

APRIL 9-18, 2020

CONFECTIONARY ARTS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The Lake County Fair will not be responsible to any person, individual, corporation or association for any loss by fire, theft, damage or personal injury sustained by anyone through the negligence of any person or group of persons, exhibits or exhibitors.

The Directors of the Lake County Fair Association, Inc. reserves the right to rule on all questions not covered in the rules.

GATE & ADMISSIONS: Service gate at Southeast entrance of the Fairgrounds will be open until 4:00 PM except Saturdays and Sundays. On these days the service gate will be closed and locked at 12:00 PM and paid admission begins.

Adult admission (12 & older) - \$9.00 Child admission - \$3.00

5 & under free when accompanied by an adult Every person entering the grounds must have a ticket.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE: The President and Fair Manager of the Lake County Fair maintain headquarters at the Fair Office on the southwest end of the Fairgrounds.

REST ROOMS: Rest room facilities are available in the Clements and Commercial building. Baby changing stations are provided in the Commercial building restrooms.

FIRST AID: First aid care will be available during scheduled Fair hours to render emergency service under the competent direction of volunteer trained personnel. Ambulance service will be available if needed.

LOST AND FOUND: A Lost and Found Department is maintained at the Administration office.

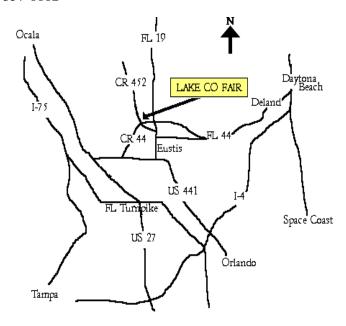
LITTER: We appreciate your cooperation in helping us maintain clean and attractive fairgrounds. Disposal cans will be provided in convenient locations, in exhibit areas, and parking areas.

SECURITY: Fairgrounds will be policed by special security officers and night watchmen employed for your personal safety and for the protection of various group and individual exhibits. This service is provided with the interest and cooperation of the Lake County Fair Association.

ALCOHOLC/BEVERAGE/DRINK

<u>CONTAINERS</u>: No alcoholic beverages will be permitted on the Fairgrounds. Soft drinks may be served in paper cups, approved cans or plastic bottles. NO GLASS BOTTLES PLEASE.

TRAILER SPACE: Surrounding the Fairgrounds is one of the largest RV Parks in the state. Contact Southern Palms RV Resort for information - (352) 357-8882



GENERAL RULES EXHIBITORS

WHO MAY ENTER COMPETITION

Premium lists throughout this book are open to all qualified FFA and 4-H members, and all other youth and adults who reside in Lake County.

Eligibility requirements are found under individual departments.

Notice: Students attending Lake County Schools Grades 1-12 will be considered Youth and will enter all departments accordingly.

See Livestock Premium Book for requirements for all animal exhibits.

ENTRY BLANKS

Entry blanks will be made available at check in. Department class and lot numbers must be on entry blanks and must correspond to those in the Premium Book. Entry blanks must be presented on date specified in the specific department where entry is being made. Entry must be made by exhibitor with complete entry form.

LIABILITY

All property of every character, whether entered for exhibit or any other purpose, will be taken into the grounds and buildings and kept entirely at the risk of the owner who assumes all responsibility for loss, damage, or theft. It is distinctly understood that exhibitors, concessionaires, and all other persons, firms or corporations having property on the grounds and desiring protection from such loss or damage must make their own arrangements therefore.

The Lake County Fair will employ guards and traffic directors and will promote safety and protection of patrons, and their exhibits and property on the fairgrounds. But under no circumstances, will the Fair or any of its officers or employees be responsible for loss or damage to persons and their property (including exhibits, automobiles in parking lots, and articles left in cars) because of accidents, theft, fire, the elements, and other conditions.

PROTESTS

Judges have been carefully selected. All persons making entries accept these judges and agree to abide by their decisions. Protests upon any other grounds, or against other than judges, must be made out in writing on the same day in which protested action was taken, and given to the superintendent of the department concerned, who shall present such protest to the Fair officials. Parties filing protest must deposit \$100.00, to be forfeited if not sustained in complaint.

