

DEPT. J - CULINARY ARTS



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RULES & REGULATIONS

- All entries must be pre-registered! You may register on-line or on the form found on page 4. All entry forms must be received in the fair office by Wednesday, August 1, 2018. Exhibitors are encouraged to register more items than they may actually end up bringing to insure that they are properly registered and able to exhibit all entries. Items not brought in will be deleted on entry day.
- Entries will be accepted on Monday, August 13th, 2018 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. only.
- Exhibitors are asked to park in the parking lot north of the community center. Please enter off of Park Street. Park in the handicap spots (this has been approved by the sheriff's department). There will be golf carts to take you to and from the department. If you have more than 30 entries, please let one of the drivers know and they will assist you in getting your vehicle up to the Culinary Arts Building.
- Entries, ribbons, checks are to be picked up on Monday, August 20th, 2018 between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. **NO EARLY PICK-UPS**
- Each exhibitor may enter only one item per lot.** Exhibitors are encouraged, however, to make several entries - **there is no limit.**
- Only products of the "home" kitchen are eligible - no mixes - unless the mix is an ingredient or is specified in the category.
- All baked products are to be exhibited on a white paper plate, with the recipe under the plate (**please no names on the recipe**) in a clear Ziploc-style bag. (All entries must have a recipe, except for "It's a Secret" Division)
- Entries that have ingredients that requires refrigeration must be entered in the Refrigerated Division.
- An item/recipe may only be entered once - pick the best category;** each should only be in one division, one class, one lot. **NO division, class or lot changed will be allowed.** Items exhibited more than once will be ineligible for ribbon placing.
- For Supreme Ruler awards, if you are a junior (14 yrs and under), your entries in the Junior Divisions will only be used to make you eligible for the Junior Supreme Ruler award. You will not be eligible for the Supreme Ruler Award until age 15 and older.
- Red Star Yeast and Products has donated coupons and Red Star Yeast packages to all exhibitors.
- How much to bring for an entry:
 - Breads - 1/4 Loaf
 - Pies - a slice
 - Cakes - 3"x3" piece
 - All other items - 5 pieces
 - Decorated - Whole cake

CLASSES

RED STAR Yeast & Products will provide coupons and RED STAR Yeast to all exhibitors entering in the baked goods divisions.

DIVISION - YEAST BREAD (a different recipe for each exhibit)

Grand Champion - Gift from Red Star Yeast and Products and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 1 Yeast - In Oven

- Lot**
- Bread, white
 - Bread, whole wheat
 - Bread, other grains such as Rye, oatmeal, whole-grain
 - Bread, French
 - Bread, Flavored
 - Dinner rolls
 - Croissants, bagels, pretzels

Quick Reference

Pre-registered entries only - due in the fair office by Wednesday, August 1, 2018

Entry day: Monday, August 13, 2018 from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Pick up entries, premiums & prizes:

Monday, August 20, 2018 from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

We are located underneath the grandstand - north end

8 Other

CLASS 2 Yeast - Sweet Dough

Lot

- Coffee cake or tea ring
- Sweet rolls with fruit or nuts, unfrosted
- Plain sweet rolls such as cinnamon and caramel
- Other

CLASS 3 Yeast - Bread Machine

Lot

- Bread, white
- Bread, whole wheat
- Bread, other grains such as rye, oatmeal, multi-grain
- Bread, flavored
- Dinner rolls
- Other

DIVISION - QUICK BREADS

Grand Champion - A gift donated by CashWise and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 4 Quick Breads - No Yeast

Lot

- | | |
|-------------------|-----------|
| 1 Fruited bread | 4 Muffins |
| 2 Vegetable bread | 5 Other |
| 3 Coffee cake | |

DIVISION - GLUTEN-FREE

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Starbucks and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 5 Gluten-Free

Lot

- | | |
|----------------|-----------|
| 1 Bread, white | 4 Cake |
| 2 Bread, fruit | 5 Cookies |
| 3 Muffins | 6 Other |

DIVISION - SCONES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Brooktree Golf Course and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 6 Scones

Lot

- | | |
|---------|-------------|
| 1 Plain | 3 Chocolate |
| 2 Fruit | 4 Other |

DIVISION - UNFROSTED CAKE

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Torey's Restaurant and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 7 Unfrosted Cake, enter with top side up

