CULINARY ARTS

DEPARTMENT 300

Culinary Arts Department Chair: Jamie Bone, 931-580-5855

DIVISIONS 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 310, 320, 330, 335 & 345

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	Best of Show
	$10	$8	$6	$25

Entry Fee: $0.00
Chair: Andy Marshall, 615-478-6445
Pre-Entry REQUIRED: **ALL entries must be pre-entered online June 19 – July 21**
NO entries will be accepted that have not been pre-entered
Entry Pick Up Date: Sunday August 13 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Entry Help Days are being offered for anyone that has problems with online entry. Call 615-794-4386:

Thursday	July 13	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Friday	July 14	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Entry Tag Pick Up Days are being offered for your convenience. If you would prefer to bring your entries pre-tagged on the drop off days, pick up your tags early in the Fair Office on these dates/times. Optional, but not required.

Wednesday	July 26	11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday	July 27	9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

ENTRY DROP OFF FOR THE CULINARY ARTS DEPARTMENT WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:

Friday, July 28 — **Drop Off 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.**

Division 300: Canned Goods & Gift Basket from Home (Class 24)

Saturday, July 29 — **Drop Off 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

Division 300: Canned Goods & Gift Basket from Home (Class 24)

Note: All Display Classes will be on display for duration of fair

Thursday, August 3 — **Drop Off 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

Division 301: Breads
Division 302: Cakes
Division 303: Candy
Division 304: Cookies
Division 305: Pies
Division 310: Fair Themed Gingerbread Houses

Note: 1st and 2nd place winners will be displayed following the judging

Sunday, August 6

Received 2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. at the Picnic Pavilion. Judging will be held on the stage in the Picnic Pavilion and awards and prizes will be presented at the conclusion of contests.

Division 320: Kids in the Kitchen - judging at 3:00 p.m.
Division 335: Goo Goo Cluster Baking Contest - judging at 4:00 p.m.

Monday, August 7

Received 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. at the Picnic Pavilion. Judging will be held on the stage in the Picnic Pavilion and awards and prizes will be presented at the conclusion of contest.

Division 330: Loveless Cafe Biscuit Contest

Tuesday, August 8

Received 5:45 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. at the Picnic Pavilion. Judging will be held on the stage in the Picnic Pavilion and awards and prizes will be presented at the conclusion of contest.

Division 345: Puckett's Cobbler Contest

DIVISION 300 – CANNED GOODS

Entry Drop Off Date: Friday, July 28 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. & Saturday, July 29 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. These contests are open to all Williamson County and adjoining county residents, adults 19 and over.
2. Exhibitors MUST LABEL JAR WITH THE NAME OF THE CONTENTS ON THE TOP OR SIDE AND EXHIBITOR NAME ON THE BOTTOM and include processing date, method, and time in processor.
3. No person may enter more than one (1) entry in each Class. Only one entry per batch or household.
4. Containers must be standard canning jars and have standard canning lids and rings. Containers not standard will be disqualified.
5. All canning entries will be displayed in the Culinary Arts area for the duration of the Fair. They may be picked up between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 13, 2023. All items not picked up become property of the Williamson County Fair and disposal will be made of any entries left after the Fair closes.
6. Products will not be opened during the judging process per USDA judging guidelines.
7. USDA guidelines will be used in judging food preservation. Judging is based on appearance, packing, color, clarity, consistency, headspace, and container.
8. All exhibitors are to follow the current USDA requirements for the items canned as described in the USDA publication "Complete Guide to Home Canning," which can be found at the National Center for Home Food Preservation at the University of Georgia: http://nchfp.uga.edu/publications/publications_usda.html.
9. A "Best of Show" will be presented for the Division.

CLASSES:

Jams, Jellies & Preserves Classes (Use 1/2-pint, pint, or jelly jars):

01. Blackberry Jam
02. Strawberry Jam
03. Blueberry Jam
04. Apple Butter
05. Peach Preserves
06. Miscellaneous

Pickle Classes (Use pints or quarts):

07. Bread & Butter Pickles
08. Beet Pickles
09. Dill Cucumber
10. Sweet Cucumber
11. Specialty Pickles
12. Pickled Peppers

Relish and Sauce Classes (Use pints or quarts):

13. Chow Chow
14. Condiments
15. Relish or Chutney
16. Salsa

Fruit Classes (Use pints or quarts):

17. Any Fruit

Vegetable Classes (Use pints or quarts):

18. Green Beans
19. Tomatoes
20. Tomato Juice
21. Misc. Vegetables

Most Creative or Unusual Classes (Use any size jar):

