



Pie Baking Contest

Saturday, March 9, 2019

10:45 a.m. Judging

Montpelier Public Library

All ages welcome!

Cost: FREE to enter

PRIZES

Grand Prize: Pie Carrier & Trophy
First Prize per Category: Silicone Spatula & Medal
Second & Third Prize per Category: Ribbons

Rules:

- Each pie MUST be accompanied by an Entry Registration Form. You may make copies of this form. If you would like to donate slices of pie to support the Friends of the Montpelier Public Library or the Friends of the Montpelier Park, Inc., please indicate on your Entry Registration. Monetary donations for pie slices will be split equally between the groups.
- Pies must be brought to the Montpelier Public Library between 10:00-10:30 a.m. on March 9, 2019.** No pies will be accepted after 10:30 a.m.
- Pies must be baked in 8-10 inch pie pans. Pies should be brought in disposable, metal, or glass pie plates. Ceramic or porcelain pie plates will not be accepted. *Montpelier Parks and Recreation or the Montpelier Public Library cannot be responsible for lost, damaged, or broken plates. Please write your name & phone number on the bottom of your plate if you wish to have it returned.*
- All pies must be homemade from scratch. No pre-mixes, canned fillings, commercial mixes, commercial puddings, etc. Alcohol (except extracts) must not be used in pies. Pre-made pie crusts are allowed.
- Only dessert pies may be entered in this contest and must include bottom and side crusts.
- CATEGORIES:** Apple, Fruit/Berry, Custard (*including pumpkin*)/Meringue, Chocolate, Nut/Peanut, Open Class
- Limit of 6 entries per person. Max 1 entry per category.
- Each pie will be judged on the following criteria: *Appearance (25%), Taste (50%), & Overall Impression (25%)*. The judging criteria will be based on each of the above categories. All category points will be added and averaged to determine the winners. The pie with the highest average score will be declared the winner. In the event of a tie the pie with the highest average score in taste will be declared the winner.
- Like to be a JUDGE? We'd like 30 judges. Stop by the Library to sign up.
- This contest is open to all area residents of any age. Winners need not be present to win.
- Subject to availability, pie slices will be available for a free-will donation from 12:00-12:30 p.m. Pies may be picked up at the end of the contest or by 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 9th. Any remaining pie will be disposed of (or eaten!) after that time. Pie plates remaining after 1:00 p.m. will be stored by the Montpelier Public Library for 1 week after which point they may be discarded.
- Please bring the completed Entry Registration Form with your pie to the contest.*

PIE CONTEST ENTRY REGISTRATION

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

_____ Please check on the line if you give permission for pie slices to be sold to benefit the Library & Park Friends groups. Thank you!

CATEGORY: ___ Apple ___ Fruit/Berry ___ Custard/Meringue ___ Chocolate ___ Nut/Peanut ___ Open Class

PIE NAME: _____ OFFICE USE ONLY: Pie # _____

PLEASE BRING THE BOTTOM OF THIS FORM TO THE CONTEST WITH YOUR PIE.