



# COOKING



# '25 COMP GUIDE

## **FREE REGISTRATION:**

July 1 - August 15

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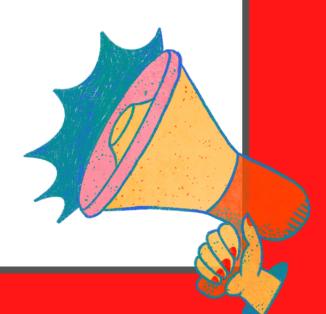
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# MISSION \* STATEMENT

Oklahoma State Fair, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit corporation that serves the people of Oklahoma and is dedicated to continuing the organization's heritage of education, entertainment, and economic development through the operation of the OKC Fairgrounds and the annual Oklahoma State Fair.





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#### 2025 Creative Arts Quick Reference Guide

#### **Creative Arts registrations must be submitted online.**

Starting July 1, **CLICK HERE** to register.

**Competition Guides** 

**Posted Online:** Sunday, June 1

Registration: Tuesday, July 1, 9 a.m. - Friday, August 15

**Deliver Exhibits:** Canning: Sat., Aug. 23, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Sun., Aug., 24, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Cooking: Sat., Sept. 6, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., Sun., Sept. 7, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Early Pick Up: Tuesday, September 9, 2 - 5 p.m. For cooking items placing lower than 3rd

& canning items placed lower than 5th. Items not picked up will be disposed.

Pick Up Exhibits: Monday, September 22, 2 - 7 p.m.

Tuesday, September 23, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

#### **Creative Arts Calendar of Events**

Schedule for free registration: July 1 at 10 a.m. through August 15

FREE REGISTRATION MUST BE DONE ONLINE. If you do not have computer access, please go to your local library or contact your local OSU Cooperative Extension Services.

Late registration: We no longer accept late registration, but we will have on-site registration during take-in.

**On-site registration:** August 23, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and August 24, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Exhibitors will be charged a \$12 fee per exhibitor (not per entry). **Credit or Debit cards will only be accepted.** 

#### **CALENDAR**

June 1	New competition guides posted online.

**July 1** Online registration opens at 10 a.m.

**August 15** Entry deadline for the Oklahoma State Fair Creative Arts competitions and contests. Free registrations

must be received online by August 15.

August 16 We will no longer accept late online registrations, but you will be able to register on site during take-in

with a small fee of \$12 per exhibitor. <u>All entries</u> will be turned in on the listed check-in days/ live contest.

August 23 Entry clerks will receive canning items at the Oklahoma Arts Building from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Late

registration will be available to enter with a \$12 late registration fee per exhibitor done electronically.

August 24 Entry clerks will receive canning items at the Oklahoma Arts Building from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Late

registration will be available to enter with a \$12 late registration fee per exhibitor done electronically.

All canned items will be judged. This is closed judging. Exhibitors are not permitted to attend. We

encourage you to come to the Fair to view results. Judging results will be posted online as soon as they are available, possibly after the end of the State Fair. **Do not call or email to ask for results. They** 

cannot be given out prior to posting.

**September 6** Entry clerks will receive all other non-canned cooking items at the Oklahoma Arts Building from 11 a.m.

to 4 p.m. Late registration will be available to enter with a \$12 late registration fee done electronically.

**September 7** Entry clerks will receive all other non-canned cooking items at the Oklahoma Arts Building from 10 a.m.

to 4 p.m. Late registration will be available to enter with a \$12 late registration fee per exhibitor done

electronically.

September 11 Oklahoma State Fair opens! The Oklahoma Arts Building will host a series of demonstrations, live

contests, and special events every day of the Fair.

**September 21** Last day of the Oklahoma State Fair.

September 22 Entry clerks will release exhibits upon presentation of claim check at the Oklahoma Arts Building

from 2 to 7 p.m.

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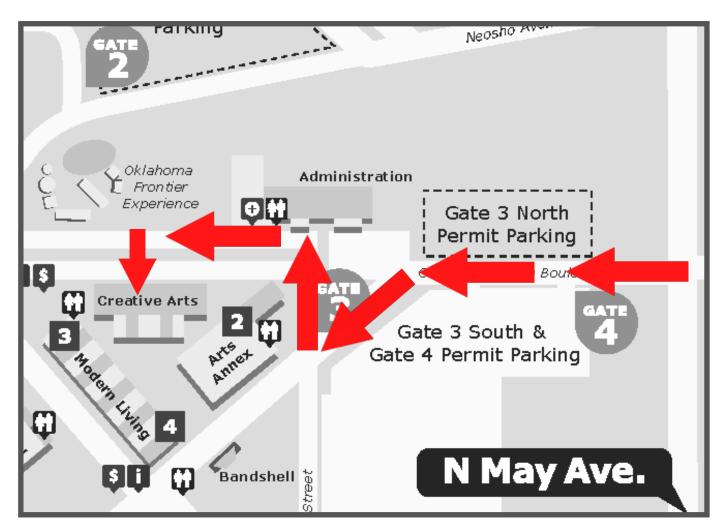
from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Items not picked up become property of the Oklahoma State Fair.



We know sometimes it takes all year to create something magical to enter in the Fair, or just a few days! Share your progress with us! Tag the Fair when you share your creations and ribbons by using #okstatefair!



#### Creative Arts Drop-Off & Pick Up Map & Information



#### **How To Get Here: Pre-Fair**

Our physical address is 3100 General Pershing Blvd, OKC, OK 73107.

From I-44 take the NW 10th St. eastbound exit and follow until NW 10th St. and May Ave. (2nd light). Turn right onto May Ave. Proceed to Gate 3 (1st light) and drive towards the gate. You will then enter the OKC Fairgrounds and make your way to the Oklahoma Arts Building.

#### **Drop-Off Information**

For **Canning**: Drop-off is Saturday, August 23 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday, August 24 from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. At check-in you will be given a claim check tag. PLEASE SAVE THESE as they are what you will need to pick up your item(s). Canning will only be accepted these days.

For all other **Pre-Fair Contests**: Drop-off is Saturday, September 6 from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sunday, September 7 from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. At check-in you will be given a claim check tag. PLEASE SAVE THESE as they are what you will need to pick up your item(s). Canning **WILL NOT** be accepted this weekend.

