

## Department 18 CULINARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>AUGUST</b>	<b>13</b> 11:00-7:00 Entry Day – South Expo	<b>14</b> 11:00-7:00 Entry Day – South Expo	<b>15</b> 9:00 Judging	<b>16</b>	<b>17 Fair Opens</b> 12:30-8:30 Food Safety Advisor	<b>18</b> 12:30-8:30 Food Safety Advisor
<b>19</b> 12:30-8:00 Food Safety Advisor	<b>20</b> 3-8 Food Safety Advisor	<b>21</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 3-8 Food Safety Advisor	<b>22</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 3-8 Food Safety Advisor	<b>23</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 3-8 Food Safety Advisor	<b>24</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 12:30-8:30 Food Safety Advisor	<b>25</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 12:30-8:30 Food Safety Advisor
<b>26</b> Noon-8:00 Premium Payout 12:30-8:30 Food Safety Advisor 9:00 Fair Closes	<b>27</b> 10:00-7:00 All Items are released, Premium Payout	<b>Aug. 28-30 &amp; Sept 4-7</b> 9:00-4:30 All Premium Payout	<b>University of Idaho Food Safety Advisors</b> will assist you with food preservation questions according to the schedule above. Food Safety Advisors are trained volunteers who have successfully completed an in-depth course in food preservation.			

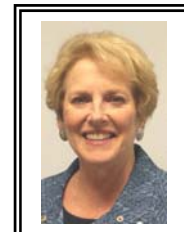


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**Please Note:** See Department 19 for all Youth entries, age 17 & younger. Youth are welcome to enter Department 18 if they wish to compete with adults.

#### How to enter:

Bring in your entries with the entry form(s) to the Fairgrounds on **Monday, Aug. 13 or Tuesday, Aug. 14 from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.** Entries will be taken in the South Expo Building. If you want to enter early and reduce time on entry day, you have the following 2 options:

1. a) Mail or deliver **ONLY** your **entry form(s)** to the Premium Office, 5610 Glenwood, Boise ID 83714 by **August 9.**  
b) Then bring your **entries** to the Fairgrounds on **Aug. 13 or Aug. 14** from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- OR 2.** a) Enter online by **Aug. 9** at [www.idahofair.com](http://www.idahofair.com). Follow the link to Competitive Exhibits. A \$2 fee will apply. This fee is per exhibitor, regardless of number of entries or in how many departments you enter.  
b) Then bring your **entries** to the Fairgrounds on **Aug. 13 or Aug. 14** from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

1. Entries will be received in the **South Wing** of the Exposition Building. Entries must be made on forms supplied by the Western Idaho Fair. Entry forms must be presented with items at time of entry. Only **one** entry in a class will be accepted from any one person. **Two or more exhibitors cannot combine entries. All preparation must be done by the exhibitor from scratch. NO MIXES.** Only products of the “home kitchen” are eligible to compete. Items which have been shown at previous fairs are not eligible. An entry fee of **\$1.00** will be charged for each item entered in the **Professional Division of Cake Decorating.** “Professional” in this Department refers to those who teach or those whose products are priced or sold on a regular basis.
2. **Judging:** Wednesday, Aug. 15 – 9:00 a.m. This area will be closed during judging. Premiums will be awarded only on classes listed here. The Judges will not award premiums unless the articles are deemed worthy of merit. Judges decisions are final.
3. **Premium pay-out:** Awards will be available at the **Premium Office.** Copy of **Exhibitor Entry Form** should be presented for premium pay-out. Cash premiums will be paid to those entitled to awards on Aug. 21 through Aug. 26 from 12:00 noon to 8:00 p.m. and on Exhibit Release day, Monday, Aug. 27 from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Starting Aug. 28 through Sept. 7, awards will be given out from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily. Exceptions: The Office will be

- closed for Labor Day weekend, including the Friday prior to. **Awards not claimed by Sept. 7, 2018** will be considered a donation and will revert back to the Western Idaho Fair general fund.
4. **Release:** Monday, Aug. 27-10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. **In no case may exhibits be removed before 10:00 a.m. Monday, Aug. 27.** Exhibits which are not claimed within one week after the close of the fair will be considered to have been abandoned and will be disposed of as the Manager of the Fair sees fit.  
**Exhibitors must present claim checks** corresponding with entry tags when claiming exhibits. Exhibits must not be removed without the Superintendent or assistants being present to check out entries.
5. **Additional Rules:** Exhibitors are requested to read the General Rules and regulations in the front of this book/website. Department Rules supersede General Rules. **See other entry rules under each division.** All exhibits will be under the control and direction of the Department Superintendent. Every precaution will be taken to insure the safety of the exhibits, but the exhibitor assumes all responsibility in case of loss or theft and **in no case will the management of the Western Idaho Fair or the Superintendent be held responsible. Anytime after judging, the Superintendent shall have the right to remove any exhibit which has become unsightly.**

## SPECIAL AWARDS

Thank you to all sponsors of special awards.