PLACEMENT AND REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS

For every article, animal, or fowl entered, a numbered entry tag or card will be filled out identifying entry. A claim check with number corresponding to that on the entry tag shall be given to the exhibitor. This claim check must be presented to the proper official at the close of the Fair, when the articles are being called for and claimed. See individual departments for placement and removal times and dates. Livestock exhibitors please refer to Livestock Premium Book for removal times and dates. Exhibits cannot be removed before 10:00 PM Saturday, closing day of the Fair. See each department for removal times and dates. The Lake County Fair Association assumes no responsibility after removal time deadline. All items not claimed will be discarded by the Fair Association.

SECURITY

It is understood that the exhibits are entered in competition for prizes, and that the owner assumes all responsibility for an accident, loss or damage that may occur. Neither the Lake County Fair Association, Inc., the County of Lake, officers of the Association or its agents, will be held responsible for any loss, accident or damage.

SMOKING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED IN THE SHOW SHEDS, TENTS, OR BARNS AT ANY TIME.

NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
WILL BE PERMITTED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS.

CONFECTIONARY ARTS COMPETITIONS

DELIVERY DATE: Saturday, April 4, 2020 10:00 AM-5:00 PM Sunday, April 5, 2020 1:00 PM-3:00 PM

REMOVAL DATE:
SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2020
9:00 PM TO 10:00 PM
SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2020 - 1:00 PM TO 3:00 PM

RULES

- 1. For health reasons, exhibited items must not be consumed.
- 2. Exhibits damaged in transport may be judged, but overall presentation is important. Broken pieces should be left as found.
- 3. Dummy cakes or real cakes may be used. If dummy cakes are used, it must be possible to reproduce the item using a real cake. Structural supports for multi-tiered cakes may be used.
- 4. Claim checks will be issued for all articles and presented before article is given out.
- 5. Payment of premiums won will be made at the time of pick up.
- 6. Any item left after Sunday, April 18th will be disposed of, unless prior arrangements have been made with the Exhibit Superintendent.
- 7. Judges reserve the right to reclassify any entry or remove those items considered to be in poor taste. Decisions of the judges are final. Judges are entitled to cut, probe or dismantle any entry to establish that it is eligible to compete.
- 8. Each entry must be solely the work of the exhibitor except for the Youth Division, where an adult may bake the cake.
- 9. Each entry must be submitted on a sturdy base, not to exceed 32 inches. There is no height restrictions.
- 10. No names or advertising permitted on exhibit. A sign will be provided by the Fair, based on data given by the competitor upon registration, and will be place by the piece after judging has been completed.
- 11. Any items entered into the competition may be photographed and used by the Lake County Fair for advertising.
- 12. Work may be entered by a business or organization but must show the name(s) of the actual artist(s), in addition to the name of the business or organization.
- 13. Team efforts are allowed, but all team members must be disclosed and only one ribbon will be awarded (if earned).
- 14. Cake is to be covered and decorated with any edible materials including butter cream, royal icing, rolled fondant, gum paste, pastilage, marzipan, chocolate, etc.
- 15. Artificial materials and decorations may be used for overall appearance but only decorations made from food products will be judged. Wires, stamens and floral tape may be used with gum paste and sugar work flowers.
- 16. No fountains, lights or candles permitted.
- 17. Entries will be judged on eye appeal, workmanship, technique, and degree of difficulty, creativity, use of color, artistic design, skill and overall appearance.
- 18. Exhibitors may attach a 4 x 6 printed card to an entry to list Food Product Mediums used (butter cream, royal, fondant, gumpaste, pastilage, candy clay, gelatin, etc.) and techniques used if an explanation is necessary. Category should appear at the top of the card. Exhibitor's name is to be written on the back of the card only. Information may be used during judging and/or displayed with entry.
- 19. Andy items entered into the competition may be photographed and used by the Fair for advertising

AWARDS

ROSETTE: Each Class
Best in Class 1st: \$20.00

2nd In Class: \$10.00

3rd in Class: \$5.00

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RIBBONS: Blue-Red-White

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Exhibitors of all skill levels are encouraged to enter. The entries will be entered, judged, and awarded in the following divisions.

