

Department N Culinary

Superintendent: Lori McCormick 518/852-2484

IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION

**MAILED ENTRIES MUST BE
POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE
AUGUST 7, 2021**

**HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES
MUST BE IN THE ENTRY OFFICE
BY 2 P.M. AUGUST 8, 2021**

**Due to mandated restrictions and
adjusted entry limits, online entry is
unavailable.**

**It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that
his or her entry form is received in the Fair Office
on or before the deadline.**

BRING IN EXHIBITS

**Blue Ribbon Cooking Center
Sunday, August 15 from 4-6 p.m.
(unless noted otherwise)**

**JUDGING Monday, August 16
(unless noted otherwise)**

**REMOVAL OF EXHIBITS
Sunday, August 22 after 7 p.m. or
Monday, August 23, between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.
(No exhibits may be removed prior to this time)**

ENTRIES

1. Before making entries, read Standards for Conduct of Fairs and Rules and Regulations.
2. One entry per person, per lot.
3. Exhibits will be accepted from ALL COUNTIES.
4. To reduce waste, canned goods will be opened and tasted only when judges find it necessary in order to make a decision. Baked goods will be cut and tasted.
5. All preserved food must be exhibited in standard containers and canned between September 2020 and August 2021. Standard containers refer to clear glass canning jars with a two-piece vacuum cap (lid and ring).

6. All baked goods must be brought in disposable containers. They will NOT be returned.
7. ANY LOT MARKED "BEST OF FAIR" DOES NOT REQUIRE AN ENTRY. THESE LOTS WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY ENTERED BY ALL BLUE RIBBON WINNERS WITHIN EACH CATEGORY.
8. EXHIBITORS AND SPECTATORS ARE PROHIBITED FROM BRINGING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO THE FAIRGROUNDS. ANYONE IN VIOLATION OF THIS MAY BE ASKED TO LEAVE, FORFEIT THEIR PREMIUMS AND/OR MAY BE REFUSED FUTURE PARTICIPATION IN THE FAIR.

Class 1 -- Special Contests

**DUE TO MANDATED HEALTH RESTRICTIONS
AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS THERE WILL BE NO
SPECIAL CONTESTS HELD.**

LOT 1

LOT 2

LOT 3

LOT 4

LOT 5

Class 2--Canned Foods

General Standards for Canned Fruits & Vegetables

1. Label jar clearly with date and item preserved.
2. Color and flavor should be as close as possible to the natural fruit or vegetable.
3. Syrup or liquid should be clear and free from seeds.
4. Pack jar with reference to best use of space. Make as large a proportion of solids to liquids as possible.
5. Fruit or vegetable should be uniform in shape, size and ripeness.
6. All preserved food should be exhibited in standard containers.
7. Entry must have been processed between August 2020 and August 2021.

ENTRY FEE \$1.00 PER LOT

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

CANNED VEGETABLES/FRUITS

LOT

1. Canned Vegetables (1Jar)
2. Pickled Vegetables (1 Jar)
3. Dill Pickles (1 Jar)
4. Sweet Pickles (1 Jar)
5. Condiments(1 Jar)
6. Canned fruit (1 Jar)
7. Spiced fruit and pickles (1 Jar)

Gen. Standards for Jellies, Jams, Conserve Butters, Marmalades

- **Label** jar clearly with date and item preserved.
- **Color and flavor** should be as close as possible to the natural fruit.
- **Texture** should be appropriate to item.
- All preserved food should be exhibited in standard containers.

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

JELLIES AND JAMS, ETC.

LOT

8. Jellies (1 Jar)
9. Jams (1 Jar)
10. Butters (1 Jar)
11. Marmalades (1 Jar)

COLLECTION OF PRESERVED FOODS

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

12. Gift basket filled with six small containers of jellies, jams, marmalades, conserves accompanied by occasion card.

CANNED FOODS - YOUTH UNDER 19

NO ENTRY FREE

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

13. Canned vegetables
14. Canned Fruits
15. Pickles
16. Jelly/Jam
17. Gift Basket of canned foods

Class 3 - Baked Goods

General Standards for Baked Goods

1. **Include printed recipe on a 4" x 6" card (card will not be returned or displayed) with all baked goods, except candy.**
2. **ALL BAKED GOODS MUST BE IN DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS. THESE CONTAINERS WILL NOT BE RETURNED.**
3. **Crust** should be uniform, golden brown, tender and flaky.
4. **Texture** should be appropriate to item.
5. **Item** should appear uniform in size and shape with even color throughout.
6. **Items** should not be made from a commercial mix.
7. The Culinary Department may be printing a **Recipe Book** of Altamont Fair blue ribbon winners. The book will be available during fair

week for \$1.00. If you are a blue ribbon winner and DO NOT wish that your recipe be printed in the book, please write NO on the back of your recipe card.

