Cooking begins at 8:30 am.

For complete rules for this contest, please go to www.bigtex.com and click on the Creative Arts Competitions link or click on "Things to Do" drop down and select Competitions and then Creative Arts where you will locate the IDOS Dutch Oven Cook-Off.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
THIS IS A PRE-FAIR EVENT
ENTRY FORM

3-POT DUTCH OVEN COOK-OFF

SUNDAY, SEPT. 25, 2016
Start Time – 8:30 am
Turn-in Time – 1:30 pm
ENTRY FEE - $15.00
Bring completed entry form to the contest.

Print Head Cook Name ________________________________

Print Team Name ________________________________

Print Address ________________________________

City ________________________________ State ___________ Zip ___________

Daytime Telephone No. ________________________________ Cell: ________________

Email Address: ________________________________

Note: Entrants must enter all 3 classes.

CLASS:
10-06. Main Dish
10-07. Dessert
10-08. Bread

ALL RULES AND PROCEDURES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.
IMPORTANT RULES FOR ALL CONTESTANTS

- The State Fair of Texas will not accept any recipe which has been precisely copied or photo-copied from any magazine, letter, newspaper, cookbook or other publication. Recipes must be typed on an 8 ½” x 11” piece of white paper (only). Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be on the back only. Winning recipes may be used in the next edition of our Prize Winning Recipes Cookbook.

- ALL RECIPES SUBMITTED MUST LIST ALL INGREDIENTS IN ORDER OF USAGE WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON PREPARATION IN THE ORDER OF USAGE. Incomplete recipes may not be used in the cookbook.

- Contests are for amateurs only. No professional cook or culinary teachers may enter.

- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am and absolutely no preparation will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.

- Mixes or prepared foods may not be used in recipes, unless otherwise specified.

- The Best of Show winner from 2015 is not eligible to enter the same contest in 2016.

- Because space is limited, contestants are limited to one item, per contest, that requires refrigeration.

- Added sauces or whipped cream will not be allowed in Cookies or Quick Breads.

- Read individual contest rules carefully to find any changes from last year. Some contests limit entries from one to five classes. Always only one entry to a class.

- No responsibility can be taken for contestant’s containers.

- No covers will be accepted on contestant’s containers (i.e., lids, plastic wrap, etc.).

- No person shall be allowed to interfere with judges or fair staff assisting judges and the judging process. Violators will be disqualified from the contest and asked to leave the judging area.

- You cannot enter the same recipe twice in any contest during the 2016 State Fair.

- No preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am. Contestants must turn in completed entry by 10:30 am.

- Decisions of the Director of the Creative Arts Department will be final.

- Any person who has edited, produced, printed and published a cookbook for individual gain will not be able to compete.

- To be eligible for a Season Pass, you must complete entering three (3) consecutive years and must have entered at least three (3) separate Cooking Contests during each fair year. You will then receive a Season Pass the following year.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

THE GLUE A SHOE CONTEST

Check-In Friday, Sept. 30, 2016 – 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Judging 11:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Contestants may enter all classes listed; however, only one entry per class (a single decorated shoe - Not a pair!)
- Edible substances will not be accepted on items entered.
- Decorations may be purchased or handmade.
- No entry to exceed 24" x 24" x 24".
- Winners will be displayed for duration of the State Fair.
- Contestants may pick up their winning entries after the Fair closes – (Oct. 26, 27, 28 – "See Entry Guidelines for times").
- Judging will be based on creativity, originality and workmanship.

ADULT SECTION
(Only One Entry Per Class)

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1st - $10.00  2nd - $5.00  3rd - $3.00  HM$s

CLASS:
11-01. Boot
11-02. High Heeled Shoe
11-03. Sandal or Flip Flop
11-04. Tennis Shoe
11-05. Slip On

JUNIORS SECTION
(17 years and under)
(Only One Entry Per Class)

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1st - $10.00  2nd - $5.00  3rd - $3.00  HM$s

CLASS:
11-06. Any Shoe
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

THE GLUE A SHOE CONTEST

Check-In Friday, Sept. 30, 2016 – 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
Judging 11:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring the completed entry form
with you when you come to the contest.

ADULT SECTION - ALL CLASSES MAY BE ENTERED. ONLY ONE
ENTRY PER CLASS. (One Decorated Shoe! Not a Pair!)
JUNIORS—One Class Only! (One Entry- One Decorated Shoe-Not A
Pair).

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No.

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

ADULT SECTION

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
11-01. Boot
11-02. High Heeled Shoe
11-03. Sandal or Flip Flop
11-04. Tennis Shoe
11-05. Slip On

JUNIOR SECTION

CLASS:
11-06. Any Shoe

Winners will be displayed for the duration of the State Fair. All shoes
are to be picked up AFTER the FAIR on October 26, 27, 28, 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

CAKE BAKING CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, Oct. 1, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE classes, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES OR SAUCES ALLOWED.
- CAKES CANNOT BE CUT BEFORE JUDGING.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- NO CHOCOLATE CAKES!
- Entries will be judged on taste, texture and moistness.

RECIPES: must be typed on an 8 ½ " x 11" sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

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CLASS:

**LAYERED CAKE (REQUIRED-MORE THAN ONE LAYER)**

12-01. Carrot
12-02. Spice
12-03. White (no yolks)
12-04. Yellow

**LOAF, BUNDT OR SHEET CAKE**

12-05. Angel Food
12-06. Carrot
12-07. Nut
12-08. Pound
12-09. Spice
12-10. Upside Down cake

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

CAKE BAKING CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, Oct. 1, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with
you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter FIVE classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No.

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously
this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:

LAYERED – “MORE” THAN ONE LAYER REQUIRED:

12-01. Carrot
12-02. Spice
12-03. White (No Yolks)
12-04. Yellow

LOAF, BUNDT OR SHEET:

12-05. Angel Food
12-06. Carrot
12-07. Nut
12-08. Pound
12-09. Spice
12-10. Upside Down Cake
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

TEX-MEX CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 2, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

• Do not pre-register for this contest.
• Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
• Contestants may enter ALL CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
• NO MIXES ALLOWED.
• Entries will be judged on taste.
• Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.

RECIPE(S): MUST BE TYPED ON 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

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CLASS:
13-01. Salsa
13-02. Appetizer
13-03. Entrée- (No Tacos)
13-04. Chili
13-05. Soup
13-06. Tacos
13-07. Dessert

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

TEX-MEX CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 2, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL (classes), but only one entry per class.

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No.

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
13-01. Salsa
13-02. Appetizer
13-03. Entrée – (No Tacos)
13-04. Chili
13-05. Soup
13-06. Tacos
13-07. Dessert
The GREAT AMERICAN SPAM® CHAMPIONSHIP

"Sweet & Savory" is both a winning combination and our 2016 contest theme! Make any dish, dessert or appetizer that features our beloved canned ham and some level of sweetness. The most creative and delicious efforts will be rewarded!