#### **Pick Up Information**

Pick up is Monday, September 22 from 2 - 7 p.m. and Tuesday, September 23 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Please remember to bring your claim check tag as this is how you reclaim your pieces. If you have misplaced your claim check tag, please bring a current photo ID of the exhibitor.

#### **CREATIVE ARTS RULES AND REGULATIONS**

#### ENTRY INFORMATION

Who Can Enter? ONLY OKLAHOMA RESIDENTS may enter our contests. Exhibitors entering must be amateurs unless an Open (expert) Division is offered

**Who is considered an Amateur?** Someone who earns less than 10% of their income from this skill. If you have taught this craft before, or currently teach, you are not considered an Amateur, but may enter in an open class, if available.

Are there any size limitations? Furniture may be no larger than 40" in any direction. All other exhibits are limited to 30" in any direction.

**How many exhibits can be entered?** ONE ENTRY PER CLASS (unless otherwise stated.) There is no limit on the total number of entries. Photography is the exception with 12 total entries allowed per exhibitor. All entries must have been completed since the final day of the previous Oklahoma State Fair.

Can I enter something I have entered in the past? Unless otherwise specified, items can only be entered once.

What is the cost to enter? CREATIVE ARTS ENTRIES ARE FREE if registered by August 15. (Only the wine contest requires an entry fee.)

May I mail in my exhibit? No.

Do I need to pre-register for live contests? Yes. All registration is online and you cannot register the day of on-site.

**How do I get into the Fair if I am entered in a live contest?** ONLY EXHIBITORS receive FREE ENTRY AND PARKING with live contests. Family and friends will need to purchase a ticket to get in the day of the contest. Please check out our pre-sale of tickets starting in July and ending the day before the start of the Fair.

All entries must be the work of the exhibitor and completed since the previous Oklahoma State Fair except as noted.

#### **CREATIVE ARTS DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS**

- The Oklahoma State Fair reserves the right to reject any exhibit offered if it is objectionable in any way, if it requires an excessive amount of space, or if the capacity of the department has been reached. Any contest may be cancelled for lack of entries.
- Each item turned in is completed by one person, unless otherwise noted in the competition information.
- All work must be original. Art reproduced or rendered from works of masters, from advertisements, materials from published sources, or from widely circulated photographs is not original. All art is not allowed, unless specified by the rules.
- Your items will be handled with care, however, Oklahoma State Fair, Inc. is not responsible for items that are damaged or lost while on display during the Fair. If the exhibitor feels it necessary, they must purchase their own insurance at their own expense. Exhibitors MAY NOT supply their own display stands. Only OSF stands will be used for display.
- Each exhibit will be evaluated by qualified individuals and the decision of the judge(s) is final. All cash prizes will be paid from the awards as marked by the judges and not from ribbons that may be attached to the exhibits. Judges are instructed not to award cash prizes unless the exhibit is deemed worthy of the placing awarded. Premium payouts for the Creative Arts Department will be mailed to exhibitors after the close of the Fair.
- Within 90 days from the last day of the 2025 Oklahoma State Fair, it is the responsibility of the Payee to file, in writing, a claim for lost or incorrect awards.
- If it is ascertained that an exhibitor has made any false statement with regards to any article or exhibit, or if any exhibitor attempts to harass or interfere with the judge or judges in the performance of their duties, the exhibitor shall be excluded from competition and forfeit all premiums.
- Any protest must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of \$50, which will be forfeited if protest is not sustained. Said protest must state
  plainly the cause of complaint or appeal and must be filed with the Creative Programs Manager by 5 p.m. on Thursday of the closing week of the
  Fair. Judges will be encouraged to view exhibits after items have been placed on display with names. If they believe that an exhibitor is not in the
  correct skill level, that judge will be encouraged to protest the placement.
- Every effort will be made to display entries in an attractive arrangement; however, items entered for competition will be displayed through 3rd place. Other entries will be displayed only as space is available and at the discretion of the superintendents.

#### **COOKING DEPARTMENT RULES & GUIDELINES**

- Canned items turn-in is Saturday, August 23 & Sunday, August 24. Canning items will only be accepted then. All
  other non-live cooking items will be turned in Saturday, September 6 & Sunday, September 7. All items not to be
  displayed during the Fair will be available for pick up on Tuesday, September 9 from 2 5 p.m. or after the Fair
  during reclaim hours.
- DO NOT MAIL YOUR PRINTED RECIPES. Recipes must accompany each exhibit when it is entered. Please use the OSF Standard Recipe Template, if possible. The template is on the last page of this guide. It is also a fillable form on the webpage. If you choose to type the recipe on your own paper, please BE SURE the format is the same and it is on plain white paper with no frills or decoration on the page.
- For food safety, all ingredients, equipment and garnishes must be transported in clear plastic containers and/or storage tubs. All entries must be brought to the Fair on disposable plates, pans and boards. No baskets, cardboard boxes or any other type of opaque container will be permitted for ingredients, equipment or garnishes. No exceptions. Prepared dishes such as casseroles and pies may be brought in the container in which they were cooked. Thermal carries for hot dishes and ice chests for cold items are permissible. Glass dishes/pans may be used in live contests except where noted otherwise. Entries will not be accepted if displayed in baskets.
- Articles will be juried to the satisfaction of the judge. Live contest entries will not be released until the contest is over.
- Cooking items placing lower than 3rd and canning items placing lower than 5th may be picked up the Tuesday before the Fair between 2 - 5 p.m. Results will not be known by the Creative Programs Manager at this time to give information over the phone. Perishable food items and containers will be disposed of after this window while canning items will be stored until after the Fair for pick up.

NOTE: ALL BAKED GOODS BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE OKLAHOMA STATE FAIR AND WILL BE REMOVED WHEN SPOILED. RECIPES BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE OKLAHOMA STATE FAIR AND THEIR SPONSORS, INCLUDING PUBLICATION RIGHTS.

#### **PEOPLE'S CHOICE RULES**

Only cash accepted.