- Angel food, white
- Angel food, chocolate
- Chiffon
- Sponge
- Jelly Roll
- White Cake (egg whites only)
- Spice Cake
- Light cake with fruit or nuts
- Chocolate cake
- Vegetable or fruit type cake such as carrot, pumpkin, applesauce, etc.
- Other

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DIVISION - DECORATED CAKE / ITEM

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Famous Dave's and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 8 Decorated Cake

Lot

- 1 Fancy Decorated Cake - edible cake and frosting requiring no refrigeration (whole cake)
- 2 Other - such as gingerbread houses, cakepops.

DIVISION - FROSTED CUPCAKES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Curly Girlz Candy and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 9 Frosted Cupcakes (3)

Lot

- | | |
|----------------|-----------------|
| 1 Classic | 4 Veggie Flavor |
| 2 Fruit Flavor | 5 Other |
| 3 Drink Flavor | |

DIVISION - COOKIES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Kernel Restaurant and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 10 Drop Cookies

Lot

- | | |
|------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Chocolate chip | 6 Fruit or nut drop |
| 2 Peanut butter | 7 Macaroons |
| 3 Molasses | 8 Vegetable |
| 4 Chocolate drop | 9 Sugar |
| 5 Oatmeal drop | 10 Other |

CLASS 11 Rolled or Molded Cookies

Lot

- 1 Rolled, white
- 2 Rolled, dark
- 3 Rolled, fruit filled
- 4 Molded or shaped
- 5 Other

CLASS 12 Other Types of Cookies

Lot

- 1 Refrigerator, plain
- 2 Refrigerator, pinwheel
- 3 No bake
- 4 Other

DIVISION - BARS

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Old Town Bagels and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 13 BARS

Lot

- | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 Brownies, plain unfrosted | 5 Vegetable |
| 2 Brownies, nuts or frosting | 6 Unbaked |
| 3 Layer | 7 Other |
| 4 Fruit | |

DIVISION - PIES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by The Kitchen and a grand champion ribbon.

Only baked products accepted - no puddings, whipped cream, custards or meringues. See the Refrigerated Division for cream pie and meringue entries. Fillings should be made from scratch - except where specified.

CLASS 14 Pies

Lot

- | | |
|-------------|---------------------|
| 1 Peach | 5 Purchased filling |
| 2 Apple | 6 Other |
| 3 Blueberry | |
| 4 Rhubarb | |

DIVISION - MIXES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Torey's Restaurant and a grand champion ribbon. NOTE: Please check other divisions for amounts to be exhibited.

CLASS 15 Mixes

Lot

- 1 Purchased Mix used creatively. Specify mix used and exhibit a product

made with the mix. (example: bars made from a cake mix.)

- 2 Frozen Bread Dough used creatively. Specify dough used and exhibit a product made with the dough. (example: monkey bread made from a loaf of frozen whole wheat bread.)
- 3 Other

DIVISION - CANDY

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Fareway and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 16 Candy

Lot

- | | |
|------------|------------------|
| 1 Fudge | 4 Mints |
| 2 Caramels | 5 Peanut Brittle |
| 3 Divinity | 6 Other |

DIVISION - HOLIDAY FAVORITES

Entries should be a favorite made for the holiday. Remember, items requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Fareway and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 17 Holiday Favorites

Lot

- | | |
|---------------------|----------------|
| 1 Valentine's Day | 5 Halloween |
| 2 St. Patrick's Day | 6 Thanksgiving |
| 3 Easter | 7 Christmas |
| 4 4th of July | 8 Other |

DIVISION - INTERNATIONAL FOODS

Entries should be a traditional product (for example, lefse, or strudel) of the country. Remember, items requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Plaza Morena Campestric Grill and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 18 International Foods

Lot

- | | |
|------------------|-----------|
| 1 Somalia | 6 Italy |
| 2 Southeast Asia | 7 France |
| 3 Mexico/Spain | 8 England |
| 4 Germany | 9 Other |
| 5 Scandinavia | |

DIVISION - REFRIGERATED

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Cash Wise Foods and a grand champion ribbon. NOTE: Please check other divisions for amounts to be exhibited.

