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CREATIVE ARTS / SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT

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2017 COMPETITION HANDBOOK

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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
presents

COOKIE CONTEST

Check-In Sunday, Oct. 15, 2017 – 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.
- Blank forms will be available at the door.
- Contestants may enter Five (5) Classes with only one entry per class.
- You must provide 1 ½ 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**

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 HMs

CLASS:

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 29-01. Drop Cookies | 29-05. Sandwich Cookie |
| 29-02. Ice Box, sliced | 29-06. Hand Rolled (ball)
or Pressed Cookie |
| 29-03. Bars | 29-07. Decorated Cookie |
| 29-04. Holiday (or party) Cookies | |

2016 Best of Show Winner is not eligible
to compete in this contest in 2017.

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Print Name _____

Print Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Telephone #: _____

Email Address: _____

Did you enter Creative Arts in 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 or previously this year?

(circle one) YES NO NEW

If YES, give your Exhibitor Number _____

Circle number(s) you are entering:

CLASS:

- | | |
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