### SWEEPSTAKES AWARDS

1. **Cake and Cupcake Decorating Sweepstakes Award.** The Western Idaho Fair will award a Sweepstakes plaque, rosette and \$25. The award will be based on total points in classes 1-14. First Place in each class is 4 points; Second Place is 3 points; Third Place is 2 points and Honorable Mention is 1 point. The number of points earned in each class will be multiplied by the number of entries in the class.
2. **Baked Foods and Confections Sweepstakes Award.** The Western Idaho Fair will award a Sweepstakes plaque, rosette and \$25 and the **Amalgamated Sugar Company LLC** will award one 25-pound bag of White Satin Sugar. The award will be based on total points in classes 15-118. First Place in each class is 4 points; Second Place is 3 points; Third Place is 2 points and Honorable Mention is 1 point. The number of points earned in each class will be multiplied by the number of entries in the class.
3. **Food Preservation Sweepstakes Award.** The Western Idaho Fair will award a Sweepstakes plaque, rosette and \$25 and the **Amalgamated Sugar Company LLC** will award one 25-pound bag of White Satin Sugar. The award will be based on total points in classes 119-293. First Place in each class is 4 points; Second Place is 3 points; Third Place is 2 points and Honorable Mention is 1 point. The number of points earned in each class will be multiplied by the number of entries in the class.

### DECORATED CAKES

The Western Idaho Fair will award a **People's Choice of the Day** rosette and \$5 to the decorated cake or cupcake entry, Amateur or Professional Division, which has received the most votes from Fair visitors for that day. Any entry may only win one time.



### BALL® FRESH PRESERVING AWARD

Sponsored by: **Ball® & Kerr™ Fresh Preserving Products**

Newell Brands Inc., marketers of Ball® and Kerr™ Fresh Preserving Products is proud to recognize today's fresh preserving (canning) enthusiasts in the Food Preservation Division. Awards for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place will be presented to individuals whose home canned entry is selected the best in the category.

A panel of judges will select the two best entries for the Vegetables (classes 119-128 & 209-217), Fruit (classes 142-170), Soft Spreads, Jams, Jellies, Fruit Butters, Conserves, Marmalades and Preserves (classes 171-208),

and Pickles (classes 218-232) categories. Entries must be preserved in Ball® Jars and sealed with Ball® Lids and Bands specially designed for home canning, or preserved in Kerr™ Jars sealed with Kerr™ Lids and Bands specially designed for home canning. In addition, entries in the soft spread category must be prepared using Ball® Pectin: Classic, Low or No-Sugar, or Liquid. Proof of pectin purchase in the form of a receipt or product UPC must be submitted with entry.

1. The entries from each category honored with the First Place award will receive two (2) six dollar (\$6) coupons for Ball® or Kerr™ Fresh Preserving Products and one (1) free (up to \$6 value) coupon for Ball® Pectin.
2. The entries from each category honored with the Second Place will receive one (1) six dollar (\$6) coupon for Ball® or Kerr™ Fresh Preserving Products and one (1) free (up to \$6 value) coupon for Ball® Pectin.



### KITCHEN CRAFT AWARDS

Sponsored by: **Kitchen Craft Cookware**

1. **The 'The Sun, The Moon and The Steers' Cookie Box Award** (class 93) premiums are awarded by Kitchen Craft to three (3) placing winners and three (3) honorable mention winners.
2. A set of **Kitchen Craft Cookware** will be awarded to one winner who will be determined by a drawing from all **Best of Show** winners in the Culinary Department.
3. **Kitchen Craft** will award a food processor to the winner of a drawing of all First Place entrants in Division 4, Food Preservation.
4. **Kitchen Craft** will award a 'First Time Canner' award to the first time entrant in Division 4, Food Preservation, with the highest score. To compete for this award, specify that you are a 'first time canner' on the entry form.



