

Department 15 – Home Products—Continued

25th Annual Blue Ribbon “Apple” Pie Contest

Open to Adams County residents only.

Sponsored by:

The Adams County Fruit Growers Association

33 Musselman Avenue, Biglerville, PA 17307

717-677-7444

Note: If an individual has already won 1st place at another fair in 2012 for this Blue Ribbon Apple Pie contest, that individual is now considered qualified through that Fair to compete at the 2013 PA Farm Show and is no longer eligible to enter this contest at any upcoming Fairs.

Each pie is judged on the following basis:

Flavor	30 points
Crust: color, flavor, texture, doneness	20 points
Filling: consistency, doneness, moistness, flavor	25 points
Overall appearance	15 points
Creativity	10 points

Rules:

1. Creativity is essential to a varied competition. Do not limit your pie to a “traditional” two-crust apple pie. We are looking for a variety of fillings in the pies.
2. **Recipe must accompany pie. Printed on an 8 ½”x11” piece of paper, one side only, with name, address, and phone number on the back.** This recipe will also need to be submitted when entering at the PA Farm Show.
3. Pie must include at least 60% apples in the filling.
4. Refrigeration is **NOT** available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.
5. Each fair will certify the winning apple pie baker who will be eligible to enter their pie in the **2013 PA Farm Show** competition representing the South Mountain Fair Association.
6. Winner will be notified by phone after completion of judging. If possible, the winner should attend the auction for pictures to be taken with the Apple Queen and the buyer of the pie.

Section 40 - Senior

Class 1

Premiums 1st Place \$100 2nd Place \$50 3rd Place \$25

Premiums for the 2013 PA FARM SHOW competition will be as follows:

1 st Place	\$500
2 nd Place	\$250
3 rd Place	\$100
4 th Place	Ribbon
5 th Place	Ribbon

At the PA FARM SHOW level, this contest is jointly sponsored by:

The Pennsylvania Apple Marketing Program

The Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture

The Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs



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Adams County Best “Cherry” Pie Contest

Open to Adams County residents only.

Sponsored by Adams County Fruit Growers Association
33 Musselman Avenue, Biglerville, PA 17307
717-677-7444

Recipe must accompany the pie, printed on an 8 1/2 x11 piece of paper, one side only with name, address, and phone number on the back.

Each pie is judged on the following basis:

Overall appearance	Filling	Crust color
Consistency	Texture & Doneness	
Creativity	Flavor	

Section 41 - Senior **Class 1**

Premiums 1st Place \$100 2nd Place \$50 3rd Place \$25



Vegetable Quick Bread Contest

Open to Adams County residents only.

Sponsored by Jane’s Market, Inc.
3463 Biglerville Road, P.O. Box 329, Biglerville, PA 17307

Rules:

1. One loaf of quick (non-yeast) bread baked in a 9”x5” pan and displayed on a paper plate or cardboard.
2. Recipe must include at least one cup or more of the following PA grown vegetables: asparagus, beans, beets, broccoli, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, cucumber, greens, eggplant, garlic, horseradish, leeks, onion, parsley, peas, pepper, pumpkin, spinach, summer squash, zucchini, sweet corn, sweet potatoes, tomatoes, turnips or winter squash.
3. **Recipe must accompany the entry.**
4. Judging criteria:
 - Overall appearance 30 points
 - Inside characteristics (texture and doneness) 35 points
 - Flavor 25 points
 - Creativity 10 points

Section 42 - Senior **Class 1**

Premiums 1st Place \$25 2nd Place \$15 3rd Place \$10

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9th Annual Angel Food Cake Contest

Open to Pennsylvania residents only.

Sponsored by Pennsylvania's Egg Farmers
Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs

Rules:

1. Entry must be an Angel Food cake made from "scratch".
2. **Entrants may NOT have won 1st place in this Angel Food cake contest at any other fair in 2012.**
3. **Pennsylvania produced and packed eggs** are requested to be used if at all possible. Please look for the PEQAP or PA Preferred logo or PA packaging dates on the carton.
4. Cake must be submitted for judging on cardboard (no doily required).
5. **Recipe(s) listing the ingredients and the preparation instructions must be submitted printed on one side of an 8 ½"x11" paper, and entrant's name, address, and phone number must be printed on the back of the page.**
6. Refrigeration is NOT available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.

Judging will be based on the following criteria:

- Flavor(smell, taste, flavoring) 30 points
- Inside characteristics (texture and lightness) 25 points
- Overall appearance (surface, size, color) 20 points
- Creativity 15 points
- Topping, Icing or Decoration 10 points

Section 43-Senior

Class 1

Premiums 1st Place \$25 2nd Place \$15 3rd Place \$10

First place winner is eligible for the **2013 PA Farm Show** competition.

