

Taste of Tennessee Festival 2023

"Take the Cake" Entry Form Competition and Public Tasting

Sunday, September 24th

Oak Hill School

214 E Sabin Drive, Jonesborough, TN 37659

Are you a master of the cake pan? A dessert-making superstar? A PTA bake sale legend? Do you have the most delicious family cake recipe of all time?

Show off your skills at this year's "Take the Cake" competition at the Taste of Tennessee festival. A panel of judges will select winners for each division based on presentation, originality/creativity, taste, and technique. All cakes need to be homemade and participants must supply a copy of the recipe. Traditional (as well as vegan and/or gluten-free) dishes are welcome. After the contest, the public will be able to purchase samples of the entries. Winning participants receive fun prizes!

What to enter:

Division 1: Homecook

Individuals with no professional experience in the culinary field

Division 2: Professional

Individuals with past/present professional experience in the culinary field, ex. business owners

Division 3: Young Bakers

Youth category for bakers ages 15 and under

How to enter? Complete the entry form below. Please register and pay the \$5.00 registration fee by the deadline. Contest entry forms will be posted on the Heritage Alliance's Facebook, the Taste of Tennessee Facebook, and the Heritage Alliance's website.

When to enter: The deadline for registration and payment is Thursday, September 21, 2023 by 5:00 PM EST. Judging begins on Sunday, September 24th at 1:30 PM EST.

Where to enter? Submit your completed entries via mail (The Heritage Alliance, 212 E. Sabine Drive, Jonesborough, TN 37659) or by email (amason@heritageall.org).

When should I drop off my entry? Participants should arrive at the Visitors Center parking lot (117 Boone Street) to drop off their cake by 12:30 PM EST on Sunday, September 24th, 2023. Winners will be announced later that afternoon. The public sampling period will take place between 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM EST. Exhibitors must remove any of their dishware or personal effects between 5:00 PM and 6:00 PM on Sunday, September 24.

Limited Entries The contest will have limited entries on a first come, first serve basis. Limit one entry per individual. The entry fee is \$5.00, and participants are asked to allow the remainder of their dishes to be offered to the public following the formal judging competition in order to benefit The Heritage Alliance. Proceeds help fund "Taste of Tennessee," as well as other programs. Payment can be made to The Heritage Alliance via cash, check, or PayPal at Heritageall.org.

Notice: *Completing and submitting an Entry Form indicates that you have read and accepted these rules.*

ENTRY FORM

Participant's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Division: _____

Name or Title of Cake: _____

Is there a family member, friend or other source you would like to credit for this recipe (optional)?

Recipe (Ingredients and Instructions): *Please list every ingredient for allergy purposes.

Optional: Any memories, stories, or information that you would like to share about this dish?

Permissions:

- Do you consent to letting The Heritage Alliance publish your name, recipe, and story in our next "Taste of Tennessee" community-curated cookbook? **If yes, please initial:** _____
- Do you consent to letting The Heritage Alliance use your recipe for educational or community purposes such as exhibits, programming, and/or social media? **If yes, please initial:** _____

Questions? Please contact Anne Mason (Executive Director) at The Heritage Alliance by phone at (423) 753-9580 or via email at amason@heritageall.org.

Please sign and date to acknowledge your acceptance of these terms and conditions:

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Disclaimer: The Heritage Alliance and/or the Town of Jonesborough are not responsible for any items that are lost or stolen or for damage/injury to person or property as part of or resulting from this contest.