

2018 PSACF Homemade Chocolate Cake Baking Contest

RULES:

- Participant must be an individual amateur baker who is a Pennsylvania resident. **One entry per person.**
- Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Homemade Chocolate Cake contest at any other fair in 2018.**
- Entry must be a layered chocolate cake made from "scratch." Pre-made mixes are not acceptable ingredients.
- Entry must be frosted and frosting must be made from "scratch."
- Cake recipe must feature chocolate or cocoa as a main ingredient.
- 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.)
- Recipe must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2"x11" 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 pies will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will **not** be returned.)
- 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.



9. Judging Criteria	Flavor 30 points <i>(aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)</i>	Outside Characteristics 15 points <i>(consistent shape/size/surface; overall appeal)</i>
	Texture 25 points <i>(moist and tender crumb; not soggy or dry)</i>	Frosting 10 points <i>(taste, texture, even color)</i>
	Inside Characteristics 20 points <i>(even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)</i>	Total 100 points
PRIZES 1st \$50 2nd \$30 3rd \$20		

2018 PSACF Junior Baking Contest - Cookies, Brownies and Bars

RULES:

- Participant must be an individual amateur baker (age 8 through & including 18 years old) who is a Pennsylvania resident. **One entry per person.**
- Entrants may not have won 1st place in this PA Preferred Junior Cookies, Brownie or Bar contest at any other fair in 2018.**
- Entry must be a plate of size (6) individual sized portions of the baked entry items.
- Entries must be made from scratch. Pre-made mixes are **not** acceptable ingredients.
- 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.
- 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.)
- 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. PA Preferred ingredients must be listed clearly in the ingredient list, specifying the ingredient 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 or bars will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will **not** be returned.)
- The PA Preferred logo is not required because not all PA Preferred products carry the label. 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.
- 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 30 points <i>(aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)</i>	Outside Characteristics 15 points <i>(uniform size, shape, appearance; overall appeal)</i>
	Texture 25 points <i>(appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar)</i>	Creativity 10 points
	Inside Characteristics 20 points <i>(even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)</i>	Total 100 points
PRIZES 1st \$50 2nd \$30 3rd \$20		

First Place Winners of both contests are eligible for 2019 Farm Show Competition.

Prizes for the PA Preferred Chocolate Cake Winners: 1st - \$500, 2nd - \$250, 3rd - \$100

Prizes for the PA Preferred Chocolate Cookie-Brownie-Bar Winner 1st - \$500, 2nd - \$250, 3rd - \$100

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Angel Food Cake Contest Rules

- Open to any individual who is a Pennsylvania resident.
- Entrants may NOT have won 1st place this Angel Food Cake contest at any other fair in 2018.**
- Entry must be an Angel Food Cake made from "scratch."
- Pennsylvania produced & packed eggs** are requested to be if at all possible. Please look for the PEQAP or PA Preferred logo or PA packaging dates on the carton.
- 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 the judging for food safety reasons.
- Cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will **not** be returned.)
- Recipe(s) listing the ingredients and the preparation instructions must be submitted with the entry (*printed on one side of 8 1/2" x 11" size paper.*) Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the back of the the page. (All recipes and pies will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will **not** be returned.)
- Judging will be based on the following criteria:



Flavor (smell, taste, flavoring)	30 points
Inside Characteristics (texture and lightness)	25 points
Overall Appearance (surface, size, color)	20 points
Creativity	15 points
Topping, Icing or Decoration	10 points

Prizes: 1st - \$50 2nd - \$30 3rd - \$20
First place winner is eligible for 2019 PA Farm Show Competition.

**Prizes for PA State Angel Food Cake Winners:
1st - \$500 2nd - \$250 3rd - \$100**

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