# 4-H NORTH FLORIDA FAIR: BAKED GOODS COMPETITION HANDBOOK

### **Divisions**

Division A: Junior Division (8-10 y/o)

Division B: Intermediate Division (11-13 y/o)

Division C: Senior Division (14-18 y/o)

### Classes

Classes 1-5: Yeast Baking - Bread, Loaf; Sweet Rolls, Any item not listed

Classes 6-9: Quick Breads - Biscuits, Coffee Cake, Muffins, Scones, Donuts, Any item not listed

Classes 10-18: Cakes - Chocolate, Devil Foods' Layer Cake (any frosting), Light Layer, Nut Layer or Loaf cake, Pound Cake, Fruit/Vegetable Cakes, Cupcakes, Any item not listed

Classes 19-20: Decorated Cakes - Novelty, non-professional; Tiered, non-professional

Classes 21-24: Cookies - Bars, Gluten free, Brownies, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Filled, Rolled, Drop Cookies, Macaroons, Any item not listed

Class 25: Candies/Confections - Caramels, Fudge, Brittle & Toffee, Chocolate Truffles, Hard Candy

Classes 26-30: Pies - Fruit, Chiffon, Cream, Custard, Nut, Gluten-Free, Any item not listed

Class 31: Tarts - All Kinds

Class 32: Healthy Alternatives/Options

# **Entry Rules**

- 1. Refrigerated items or highly perishable foods WILL NOT be accepted.
- 2. An exhibitor may make only 1 entry per class.
- 3. Recipe must be included.
- 4. Entire recipe required for judging. (Exceptions: ½ loaf bread, ½ dozen biscuits, ½ dozen muffins, ½ cake, ½ pie, ½ dozen cookies).
- 5. No ready, commercially prepared mixes will be accepted.
- 6. Exhibit half of a cut cake or pie, leaving cut surface exposed. DO NOT cut decorated cakes.
- 7. Exhibits must be entered in a disposable container and covered with clear plastic wrap. The recipe is to be attached to the bottom of the container before wrapping. No Names should appear on recipe.
- 8. Foods will be judged based on appearance, texture, and flavor.
- 9. Exhibitor cannot use any previous year's recipes.
- 10. Foods will be discarded after being judged and a picture will be displayed of baked goods.
- 11. All entries should be dropped off at UF/IFAS Leon County Extension office.

# Judging Criteria

- 1. General appearance
- 2. Frosting or Crust
- 3. Texture
- 4. Crumb
- Flavor

### **Quantity Requirements**

Cakes, Coffee Cakes – 1 whole cake

Cupcakes - 6

Pies – 1 whole pie, 8-10 inches

Pastries - 6

Breads - 1 whole loaf

Donuts, Scones - 6

Biscuits, Muffins, Rolls - 6

Cookies - 6

Confections – 6

### Disqualifications

- 1. Late delivery of entry.
- 2. Hair or foreign objects found on the entry.
- 3. Perishable foods or foods that require refrigeration (i.e cheesecakes, creams, custards, etc.).
- 4. Entry does not meet quantity requirements.
- 5. Entry is considered by judges to be unsafe to taste.
- 6. Recipe card is missing.
- 7. Recipes contain commercially prepared mixes.