Check-In Tuesday, Oct. 4, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE
ADULTS- ages 18 & Up
LOCAL SPAM® CHAMPION PRIZES:
1ST Prize $150.00; -- 2nd Prize $50.00; -- 3rd Prize $25.00
NATIONAL SPAM® Champion Grand Prize: A Trip for Two to the 2017 Waikiki SPAM JAM® Festival in Hawaii valued @ $3,000 (Adult Grand Prize)*

JUDGING CRITERIA:
Theme (40%) + Taste (40%) + Ease of Preparation (10%) + Presentation (10%)
CLASS: 14-01. Sweet & Savory

CONTEST RULES:
- Make any sweet and savory themed recipe with at least one 12-ounce can of SPAM® products any variety (Classic, Lite, Less Sodium, Hot & Spicy, or other) and up to 10 other ingredients. (Packaged items such as cake mixes and other timesavers are welcome and count as one/individual ingredient. Salt, pepper, cooking oil, water & garnishes do NOT count).
- Judging Criteria is to emphasize the sweet/savory theme (creativity); prioritize taste (as in overall flavor and SPAM® product presence); and to address the recipe's clarity, simplicity and visual appeal.
- Recipes should be named, original, unpublished, the sole property of entrant, and not used for another contest.
- Submit your entry with a clear/typed recipe (illegible recipes may be disqualified), a product label & your contact information. One entry per person.
- No SPAM® recipe contest 1st place winners from any fair in 2015 are eligible to win in 2016, nor are those who have won 1st place three or more times.
- All recipes become the property of Hormel Foods Sales, LLC & State Fair of Texas, which has the right to publish or advertise the recipes & contestants without compensation.
- Judges are chosen by the fair; their decisions are final. Hormel Foods is not responsible for lost recipes, nor is the fair.
- All winners are required to sign a release provided by Hormel Foods. Winner awards will not be distributed until their releases are received.
All contestants including fair winners, finalists & the national grand-prize winners shall not make any public appearances or give any interviews associated with this competition without the permission of Hormel Foods or the Blue Ribbon Group.

Taxes on the prizes are the responsibility of the winner.

Employees of Hormel Foods Corporation, its affiliates, subsidiaries and families of each are not eligible to participate.

NATIONAL JUDGING & GRAND PRIZES:

Fair contest supervisors forward 1st place winning recipes for national grand prize judging for both Adult & Kid Chef categories. Hormel Foods' Test Kitchens judge recipes on the above criteria. Their decisions are final.

For the National Spam® Champion Grand Prize (adult; age 18 & up) one national grand-prize winner will be selected out of all 26 1st place recipes. He/she will receive a voucher to cover $3,000 in travel costs (airfare, hotel & food) for the 2017 Waikiki Spam JAM® Festival in Hawaii. The national grand-prize winner may elect to accept a $3,000 cash prize instead of the trip (ARV $3,000).

One National SPAM® Kid Chef of the Year (kid Chef; age 7 to 17) will be selected out of all 26 1st place recipes and he/she will receive a $2,000 cash prize (ARV $2,000).

Both grand-prize winners will be notified by phone no later than February 28, 2017. If Hormel Foods is unable to reach the grand-prize winners within 10 days of notification, an alternate may be selected. National winning recipes will be available by emailing statefairteam@blueribbonlandgroup.net or by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Blue Ribbon Group, c/o SPAM® National Winner, 1120 South Second St. # 906, Minneapolis, MN 55415.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

THE GREAT AMERICAN SPAM® CHAMPIONSHIP

Check-In Tuesday, October 4, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE:

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.

Print Name_______________________________

Print Address_______________________________

City_________________ State______ Zip________

Daytime Phone No._________________________

Email Address____________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year? (circle one) YES NO NEW

If yes, give your exhibitor number

You are entering: 14-01. Sweet & Savory
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

PLAY WITH YOUR FOOD CONTEST

Check-In Tuesday, October 4, 2016—9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

ONLY ONE ENTRY PER CLASS

AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring a completed foodscape and your completed entry form on the day of the contest.
- Create a piece of art using food products (fresh vegetables, as well as items such as cookies, candy, bread). Everything used must be edible, although it will not be eaten.
- Entry must have a printed list of all ingredients used.
- Entry should not be larger than 12" x 18".
- Entry will be judged on creativity.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00   HM

CLASS:

15-01. Foodscape
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS ENTRY FORM

PLAY WITH YOUR FOOD CONTEST

Check-In Tuesday, October 4, 2016—9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Only one entry per class.

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No:

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If yes, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:

15-01. Foodscape
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

SOUTHERN COMFORT FOOD

Check-In Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste and texture.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

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2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

SOUTHERN COMFORT FOOD

Check-In Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.

__________________________________________________________
Print Name

__________________________________________________________
Print Address

City_________________State_______Zip__________

Daytime Telephone No.: ____________________________

__________________________________________________________
Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If yes, give your Exhibitor Number ____________________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
16-01. Fried Chicken
16-02. Chicken and Dumplings
16-03. Meatloaf
16-04. Shrimp and Grits
16-05. Cornbread using a Cast Iron Skillet (Special Prizes)
16-06. Fried Pies
16-07. Banana Pudding
16-08. Red Velvet Cake
16-09. Chicken Fried Steak
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

ICE CREAM FREEZE-OFF

Check-in Thursday, October 6, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.
Contest begins at 9:30 a.m.
Judging to begin no later than noon.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $3.00 per entry
MAY ENTER ONLY ONE CATEGORY
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Pre-registration of contestants is required.
- Mail entry form on back of this page to Creative Arts Office no later than Monday, June 13, 2016. DO NOT INCLUDE ENTRY FEES.
- On Friday, June 24, 2016, a lottery drawing will be held to determine the 18 contestants who will participate. Following that drawing, a list of 10 alternate contestants will be kept, in the order they are drawn. Contestants will be notified of their winning registration within one week. Those contestants must send in all entry fees and categories (which may be changed at check-in) by Friday, July 8, 2016.
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- Contestants must bring all ingredients and equipment. May use a manual or electric ice cream maker. Please prepare any custard base at home.
- NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- ICE WILL BE PROVIDED.
- Judging will be based on taste and texture.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 1/2" x 11" sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

TEXAS BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION
AWARD OF $50.00 TO BOS WINNER IF HONEY WAS USED IN THE RECIPE

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CLASS:
17-01. Vanilla – with or without additions
17-02. Chocolate – with or without additions
17-03. Nuts
17-04. Fruit
17-05. Any other (Creamy marshmallow, peppermints, etc.)

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
2016 CONTEST ENTRY FORM
Creative Arts Department

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

COOKING WITH CHEESE CONTEST

Check-In Friday, Oct. 7, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste and creativity.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS ENTRY FORM

COOKING WITH CHEESE CONTEST

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Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.

