

2019 PA Preferred™ JUNIOR BAKING CONTEST COOKIES, BROWNIES AND BARS

Chairman: Deb Felak - ext. 1515

Received: Monday, Week of Fair - 3:00-8:00 P.M.

Where: Fair Building

RULES:

1. Participant must be an individual amateur baker (ages 8 through 18) who is a resident of Lancaster County or contiguous counties; one entry per person.
2. **Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this PA Preferred™ Junior Baking contest at any other fair in 2019.**
3. Entry must be a plate of six (6) individual sized portions of the baked entry item.
4. Entries must be made from scratch. Pre-made mixes are not acceptable ingredients.
5. At least two (2) PA Preferred™ ingredients must be used in the recipe. Some examples of qualifying ingredients are PA Preferred™ grains such as oats or flour, butter, milk, eggs, fruits and/or vegetables. Contact Deb Felak with any questions on ingredients.
6. Entry must be submitted for judging on a food safe disposable setting. *(All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)*
7. Recipe(s) must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2" x 11" paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities and the preparation instructions. **The PA Preferred™ ingredients must be listed clearly in the ingredient list of the recipe**, specifying the ingredients and the company that made/grew them (ex: PA Preferred Milk - Galliker's brand). Entrant's name, **age**, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. *(All recipes and cookies/brownies/bars will become the property of the Fair and will not be returned.)*
8. A PA Preferred™ logo is not required because not all PA Preferred™ products carry the labels. The name of the ingredient and the source is sufficient. For a list of acceptable products, visit papreferred.com. Additionally, PA Preferred™ staff will assist in locating PA Preferred™ ingredients as needed, at (717) 705-9511.
9. Refrigeration is not available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.



10. Judging Criteria:

Flavor (aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)	30 points
Texture (appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar)	25 points
Inside Characteristics (even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)	20 points
Outside Characteristics (uniform size, shape, appearance; overall appeal)	15 points
Creativity	<u>10 points</u>
TOTAL 100 points	

PRIZES: 1st - \$20.00; 2nd - \$15.00; 3rd - \$10.00

*First Place Winner is eligible for the
2020 PA Farm Show competition.*

Prizes for the 2020 PA FARM SHOW competition:

*1st - \$500; 2nd - \$250; 3rd - \$100
4th - Rosette Ribbon; 5th - Rosette Ribbon*

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2019 HOMEMADE CHOCOLATE CAKE CONTEST

Chairman: Deb Felak - ext. 1515

Received: Monday, Week of Fair - 3:00-8:00 P.M.

Where: Fair Building

RULES:

1. Open to any individual amateur baker who is a resident of Lancaster County or contiguous counties; one entry per person.
2. **Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Homemade Chocolate Cake contest at any other fair in 2019.**
3. Entry must be a layered chocolate cake made from "scratch". Pre-made mixes are not acceptable ingredients.
4. Entry must be frosted and frosting must be made from "scratch".
5. Cake recipe must feature chocolate or cocoa as a main ingredient.
6. The entire cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard or other food safe disposable setting. *(All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)*
7. Recipes must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2" x 11" paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities and the preparation instructions. Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. *(All recipes and cakes will become the property of the Fair and will not be returned.)*
9. Refrigeration is not available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.

10. Judging Criteria:

Flavor (aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)	30 points
Texture (moist and tender crumb; not soggy or dry)	25 points
Inside Characteristics (even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)	20 points
Outside Characteristics (consistent shape/size/surface; overall appeal)	15 points
Frosting (taste, texture, even color)	<u>10 points</u>
TOTAL 100 points	

PRIZES: 1st - \$25.00; 2nd - \$20.00; 3rd - \$15.00

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2020 PA Farm Show competition.*

Prizes for the 2020 PA FARM SHOW competition:

*1st - \$500; 2nd - \$250; 3rd - \$100
4th - Rosette Ribbon; 5th - Rosette Ribbon*

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