- Tasting kits are sold when contest starts, except crock pot, which is 30 minutes before the start of contest.
- All participants <u>MUST BE PRESENT</u> at time of kit purchase. One kit per person in line. Additional kits cannot be purchased.
- Tasting kits will not be sold to contestants.
- All participants must be 14 and older.

## SHAWNEE MILLS FOCACCIA ART Division 3589

Use your artistic skills to create a beautiful piece of Focaccia bread art - almost too pretty to eat. Make your design using herbs, vegetables, seeds, nuts etc. Your design could be flowers, butterflies, mosaic - as long as it is family friendly! Your focaccia will be judged on the bread itself, ingredients and artistic quality used. You must present the empty package of the Shawnee Milling Company product used in preparing your entry at check-in.



#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Shawnee Mills Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

1st Place	Rosette & \$25
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$10

# BREAD BAKING Division 3590

Muffins and breads marked with \* must be baked in standard full-size pans (8.5 - 9" x 4.5 - 5" x 2.5")

# Yeast Breads 01. White bread \* 02. Sally Lunn bread 03. French bread 04. Whole wheat \* 05. Onion bread 06. Cheese bread 07. Tea rings

08. Dinner rolls (six)
09. Coffee cake

- 10. Cinnamon rolls (six)11. Challah (Jewish egg bread)
- 12. Rye bread
- 13. Herb bread
- 14. Oatmeal bread
- 15. Sourdough bread
- 16. Machine breads
- 17. Other yeast bread

#### **Quick Breads**

- 18. Beer Bread \*
- Muffins with fruit added (six)
- 20. Muffins other (carrot, bran, nut) (six)
- 21. Cornbread muffins (six)
- 22. Banana bread no nuts\*
- 23. Banana bread with nuts \*

- 24. Nut bread NOT including banana nut \*
- 25. Coffee cake
- 26. Bread with fruit with or without nuts, no banana \*
- 27. Zucchini bread \*
- 28. Other quick bread \*
- 29. Any bread, sugar-free
- 30. Any bread, gluten-free

#### **AWARDS**

BEST OF SHOW, Yeast Bread	Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25
2nd Place Overall, Yeast Bread	Mini-Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall, Yeast Bread	Mini-Rosette & \$10
BEST OF SHOW, Quick Bread	Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25
2nd Place Overall, Quick Bread	Mini-Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall, Quick Bread	Mini-Rosette & \$10

#### SHAWNEE MILLS BROWNIES, **BARS AND COOKIES** Division 3591

Each entry must contain twelve pieces unless otherwise noted.

- 01. Brownies PLAIN no add-ins
- 02. Brownies mix-ins or iced w/ mix-ins 12. Snickerdoodles
- 03. Bar cookies no brownies
- 04. Chocolate cookies
- 05. Chocolate chip cookies
- 06. Peanut butter cookies
- 07. Drop cookies
- 08. Fruit cookies
- 09. Nut cookies
- 10. Oatmeal cookies

- 11. Refrigerator cookies
- 13. Sugar cookies
- 14. Cookies not listed
- 15. Creative mix cookies use cake or cookie mix as base
- 16. Decorated cookies (six pcs only) (judged on decoration alone)
- 17. Any cookie, sugar-free
- 18. Gluten free cookies



NOTE: You must present the empty package of the Shawnee Milling Company product you used in preparing your entry the day of the contest. One empty flour bag will suffice for multiple entries. Gluten free cookies do not need to show proof of purchase of flour.

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Shawnee Mills

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW......Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25 2nd Place Overall...... Mini-Rosette & \$15 3rd Place Overall ...... Mini-Rosette & \$10 Sweepstakes......Rosette & \$10

#### CHRISTMAS COOKIE PLATE CONTEST Division 3592

Santa Claus is comin' to town! Or at least, he's preparing to come to town.

Decorate a plate fit for Santa to leave for him as he shimmies down the chimney. Plates will need to include 5 – 6 different types of homemade holiday cookies. Plate must be decorated at home and not store bought. Diameter/length of the plate/tray cannot be more than 12" and any additional decorations cannot exceed more than 2" making display 14".

Bring one of each kind of cookie, including recipes, in a small box for the judges to taste.

Plate decoration will count for 60% and cookies 40%.

Previous year winner cannot compete.

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place.

1st Place	Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$75
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$50
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$25

# STATE FAIR THEMED COOKIE JAR Division 3593

Jar should contain an assortment of 4 - 7 different types of homemade cookies.



Jar should be an attractive wide-mouthed cookie jar, of approximately one-gallon capacity. The jar can be decorated, but base must be clear so cookies can be seen.

Total height of entry may be no more than 24" and cookie jar must have the ability to open.

Jar should be decorated with the 2025 theme, **Eat, Ride, Repeat'.** Bring one of each kind of cookie, including recipes, in a small box for the judges to taste.

Jar decoration will count for 60% and cookies 40%.

Previous year winner cannot compete.

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place.

1st Place......Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$75

2nd Place......Ribbon & \$50

3rd Place.....Ribbon & \$25

## CAKES Division 3594

Cakes must be on cardboard, not over 10" in diameter, ROUND and READY TO EXHIBIT. Layer cakes must be between 8 - 9" in diameter. 6" cakes WILL NOT be accepted. No fresh fruit garnishes or fruit fillings will be allowed. Fillings only allowed in class 13. Cakes requiring refrigeration WILL NOT be accepted.

Do not bring cakes in pans. No box mixes except CLASSES 01 & 02.

- 01. Creative cake mix layered and iced
- 02. Creative cake mix loaf or Bundt
- 03. Angel food not iced
- 04. Chiffon cake not iced
- 05. Pound cake not iced
- 06. Spice cake layered and iced
- 07. Sunshine or Yellow cake layered and iced
- 08. Chocolate cake layered and iced
- 09. German chocolate cake layered and iced

- 10. White cake layered and iced
- 11. Carrot cake layered and iced
- 12. Pineapple Upside Down cake
- 13. Multiple layer cake with filling (3 or more layers)
- 14. Loaf cake other recipe than listed
- 15. Layer cake iced, other recipe than listed
- 16. Bundt cake other recipe than listed
- 17. Other cake
- 18. Any cake, gluten free

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class

#### **DECORATED CAKES** AND CUPCAKES

#### **Division 3595**

Exhibits will be judged on decoration only. Real cake or cake forms may be used. First, second and third place winners will be displayed through the end of the Fair.

