

Blue & Gray Reunion Pie Contest Rules



Saturday, June 4 ,2022

The annual Blue & Gray Reunion Pie Contest is open to all bakers. Three entry categories are: Children (up to age 16), Amateur and Commercial.

GENERAL RULES

1. Pies are to be dessert pies and must NOT require refrigeration prior to judging. (no cream or dairy pies). Pies must be cool. Hot pies are hard to cut for judging.
2. Crusts and fillings must be made from scratch. Each pie must contain a bottom crust.
3. Pie must be prepared and baked by the individual submitting it.
4. Pies must be baked in a disposable pie tin. Pies and tins will not be returned. Do not write baker's name anywhere on the pie tin
5. A recipe must accompany all pies entered. The recipe must typed or handwritten clearly on a 3x5 card and include the ingredient list, the instructions, the contestants name, phone number, mailing address and email address. If the pie includes nuts, please highlight this on the recipe card.
6. Pies can be dropped off at the gazebo at the Barbour County Community Market Place across from Walgreens on Saturday, June 4, 2022 between 10 am and 12 pm. Judging will start at 1:00 pm. Awards will be given immediately after judging.

Judging

1. Each pie will be judged on the following criteria:
 - * Overall appearance
 - * Crust color, texture, doneness and flavor
 - * Filling consistency, doneness and flavor
 - * Overall taste
2. Each judge will assign a numerical value (from 1 to 5) in each criteria category. The pie receiving the highest score is the winner of that category. In case of a tie, the judges will judge those pies again.
3. Judging begins at 1 pm on Saturday, June 4, 2022
4. Judges will not know the baker's names.
5. The judge's decision is final.
6. The winners will be announced at the close of judging.

Awards

1. There is a first and second place in each category. Categories are Children (up to 16 years of age), Amateur, and Commercial.
2. Each winner will receive a Blue and Gray Reunion Pie Contest Winner ribbon.
3. At the end of the awards presentation, pies will be sliced, and the public may sample a piece of pie for a donation.