## L • THE NORTH CAROLINA APPLE GROWERS ASSOCIATION "Apple Desserts"



Entry Deadline: August 11, 2023, by 11:55pm, Online Entries Only, recipes due on contest day

**Contest Date:** Saturday, September 16th

**Time:** by 11:00 am

**Place:** Davis Event Center

Cash Prizes: 1st Prize \$100 2nd Prize \$75 3rd Prize \$50 Honorable Mention \$25

## **CONTEST RULES**

- Each entry must use at least two cups of apples, which have been grown in North Carolina if available.
- Contestants may enter more than one recipe, but only one recipe may win. Recipes should be a dessert.
- Recipes will be judged on taste (40%), appearance (30%) and creative use of apples in recipe (30%).
- Contestants must be 18 years or older as of December 31, 2022.
- All recipes become the property of the North Carolina Apple Growers Association and the NC Mountain State Fair.
- Taxes are the responsibility of the winner.
- The North Carolina Apple Growers Association and the NC Mountain State Fair have the right to publish or advertise the recipe and the names of contestants without compensation.
- Entries must be prepared at home and brought to the Fair.

## DAY OF CONTEST

- Entries will be received from 10-11 a.m. in the Competitive Exhibits Area in the Davis Event Center. **No entries will be received after 11:00am.**
- Judging will begin at 11 a.m. Prizes will be awarded at 12:30 p.m. (or when judging is completed.)
- Only contestants will be admitted to the Fair free of charge WITH ENTRY through the Gate 5 entrance. Park in lot at Gate 5.
- Entries should be brought in a disposable container. It is not the responsibility of the Fair to return any dishes or plates.
- Contestants are asked to pick up their food dishes and any belongings after the winners are announced.
- Each recipe must be typed or legibly written on Recipe Format sheet and presented with the dish.

**DELIVERY TIME OF DISHES WILL BE ENFORCED**