Sheet cakes are to be on cardboard not to exceed 15" x 20". Round cakes are to be on cardboard not exceed 18" in diameter. Gingerbread house should not exceed 20" in diameter. Overall height for decorated cakes cannot exceed 24".

Cupcakes MUST be in a cupcake or muffin liner. Each cupcake entry must contain three standard size cupcakes per class.

#### **Decorated Cakes**

- 01. Holiday
- 02. Gingerbread House
- 03. Shower cake baby, wedding, etc.
- 04. Birthday cake
- 05. Wedding cake (2 tiers maximum)
- 06. 2025 theme "Eat, Ride, Repeat"

#### **Decorated Cupcakes**

- 07. Holiday
- 08. Animal
- 09. Shower cupcakes baby, wedding, etc.
- 10. Birthday
- 11. 2025 theme "Eat, Ride, Repeat"

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW, Decorated Cakes	Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25
2nd Place Overall, Decorated Cakes	Mini-Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall, Decorated Cakes	Mini-Rosette & \$10
BEST OF SHOW, Decorated Cupcakes	Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25
2nd Place Overall, Decorated Cupcakes	Mini-Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall, Decorated Cupcakes	Mini-Rosette & \$10

#### **CANDIES** Division 3596

All candy exhibits must be at least a 1/2 lb.

01. Bon bons 06. Penuche 07. Caramel 02. Divinity 08. Pralines 03. Chocolate fudge 09. Aunt Bill's brown candy 04. Marshmallow fudge 05. Peanut butter fudge

11. Peanut patties 12. Marzipan

13. Candy not specified, (labeled)

14. Any candy, sugar-free

10. Nut brittle

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW ...... Mini-Rosette, Medallion & \$25 2nd Place Overall......Mini-Rosette & \$15 3rd Place Overall ......Mini-Rosette & \$10

# CANNED ENTRY GUIDELINES

The Oklahoma State Fair canning judges use the National Center for Home Food Preservation Guidelines for judging guidelines which can be found at **https://nchfp.uga.edu/how/general.html**.

For health and safety purposes, Oklahoma State Fair judges do not open entries and are able to judge canned items by color, texture, tilting of jellies, and how well entry is packed in container. Dried items and honey are the only two classes that are the exception to this rule.

Before turning canned entries in, please make sure jars are CLEAN and lids are without rust. Lids need to be two-piece consisting of a flat & a ring. Please check sealing of can or item will be disqualified. Any waste due to faulty canning or weather conditions is at the exhibitor's risk.

As a reminder, Canning Items will be turned in Saturday, August 23 from 10 a.m. 4 p.m. or Sunday, August 24 from 11 a.m. 4 p.m. Canning items will be judged during that week. Canning will not be accepted at any other time.

# CANNED FRUITS Division 3597

Only clean **regulation pint or quart canning jars** without any kind of label will be accepted, except for classes 13 and 14, which must be labeled. Canning exhibits do not need recipes. Any waste due to faulty canning or weather conditions is at the exhibitor's risk.

01. Apples

02. Apricots

03. Blackberries

04. Cherries

05. Peaches

06. Pears

07. Pineapples

08. Plums

09. Mixed fruit for salad

10. Pie filling (apple, cherry, etc.)

11. Fruit juice

12. Applesauce

13. Spiced fruit (labeled)

14. Fruit not listed (labeled)

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

Sweepstakes ...... Rosette & \$25

## DRIED FOODS Division 3598

Only clean **regulation pint canning jars** without any kind of label will be accepted. Canning exhibits do not need recipes. Any waste due to faulty canning or weather conditions is at the exhibitor's risk.

01. Fruit

04. Meat - must be jerky

02. Vegetables

05. Freeze dried fruit

03. Herbs

06. Freeze dried vegetables

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

Sweepstakes ...... Rosette & \$15

# CANNED VEGETABLES Division 3599

Only clean **regulation pint or quart canning jars** without any kind of label will be accepted, except for class 18, which must be labeled. Canning exhibits do not need recipes. Any waste due to faulty canning or weather conditions is at the exhibitor's risk.

01.	Beans - green
02.	Beans - lima
03.	Beets
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04. Black-eyed peas

05. Carrots 06. Corn

07. Okra

08. Peas

09. Soup mix10. Spinach

11. Tomatoes12. Tomato Juice

13. Squash or pumpkin - cubed

14. Mixed vegetables

15. Kraut

16. New potatoes

17. Stewed tomatoes

18. Vegetables not listed (labeled) (not sauce)

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

Sweepstakes......Rosette & \$25

#### JELLIES, PRESERVES, BUTTERS AND JAMS Division 3601 and 3602



# Jellies 3601 01. Apple 02. Blackberry 03. Peach 04. Apricot 05. Grape 06. Plum 07. Jalapeno 08. Pepper jelly, other than jalapeno 09. Cherry 10. Strawberry 11. Oklahoma sand plum 12. Jelly not listed (labeled) 13. Any jelly, sugar-free (labeled)

## Preserves, Butters and Jams 3602

01. Apple butter02. Apricot butter

03. Blackberry jam

04. Conserve not listed (labeled)

05. Cherry preserves06. Marmalade

07. Peach butter

08. Peach preserves

09. Peach jam

10. Pear preserves

11. Plum butter

12. Plum preserves

- 13. Strawberry preserves
- 14. Tomato preserves
- 15. Watermelon preserves
- 16. Oklahoma sand plum
- 17. Preserves, butters or jams not listed (labeled)
- 18. Any variety, sugar-free (labeled)
- 19. Syrup, any variety (labeled)

#### **AWARDS**

Sweepstakes, Division 3601	Rosette & \$25
Sweepstakes, Division 3602	Rosette & \$25

## PICKLES AND RELISHES Division 3604

Only clean **regulation pint or quart canning jars** without any kind of label will be accepted, except for classes 10 and 17, which must be labeled. Canning exhibits do not need recipes. Any waste due to faulty canning or weather conditions is at the exhibitor's risk.