22. Jelly, Jam, Marmalade, or Preserve
23. Pickle/Relish
24. Gift Basket from Home (see special rules)

SPECIAL RULES FOR CLASS 24 – GIFT BASKET FROM HOME

Entry Drop Off Date: Friday, July 28 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. & Saturday, July 29 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1. Rules and regulations at beginning of Canning Division 300 apply.
2. Contestants must prepare a decorated gift basket that includes 3 products made in Tennessee, contains 3 or more edible items and no more than 10 total items (both edible and non-edible). One edible item must be a home-canned item.
3. Judging will be based on:
   - Appearance 60%
   - Creativity 40%
4. Entries in this Class will not be eligible for Best of Show or Premiums. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes will be awarded by **Savory Spice.**

DIVISIONS 301, 302, 303, 304, & 305 – General Rules and Regulations:

1. Any contestant who has won 2 years in a row in any one Class within the Culinary Arts Department is ineligible to enter that Class in 2023.
2. The contests for bread, cakes, candy, cookies, and pies are open to the residents of Williamson County and adjoining counties from age 12 through adult, or those who are members of a Williamson County Club/Group related to foods.
3. All entries in the Display Class (Gift Baskets from Home), as well as all 1st and 2nd place winners in the baking Classes (cakes, candy, cookies, breads, pies) will be displayed for the duration of the Fair, August 4-12, 2023. They should be picked up Sunday, August 13, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Disposal will be made of entries left after the Fair closes.
4. No person may enter more than one (1) entry in each Class.
5. All exhibits must be on/in disposable containers and/or secured in zip-type plastic bag. Any non-disposable container will become the property of the Williamson County Fair.
6. Contestants must provide chilled environment for entries needing refrigeration for food safety.
7. All entries in the cakes, cookies, pies, breads, and candy contests become the property of the Williamson County Fair.
8. Entries in the cakes, cookies, pies, breads, and candy contests will be donated to the first responders that are working on-site during the Fair.
9. All baked goods must be made “from scratch.” Exception: Division 302, Class 8 - these cakes may be made from a recipe that uses cake mix as a base. An additional two ingredients must be added that are not required by the cake mix. Recipe must be included.
10. All pie crusts must be made from “scratch” no exceptions.
11. A “Best of Show” will be presented for each Division, unless otherwise stated. Division 301 – Breads will have separate “Best of Show” awards for the Yeast Bread and Quick Bread Class groupings.

DIVISION 301 – BREADS

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

YEAST BREAD CLASSES:

01. Yeast Loaf- white, wheat, multigrain (1 whole loaf)
02. Yeast Rolls – white, wheat, herb (6)
03. Sweet Rolls (6)
04. Miscellaneous Yeast Breads (1 loaf or 6 rolls)
05. Decorative Artisan Bread – not eligible for Best of Show or Premiums. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes will be awarded by **King Arthur Flour**.

QUICK BREAD CLASSES:

06. Biscuits (6)
07. Cornbread (1 pan)
08. Corn Light Bread (1 loaf)
09. Quick Bread – Fruit or Veggie
10. Muffins

DIVISION 302 - CAKES (1 WHOLE CAKE)

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CLASSES:

01. Chocolate w/Chocolate Icing
02. Pound
03. Fruit or Vegetable - Iced (example: apple, jam, strawberry, carrot)
04. Cheesecake
05. Fair Themed Decorated Cake - not eligible for Best of Show or Premiums. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes will be awarded by **Sugar Drop**.
06. Miscellaneous

DIVISION 303 – CANDY: (8-12 PIECES)

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CLASSES:

01. Fudge – any kind
02. Miscellaneous – divinity, clusters, etc.
03. Party Candy – hard, mints or bark

DIVISION 304 - COOKIES (8-12 PIECES)

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CLASSES:

01. Chocolate Chip Cookies
02. Oatmeal
03. Bars
04. Cake-Mix Cookies or Bars
05. Brownies – Chocolate
06. Miscellaneous

DIVISION 305 – PIES (ONE WHOLE PIE)

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

CLASSES:

01. Any Fruit (includes lime, lemon, coconut, etc.)
02. Any Chocolate Pie – fudge, cream, etc.
03. Pecan Pie
04. Any Chess Pie
05. Miscellaneous Pie

DIVISION 310 – FAIR THEMED GINGERBREAD HOUSES

Entry Drop Off Date: Thursday, August 3, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. This contest is designed for Williamson County and adjoining county residents ages 12 and older.
2. The contestant will construct a Fair Themed gingerbread house—be creative!
3. No person may enter more than one (1) entry.
4. Judging will be based on:
   - Creativity 40%
   - Neatness 40%
   - Difficulty 20%
5. Entries in this Class will not be eligible for Best of Show or Premiums. 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prize packages will be awarded by **Triple Crown Bakery.**
6. No copyrighted/patented labeled accessory or motif may be used.
7. Entries will be displayed in the Culinary Arts area for the duration of the fair. They should be picked up on Sunday, August 13, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Disposal will be made of entries left after the fair closes.