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Print Name: _____________________________________________

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Print Address: ____________________________________________

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City_________ State_________ Zip_________

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Daytime Telephone No.: ___________________________________

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Email Address: ___________________________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number __________________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
18-01. Cheese Appetizer
18-02. Pimento Cheese
18-03. Cheese Salads (Pasta, etc.)
18-04. Cheese Soup
18-05. Cheese Entrée (Quiche, Macaroni & Cheese, etc.)
18-06. Cheese Dessert (except Cheesecake)
18-07. Cheesecake
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

RED RIVER SHOWDOWN BISCUIT COOK-OFF

Check-In Saturday, October 8, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.
Baking to begin at 9:30 a.m.
Judging to begin no later than noon.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $3.00 per entry
MAY ENTER BOTH CATEGORIES
Contestants must be age 18 or older

AMATEURS ONLY

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- Contestants must bring all ingredients and utensils needed to make the biscuits.
- NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
- NO MIXES, YEAST OR BEER ALLOWED.
- OVEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE DRAWN AT CHECK-IN.
- Judging will be based on taste, texture and ease of preparation.
- Must present one (1) dozen biscuits for judging.

RECIPE: must be typed on an 8 ½” x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST $10.00 2ND $5.00 3RD $3.00 HM

Gold Medal Best Baker Gift Basket
for 1ST Place Winners ($25 Value)

CLASS:
19-01. Traditional Biscuits
19-02. Any Other (cheese, garlic or blueberry, etc.)

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
**STATE FAIR OF TEXAS**

**2016 CONTEST ENTRY FORM**

Creative Arts Department

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS PRESENTS

PIE CONTEST

Check-In, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016 – 9:00 am to 10:30 am.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- NO MIXES OR SAUCES ALLOWED.
- Use traditional pie plates only (No tart, or spring form pans).
- Pie Crusts must be made by the exhibitor, and recipe must be included.
- Entries will be judged on taste, consistency, and appearance.
- Only one (1) entry per person can be refrigerated.

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BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED
SPECIAL BEST OF SHOW PRIZE** AWARDED BY

Kitchen Craft
Cookware

Prize**: 1 Pie Pan, 2 Cake Pans, 1 Cookie Sheet, 1 Roasting Pan ($529 Value)

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1st - $10.00  2nd - $5.00  3rd - $3.00 HMVs
Gold Medal Flour “Best Baker” Gift Basket
For each 1st Place Winner ($25 Value)

CLASS:
20-01. Chocolate Pie 20-05. Buttermilk Pie
20-02. Citrus Pie 20-06. Nut Pie
20-03. Cream Pie, No Chocolate 20-07. Sugar Free Pie
20-04. Chess Pie

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible
to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

PIE CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

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Each contestant may enter FIVE classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name__________________________

Print Address________________________

City_________________________ State  Zip________________________

Daytime Telephone No.________________________

Email Address:________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle the number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
20-01. Chocolate Pie  20-05. Buttermilk Pie
20-02. Citrus Pie  20-06. Nut Pie
20-03. Cream Pie (No Chocolate)  20-07. Sugar Free Pie
20-04. Chess Pie
Gold Medal Flour “Best Pie” Contest

Gold Medal Flour invites you to compete for the coveted honor of “Best Pie of the Fair.” Perfect your all-time favorite pie or create something entirely new. Just make it your own and make it delicious. Big prizes and bragging rights await the top winners.

Check-In Sunday, October 9, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE
Contestants must be 18 years of age or older

Do not pre-register for this contest. Complete this form and bring it with you when you come to the contest.

PRIZES: up to four prizes will be awarded, honoring a variety of pie flavors and styles, from cream-themed creations to fruit-filled masterpieces
1ST Place - $200.00; 2ND Place - $100.00; 3RD Place - $50.00
“New Entrant” Honorable Mention

Each Winner will also receive a ribbon, award certificate & celebratory apron.

JUDGING CRITERIA: 40% Appearance, 40% Flavor, 20% Texture

CLASS
21-01. GOLD MEDAL® FLOUR “Best Pie” Contest

CONTEST RULES:
• Limit one entry per person. You must be 18 years of age or older to enter. The contest is intended for amateur bakers only. Professional bakers or those who earn a significant portion of their livelihood from baking may not enter the contest, nor can employees of General Mills, its parent, affiliates, subsidiaries, agencies, and members of their immediate households. 1st Place winners from any 2015 Gold Medal Flour Pie Contest are not eligible to enter the 2016 Gold Medal Flour Pie Contest.
• To enter, create your own unique recipe for any kind of pie from scratch. Your recipe must include at least one cup of any guaranteed premium quality Gold Medal Flour. For Gold
Medal Flour product information, visit www.goldmedalfLOUR.com or www.facebook.com/goldmedalfLOUR.

- Recipes should be named, your own creation, unpublished, and not previously submitted to any other contest.
- Bring your prepared entry & corresponding recipe to the Creative Arts Building from 9am to 10:30am on Sunday, October 9, 2016 and follow the fair’s entry guidelines. Entries should be submitted with a 1) a Gold Medal Flour proof of purchase or product label, 2) a neatly written or typed recipe for the entry (illegible recipes may be disqualified) with estimates on preparation time and total baking time denoted, and 3) your name, address, phone number and email address.
- By submitting your entry, you accept all Contest rules and agree to be bound by the judges’ decisions, which will be final. With entry submission, you also acknowledge and agree that no claim relating thereto shall be asserted against General Mills or any of its officers, directors, employees, agencies, representatives, successors, assigns or shareholders.
- If the recipe you enter is awarded a prize, you also agree that your winning recipe will become the property of General Mills and the State Fair of Texas which reserves the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish, and use any or all of it for publicity, promotion or advertising in any form of media without compensation to you. You hereby irrevocably authorize and grant permission to General Mills and others licensed or otherwise permitted by General Mills to use and distribute your name, address, voice and likeness for any and all purposes, including publicity, advertising and trade purposes, by all means of publication including electronic and Internet, without any obligation or liability to you and without any additional approval or consent. Taxes are the responsibility of the winner. Contest is void where prohibited or otherwise regulated by law.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS & GOLD MEDAL FLOUR ENTRY FORM

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR “BEST PIE” CONTEST

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Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE:
18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER PERSON

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.

Print Name ____________________________________________
Print Address __________________________________________
City __________________ State _________ Zip _________
Daytime Telephone #: ____________________ Cell #: _______
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21-01 GOLD MEDAL FLOUR “BEST PIE” CONTEST
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

PICNIC WITH COCA COLA®

Check-In Monday, Oct. 10, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL age related classes, but only one entry per class.
- Contestants must use Coca Cola® in the recipe and submit a bottle or can of coca cola.
- Judging Criteria: 25%-TASTE; 25%-UNIQUENESS & CREATIVITY; 25%-BEST USE OF COCA COLA® IN RECIPE; 25%-PRESENTATION
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.