Prizes for PA Farm Show Winners: 1st Place \$500 2nd Place \$250 3rd Place \$100



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2012 PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cake Baking Contest

Open to Pennsylvania residents only.

Sponsored by Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture's PA Preferred™ program and the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs.

Rules:

1. One entry per person.
2. Entrants may **NOT** have won 1st place in this PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cake contest at any other fair this year.
3. Entry must be a layered chocolate cake made from “scratch” (no mixes). Entry must be frosted and frosting must be made from “scratch”.
4. Cake recipe must feature chocolate or cocoa as a main ingredient.
5. As many PA Preferred™ products as possible should be used and listed as “PA Preferred™” in the cake recipe. All PA Preferred™ product labels, including the name of the product, must accompany the recipe. Look for the blue and yellow PA Preferred™ logo on ingredient packaging to ensure the product was produced in Pennsylvania. Visit www.papreferred.com to find PA Preferred™ products by zip code.
6. The entire cake entry must be submitted for judging on cardboard or a disposable plate. Recipe must be submitted and must list all ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions on an 8 ½”x11” paper, printed on one side only. Entrant's name, address and phone number must be printed on the **back** side of all the pages. **PA Preferred™ product labels must be attached to the recipe.**
7. Refrigeration is **not** available at the Fair. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold or auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.
8. Judging criteria:
 - Flavor (aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings) 30 points
 - Texture (moist and tender crumb, not soggy or dry) 25 points
 - Inside Characteristics (even grain, evenly baked) 20 points
 - Outside Characteristics (size and shape; overall appeal) 15 points
 - Frosting (taste, texture, even color) 10 points

Section 44-Senior

Class 1

Premiums 1st Place \$25 2nd Place \$20 3rd Place \$15

First place winner is eligible for the **2013 PA Farm Show** competition.

Prizes for the PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cake Winners: 1st \$500 2nd \$250 3rd \$100



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2012 PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cookie, Brownie or Bar Baking Contest

Open to Pennsylvania residents only.

Sponsored by Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture's PA Preferred™ program and the Pennsylvania State Association of County Fairs.

Rules:

1. Exhibitor must be an individual (age 8 through and including 18 years ONLY). One entry per person.
2. Entrants may **NOT** have won 1st place in this PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cookie, Brownie, Bar contest at any other fair this year..
3. Entry must be a plate of six (6) cookies, brownies or bars made from “scratch” (no mixes).
4. Cookies, Brownies or Bars entry must feature chocolate or cocoa as a main ingredient.
5. As many PA Preferred™ products as possible should be used and listed as “PA Preferred™” in the cookie, brownie or bar recipe. All PA Preferred™ product labels, including the name of the product, must accompany the recipe. Look for the blue and yellow PA Preferred™ logo on ingredient packaging to ensure the product was produced in Pennsylvania. Visit www.papreferred.com to find PA Preferred™ products by zip code.
6. Entry must be submitted for judging on a doily-covered cardboard or a disposable plate.
7. Recipe(s) must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of an 8 ½”x11” paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions. Entrant's name, **age**, address and phone number must be printed on the back side of all the pages. **PA Preferred™ product labels must be attached to the recipe.**
8. Refrigeration is not available at the Fair. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold or auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after judging for food safety reasons.

Judging criteria:

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| • Flavor (aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings) | 30 points |
| • Texture (appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar) | 25 points |
| • Inside Characteristics (even grain, evenly baked, free from air pockets) | 20 points |
| • Outside Characteristics (uniform size, shape, appearance, overall appeal) | 15 points |
| • Creativity | 10 points |

Section 120 - Junior

Class 1

Premiums 1st Place \$20 2nd Place \$15 3rd Place \$10

First place winner is eligible for the **2013 PA Farm Show** competition.

Prizes for the PA Preferred™ Chocolate Cookie/Brownie/Bar Winners: 1st \$250 2nd \$100 3rd \$50



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Gingerbread House Contest

Open to Pennsylvania residents only.

Sponsored by The Pub & Restaurant
Lincoln Square, Gettysburg

Rules:

1. Open to all youths, ages 8 through 18 years.
2. All exhibitors must secure an exhibitor number for a fee of \$2.00. This fee is waived if the entry is pre-registered by August 1. The General Entry Form can be found at the back of this book or on the Premium book web page at www.southmountainfair.com.
3. Houses must be presented on aluminum foil covered cardboard that is no larger than 8 ½ by 11 inches.
4. House and all decorations must be edible.
5. Judging will be based on overall appearance, construction and creativity.
6. Gingerbread Houses will **not** be sold at the auction.

Section 45 - Junior

Class	Premiums			
1 Ages 8-10	\$20.00	15.00	10.00	1.00
2 Ages 11-13	\$20.00	15.00	10.00	1.00
3 Ages 14-18	\$20.00	15.00	10.00	1.00

