



FALL CREEK

Harvest Cook-Off Rules

Sunday, November 14, 2021 ~ Fall Creek Sports Complex

Entry Submission at 2:30pm

GENERAL INFORMATION

- All contestants of the cook-off must be residents of Fall Creek
- Submitted dishes cannot be store bought and all decorations must be edible
- Contestants must register using the official Fall Creek Harvest Cook-Off Registration Form found online at www.fallcreekhouston.com
- Registration Form must be received by the Lifestyle Director, Kasaundra Wright, in the Fall Creek Clubhouse before Friday, November 5th, 2021
- Contestants may only enter one item in each category
- A maximum of five entrants will be accepted in each category
- All submissions must be fully prepared and decorated prior to the event; items are to be brought “ready-to-eat and be judged”
- Serving dishes and utensils will be provided
- Each contestant must prepare a minimum of eight (8) servings of the submitted dish to be judged, remaining servings will be available for residents and guests to enjoy
- Contestants are responsible for removing all personal items at the close of the cook-off

COOK-OFF CATEGORIES

- Pie
 - A sweet dessert dish featuring one of the main harvest ingredients (apple or pumpkin) prepared with a pastry base, top, or both. Other ingredients are acceptable in the filling and/or pastry as long as the main ingredient is apparent and highlighted in the flavor profile.
- Sweet, Non-Pie
 - Any concoction that has more sweet than savory flavors featuring one of the main ingredients (apple or pumpkin). Includes entries such as cakes, bars, turnovers, cookies, pancakes, donuts, etc. May be prepared in any way including baked, fried, raw, dried, poached, etc.
- Savory
 - Any prepared dish that has more savory than sweet flavors featuring one of the main ingredients (apple or pumpkin). Includes entries such as soups, salads, dips, stuffings, pasta dishes, casseroles, etc.

JUDGING

Cook-off submissions will be judged based on the category selected by the chef as well as presentation. Items requiring heat or refrigeration will not be accepted. All dishes will be judged and served outdoors.