RECIPIES: must be typed on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND COCA COLA® AND MAY BE USED IN THE 2017 COOKBOOK.

ADULTS
BEST OF SHOW RIBBON AND $1,000.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST - $100.00  2ND - $50.00  3RD - $25.00

CLASS:
22-01. Appetizer
22-02. Entree
22-03. Dessert
22-04. Beverage

JUNIORS
(AGES 12 - 17)

AWARDS OFFERED
1ST - $50.00  2ND - $25.00  3RD - $10.00  HM's

CLASS:
22-05. Sweet Snack
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

PICNIC WITH COCA COLA

Check-In Monday, Oct. 10, 2016—9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter AGE RELATED classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name ________________________________

Print Address ________________________________

City __________________ State __________ Zip __________

Daytime Telephone No. ______________________

Email Address: ________________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number ______________________

ADULTS
Circle number(s) you are entering:
22-01. Appetizer
22-02. Entrée
22-03. Dessert
22-04. Beverage

JUNIORS (12-17 YEARS)
Circle number you are entering:
CLASS:
22-05. Sweet Snack
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

PARTY FOODS

Check-In Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
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CLASS:

23-01. Hot Dips and Spreads
23-02. Cold Dips and Spreads
23-03. Hot Vegetable or Fruit Hors d'oeuvres
23-04. Cold Vegetable or Fruit Hors d'oeuvres
23-05. Hot Meat Hors d'oeuvres
23-06. Cold Meat Hors d'oeuvres
23-07. Punch / Beverage (non alcoholic)
23-08. Bite Size Desserts

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

PARTY FOODS

Check-In Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

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Print Name:__________________________

Print Address:________________________

City________________State________Zip________

Daytime Telephone No.________________

Email Address:_____________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES  NO  NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number______

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
23-01. Hot Dips and Spreads
23-02. Cold Dips and Spreads
23-03. Hot Vegetable or Fruit Hors d’oeuvres
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23-08. Bite Size Desserts
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Presents

PIZZA COOK-OFF

Check-In Wednesday, Oct. 12, 2016 — 9:00 a.m.
Baking to begin at 9:30 a.m.
Judging to begin no later than noon.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $3.00 per entry
MAY ENTER ALL THREE CATEGORIES
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Pre-registration of contestants is required.
- Mail entry form on back of this page to Creative Arts Office no later than Monday, June 13, 2016. DO NOT INCLUDE ENTRY FEE.
- On Friday, June 24, 2016, a lottery drawing will be held to determine the 16 contestants who will participate. Following that drawing, a list of 10 alternate contestants will be kept, in the order they are drawn. Contestants will be notified of their winning registration within one week. Those contestants must send in all entry fees by Friday, July 8, 2016. You must include the category or categories, which may be changed at check in.
- Contestants may cancel up to 24 hours prior to the contest with no penalty. If contestant does not cancel at least 24 hours prior, he or she will not be able to enter this contest the following year. If a contestant does not appear by 9:30 a.m. on the day of the contest, pre-registered alternates will be allowed to participate.
- Contestants must bring all ingredients and utensils needed to make the pizza. Commercially prepared or self-made dough may be used. The dough must be ready when the contestant checks in.
- NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
- NO MIXES OR COMMERCIALY PREPARED SAUCES ALLOWED.
- OVEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE DRAWN AT CHECK-IN.
- CONTESTANTS MUST LEAVE KITCHEN WHEN ENTRY IS COMPLETE.
- Judging will be based on taste, texture and ease of preparation.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ "x 11" sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

| BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED |
| AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS |
| 1st - $10.00 | 2nd - $5.00 | 3rd - $3.00 | HMs |

CLASS:
24-01. Vegetable Pizza 24-02. Meat Pizza 24-03. Dessert Pizza

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
2016 CONTEST ENTRY FORM

Creative Arts Department
Lotto Draw Registration Form. Do not send entry fees at this time.

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Signed_________________________ Date_________________________
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

“GUESS WHAT’S COOKING” CONTEST

Check-In Thursday, October 13, 2016 – 9:00 a.m.
Contest starts at 9:30 a.m.
Judging to begin @ 12:00 Noon
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $3.00 per entry
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

INGREDIENTS ARE SUPPLIED BY

REALLY INTO FOOD

• Pre-registration of contestants is required.
• Mail entry form on back of this page to Creative Arts Office no later than Monday, June 13, 2016. DO NOT INCLUDE ENTRY FEE.
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• A mystery bag of either sweet or savory items will be provided to each contestant, to create any culinary dish possible from his or her bag. Pantry staples will be available to all contestants. Do not bring any ingredients from home.
• Contestants should bring their own cooking utensils and baking equipment. No recipe books allowed.
• NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
• OVEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE DRAWN AT CHECK-IN.
• CONTESTANTS MUST LEAVE KITCHEN WHEN ENTRY IS COMPLETE.
• Judging will be based on: Taste-60%, Presentation-25%, and Creative use of ingredients-25%.

RECIPES: A blank piece of white paper will be provided to each contestant for your original entry, as well as ingredients used, and the process to prepare. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00  HM

CLASS:
25-01. Savory – you will decide category after opening your bag.
25-02. Sweet – you will decide category after opening your bag.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
2016 CONTEST ENTRY FORM
Creative Arts Department

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Signed: ___________________  Date: ____________

Central Market
REALLY INTO FOOD
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS PUBLISHING COMPANY PRESENTS

BREAD BAKING CONTEST

Check-In Friday, Oct. 14, 2016—9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- Dough may be prepared traditionally or in a bread machine.
- NO MIXES, NO SAUCES, and NO HEATING ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste, symmetry of shape, uniform browning and texture.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 1/2 "x 11" sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00  HMs

Gold Medal Flour "Best Baker" Gift Basket
for each 1st Place Winner ($25 Value)

CLASS:

YEAST BREAD

26-01. Loaf bread, white. Exhibit whole loaf.
26-02. Loaf bread, other. Exhibit whole loaf.
26-03. Rolls, dinner (8 or 12 rolls minimum).
26-04. Sweet bread - sweet rolls (cinnamon, fruit, etc.)
26-05. Sweet bread - loaves and coffee cakes. Exhibit whole loaf.
26-06. Bread; cheese, herb, onion, etc.
26-07. Any gluten free bread
26-08. Kolaches (no sausage) (one dozen)

QUICK BREAD

(No added sauces or whipped cream on Quick Breads)
26-09. Muffins (6 minimum)  26-12. Fruit bread (apple, banana, etc)
26-10. Gingerbread  26-13. Vegetable bread (pumpkin, zucchini, etc.)
26-11. Any gluten free Bread

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

BREAD BAKING CONTEST

Check-In Friday, Oct. 14, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with
you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter five classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name__________________________
Print Address________________________
City________________ State________ Zip______