ENTRY FEE \$1.00 PER LOT

PIES & PASTRIES

Awards:

1st \$10 2nd \$6 3rd \$4

LOT

1. Fruit pie
2. Misc. pie
3. Fruit filled turnovers (3)
4. Filled tarts (3)
5. Fruit Danish (3)
6. **BEST OF FAIR PIE/PASTRY (\$20 award – no entry fee)**

CAKES

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

Sheet or layered; frosted or unfrosted

7. Misc. cake
8. Cupcakes (6)
9. Jellyroll
10. Gingerbread
11. Doughnuts (3)
12. **BEST OF FAIR CAKES (\$20 award – no entry fee))**

CAKES DECORATED FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Any cakes decorated for a special occasion may be edible OR on a form. All cake displays must be 28" tall or less, and no more than 30" long or 18" wide

Awards:

1st \$10 2nd \$6 3rd \$4

13. Cupcakes (6)
14. Cake for special occasion or holiday
15. **BEST OF FAIR DECORATED CAKE**
\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required

BREADS

(No machine made breads permitted)

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

Yeast Product

16. Bread
17. Rolls (6)
18. Coffee Cake
19. Croissants (3)

Quick bread

20. Loaf, fruit and/or nut
21. Loaf, vegetable
22. Loaf, misc. quick bread
23. Misc. muffins (6)
24. Biscuits (6)
25. Coffee cake
26. **BEST OF FAIR BREADS**
\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required

COOKIES

Include 6 cookies from each lot entered

Awards:

1st \$5 2nd \$3 3rd \$2

LOT

- 27. Bar
- 28. Sugar
- 29. Molasses
- 30. Oatmeal
- 31. Chocolate chip
- 32. Peanut butter
- 33. Filled
- 34. Pressed
- 35. Molded
- 36. Novelty
- 37. Decorated holiday/Special Occasion
- 38. Gift package (wrapper transparent, card naming occasion)
- 39. Miscellaneous cookies
- 40. **BEST OF FAIR COOKIE**

\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required

GLUTEN FREE (GF)

Awards:

1st \$5 2nd \$3 3rd \$2

- 41. GF Cookie
- 42. GF Cake
- 43. GF Bread

CANDY

**Submit six pieces of candy in each lot entered.
No recipe card needed.**

Awards:

1st \$5 2nd \$3 3rd \$2

- 44. Miscellaneous fudge
- 45. Penuche
- 46. Molded candies
- 47. Maple candy
- 48. Peanut Brittle
- 49. Miscellaneous Candy
- 50. **BEST OF FAIR CANDY**

\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required

**Class 4 – Baked Goods
Youth Under 19**

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NO ENTRY FEE

Awards:

1st \$8 2nd \$5 3rd \$4

LOT

- 1. Loaf Yeast Bread
- 2. Rolls (6)
- 3. Muffins (6)
- 4. Biscuits (6)
- 5. Quick bread
- 6. Dropped cookies (6)
- 7. Rolled cookies (6)
- 8. Miscellaneous cookies (6)
- 9. Cake
- 10. Special occasion, decorated cake
- 11. Cupcakes (6)
- 12. Bar Cookies
- 13. Miscellaneous pie
- 14. Fudge (6 pieces) (No recipe card needed)
- 15. Candy (6 pieces) (No recipe card needed)
- 16. **BEST OF FAIR BREADS FOR (Lots 1-5)**
\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required
- 17. **BEST OF FAIR SWEETS YOUTH (Lots 6-15)**
\$20 award NO ENTRY FEE or pre-entry required

ALTAMONT FAIR ENTRY FORM

USE THIS FORM FOR DEPARTMENT N CULINARY

File with or mail to: ENTRIES, Altamont Fair, P. O. Box 506, Altamont, NY 12009. Payment must be enclosed with entry form. There will be no confirmation of entries and/or fees received.

Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Email address (please print legibly): _____

Also entered in 4-H? Yes No

DEPT.	CLASS	LOT	NAME OF FOOD PRODUCT PLEASE LIST ANY ADDITIONAL DIVISION INFO	ENTRY FEE
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			Sub Total Entry Fee	
			Sub Total Entry Fee from Other Page(s)	
			Total Entry Fees	

I hereby agree to abide by all rules, regulations and conditions described in the Altamont Fair's Entry & Prize Catalog and to be solely responsible for any loss or injury to or damage done, occasioned by or arising from any animal, equipment, exhibit or person on exhibition and to indemnify the Albany, Schenectady, Green County Agricultural and Historical Societies, Inc. and the management thereof against all claims and liability in regard thereto. Entries will only be accepted upon these conditions. In view of the indemnity agreement appearing therein, exhibitors may find it advisable for their own protection to carry appropriate liability insurance, if not already covered.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Exhibitor Name: _____

DEPT.		CLASS	LOT	NAME OF FOOD PRODUCT	ENTRY FEE
N					
				Total Entry Fee (carry over to front page)	