

DODGE CO. FREE FAIR

2022 Overall Champion



2022 Reserve Champion



Pie Baking Competition

Calling all Bakers, come and test your fine baking skills at the Dodge County Free Fair's 4th Annual Pie Baking Competition.

When: Sunday, July 16th @ 12:15 p.m.

Where: Dodge County Free Fair @ Township Square Stage
(Across from the 4-H Building)

Pre-registration: Online Registration available on our website www.dodgecountyfreefair.com under exhibitor information. You can also register by filling out the registration form and emailing it to dcff2018@gmail.com.

Registration: It's **FREE** to enter though requesting a non-perishable food item to be donated to the Hayfield Food Pantry. **Registration begins at 12:00 p.m.** near the Township Square Stage. The Pie must be entered in the name of the person who made it and **presented in a 9 in. size nonreturnable pie plate.** All are welcome to enter, no age requirement.

Categories: 1. Single Crust – any kind of filling (fruit, custard, cream, pumpkin, etc.)
2. Double Crust – mainly (but not limited) to fruit filling

Rules: 1. One pie entry per category is allowed, though can enter in both categories.
2. Must provide a written recipe or list of ingredients with entry. This is to avoid allergen issues.
3. Each pie must be made from scratch you may NOT use store bought pie fillings or crusts.
4. **Entries must be delivered in disposable or non-returnable pan 9 in. pie plate.**
5. Must be present or have someone represent you and your pie.
6. Professional Bakers cannot compete.

7. All entries become the property of the Dodge County Free Fair (DCFF).
8. By entering you give your permission to have your photo taken and used for future promotional materials, including the DCFF Website, Facebook, and Instagram.

Criteria: Your pie will be judged by a panel of 3 local Judges. Judges will not consult with each other. Each judge will base your dish on a **20 point scale**.

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| 1. Overall Appearance | 5 points |
| 2. Taste | 5 points |
| 3. Crust Color (texture, doneness and flavor) | 5 points |
| 4. Filling (consistency, color, and flavor) | 5 points |

Winner will be awarded on the highest overall score out of 60 in each category.

The Highest Score from both categories will be the Overall Champion.

Judges will not know contestants' names. In case of a tie, pies will be re-judged.

All Judges' decisions are final.

Winner: Overall Pie Champion: Engraved Pie Server

Each Category:

1st Place: Grand Champion Ribbon, \$20 Gift Card, and recipe displayed on Dodge County Fair's media.

2nd Place: Reserve Champion Ribbon, \$10 gift card, and recipe displayed on Dodge County Fair's media.

Deposition of Pies – all pies become the property of Dodge County Free Fair. After judging pies will be sliced and given to the general public. We are just asking for free will donation per slice that will be donated to the Hayfield Food Pantry.

For any further questions please contact Kelly Caspers at dcff2018@gmail.com or the fair office at 507-634-7736.

Thanks and Good Luck!