Daytime Telephone No.________________

Email Address:_____________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number__________

Circle number(s) you are entering and description:

CLASS: YEAST BREAD
26-01. Loaf bread, white. Exhibit whole loaf.
26-02. Loaf bread, other. Exhibit whole loaf.
26-03. Rolls, dinner (8 or 12 rolls minimum).
26-04. Sweet bread - sweet rolls (cinnamon, fruit, etc.)
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26-07. Any gluten free bread
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QUICK BREAD

(No added sauces or whipped cream on Quick Breads)
26-09. Muffins (6 minimum) 26-12. Fruit bread (apple, banana, etc)
26-10. Gingerbread 26-13. Vegetable bread (pumpkin, zucchini, etc.)
26-11. Any gluten free bread
Gold Medal Flour Bread Contest
Bake your best using any Gold Medal Flour™ branded product. From the quick and easy to the more creative and elaborate, any bread qualifies! Our ideas range from buns, biscuits and braids, to brioche, bagels and baguettes. How about pitas, popovers and pizza crust? Or consider muffins, dinner rolls and classic coffee cakes instead. Between two categories (sweet and savory) eight winners will be honored.

Check-In Friday, October 14, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE

Contestants must be 18 years of age or older
Do not pre-register for this contest. Complete this form and bring it with you when you come to the contest.

PRIZES: Up to 8 prizes will be awarded, honoring a variety of bread types, styles and flavors
Sweet Category: 1ST Place: $100.00; 2ND Place: $50.00; 3RD Place: $25.00 & Honorable Mention
Savory Category: 1ST Place: $100.00; 2ND Place: $50.00; 3RD Place: $25.00 & Honorable Mention
Each winner will receive a ribbon, award certificate & celebratory apron.

JUDGING CRITERIA:
40% Appearance, 40% Flavor, 20% Texture

CLASS
27-01. SWEET CATEGORY
27-02. SAVORY CATEGORY

CONTEST RULES:
- Limit one entry per person. You must be 18 years of age or older to enter. The Contest is intended for amateur bakers only. Professional bakers or those who earn a significant portion of their livelihood from baking may not enter the contest, nor can employees of General Mills, its parent, affiliates, subsidiaries, agencies and members of their immediate households.
- To enter, create your own unique recipe for any kind of bread from scratch. Your recipe...
Purpose Flour, Unbleached All Purpose Flour, Organic All Purpose Flour, Bread Flour, Whole Wheat Flour, White Whole Wheat Flour or Self Rising Flour. For Gold Medal Flour product information, visit www.goldmedalflour.com or www.facebook.com/goldmedalflour.

- Recipes should be named, your own creation, unpublished and not previously submitted to any other contest.
- Bring your prepared food entry and corresponding recipe to the Creative Arts Building by 10:30 am on Friday, Oct.14, 2016 and follow the Fair's entry guidelines. Entries should be submitted with 1) a Gold Medal flour proof of purchase or product label, 2) a neatly written or typed recipe for the entry (illegible recipes may be disqualified) with estimates on preparation time and total baking time denoted and 3) your name, address, phone number and email address.
- By submitting your entry, you accept all Contest rules and agree to be bound by the judges' decisions, which will be final. With entry submission, you also acknowledge and agree that no claim relating thereto shall be asserted against General Mills or any of its officers, directors, employees, agencies, representatives, successors, assigns or shareholders.
- If the recipe you enter is awarded a prize, you also agree that your winning recipe will become the property of General Mills and the State Fair of Texas which reserves the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish and use any or all of it for publicity, promotion or advertising in any form of media without compensation to you. You hereby irrevocably authorize and grant permission to General Mills and others licensed or otherwise permitted by General Mills to use & distribute your name, address, voice & likeness for any & all purposes, including publicity, advertising & trade purposes, by all means of publication including electronic & Internet, without any obligation or liability to you & without any additional approval or consent.
- Taxes are the responsibility of the winner. Contest is void where prohibited or otherwise regulated by law.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS & GOLD MEDAL® FLOUR ENTRY FORM

GOLD MEDAL® FLOUR BREAD CONTEST

Check-In Friday, October 14, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE:
18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER PERSON

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.

Print Name
Print Address
City State Zip
Daytime Telephone #: Cell #: Email Address

27-01. SWEET CATEGORY
27-02. SAVORY CATEGORY
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

YOUTH COOKING CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, Oct. 15, 2016 — 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE CLASSES in their section, but only one entry per class.
- Must provide 1 ½ doz. or more cookies, candies or cupcakes.
- NO MIXES AND NO ALCOHOL ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste and texture.

RECIPIES: must be typed on an 8 1/2" x 11" sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address, phone number & age must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED for Junior & Children
SPECIAL BEST OF SHOW PRIZES ** AWARDED BY

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00  HM's

JUNIOR SECTION — AGE 12-17 YEARS
Kitchen Craft Prize**: 9" Sauté Pan, Skillet, Fondue Insert, Cookbook, Chef Apron & Hat ($495 Value)

CANDY
28-01. Fudge, any kind
28-02. Divinity
28-03. Mints
28-04. Hand-dipped Chocolates (Crème filling)
28-05. Bark (peppermint, nut, etc.)

CAKE BAKING — Layer, Loaf, Bundt or Sheet
28-06. Chocolate
28-07. White/Yellow
28-08. Pound
28-09. Spice
28-10. Cup Cakes

COOKIES
28-11. Drop
28-12. Bars

CHILDREN'S SECTION — AGE 6-11 YEARS
Kitchen Craft Prize**: Cookie Sheet, 7" Sauté Pan, Cookbook, Utensils, Chef Apron, Hat ($349 Value)

COOKIES
28-13. Drop
28-14. Bars

CANDY
28-15. Brownies
28-16. Holiday or Party
28-17. Fudge, any kind
28-18. Bark (peppermint, nut, etc.)

2015 BEST OF SHOW WINNERS "ARE ALLOWED" TO ENTER IN YOUTH COOKING IN 2016!
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

YOUTH COOKING CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, Oct. 15, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE

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Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.

| Print Name |
| Address |
| City | State | Zip |
| Daytime Telephone No. |
| Email Address |

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year? (circle one) YES NO
If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:

| CLASS: |
| JUNIOR SECTION – AGE 12-17 YEARS |
| CANDY |
| 28-01. Fudge, any kind |
| 28-02. Divinity |
| 28-03. Mints |
| 28-04. Hand-dipped Chocolates (Crème filling) |
| 28-05. Bark (peppermint, nut, etc.) |
| CAKE BAKING – Layer, Loaf, Bundt or Sheet |
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| 28-09. Spice |
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| COOKIES |
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| 28-12. Bars |

| CHILDREN’S SECTION – AGE 6-11 YEARS |
| COOKIES |
| 28-13. Drop |
| 28-14. Bars |
| CANDY |
| 28-17. Fudge, any kind |
| 28-18. Bark (peppermint, nut, etc.) |
| 28-15. Brownies |
| 28-16. Holiday or Party |
| 28-19. Any other Candy |
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
PRESENTS

THE GREAT AMERICAN SPAM® CHAMPIONSHIP KID CHEF

“Sweet & Savory” is both a winning combination and our 2016 contest theme! Make any dish, dessert or appetizer that features our beloved canned ham and some level of sweetness. The most creative and delicious efforts will be rewarded!