01	١.	Beet	: pi	icl	<	es
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02. Bread and butter pickles

03. Chili sauce

04. Barbeque sauce

05. Ketchup

06. Chow chow

07. Sweet relish

08. Corn relish

09. Hot pepper relish

10. Relish, any variety (labeled)

11. Cucumber pickles - sweet

12. Cucumber pickles - dill

13. Fruit pickles

14. Mixed pickles

15. Pickled okra

16. Pickles, any variety (labeled)

17. Watermelon pickles

18. Jalapeno peppers pickled

19. Picante sauce/Salsa

20. Fruit salsa - no tomato

21. Sauce - other

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

Sweepstakes......Rosette & \$25

# FROM THE HIVE Division 3605

Bees are the lifeblood of our world and the Oklahoma State Fair would like to shine a light on bees and the products that come From The Hive. Please check the category for what each item should be presented in.

#### Honey is considered canning and must be turned in August 23 - 24

#### 12 oz Queenline Jar

01. Honey - Light

02. Honey - Amber

03. Honey - Dark

04. Pollen

#### Wide Mouth - Pint

05. Honey with comb/chunk comb

#### Wide Mouth - 1/2 Pint

06. Creamed Honey - Natural

07. Creamed Honey - Flavored

#### Other

08. Beeswax Block

09. Full-Frame

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

# AN UN-BEE-LIEVABLY SWEET CONTEST Division 3609

Tuesday, September 16, 2025

**Check-in:** 10:15 - 10:45 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 11 a.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

Honey bees are important pollinators for flowers, fruits & vegetables. They help plants grow. They help transfer pollen between growing plants to help them grow! Because of this, we are asking you to create a baked good substituting the sweetener for honey! Either use a tried & true recipe or create a new one using honey as a minimum of 50% of the sweetener.

How do you do that? Replace 1 cup of sugar with 2/3 cups of honey in the recipe. Also, as a tip, reduce your other liquids in the recipe by 1/4 a cup for each cup of honey used since honey has water in it! Thirdly, lower your baking temperature by 25°. Also, if there's already another acidic ingredient in the recipe, add 1/4 teaspoon of baking soda when you use honey (buttermilk, molasses or banana!). By doing this, you should have a perfect substitution for sugar!

As a final tip - spray your measuring tools with cooking spray before measuring out the honey so it will slide out easily!

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums & Plaque provided by the Oklahoma State Beekeepers Association Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place.

1st Place	Rosette, Plaque & \$25
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$10

# BLACK LABEL HONEY TASTING Sponsored by Ok. State Beekeepers Association Division 3610



Check-in: 11 - 11:45 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Judging Begins:** 12 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Demonstration Stage

Join the Oklahoma State Beekeepers Association for the annual Black Label Honey Contest. Honey from the current season will be brought in 1-pint lidded glass containers to be judged. Containers must not have any identifying labels or markers. At checkin you will be asked the general area of honey production and the floral source of the honey.



#### **AWARDS**

Premiums & Plaque provided by the Oklahoma State Beekeepers Association Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place.

1st Place	Rosette, Plaque & \$25
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$10

## JELLY & PRESERVES TASTING Division 3611

Monday, September 15, 2025

Check-in: 5 - 5:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Judging Begins:** 6 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

Bring in your canned jelly and preserves to be tasted live! A jelly is defined as a product made from fruit/vegetable juices or wine in combination with acids, is clear, somewhat translucent; quivers when touched; retains an angle when cut with a spoon but is tender, spreadable and has a pleasing mouthfeel and good flavor representative of the juices used. A preserve is defined as a small, whole fruit or uniformly sized, medium-large pieces of fruit in a clear, heavy, slightly-jelled syrup. Preserves contain plump, tender fruit.

Jellies & preserves must be presented in a 1/2 pint or 8 oz jelly jar. Jellies must have 1/4" head space and lids need to be two-piece consisting of a flat & a ring. Recipes are required for this contest.

**Jellies** 01. Fruit

02. Berry 03. Other Preserves

04. Single Fruit/Berry05. Combination of 2 or more ingredients

Jams

06. Single Fruit/Berry07. Combination of 2 or more

ingredients

#### **AWARDS**

1st Place (Each Class)	Ribbon & \$10
Best of Show	Rosette & \$30
Sweepstakes	Ribbon & \$20

#### EGGCELLENT OKLAHOMA BREAKFAST COOK-OFF

#### Division 3612

Saturday, September 20, 2025

**Check-in:** 10:15 - 10:45 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 11 a.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

We all know that breakfast is the most important meal of the day and eggs are the perfect choice for breakfast! Egg protein provides steady and sustained energy that starts your day off right! Sometimes, we have time for the perfect egg breakfast, but other times, we need something quick and easy! So, make something that could fall in one or the other! Recipes must be a breakfast dish and must contain at least one (1) egg per serving, not including garnish. Entries should be brought to the Fair already prepped for judging! All entries will be judged on nutritional quality, ease of preparation, taste appeal, appearance and creativity.

01. Egg casserole type dish

02. Grab & Go (egg cups, burritos, etc.)

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place

Best of Show	Rosette & \$	50
1st Place (each class)	Ribbon & \$	25
2nd Place (each class)	Ribbon & \$	20

#### GRILLED CHEESE CHAMPIONSHIPS Division 3613

Friday, September 19, 2025

Check-in: 4:45 - 5:15 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Contest Begins: 5:30 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Kitchen Stage

There's just something about bread, butter and cheese!

Each contestant will assemble, prepare and cook their sandwich on the kitchen stage. All ingredients must be prepared in advance (washed, sliced, chopped, etc.), and competitors must provide their own pans and utensils.

Judging Criteria: Taste: 60%; Presentation: 20%; Creativity: 20%

- 01. Traditional White bread, butter or margarine (no flavors or infusions) and 'orange' cheese (American or cheddar)
- 02. Touch of Sweet Any bread, any cheese, sweet ingredient(s) such as fruit
- 03. The Melting Pot Any bread, any butter or margarine, any cheese PLUS non-sweet additional ingredient(s)
- 04. Jr. Division All sandwiches prepared by exhibitors age 18 and under

#### **AWARDS**

1st Place (Each Class)	Rosette & \$50
2nd Place (Each Class)	Ribbon & \$25
3rd Place (Each Class)	Ribbon & \$15

#### SOME LIKE IT HOT: FRESH SALSA CONTEST Division 3614

Saturday, September 13, 2025

**Check-in:** 5 - 5:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Contest Begins: 6 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Lower Bay Contestants need to prepare one quart of salsa.

