



**TAMALE THROWDOWN
2022
ENTRY RULES**

1. Entry form must be legible and complete with fees in order to be accepted.
2. There are no refunds of entry fee. See competition or contest for individual entry fees.
3. Adult amateurs only (18 years of age and older) unless otherwise stated.
4. Contests are open to amateur's who reside in Fresno County. The entries must be solely and completely the work of the participant. Anyone paid to produce baked foods (i.e. cakes, breads, cookies etc.), provide catering services, or instruct in any area of the culinary field is not eligible to enter in the amateur division, however, professionals are encouraged to enter under the professional division.
5. Items will be judged in division entered by exhibitor. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to correctly classify their items. Only items listed and described on entry form will be accepted for judging.
6. Each recipe must be homemade (no mixes, unless otherwise specified), named, original, unpublished, the sole property of entrant.
7. Recipes must be made using a minimum of one (1) ingredient found in the Agriculture Building and/or grown in Fresno County.
8. On the day of the contest, entries must be submitted with a typed or computer printed measured ingredients list on an 8 ½ x 11" sheet of paper with the entrant's name, street address and phone number. Do not mail your measured ingredients list.
9. All measured ingredients lists become the sole property of the Big Fresno Fair. The Fair reserves the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish and use any or all of the measured ingredients list for any purpose including publicity, promotion, or advertising with no compensation.
10. The Big Fresno Fair is not responsible for lost, stolen, illegible, misdirected or late entries. By entering the contest, exhibitor accepts and agrees to these requirements and the decisions of the judges, which shall be final.
12. The Big Fresno Fair reserves the right to reject anything that is entered into a contest or competition at the Fair that may be objectionable, unsuitable, requires more space than can be given, or is in conflict with exhibit requirements.
13. The Big Fresno Fair employees and their family members are not eligible to compete.
14. Premium checks will be mailed before October 31st.



2022 TAMALES THROWDOWN OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

NAME:

ADDRESS:

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE NUMBER:

EMAIL:

ENTRY COST: \$10.00 per class/category

ENTRY DEADLINE: September 12, 2022

(Please make checks payable to The Big Fresno Fair and mail to 1121 S. Chance Ave., Fresno, CA 93702)

Categories for judging: Check the one you are entering

- Best Meat**
- Best No Meat/Vegetarian**
- Best Sweet/Dessert**

Description: (Type of tamale, meat, vegetables, etc. What's in it?) _____

Level of Competitor: Check One

- Professional/Restaurant Competition
 - Amateur Competition
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- Entrant will provide **1 dozen** tamales to be judged.
 - Tamales will be delivered to the Home and Hobby Building Office (formerly Junior Exhibits Building) between 3 PM and 4 PM hot and ready to eat.
 - Volunteers will be on hand to check in the tamales.
 - Best Homemade Tamale and Best Restaurant Tamale winners will be announced as soon as the contest has concluded and tabulations can be done.
 - A minimum of (1) ingredient must be showcased in our Agriculture Building and /or grown in Fresno County.
 - Tamales must be from an original recipe. Each recipe must be homemade, original, unpublished, and the sole property of the entrant.