

# SPECIAL YOUTH BAKING CONTEST

**ENTRY # 11-15-20**

## 2018 PA PREFERRED™ JUNIOR BAKING CONTEST – COOKIE, BROWNIE OR BAR

Entries accepted on Thursday, June 21  
from 5:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m. Judging at 5:45.

Please enter the fairgrounds through Green Gate



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**PRIZES: 1st = \$20 2nd = \$15 3rd = \$10**

The goal of the PA Preferred™ Junior Baking Contest is to encourage young people across the Commonwealth to participate in Pennsylvania's agricultural fairs by showcasing Pennsylvania grown and produced products in their contest entries.

### RULES: **NEW RULES! PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!**



- Participant must be an individual amateur baker (age 8 through 18) who is a Pennsylvania resident; one entry per person.
- Entrants may **NOT** have won 1st place in the PA Preferred™ Junior Baking Contest at any other fair in 2018.
- Entry must be a plate of six (6) individual sized portions of the baked entry item.
- Entries must be made from scratch. Pre-made mixes are **not** acceptable ingredients
- At least two (2) PA Preferred™ ingredients must be used in the recipe. Some examples of qualifying ingredients are PA Preferred™ grains (such as oats or flour), butter, milk, eggs, fruits and/or vegetables.
- Entry must be submitted for judging on a food safe disposable setting. (All pans, plates and dishes are considered to be disposable and will not be returned.)
- Recipe(s) must be submitted with the entry, printed on one side of 8-1/2" x 11" paper. Recipe must list all ingredients, quantities, and the preparation instructions. **The PA Preferred™ ingredients must be listed clearly in the ingredient list, specifying the ingredients and the company that made/grew them** (ex: PA Preferred Eggs - Weis Brand; PA Preferred Milk - Galliker's brand; PA Preferred Berries - Strite's orchards). Entrant's name, **age**, address and phone number must be printed on the **back** side of all the pages. (All recipes and cookies-brownies-bars will become the property of the Fair and may not be returned.)
- A PA Preferred™ logo is not required because not all PA Preferred™ products carry the label. The name of the ingredient and the source is sufficient. For a list of acceptable products visit papreferred.com. Additionally, PA Preferred™ staff will assist in locating PA Preferred™ ingredients, as needed.
- 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.

#### 10. **Judging Criteria:**

<b>Flavor</b> .....	<b>30 points</b>
(aroma, taste, good balance of flavorings)	
<b>Texture</b> .....	<b>25 points</b>
(appropriate for the type of cookie, brownie or bar)	
<b>Inside Characteristics</b> .....	<b>20 points</b>
(even grain, evenly baked; free from air pockets)	
<b>Outside Characteristics</b> .....	<b>15 points</b>
(uniform size, shape, appearance; overall appeal)	
<b>Creativity</b> .....	<b>10 points</b>
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>100 points</b>

*First Place Winner is eligible for the 2019 PA Farm Show competition.*

*Prizes for the PA Preferred™ Junior Baking Contest - Cookie-Brownie-Bar Winner:*

*1st = \$500; 2nd = \$250; 3rd = \$100, 4th = Rosette Ribbon, 5th = Rosette Ribbon*

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