

JULY 4TH

2017

Spectacular!

USS KIDD

Veterans Museum

PIE BAKING CONTEST

A Home Baker Pie Contest of Sweet Pies

BAKER REQUIREMENTS:

HOME BAKER:

Adult bakers (16 years and older) that do not bake professionally.

\$10

Entry fee per pie

PIE CATEGORIES:

BERRY

(Strawberry, Blueberry, Blackberry, etc.)

FRUIT PIES

(Apple, Peach, etc.)

OTHER

(Pecan, Key Lime, Chocolate, Lemon, Coconut, etc.)

AWARDS

BEST PIE

1ST Place Overall

Best Berry Pie

Best Fruit Pie

Best Other Pie

The Best Pie of each category (Berry, Fruit, Other) will be awarded
An Overall Winner "Best Pie - 1st Place Overall" will be awarded to a pie from among all of the Best Pie winners. Winners will be announced at the USS KIDD July 4th Spectacular Celebration at 6:30 PM at the River Levee Stage.

QUESTIONS: events@theredcake.com

TO ENTER

Email the following information to events@theredcake.com by July 1, 2017.

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

PHONE

EMAIL

PIE CATEGORY

Berry Fruit Other

OTHER INFORMATION

A representative of the Pie Contest will contact you to confirm your entry.

You may call 225.281-7733 if you have any further questions in regards to the contest.

You may enter one pie PER pie category (total of 3 pies). Each pie must be made from SCRATCH and based in AT LEAST a 9" pie plate/pan. You may not use store-bought pie filling or a pre-made crust. The Pie must be entered in the name of the baker (and the company/bakery, if applicable) who made it. Pies must be in an appropriate covered container until judging. The pies entered in the contest become the property of the contest, and you do not receive your pie or pie pan back. (Please bring in disposable tins). No frozen pies. Creativity of flavor and ingredients is allowed as long as the pie can be considered a dessert pie.

DROP OFF your pie to the USS KIDD between 12:00 Noon – 2:00 PM on July 4th, 2017 to the the Kitchen on First Floor of the USS KIDD Veterans Museum. The staff running the Contest will have the final say on acceptability of pies.

An 8.5 x 11 sheet of paper with the following information TYPED must accompany the pie at drop off: NAME, COMPANY (IF APPLICABLE), PHONE NUMBER, PIE TITLE, CATEGORY and INGREDIENT LIST (for health reasons). A copy of your RECIPE can be included (on a separate sheet) and is appreciated, this is at the discretion of the baker. The recipe may be posted online or in print with your name listed.

GENERAL

By participating in this event, entrants agree to abide by the contest rules and decisions of the judges. Entrants will agree to release the event of all who participate in the production of this event from any liability without limitations. You give your permission to have your photo taken during the award ceremony and allow the 4th of July Spectacular/City of Baton Rouge/USS KIDD Museum rights to use the photos for publicity use.

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OFFICIAL RULES

ELIGIBILITY: 16 or older. All persons involved with producing this contest are prohibited from entering the contest. Home Bakers (Amateur Bakers) are those that do not earn a portion of their income from baking, cooking, or selling baked goods.

JUDGING

This is a blind judging. A panel of at least three judges will taste and evaluate each pie per category. All judges will evaluate and judge the Overall Contest. The Pie Contest Winners will be announced at the 6:30 PM Hot Dog Eating/Pie Award Ceremony at the River Levee Stage of the 4th of July Spectacular Celebration. Judging Time period: 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM Inside the USS KIDD Veterans Museum. Minimum of three judges.

JUDGING CRITERIA

OVERALL APPEARANCE - 5 POINTS

- Pre-Slicing
- Constancy of crust/topping
- After-Slicing (exception of single servings)
- Runniness, Juiciness or firmness

TASTE - 5 POINTS

- Flavor (Strength and Balance)
- Mouth feel (appropriateness)
- Crust (Flaky, Soggy, Mealy)
- Aftertaste

OVERALL IMPRESSION - 5 POINTS

- Consider the memorable quality of the pie
- Are you impressed?
- Creativity
- How original in this pie?

SCORING

Each judge assigns a numerical value (1-5) in each criteria category, without consultation with the other judges. The pie receiving the highest total numerical value is the winner in that category. In the case of a tie, the judges will judge those pies again. The 1st Place Overall winner (BEST PIE) will be decided between the best pie of each category. Judges will consider numerical values received and will judge again with consultation between the other judges. A blind vote will be made by each judge to decide the Overall Winner. The decision of the judges is final. Judges will not know contestant names.