Contestants will set up their salsa entry at a designated table in the cooking department. Salsa must be prepared in advance.

After the judges have had their samples, we will invite the public to taste your creation and vote on the People's Choice Award. Contestants need to be available to distribute samples.

01. Mild/medium salsa

03. Fruit Salsa (no tomatoes)

02. Hot salsa

04. Call the fire department!

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place in each class.

## TAILGATING CONTEST Division 3615

Saturday, September 13, 2025

**Check-in:** 10:15 - 10:45 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 11 a.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Kitchen Stage

Contestants will prepare and bring a dish that might headline a tailgating party. Choose your favorite main dish, snack or dessert - or enter one of each! Have some fun with the foods you love to make for your game day parties.

- 01. Main dish or sandwich
- 02. Snack or appetizer
- 03. Dessert

#### **AWARDS**

1st Place (Each Class)	Rosette & \$50
2nd Place (Each Class)	. Ribbon & \$25
3rd Place (Each Class)	. Ribbon & \$15

#### "THE BEST OF WHEAT" - Bread Baking Contest Sponsored by Oklahoma Wheat Commission Division 3616



Sunday, September 21, 2025

Judging Begins: 1 p.m.

Check-in: 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

#### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

To be eligible for state competition, contestant must have won Champion, Reserve Champion or Bread Machine Class at their County "Best of Wheat" competition. If there is minimal participation at County level and the same person wins Champion, Reserve Champion or Bread Machine Class with two different entries in two different classes that person may enter both entries at State level.

All class determinations will be at the discretion of the Oklahoma Wheat Commission, no matter how they were entered or judged at the county level. If any part of the recipe is done with a bread machine, then the recipe will be classified in the bread machine category.

#### First Place recipes at the 2024 State Contest are ineligible to be used in the 2025 contest.

Bread Machine entries will not be eligible for Grand Champion or the silver tray award. 1st through 5th place ribbons will be awarded to the bread machine class in both divisions at the State contest.

Each entry must be prepared and baked by the person whose name is on the entry form. Winning recipes at County level must be duplicated at State Contest. Recipe must accompany entry at state level, and contestants phone number must be included on the entry form.

Any container used to present entry must be disposable and encouraged to look nice as possible for cookbook photographs. Participants are responsible for entering their own products at the State Fair or making arrangements for someone else to enter the product.

(Duplicate recipes may not be entered by different family members in any class or division.)

A duplicate of winner's baked bread that won on county level must be brought to the Cooking Department at the Oklahoma Arts Building on Sunday, September 21, 2025 between 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. NO exceptions will be made. JUDGING WILL BEGIN AT 1 p.m. Only whole loaves of bread may be entered. NO HALF LOAVES.

Deadline for submitting state entry form to be last day of county fair. Participants can fill out an online form located on the Oklahoma Wheat Commission website found under the consumer page in the outreach & education section under the Best of Wheat Bread Baking contest category or mail to: Oklahoma Wheat Commission, 8820 Silver Hill Drive, Oklahoma City, OK 73132. Entry forms to be completed by County Extension Educator or Fair Coordinator.

All participants must pick up their entries immediately after the presentation of the Grand Champion awards. No entries will be retained after 4:30 p.m. NO PRODUCT WILL BE RELEASED UNTIL GRAND CHAMPION AWARD PRESENTATIONS ARE MADE.

Awards will be presented immediately following judging. Premiums are provided by the Oklahoma Wheat Commission.

Whole Wheat Breads Class #2 - This category will include only the use of whole wheat flour and/or a whole white wheat flour. NO All-purpose flour or Bread Flour included in this category. Dough enhancers, vital wheat gluten and whole grains, in addition to whole wheat, are permissible.

Dinner Rolls Class #'s 3 & 8 - should consist of three (3) rolls per entry. Any shape is acceptable.

The OTHER WHEAT BREADS, class #4 and #9 will include other breads made with yeast such as cheese, French, onion, sourdough, challah, focaccia etc. NO QUICK BREADS unless yeast is used as a leavening agent. (Breads must use yeast as a leavening agent.)

Specialty Shapes Class #11 - Let your imagination go: animals, people, objects, etc. All garnishes must be edible. Twists and star breads should be entered in the "other wheat breads" or "sweet breads" category and not specialty shapes.

\*\*Submitted recipes need to state what type of flour is utilized (whole wheat, bread, all-purpose, hard red or white flour). For publication purposes whether yeast is active or instant should also be specified.

Note: All recipes become property of the Oklahoma Wheat Commission (OWC) and may be printed in the "Best of Wheat" Cookbook distributed or utilized in other promotional efforts of the OWC.

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(18 years and older)

01. White bread

02. Whole wheat bread

#### 03. Dinner rolls

04. Other wheat breads

05. Sweet breads 06. Bread machine breads

#### **JUNIOR DIVISION**

(Under 18 years at time of county entry)

07. White bread

08. Dinner rolls

#### 09. Other wheat breads

10. Sweet breads

Specialty shapes

12. Bread machine breads

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums are provided by Oklahoma Wheat Commission:

1st - Silver Tray & \$20 2nd - \$10 3rd - \$5 5th - \$3 4th - \$4

GRAND CHAMPION SR. DIVISION......Grand Champion Rosettes, Medallion, Silver Tray & \$50

GRAND CHAMPION JR. DIVISION......Grand Champion Rosettes, Medallion, Silver Tray & \$50



### **MELBA LOVELACE CHAMPIONSHIP CAKE BAKING CONTEST**

Division 3617

Wednesday, September 17, 2025 Check-in: 9 - 9:45 a.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 10 a.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

The Oklahoma State Fair Creative Programs Department proudly announces the renaming of the Championship Cake Baking Contest to honor Melba Lovelace, a well-loved columnist for the Oklahoman who passed away January 27, 2021 at the age of 90.

