DEPARTMENT 15 SECTION 7 Class 2

***2020 PA PREFERRED™ Junior Baking Contest***

***Cookies, Brownies and Bars***

**Exhibits can be entered on July 19, 2020 from 2-5PM and July 20, 2020 from 12:00-8:00 PM.**

**Exhibits can be picked up on July 26, 2020 from 2-5 PM and July 27, 2020from 10A-2P.**

RULES:

1. Participant must be an individual amateur baker (age 8 through and including 18 years ONLY) who is a Pennsylvania resident; one entry per person.
2. **Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this PA Preferred® Junior Baking Contest at any other fair in 2020.**
3. Entry must be a plate of six (6) individual sized portions of baked entry item.
4. Entries must be made from “scratch” Pre-made mixes are not acceptable ingredients.
5. At least two (2) PA Preferred ingredients must be used in the recipe. Some examples of qualifying ingredients are PA Preferred grains such as oats or flours, butter, milk, eggs, fruit and/or vegetables.
6. Entry must be submitted for judging on food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)

1. Recipes must be submitted with the entry printed on one side of a 8 ½” x 11” paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities and the preparation instructions. PA Preferred Ingredient must be listed clearly in the ingredient list, specifying the ingredients and the company that made/grew them (PA Preferred Milk-Galliker’s brand). Entrant’s name, **age**, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. PA Preferred® product labels must be attached to the recipe. (All recipes and cakes will become the property of the Fair or PA Farm Show and will not be returned.)
2. A PA Preferred logo is not required because not all PA Preferred products carry the label. The name of the ingredient and source is sufficient. For a list of acceptable products visit paprefferd.com. Additionally, PA Preferred staff will assist in locating PA Preferred ingredients as needed.
3. Refrigeration is **not** available at the fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.
4. Judging Criteria:

 Flavor . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 30 points

 (Aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)

Texture . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25 points

 (Appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar)

Inside Characteristics . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 20 points

(Even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)

Outside Characteristics . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15 points

(Uniform size, shape, appearance; overall appeal)

Creativity . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10 points

 TOTAL 100 points

**FAIR PREMIUMS: 1st = $20 2nd = $15 3rd – $10**

**First Place Winner is eligible for the 2020 PA Farm Show competition.**

**PREMIUMS for the 2021 PA FARM Show Competition 1st = $500; 2nd = $250; 3rd = $100**

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