YOUTH – All youth elementary thought high school age 18 and under.

AMATURE ADULT - hobbyist who is not paid or compensated

PROFESSIONAL ADULT - to include the following:

- 1. Professionally employed
- 2. Instructor
- 3. Receives compensation for baking cakes & cookies
- 4. Won Best of Show at a cake decorating competition
- 5. Decorates at the professional level

NOTE: Adult needs to enter the same level for all entries submitted.

CONFECTIONARY ARTS YOUTH CATEGORIES

The following classes are designed and restricted to youth; 18 year of age and younger.

Division: YCF: YOUTH

CAKE - NO THEME

Cake is to be covered and decorated with any edible material including butter cream, royal icing, fondant, gum paste, marzipan, etc. Artificial materials and decorations may be used for overall appearance, but only decorations made from food products will be judged.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

YCF-01 Youth Cake – No Theme

DECORATED COOKIES

This display should consist of 2-6 decorated cookies, depending on the size to make a nice display. Cookies may be decorated with any edible decorating material.

Class Code Description

YCF-02 Youth Decorated Cookies

DECORATED CUPCAKES

This display should consist of 2-6 cupcakes decorated as a theme or for a celebration. Cupcakes may be displayed on a plate or base.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

YCF-03 Youth Decorated Cupcakes

CONFECTIONARY ARTS AMATEUR ADULT CATEGORIES

Division: BCA: AMATEUR

WEDDING CAKE - TIERED

Any number of tiers which may be stacked or separated.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

BCA-01 Amateur Adult Tiered Wedding

GROOM'S CAKE OR ANNIVERSARY CAKE

All confectionary arts general rules and regulations apply.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

BCA-02 Amateur Adult Groom/Anniversary

NOVELTY OR SHAPED CAKE

3d shape or form, it must be a design that could be made in cake.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

BCA-03 Amateur Adult Novelty/Shape

SPECIAL OCCASION CAKE

Display should celebrate a special occasion

Class Code Description

BCA-04 Amateur Adult Special Occasion

DECORATED COOKIES

The display should consist of at least 5 or more decorated cookies or 1-extra large cookie to make a nice display. Cookies may be decorated with any edible materials. Cookies may be displayed on a plate or suitable base.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

BCA-05 Amateur Adult Decorated Cookies

DECORATED CUPCAKES

The display should consist of at least 4 cupcakes or mini cupcakes decorated as a theme or for a celebration. Items may be displayed on a plate or suitable base.

Class Code Description

BCA-06 Amateur Adult Decorated Cupcakes

CONFECTIONARY ARTS PROFESSIONAL ADULT CATEGORIES

Division: PCF: PROFESSIONAL ADULT

WEDDING CAKE - TIERED

Any number of tiers which may be stacked or separated.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

PCF-01 Professional Adult Tiered Wedding

GROOM'S CAKE OR ANNIVERSARY CAKE

All confectionary arts general rules and regulations apply.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

PCF-02 Professional Adult Groom/Anniversary

NOVELTY OR SHAPED CAKE

3d shape or form, it must be a design that could be made in cake.

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DECORATED COOKIES

The display should consist of at least 5 or more decorated cookies or 1-extra-large cookie to make a nice display. Cookies may be decorated with any edible materials. Cookies may be displayed on a plate or suitable base.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

PCF-05 Professional Adult Decorated Cookies

DECORATED CUPCAKES

The display should consist of at least 4 cupcakes or mini cupcakes decorated as a theme or for a celebration. Items may be displayed on a plate or suitable base.

<u>Class Code</u> <u>Description</u>

PCF-06 Professional Adult Decorated Cupcakes