Melba graduated from Panola High School and started working at The Oklahoman as a secretary managing the dictation and typing pool in the early 70's. She was soon named general news editor who saw a lot of bad copy. Melba decided she could write a better column than some that were coming in – and she did! Choosing to write about her passion for cooking and tips for homemakers and hobbyists, her column was a hit and soon named Melba's Swap Shop.

Later, Melba became a judge at the Oklahoma State Fair, where she judged many different contests, but her favorite was the Championship Cake Baking Contest. Oklahomans knew they could find her here judging and would frequently stop by to see if they could get some advice from such a knowledgeable judge.

The Oklahoma State Fair is honored to rename this contest in her memory.

Cakes must be on cardboard, not over 8 - 9" in diameter and ROUND. 6" cakes WILL NOT be accepted. Winning cakes will be displayed during the Fair. Recipe must accompany the cake. No cake mixes. Cakes must be layered and iced in classes 01, 02 and 05. Simple decorations will only be accepted. No rolled icing or use of marzipan.

Cheesecake is not considered a cake in this division.

The winner of the Champion Cake Baker Award will be the exhibitor winning the most blue ribbons. If a tie exists, ribbons will be counted for one place at a time until the tie is broken. Cakes will not be released until the Champion Cake Baker Award is presented.

01. White cake 04. Bundt cake 02. Yellow cake 05. Chocolate cake 03. Pound cake 06. Other cake

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place in each class.

First place in each class will receive \$20, second place in each class will receive \$15 and third place will receive \$10. Premiums provided by ST Salon

BEST OF SHOW	Rosette & \$25
2nd Place Overall	Mini-Rosette & \$15
3rd Place Overall	Mini-Rosette & \$10
Champion Cake Baker	Silver Tray & \$15

# OKLAHOMA PEANUT COMMISSION COOKING CONTEST

Division 3618

Wednesday, September 17, 2025

**Check-in:** 12:15 - 12:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Contest Begins: 1 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Kitchen Stage



Peanuts should be a major part of the recipe. Entries will be judged on taste, appearance and use of peanuts.

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Oklahoma Peanut Commission Ribbons will be awarded thru 5th place

1st Place	Rosette, Medallion & \$120
2nd Place	\$40
3rd Place	\$35
4th Place	\$30
5th Place	\$25

# SHAWNEE MILLS CORNBREAD & BISCUITS CONTEST Division 3619

Friday, September 19, 2025

**Check-in:** 12:15 - 12:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Judging Begins:** 1 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

Biscuit bakers and corn bread makers - this is YOUR contest! Only one entry per class will be accepted. You must present the empty package of the Shawnee Milling Company product you used in preparing your entry the day of the contest.

Entries will be judged on creativity, overall quality, appearance and taste.

01. Cornbread

02 Biscuits



#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Shawnee Mills. Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place in each class. All first, second and third place winners in both categories will receive gift packs of Shawnee Milling Company products.

BEST OF SHOW, Cornbread & Biscuits ...... Rosette & \$25

# SHAWNEE MILLS SCRUMPTIOUS FROM SCRATCH: PIES, COBBLERS & CHEESECAKES

Division 3620

Monday, September 15, 2025

Check-in: 12 - 12:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 1 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage



The Championship Pie Baking Award is awarded for this contest. The Best of Show winner for pies will receive an engraved silver tray with title of Champion Pie Baker along with a \$75 premium.

Contestants may enter one pie, cobbler or cheesecake in each class. All entries must be prepared 'from scratch' - **no mixes or pre-made crusts allowed.** Filling may be canned or fresh and pies may have one crust or two. Cobbler entries must have a topping made with baking powder and soda or biscuits, not a pie crust. You must present the empty package of the Shawnee Milling Company product you used in preparing your entry the day of the contest. (Not necessary for Class 06 - Cheesecake). Entries will be judged on creativity, overall quality, appearance and taste.

Pies	Cobblers	Cheesecake
01. Fruit pie (any)	04. Berry	06. Cheesecake (any style)
02 Croam or custard nio (any)	05. Fruit	

02. Cream or custard pie (any)

03. Nut pie (any)

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Shawnee Mills

Ribbons will be awarded through 10th place in each class.

BEST OF SHOW/CHAMPION PIE BAKER	Rosette, Silver Tray & \$75
BEST OF SHOW, Cobblers	Rosette & \$25
BEST OF SHOW, Cheesecake	Rosette & \$25

THE INTERNATIONAL PANTRY "OUT OF THIS WORLD" COOKING CONTEST Division 3621

Thursday, September 18, 2025

**Check-in:** 5:15 - 5:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 6 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

the international pantry

Kitchenware, Gourmet & Gifts

To learn more about the international pantry visit: www.intlpantry.com

Oklahoma is quite a melting pot for all different types of cuisine! the international pantry of Norman and the Oklahoma State Fair invite you to enter your favorite ethnic or regional dish in this exciting cooking contest.

Possible types of food entries: African, Italian, Mexican, Mediterranean, Indian, Thai, Korean, Lebanese, Moroccan, Chinese, Cuban, French, etc.

Gift Card Premiums are provided by international pantry

Ribbons will be awarded through 3rd place

1st Place	Rosette & \$100 Gift Card & \$50
2nd Place	Ribbon & \$50 Gift Card & \$25
3rd Place	Ribbon & \$25 Gift Card & \$15

# CHOC-TACULAR SPECTACULAR DESSERT CONTEST

Division 3622

Thursday, September 11, 2025

**Check-in:** 5 - 5:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 6 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

This cooking contest will meet all of your chocolate cravings! You are invited to enter your favorite chocolate dessert in the Choc-tacular Spectacular Dessert Contest. Judges will sample each delectable dish and choose the winners. Recipes will become property of the Oklahoma State Fair. Chocolate should be a major part of each entry. Entries will be judged on creativity, overall quality, appearance and taste. **NOTE: No mixes may be used in this contest.** 

- 01. Bars/Cookies/Brownies made mainly of chocolate
- 02. Other Spectacular Chocolate Dessert

#### **AWARDS**

Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place

Best of Show	Rosette & \$100
1st Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$25
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$10

# "WHAT A CROCK" CROCK-POT CHALLENGE Division 3623

Friday, September 12, 2025

Check-in: 12 - 12:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 6 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Lower Bay

Upon arrival, all contestants will assemble and prepare their dishes to begin cooking. All ingredients need to be washed, chopped and ready to place in the crock-pot unless some ingredients need to be added later. **Pre-filled crock-pots will not be accepted**. Entries cannot be cooked prior to check-in. Entrants must supply their own personal **CLEAN** crock-pots.