Check-In Saturday, October 15, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE

KID CHEFS: ages 7 - 17

LOCAL SPAM® KID CHEF PRIZES:
1ST Prize $150.00; 2ND Prize $50.00; 3RD Prize $25.00

A NATIONAL GRAND PRIZE

NATIONAL “SPAM® KID CHEF OF THE YEAR”
GRAND PRIZE: $2,000 CASH PRIZE

CLASS 29-01. Sweet & Savory

JUDGING CRITERIA:
Theme (40%) + Taste (40%) + Ease of Preparation (10%) + Presentation (10%)

CONTEST RULES:
• Make any sweet and savory themed recipe with at least one 12-ounce can of Spam® products any variety (Classic, Lite, Less Sodium, Hot & Spicy, or other) and up to 10 other ingredients. (Packaged items such as cake mixes and other timesavers are welcome and count as one/individual ingredient. Salt, pepper, cooking oil, water & garnishes do NOT count).
• Judging Criteria is to emphasize the sweet/savory theme (creativity); prioritize taste (as in overall flavor and Spam® product presence); and to address the recipe’s clarity, simplicity and visual appeal.
• Recipes should be named, original, unpublished, the sole property of entrant, & not used for another contest.
• Submit your entry with a clear/typed recipe (illegible recipes may be disqualified), a product label & your contact information. One entry per person.
• No SPAM® recipe contest 1st place winners from any fair in 2015 are eligible to win in 2016, nor are those who have won 1st place three or more times.
• All recipes become the property of Hormel Foods Sales, LLC & State Fair of Texas, which has the right to publish or advertise the recipes & contestants without compensation.
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- Judges are chosen by the fair; their decisions are final. Hormel Foods is not responsible for lost recipes, nor is the fair.
- All winners are required to sign a release provided by Hormel Foods. Winner awards will not be distributed until their releases are received.
- All contestants including fair winners, finalists & the national grand-prize winners shall not make any public appearances or give any interviews associated with this competition without the permission of Hormel Foods or the Blue Ribbon Group.
- Taxes on the prizes are the responsibility of the winner.
- Employees of Hormel Foods Corporation, its affiliates, subsidiaries and families of each are not eligible to participate.

NATIONAL JUDGING & GRAND PRIZES:
- Fair contest supervisors forward 1st place winning recipes for national grand prize judging for both Adult & Kid Chef categories. Hormel Foods' Test Kitchens judge recipes on the above criteria. Their decisions are final.
- One National Spam® Kid Chef of the Year (Kid Chef: age 7 – 17) will be selected out of all 26 1st place recipes and he/she will receive a $2,000 cash prize (ARV $2,000).
- Both grand prize winners will be notified by phone no later than February 28, 2017. If Hormel Foods is unable to reach the grand-prize winners within 10 days of notification, an alternate may be selected. National winning recipes will be available by emailing statefairteam@blueribbongroup.net or by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Blue Ribbon Group, c/o SPAM® National Champion, 1120 South Second St, # 908, Minneapolis, MN 55415.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

The GREAT AMERICAN SPAM® KID CHEF CHAMPIONSHIP

Check-In Saturday, October 15, 2016 — 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE:

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.

Print Name ________________________________
Print Address: ________________________________
City __________________ State _______ Zip ________
Daytime Phone No. __________________ Cell ______
Email Address ________________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year? (circle one)
YES  NO  NEW

If yes, give your exhibitor number ____________

You are entering:
29-01.  Sweet & Savory
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS

Presents

“DINNER’S ON ME” CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, October 15, 2016 – 2:00 pm
Cooking to begin @ 2:30 pm
Entries will be judged as soon as they are completed and turned in.
All entries must be completed & turned in by @ 4:30 pm.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE

AMATEURS ONLY

INGREDIENTS WILL BE PROVIDED.

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  enter this contest the following year. If a contestant does not appear by 1:30
  p.m. on the day of the contest, pre-registered alternates will be allowed to
  participate.
- A mystery bag of items will be provided to each contestant, to create any
  culinary dish or dishes from his or her bag. The goal is to prepare a
  quick meal for the family. Pantry staples will be available to all
  contestants. Do not bring any ingredients from home.
- Contestants should bring their own cooking utensils and baking equipment.
  No recipe books allowed.
- NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
- OVEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE DRAWN AT CHECK-IN.
- CONTESTANTS MUST LEAVE KITCHEN WHEN ENTRY IS COMPLETE.
- Judging will be based on: Taste-50%, Presentation-25%, and Creative use of
  ingredients-25%.

RECIPEs: A blank piece of white paper will be provided to each contestant for
their original entry, as well as ingredients used, and the process to prepare.
Contestant’s name, age, address and phone number must be printed on back
side of recipe. ALL RECIPEs BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE
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30-01. “Dinner’s On Me” – AGES 8 THRU 12
30-02. “Dinner’s On Me” – AGES 13 THRU 17
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
2016 “DINNER’S ON ME” CONTEST ENTRY FORM
Creative Arts Department

Lotto Draw Registration Form. NO ENTRY FEE!

Pre-registration of contestants is required. To enter, fill out this form and return it to the Creative Arts office by US Mail no later than Monday, June 13, 2016. On Friday, June 24, 2016, a drawing will be held to determine the 16 contestants who will participate. Following that drawing, a list of 10 alternate contestants will be kept, in the order they are drawn. Contestants will be notified of their winning registration within one week. If a contestant fails to cancel up to 24 hours prior to the contest, he or she will not be able to enter this contest the following year. If a contestant does not appear by 2:30 p.m. on the day of the contest, pre-registered alternates will be allowed to participate.

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Signed ___________________________ Date ___________________________
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS presents

COOKIE CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 16, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- You must provide 1½ dozen or more cookies in any kind of container.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- NO REFRIGERATION.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste, texture and appearance.

