NORTH CAROLINA APPLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION

DEPARTMENT L • COOKING CONTESTS
THE NORTH CAROLINA APPLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION
"Apple"

Entry Deadline: ***July 27, 2018 by 11:55pm***, **Online Entries Only,** recipes due on contest day
Contest Date: Saturday, September 15th
Time: by 11:00 am
Place: Davis Event Center

Cash Prizes: 1st Prize $100 2nd Prize $75 3rd Prize $50
Honorable Mention $25

CONTEST RULES

1. Each entry must use at least two cups of apples, which have been grown in North Carolina if available.
2. Contestants may enter more than one recipe, but only one recipe may win. Recipes may come from the following: non-dessert appetizers, casserole, stir fry, salad, sandwich or main dish.
3. Recipes will be judged on **taste (40%), appearance (30%) and creative use of apples in recipe (30%)**.
4. Contestants must be 18 years or older as of December 31, 2017.
5. All recipes become the property of the North Carolina Apple Growers Association and the NC Mountain State Fair. Taxes are the responsibility of the winner.
6. The North Carolina Apple Growers Association and the NC Mountain State Fair have the right to publish or advertise the recipes and the names of contestants without compensation.
7. Entries must be prepared at home and brought to the Fair.

DAY OF CONTEST

1. Entries will be received from 10-11 a.m. in the Competitive Exhibits Area in the Davis Event Center. **No entries will be received after 11:00am.**
2. Judging will begin at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded at 12:30 p.m. (or when judging is completed.)
3. Contestants ONLY will be admitted to the Fair free of charge WITH ENTRY through the Gate 5 entrance. Park in lot at Gate 5.
4. Entries should be brought in a disposable container. It is not the responsibility of the Fair to return any dishes or plates.
5. Contestants are asked to pick up their food dishes and any belongings after the winners are announced.
6. **Each recipe must be typed or legibly written on Recipe Format sheet and presented with the dish.**