SPECIAL RULES — We are happy to offer this division where items will be displayed in a refrigerated case. Due to space limits, each exhibitor is limited to one entry in this division and we will only be accepting cheesecake, cream pies and pie topped with meringue this year. **Please bring a picture of your entry to be displayed.**

CLASS 19 Refrigerated

Lot

- 1 Cheesecake - all flavors
- 2 Cream Pie - all flavors
- 3 Meringue Pie - all flavors
- 4 Pecan
- 5 Pumpkin

DIVISION - BAKING LIGHT/BAKING HEALTHY

Entries should contain at least one ingredient that makes the product healthier. Examples might be baking with Splenda instead of sugar, using Egg Beaters instead of eggs, modifying a baked item to be "low carb," etc.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Cash Wise Foods and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 20 Baking Light/Baking Healthy

Lot

- | | |
|--------------------|---------|
| 1 Bread | 4 Mixes |
| 2 Cake | 5 Candy |
| 3 Cookies and bars | 6 Other |

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DIVISION - IT'S A SECRET

This division is for exhibits where the recipe does not exist or where the exhibitor does not want to share the "secret" recipe - example, a family secret.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Starbucks and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 21 Secret Recipe

Lot		
1	Bread	5 Mixes
2	Cake	6 Candy
3	Cookies and bars	7 Other
4	Pies	

DIVISION - EVERYTHING'S BETTER WITH BUTTER

Special Rules: This contest features butter. Entries must use only butter as the fat ingredient. Each entry will receive 1 pound of butter donated HOPE CREAMERY. Each entry must have 2 recipes. 1st us under the plate with no name. The 2nd must have your name and town on it. You must turn in the 2nd with your entry, as the SCADA will be putting together a cookbook. (The following year(s) they will have copies available to people entering in the Culinary Arts Department). Only baked products will be accepted - no fillings, cream cheese frosting, custard pudding, or whipped cream.

Class 22 - Butter Cookies

Lot 1 - Cookies

Class 23 - Butter Cakes

Lot 1 - Cake

Class 24 - Butter Pastries

Lot 1 - Pastries

Class 25 - Other

Lot 1 - Other

DIVISION - FAIR THEME

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Sportman's Grille and a grand champion ribbon.

SPECIAL RULES -

1. Entries must coordinate with this year's fair theme "Scream & Moo with Much to Do in 2017"
2. All other rules and regulations for the culinary arts department apply. Please read the rules and regulations at the beginning of the culinary arts division.
3. Please check other divisions for amounts to be exhibited.

CLASS 26 Fair Theme

Lot

1. This year the exhibit must be made of edible items, except the item it's displayed on. We are the Culinary Arts Department, so tie in this year's theme, please depict your exhibit as "A Working Farm."

DIVISION - CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE - ADULT

Entries in this division should focus on chocolate - the more the better! Entries must contain a minimum of 1/4 cup chocolate in any form - syrup, cocoa powder, baking chocolate, chips, etc. Chocolate should be the primary flavor in this division.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Kernel Restaurant and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 27 Chocolate Desserts - Adults

Lot

- 1 Cake
- 2 Cookies
- 3 Bars - not brownies
- 4 Brownies
- 5 Other

DIVISION - CULINARY CREATIONS - ADULT

Sponsored by Burke's Taffy

SPECIAL RULES:

***Because of the 100 year celebration, we chose the ingredients by Minnesota based brand names. You aren't required to use the brands that we have highlighted.

1. Entries must be an original recipe created by the exhibitor containing all 6 of the selected ingredients for the year plus any other ingredients of the exhibitor's choice. The 6 selected

ingredients will change each year. This year's selected ingredients are: 1. (Hormel) Bacon 2. (Pillsbury) Flour 3. (General Mills) Golden Grahams 4. (Pearsons) Nut Roll. 5. (Land-o-Lakes) Eggs 6. Water from the faucet.

2. Entries requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.
3. The original recipe must be included with the entry and must contain the list of ingredients with measurements and the preparation steps.
4. All other rules of the culinary arts department apply. Please read the rules and regulations at the beginning of the culinary arts division.
5. Grand Champion in the adult division will receive \$25 and a grand champion ribbon; second place will receive \$20 and third will receive \$15. All prizes are generously donated by Bill Oz, Burke's Taffy.