CLASS:

01. Gingerbread House

DIVISION 320 – KIDS IN THE KITCHEN: SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

Facilitator: TBD

Received: Sunday, August 6 - Entries received 2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion.

Judging: Judging will be held on the stage in the Picnic Pavilion at 3:00 p.m. and awards and prizes will be presented at the conclusion of contest. Child must be present at 3:00 p.m. for the judging.

SPECIAL RULES FOR KIDS IN THE KITCHEN

1. Contest is open to children in Williamson County ages 8 – 11 on the day of the contest. Parents may participate with child.
2. No child may enter more than one (1) entry.
3. All products must be cooked or baked. Items must be prepared from “scratch”.
4. The child should have made most of the product and be able to explain the procedure. The child needs to be available during the judging procedure for questions.

5. The recipe must be presented with the entry and becomes the property of the Fair.
6. Entries must be presented in disposable containers or in zip-type plastic bags. Entries needing refrigeration for food safety must be presented in a chilled environment.
8. Entries in this contest will not receive fair premiums and are not eligible for Best of Show award. 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prize packages will be awarded by **Pampered Chef.**

CLASS:

01. Sweets - cookies, brownies, cakes, pies, etc.

DIVISION 330 – LOVELESS CAFE BISCUIT CONTEST: MONDAY, AUGUST 7

Received: Tuesday, August 8 - Entries received 5:45 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion.

Judging: Judging will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion by members of the **Loveless Cafe Team**.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Cook, bake, or create an entree, side dish, or dessert incorporating your homemade biscuits. Biscuits must be made from "scratch" using Loveless Café Biscuit mix. Contestants may pick up Loveless Café Biscuit mix at the Fair Office located in the UT Extension Office at the Ag Park, 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, July 24 – August 1.
2. No person may enter more than one (1) entry in this Class.
3. Maintaining the dish at the proper temperature is the responsibility of the competitor.
4. The recipe must be presented with the entry and becomes the property of the Williamson County Fair. Recipes may be posted to www.lovelesscafe.com with credit to the participant.
5. Contest is open to residents 12 years or older of Williamson County and adjoining counties.
6. Judging will be based on:
   Creativity..... 40%
   Taste.....40%
   Difficulty..... 20%
7. The decision of the judges is final.
8. Entries in this contest will not receive fair premiums and are not eligible for Best of Show award. 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prize packages will be awarded by **Loveless Cafe, Nashville, TN.**

CLASS:

01. Creative Dish with Biscuits

DIVISION 335 – GOO GOO CLUSTER BAKING CONTEST: SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

Received: Sunday, August 6 - Entries received 2:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion.
Judging: Judging will be held at 4:00 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Contest is open to residents of Williamson County and adjoining counties ages 12 years and over.
2. No person may enter more than one (1) entry.
3. Must use at least 2 Goo Goo Clusters in the recipe.
4. The recipe must be presented with the entry and becomes the property of the Williamson County Fair.
5. Maintaining the dish at the proper temperature is the responsibility of the competitor.
6. Judging will be based on:
   Creativity.....40%
   Taste..... 40%
   Difficulty.....20%
7. Entries in this contest will not receive fair premiums and are not eligible for Best of Show award. 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prizes will be provided by **Goo Goo Cluster** manufactured by the Standard Co. in Nashville, TN since 1912.

CLASS:

01. Creative Dish with Goo Goo Clusters

DIVISION 345 – PUCKETT'S COBBLER CONTEST: TUESDAY, AUGUST 8

Received: Monday, August 7 - Entries received 5:00 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion.

Judging: Judging and awards will be held at 6:00 p.m. in the Picnic Pavilion by members of the **Puckett's Restaurant Team.**

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Contest is open to residents 12 years or older of Williamson County and adjoining counties.
2. No person may enter more than one (1) entry.
3. Cobbler crust and filling must be made from scratch.
4. Maintaining the dish at the proper temperature is the responsibility of the competitor.
5. The recipe must be presented with the entry and becomes the property of the Williamson County Fair.
6. Judging based on.
   Taste.....80%
   Appearance.....20%
7. Entries in this contest will not receive fair premiums and are not eligible for Best of Show award. 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prizes will be provided by **Puckett's Restaurant**.