RECIPES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED
SPECIAL BEST OF SHOW PRIZE** AWARDED BY

Kitchen Craft
cookware

PRIZE **: 1 Pie Pan, 2 Cake Pans, 1 Cookie Sheet, 1 Roasting Pan, Cookbook ($529 Value)

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00  HMHS

Gold Medal Flour “Best Baker” Gift Basket for each 1st Place Winner ($25 Value)

CLASS:
31-01. Drop Cookies
31-02. Ice Box, sliced
31-03. Bars
31-04. Holiday (or party) Cookies
31-05. Sandwich Cookie
31-06. Hand Rolled (ball) or Pressed Cookie

2015 Best of Show Winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

COOKIE CONTEST

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State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry

AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter FIVE classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone #:________________________

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW
If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
31-01. Drop Cookies 31-05. Sandwich Cookie
31-02. Ice Box, sliced 31-06. Hand Rolled (ball)
31-03. Bars or Pressed Cookie
31-04. Holiday (or party) Cookies
Gold Medal Flour Cookie Contest

We're celebrating the most delicious and most award-worthy cookies at the Fair. Create and enter your own unique cookie recipe in the Gold Medal Flour™ Cookie Contest. Any style, size or shape is welcome. Simply use any premium quality Gold Medal Flour branded product. Prizes and gifts go to the top winners!

Check-In Sunday, October 16, 2016 - 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE

Contestants must be 18 years of age or older

Do not pre-register for this contest. Complete this form and bring it with you when you come to the contest.

PRIZES: up to four prizes will awarded, honoring a variety of creative, unique cookies

1ST Place: $200.00; 2ND Place: $100.00; 3RD Place: $50.00

"New Entrant" Honorable Mention

Each winner will receive a ribbon, award certificate & celebratory apron.

JUDGING CRITERIA: 40% Appearance, 40% Flavor, 20% Texture

CLASS
32-01. GOLD MEDAL FLOUR Cookie Contest

CONTEST RULES:

- Limit one entry per person. You must be 18 years of age or older to enter. The Contest is intended for amateur bakers only. Professional bakers or those who earn a significant portion of their livelihood from baking may not enter the contest, nor can employees of General Mills, its parent, affiliates, subsidiaries, agencies and members of their immediate households. 1st Place winners from any 2015 Gold Medal Flour Cookie Contest are not eligible to enter the 2016 Gold Medal Flour Cookie Contest.

- To enter, create your own unique recipe for any kind of cookie from scratch. Your recipe must include at least one cup of any guaranteed premium quality Gold Medal Flour. For Gold Medal Flour product information, visit www.goldmedalfLOUR.com or www.facebook.com/goldmedalfLOUR.

- Recipes must be named, your own creation, unpublished and not previously submitted to any other contest.

- Bring your prepared food entry and corresponding recipe to the Creative Arts Building by
10:30 am on Sunday, Oct. 16, 2016 and follow the Fair’s entry guidelines.

• Entries should be submitted with 1) a Gold Medal Flour proof of purchase or product label, 
2) a neatly written or typed recipe for the entry (illegible recipes may be disqualified) with 
estimates on preparation time and total baking time denoted and 3) your name, address, 
phone number and email address.

• By submitting your entry, you accept all Contest rules and agree to be bound by the judges’ 
decisions, which will be final. With entry submission, you also acknowledge and agree that 
no claim relating thereto shall be asserted against General Mills or any of its officers, 
directors, employees, agencies, representatives, successors, assigns or shareholders.

• If the recipe you enter is awarded a prize, you also agree that your winning recipe will 
become the property of General Mills and the State Fair of Texas which reserves the right to 
edit, adapt, copyright, publish and use any or all of it for publicity, promotion or advertising 
in any form of media without compensation to you. You hereby irrevocably authorize and 
grant permission to General Mills and others licensed or otherwise permitted by General 
Mills to use & distribute your name, address, voice & likeness for any & all purposes, 
including publicity, advertising & trade purposes, by all means of publication including 
electronic & Internet, without any obligation or liability to you & without any additional 
approval or consent.

• Taxes are the responsibility of the winner. Contest is void where prohibited or otherwise 
regulated by law.

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS & GOLD MEDAL FLOUR 
ENTRY FORM

GOLD MEDAL® FLOUR COOKIE CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, October 16, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
NO ENTRY FEE:
18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
ONLY ONE ENTRY PER PERSON
Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you 
come to the contest.

Print Name

Print Address.

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone #: Cell #:

Email Address

32-01. GOLD MEDAL FLOUR COOKIE CONTEST
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016 113

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

FARM TO FORK CONTEST

Check-In Monday, Oct. 17, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter one entry per class.
- MAKE A SWEET OR SAVORY DISH USING FRESH PRODUCE.
- NO FROZEN OR CANNED VEGETABLES WILL BE ALLOWED.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30am & absolutely no preparation will be allowed after 10:30am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste and appearance.

RECIPES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe.
ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED
SPECIAL BEST OF SHOW PRIZE ** AWARDED BY

Kitchencraft
cookware

PRIZE ** 1 Qt. Sauce Pan, 4 qt. Slow Cooker, 11.5” Saute, Pan Handler, Cookbook ($995 Value)

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS
1ST - $10.00  2ND - $5.00  3RD - $3.00  HMs

CLASS:
33-01. Tomatoes  33-04. Potatoes
33-02. Squash  33-05. Carrots
33-03. Eggplant  33-06. Corn

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

FARM TO FORK CONTEST

Check-In Monday, Oct. 17, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.

Print
Name

Print
Address

City________________________State______Zip________________

Daytime Telephone No.

Email
Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year? (circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number ____________________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
33-01. Tomatoes
33-02. Squash
33-03. Eggplant
33-04. Potatoes
33-05. Carrots
33-06. Corn
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
and
TEXAS BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION

PRESENTS
HONEY, THE MAGIC INGREDIENT
CONTEST

Check-In Monday, Oct. 17, 2015 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter only one entry in this contest.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- RECIPE MUST CONTAIN HONEY AS THE ONLY SWEETENER.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am &
  absolutely no preparation will be allowed after 10:30 am unless
  approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on TASTE, CREATIVITY and
  PRESENTATION.

RECIPIES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 1/2 "x 11" sheet of white
paper and must accompany your entry. Contestant's name,
address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe.
ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR
OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING
RECIPES COOKBOOK.

AWARDS

| 1ST PLACE- $200.00 | 2ND PLACE- $100.00 | 3RD PLACE- $50.00 |

CLASS:
34-01. Any dish, using Honey, the Magic Ingredient
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS ENTRY FORM

HONEY, THE MAGIC INGREDIENT CONTEST

Check-In Monday, Oct. 17, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

NO ENTRY FEE
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry
form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter only one entry.

Print
Name

Print
Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No.

Email
Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously
this year? (circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

CLASS:
34-01. Any dish, using Honey, the Magic Ingredient
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS PRESENTS

CHOCOLATE!

Check-In Tuesday, Oct. 18, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste, texture and originality of recipes.
- Must present twelve (12) servings (cupcakes, tarts, etc.)

RECIPEs: must be typed on an 8 ½” x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

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CLASS:
35-01. Brownie
35-02. Chocolate Cupcake
35-03. Chocolate Layer Cake
35-04. Chocolate Mousse/Pudding
35-05. Chocolate Tart
35-06. Flourless Chocolate Cake
35-07. Spectacular Chocolate Dessert

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

CHOCOLATE!