CLASS 28 Culinary Creations - Adult

Lot

- 1 Bars
- 2 Cake
- 3 Candy
- 4 Cookies
- 5 Pie
- 6 Other

DIVISION - COOKIES AND BARS - JUNIORS

(14 years and under)

Each family member must use a different recipe

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Curly Girlz Candy and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 29

Lot

- 1 Cookies, plain
- 2 Frosted and/or decorated cookies
- 3 Bars
- 4 Other

DIVISION - ASSORTED SWEETS - JUNIOR

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Culver's and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 30 Assorted Sweets - Junior

Lot

- 1 Muffins
- 2 Yeast Bread or Rolls
- 3 Quick Bread
- 4 Unfrosted Cake
- 5 Frosted Cake
- 6 Unfrosted Cupcake
- 7 Frosted Cupcake
- 8 Candy
- 9 Pies
- 10 Other

DIVISION - CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE -JUNIORS

Entries in this division should focus on chocolate - the more the better! Entries must contain a minimum of 1/4 cup chocolate in any form - syrup, cocoa powder, baking chocolate, chips, etc. Chocolate should be the primary flavor in this division.

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Pizza Ranch and a grand champion ribbon.

Class 31 - Chocolate Desserts - Juniors

Lot

- 1 Cake
- 2 Cookies
- 3 Bars - not brownies
- 4 Brownies
- 5 Other

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DIVISION - CULINARY CREATIONS - JUNIOR (14 years and under)

Sponsored by Burke's Taffy

SPECIAL RULES:

***Because of the 100 year celebration, we chose the ingredients by Minnesota based brand names. You aren't required to use the brand that we have highlighted.

1. Entries must be an original recipe created by the exhibitor containing all 3 of the selected ingredients for the year plus any other ingredients of the exhibitor's choice. The 3 selected ingredients will change each year. This year's selected ingredients are: 1. (Hormel) Bacon 2. (General Mills) Golden Grahams 3. (Land-o-Lakes) Eggs.
2. Entries requiring refrigeration will not be accepted.
3. The original recipe must be included with the entry and must contain the list of ingredients with measurements and the preparation steps.
4. All other rules of the culinary arts department apply. Please read the rules and regulations at the beginning of the culinary arts division.
5. Grand Champion in the junior division will receive \$20 and a grand champion ribbon; second place will receive \$15 and third will receive \$10. All prizes are generously donated by Bill Oz, Burke's Taffy.

CLASS 32 Culinary Creations - Junior

Lot	
1 Bars	4 Cookies
2 Cake	5 Pie
3 Candy	6 Other

CANNED GOODS RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. A recipe with processing time, method and date, must accompany all canned goods. Please attach to the jar with a rubber band.
2. Only canned goods in which USDA, Minnesota or other state extension services, home canning equipment manufacturers or other reputable sources, methods and recipes will be eligible for ribbon awards and premiums.
3. Open kettle canning methods are not acceptable.
4. Standard or regulation jars and 2 piece lids are required. No wax.
5. Any canned goods passing the appearance test may be opened by the judge for final placing.
6. Any canned goods up to two years old can be entered for judging.
7. USDA Complete Guide to Home Canning may be seen at: <http://foodsafety.cas.psu.edu/canningguide.html>.
8. Clear pint or quart jars may be used.
9. Hot water bath processing is required.

DIVISION - CANNED FRUIT

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Torey's Restaurant and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 33 Canned Fruit

Lot	
1 Apples	7 Rhubarb
2 Applesauce	8 Strawberries
3 Cherries	9 Fruit juice
4 Peaches	10 Mixed fruit
5 Pears	11 Other
6 Raspberries	

DIVISION - JELLIES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Famous Dave's and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 34 Jellies

Lot	
1 Apple	5 Grape
2 Blackberry	6 Raspeberry
3 Crab apple	7 Strawberry
4 Elderberry	8 Fruit Blend
	9 Other

DIVISION - JAMS AND PRESERVES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Pizza Ranch and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 35 Jams

Lot	
1 Apricot	8 Rhubarb
2 Blackberry	9 Strawberry
3 Blueberry	10 Grape
4 Marmalade	11 Butters
5 Peach	12 Fruit conserves
6 Raspberry, red	13 Fruit Blend
7 Raspberry, black	14 Other