Contestants need to be present to distribute samples to the public, who will be invited to taste all the crock-pot dishes. After tasting, they will be able to cast their vote for their favorite in each class and for the People's Choice Award winner!

01. Soups and stews

02. Main dishes

03. Desserts (candy does not qualify as a dessert)

#### **AWARDS**

People's Choice Award	Rosette & \$50
1st Place (in each class)	Mini-Rosette & \$50
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$25
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$15

## THE CHEESIEST CONTEST EVER DIVISION 3624

Thursday, September 18, 2025

Check-in: 12 - 12:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 1 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

What did the Cheddar say to the ghost? I'm Lac-ghost intolerant! Now that's a cheesy joke. Just like this contest! Contestants will make their cheesiest creations that include a minimum of 1.5 oz of natural cheese or 2 oz of processed cheese per serving for a chance to win the cheesiest of them all. With your cheesy item, bring your recipe, which will include the brand of cheese you use.

O1. Appetizer

O2. Side Dish

O3. Main Dish

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Dairy Max

Best of Show	Rosette & \$55
1st Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$35
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$20
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$10





# FROM COW TO CONE: HOMEMADE ICE CREAM CONTEST DIVISION 3625

Sunday, September 14, 2025

Check-in: 1 - 1:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 2 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

I scream, you scream, we all scream for ice cream! From the basic ingredient, milk, to the freezing process, to enjoying the frozen dessert, everyone has strong opinions about ice cream. The dairy farming families of Dairy MAX and the Oklahoma State Fair invite you to get your cone on with your best homemade ice cream recipe in the Dairy MAX "From Cow to Cone" Contest.

Bring two quarts of your prepared ice cream to Center Stage in the Oklahoma Arts Building. Recipes will become property of the Oklahoma State Fair and Dairy MAX. Only pasteurized cow's milk products will be used in each entry. If eggs are used, they must be a pasteurized product or must be a cooked egg base.

Judges will sample each bowl and choose the winners. Entries will be judged on overall quality, appearance and taste. The public will be invited to taste all the ice cream and cast their vote for the best! Contestants need to be available to distribute samples.

01. Vanilla

02. Fruit

03. Mix-ins and all others

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Dairy Max

People's Choice	Rosette & \$55
1st Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$35
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$20
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$10

# PERSONAL PAN PIZZA Division 3626

Tuesday, September 16, 2025

Check-in: 4 - 4:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Judging Begins:** 5 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

Have an fun recipe for a killer pizza? Make your best <u>6 - 8" pizza</u> and bring it to the Oklahoma State Fair! Crust must be homemade and no mixes. Entries will be judged on overall quality, appearance and taste.

01. Meat

02. Veggie

03. Dessert **AWARDS** 

BEST OF SHOW	Rosette & \$50
1st Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$25
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$10

# MIO COALITION PRESENTS: OKLAHOMA PRIDE COOKING CONTEST Division 3627

Saturday, September 20, 2025

Check-in: 4 - 4:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Judging Begins: 5 p.m.

**Location:** Oklahoma Arts Building - Center Stage

Oklahoma produces many quality food products from dairy to baking mixes, to BBQ, to jams and jellies. Show us what **Oklahoma products** you love to cook with by entering the Oklahoma Pride Cooking Contest! Please use at least one item which is a part of the Made in Oklahoma Coalition. A list of these products will be emailed to you after you enter the contest.

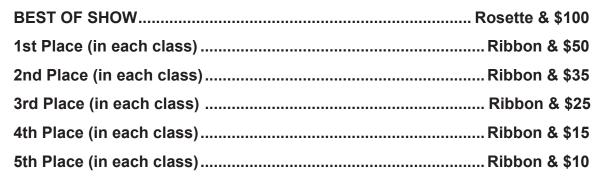
01. Appetizer

02. Main Dish

03. Dessert

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by MIO Coalition





# SPECTACULAR SALADS CONTEST Division 3628

Thursday, September 11, 2025

**Check-in:** 1:15 - 1:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

**Judging Begins:** 2 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Kitchen Stage

Salads have "tossed" their hat into the ring of Fair cooking contests! Put your best spin on your favorite salad and see how it measures up.

Salads must be brought to contest check-in fully prepared. Recipe must be submitted with each entry. Exhibitors may enter one salad in each class.

01. Salad with Meat or Fish02. Fruit Salad03. Pasta Salad04. Vegetable Salad

#### **AWARDS**

BEST OF SHOW	Rosette & \$50
1st Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$25
2nd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$15
3rd Place (in each class)	Ribbon & \$10

#### SHAWNEE MILLS KITCHEN SINK BROWNIE CONTEST Division 3629

Friday, September 12, 2025

Check-in: 1:15 - 1:45 p.m. (NO LATE CHECK-INS)

Contest Begins: 2 p.m.

Location: Oklahoma Arts Building - Kitchen Stage

Create your own kitchen sink brownie's using a packet of Shawnee Mills Brownie Mix. You can put whatever you want (that's edible!) inside to make the best brownies ever! Make a Chocolate Kitchen Sink Brownie, where everything is chocolate (no colored m&m's, chocolate must be 30% cocoa - white chocolate will not be accepted, no nuts), or the Kitchen Sink Brownie, where you can do all other additions that aren't chocolate - as long as it's a brownie!

Only one entry per class will be accepted. You must present the empty package of Shawnee Milling Brownie Mix you used in preparing your entry the day of the contest.

01. Chocolate Kitchen Sink Brownies

02. Kitchen Sink Brownies

#### **AWARDS**

Premiums provided by Shawnee Mills. Ribbons will be awarded through 5th place in each class. All first, second and third place winners in both categories will receive gift packs of Shawnee Milling Company products.

BEST OF SHOW......Rosette & \$25



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