Check-In Tuesday, Oct. 18, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
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State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.

Print Name__________________________

Print Address________________________
City______State_____Zip_____

Daytime Telephone No.________________

Email Address:_______________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number ____________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
35-01. Brownie
35-02. Chocolate Cupcake
35-03. Chocolate Layer Cake
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35-05. Chocolate Tart
35-06. Flourless Chocolate Cake
35-07. Spectacular Chocolate Dessert
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

FRUIT DESSERTS

Check-In Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter ALL CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste, appearance and texture.

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ENTRY FORM

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Contestants may enter ALL CLASSES, but only one entry per class.

Print Name________________________________________

Print Address________________________________________

City________________State________Zip________________

Daytime Telephone No.________________________________

Email Address:______________________________________

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If yes, give your Exhibitor Number _______________________

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
36-01. Pies, Tarts, Crisps (No Custard or Cream Pies, no Cobbler)
36-02. Cakes
36-03. Puddings and Parfaits (no bread pudding)
36-04. Shortcake and Napoleons
36-05. Strudel and Fruit Dumplings
36-06. Cooked Fruit (Poached Pears, Baked Apples, etc.)
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, CREATIVE ARTS HANDBOOK — 2016

STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

COBBLER COOK-OFF

Check-In Thursday, Oct. 20, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.
Baking to begin at 9:00 a.m.
Judging to begin no later than noon.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $3.00 per entry
MAY ENTER BOTH CATEGORIES
Contestants must be age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

- Pre-registration of contestants is required.
- Mail entry form on back of this page to Creative Arts Office no later than Monday, June 13, 2016. DO NOT INCLUDE ENTRY FEE.
- On Friday, June 24, 2016, a lottery drawing will be held to determine the 16 contestants who will participate. Following that drawing, a list of 10 alternate contestants will be kept, in the order they are drawn. Contestants will be notified of their winning registration within one week. Those contestants must send in all entry fees and categories (which may be changed at check-in) by Friday, July 8, 2016.
- Contestants may cancel up to 24 hours prior to the contest with no penalty. If contestant does not cancel at least 24 hours prior, he or she will not be able to enter this contest the following year. If a contestant does not appear by 9:30 a.m. on the day of the contest, pre-registered alternates will be allowed to participate.
- Contestants must bring all ingredients and utensils needed to put the cobbler together.
- NO CELL PHONES PERMITTED DURING CONTEST.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- OVEN ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE DRAWN AT CHECK-IN.
- Judging will be based on taste and ease of preparation.

RECIPES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

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Contestants with an odd number will cook the fruit class first, and even numbers will cook the berry class first.

CLASS:
37-01. Any Fruit (No berries in fruit)
37-02. Any Berry (No fruit in berries)

2015 Best of Show winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2016.
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
2016 CONTEST ENTRY FORM
Creative Arts Department

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS Presents

CANDY CONTEST

Check-In Friday Oct. 21, 2016—9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
- Contestants may enter FIVE CLASSES, but only one entry per class.
- Recipe must include Domino Sugar® or C & H® Sugar. Please submit
  product label, along with recipe.
- You must provide 1½ dozen or more candies in any kind of container.
- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
- NO REFRIGERATION AND NO SAUCES ALLOWED.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely
  no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved
  by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste and texture.

RECIPES: MUST BE TYPED on an 8 ½ "x 11" sheet of white paper and must
accompany each entry. Contestant's name, address and phone number must be
printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE
STATE FAIR OF TEXAS, DOMINO SUGAR® AND C & H SUGAR AND MAY BE
USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $200.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
ENTRY FORM

CANDY CONTEST

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Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department
ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
AMATEURS ONLY
Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter five classes, but only one entry per class.

__________________________
Print Name

__________________________
Print Address

__________________________
City State Zip

__________________________
Daytime Telephone No.

__________________________
Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?  (circle one)  YES  NO  NEW
If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:
CLASS:
38-01. Bark (Peppermint, Nut, etc.)
38-02. Fudge, Chocolate
38-03. Fudge, No Chocolate
38-04. Divinity
38-05. Hard Candy
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38-09. Hand-dipped Chocolates
38-10. Nut Brittles
38-11. Peanut Patties
38-12. Pralines
38-13. Taffy
38-14. Toffee
38-15. Truffles (any kind) must have soft exterior.
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

SPEEDY DISHES CONTEST

Check-In Saturday, Oct. 22, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants Must be 18 years or older.
AMATEURS ONLY

- Do not pre-register for this contest.
- Bring your prepared dish along with your completed entry form on the day of the contest.
- Your dish may have a maximum of 6 (six) ingredients (excluding salt, pepper & water). Any or all of the ingredients may be convenience products (e.g. canned soup, cake mix, salad dressing, etc.). The total number of convenience product ingredients may not total over 6.
- Contestants may enter ALL classes, but only one entry per class.
- Contestants MUST TURN IN completed entry by 10:30 am & absolutely no preparation of entry will be allowed after 10:30 am unless approved by the Director of Creative Arts.
- Entries will be judged on taste, appearance and ease of preparation.

RECIPES: must be typed on an 8 ½ “x 11” sheet of white paper and must accompany each entry. Contestant’s name, address and phone number must be printed on back side of recipe. ALL RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE STATE FAIR OF TEXAS AND MAY BE USED IN THE NEXT PRIZE WINNING RECIPES COOKBOOK.

BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED

AWARDS OFFERED IN EACH CLASS

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CLASS:

39-01. Appetizer
39-02. Main Dish
39-03. Vegetable Side Dish
39-04. Salads
39-05. Dessert
39-06. Snack

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AMATEURS ONLY

Do not pre-register for this contest. Bring completed entry form
with you when you come to the contest.
Each contestant may enter ALL classes, but only one entry
per class.

Print Name

Print Address

City State Zip

Daytime Telephone No.

Email Address:

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 or previously this year?
(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
39-01. Appetizer
39-02. Main Dish
39-03. Vegetable Side Dish
39-04. Salads
39-05. Dessert
39-06. Snack
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STATE FAIR OF TEXAS
Presents

ONE POT MEALS

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 23, 2016 – 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Judging 10:30 a.m.
State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

ENTRY FEE: $2.00 per entry
Contestants must be Age 18 or older
AMATEURS ONLY

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- NO MIXES ALLOWED.
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BEST-OF-SHOW RIBBON AND $25.00 AWARDED
SPECIAL BEST OF SHOW PRIZE ** AWARDED BY

Kitchen Craft

PRIZE: ** 6 Qt. Gourmet Slow Cooker w/Rack, Pan Handler & Cookbook ($599 Value)

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If YES, give your Exhibitor Number

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:
40-01. Vegetable Casserole
40-02. Meat Casserole
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40-05. Vegetable Soup
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40-08. Meat Pasta
40-09. Vegetable Pasta