DIVISION - PICKLES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by The Kitchen and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 36 Sour Pickles

Lot	
1 Bean	4 Fresh pack dill (whole)
2 Cucumber slices	5 Fermented or brine dill (whole)
3 Cucumber spears	6 Other

CLASS 37 Sweet Pickles

Lot	
1 Fruit	4 Cucumber, fresh pack
2 Beet	5 Cucumber, fermented
3 Bread and butter	6 Peppers
	7 Other

CLASS 38 Mixed Pickles & Relishes

Lot	
1 Sauerkraut	4 Vegetable relish, other than cucumber
2 Cucumber relish	5 Other
3 Zucchini	

DIVISION - SAUCES, SOUPS, SYRUPS, MEATS

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Buffalo Wild Wings and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 39 Sauces

Lot	
1 Salsa	3 BBQ Sauce
2 Spaghetti sauce	4 Other

CLASS 40 Syrup

Lot	
1 Maple	
2 Fruit	
3 Other	

CLASS 41 Soup

Lot	
1 Beef	3 Chicken
2 Pork	4 Other

CLASS 42 Meats

Lot	
1 Beef	3 Chicken
2 Pork	4 Other

DIVISION - CANNED VEGETABLES

Grand Champion - A gift donated by Fareway Foods and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 43 Canned Vegetables

Lot	
1 Beans, green	6 Greens
2 Beans, yellow	7 Peas
3 Beets	8 Other
4 Carrots	
5 Corn	

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CLASS 44 Tomatoes

Lot

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| 1 Tomatoes | 3 Tomato Sauce |
| 2 Tomato juice | 4 Other |

DIVISION - DEHYDRATED OR DRIED FOODS

Grand Champion-A gift donated by Brooktree Golf Course and a grand champion ribbon.

CLASS 45 Dried Foods

Lot

- | | |
|--------------|---------|
| 1 Fruits | 4 Meat |
| 2 Vegetables | 5 Other |
| 3 Herbs | |

PREMIUMS

	<u>Blue</u>	<u>Red</u>	<u>White</u>
Premiums in all lots	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00

Participation ribbons will be awarded to all exhibitors who do not place in the **Baking for Juniors divisions.**

Each class will be awarded 1 purple... \$5.00

At the discretion of the judges, 1 Reserve Grand Champion ribbon may be awarded per division...\$6.00

Each division will be awarded a Grand Champion ribbon and gift certificate unless otherwise stated.

Grand Champion exhibits will be displayed in the center display case at the Steele County Free Fair.

SPECIAL AWARDS

ADULT SUPREME RULER OF THE KITCHEN

Points will only be awarded as far out as the Ribbon placing for the class and the division. The winner will receive \$50 in Chamber Bucks donated by Melanie Nelson - Learning ZoneXpress; a trophy donated by the superintendents and will have their name added to a permanent plaque to be displayed in the Culinary Arts Building. The name of the Adult Supreme Ruler of the Kitchen award will be revealed at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 16, 2017 in the Culinary Arts

Building at the Steele County Free Fair. In order to allow many the opportunity to be the Adult Supreme Ruler, no one shall be able to receive this award for a total of 5 years consecutively or non-consecutively.

Grand Champion	6 Points
Reserve Grand Champion	5 Points
Class Champion	4 Points
Blue	3 Points
Red	2 Points
White	1 Point

JUNIOR SUPREME RULER OF THE KITCHEN

Awarded to the exhibitor earning the most points on their entries in all culinary junior divisions. Points will be awarded as follows:

Grand Champion	6 Points
Reserve Grand Champion	5 Points
Class Champion	4 Points
Blue	3 Points
Red	2 Points
White	1 Point

Points will only be awarded as far out as the ribbon placing for the class and the division. The winner will receive a \$25 gift card donated by Sparetime Entertainment a trophy donated by the superintendents and will have their name added to a permanent plaque to be displayed in the Culinary Arts Building. The name of the Junior Supreme Ruler of the Kitchen award will be revealed at 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 16, 2017 in the Culinary Arts Building at the Steele County Free Fair.

In order to allow many the opportunity to be the Junior Supreme Ruler, no one shall be able to receive this award for a total of 5 years consecutively or non-consecutively.

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