**Amalgamated Sugar**  
*Pure. Sweet. Grower-Owned.*

### THE AMALGAMATED SUGAR COMPANY, LLC AWARDS

1. **The Amalgamated Sugar Company, LLC** will award White Satin Sugar. Two twenty-five (25) pound bags will be awarded to sweepstakes winners (see left column) and one (1) ten pound bag will be awarded in each of the following six (6) categories: Pies (classes 94-103), Candy (classes 104-117), Canned Fruits (classes 142-170), Pickles (classes 218-232), Relishes and Sauces (classes 233-241) and Gift Boxes (classes 93, 118, 208, and 293). A drawing will be held from the First Place winners of each category.

2. **Candy and Gift Pack Award.** The **Amalgamated Sugar Company, LLC** will award First (25 pounds), Second (20 pounds) and Third (15 pounds) prizes in each of the classes Candy Box (class 118) and Fruit Gift Box (class 208) Prizes will be in the form of gift bags.

Entries must be made with **Amalgamated Sugar Company, LLC** products and include proof of purchase or empty packaging. Qualifying brand names: White Satin, Winco, Supervalu (Essential Everyday™), Fred Meyer, Kroger-P\$ST, Western Family, Albertsons/Safeway-Signature Kitchens.

For 120 years, The Amalgamated Sugar Company LLC has been proudly producing sugar from sugarbeets grown in the Pacific Northwest. Owned by a cooperative of 750+ sugarbeet growers, Amalgamated Sugar is the second largest refiner and processor of sugarbeet sugar in the United States. Amalgamated Sugar operates three processing plants located in Nampa, Paul, and Twin Falls, Idaho, as well as a brown sugar production facility in Nyssa, Oregon.

*Sugar...The Natural Sweetener...Only 15 calories per teaspoon.*

#### **WILTON ENTERPRISES, INC. AWARD**

**Cake Decorating Award**  
and

**Cupcake Decorating Award**

Sponsored by: **Wilton Enterprises, Inc.**



1. The **Best of Show** winner in the Amateur Division both in cake decorating and in cupcake decorating will receive a 20-piece Beginning Buttercream Decorating Set.
2. The **Reserve Best of Show** winner in the Amateur Division both in the cake decorating and in cupcake decorating will receive a Color Swirl 3-Color Coupler Decorating Kit.



#### **BREAD AWARD**

Sponsored by: **Boise Co-op**

888 W. Fort St. Boise and 2350 N. Eagle Rd. Meridian

**The Boise Co-op**, will award twenty-five (25) pounds of flour to each of two (2) winners who will be determined by a drawing from all First Place entries **which contain wheat** in Breads (classes 15-52).

A **Best of Show** Rosette will be awarded to the overall highest scoring entry in class 93 Cookie Box, class 118 Candy Box, class 208 Gift Box and class 293 Variety Box.



#### **IDAHO WHEAT GROWERS AWARD**

**The Idaho Wheat Commission** will award \$50 to each of two (2) winners who will be determined by a drawing from all First Place entries **which contain wheat** in Breads (classes 15-52). To be eligible for this award, you must win first place in one or more classes 15-52 **AND submit a complete recipe** by noon Friday, August 17. Recipe may be delivered to the culinary department in person or emailed to [culinary.wif@gmail.com](mailto:culinary.wif@gmail.com)

#### **PIE AWARDS**

1. **Phyllis A. Hill Memorial Award:** \$25 will be awarded to the best cherry pie entry (Class 97).
2. **The Western Idaho Fair** will award \$25 to one winner who will be determined by a drawing from all First Place entries in Pies (classes 94-103).

#### **CANDY AWARD**

**The Western Idaho Fair** will award \$25 to one winner who will be determined by a drawing from all First Place entries in Candy (classes 104-118).

#### **FARM TO TABLE AWARD**

The Treasure Valley Food Coalition will give a \$50 "Farm to Table" award to the exhibitor who has the highest average scores on food which has been entered in both the Culinary Department and the Agriculture Department, i.e. green beans entered in Agriculture, canned green beans entered in Culinary; raspberries entered in Agriculture, raspberry jam entered in Culinary; cucumbers entered in Agriculture, cucumber pickles entered in Culinary; fresh basil entered in Agriculture, dried basil entered in Culinary. Entry is limited to 5 matching entries. Indicate your Farm to Table Entry(ies) on your entry form.

#### **SENIOR CITIZEN AWARD**

**The Western Idaho Fair** will award \$10 prizes, one each to three (3) senior citizens (man or woman, 65 years or older) winning the most blue ribbons in Division 2 Baking: Breads (classes 15-52), Cakes and Cupcakes (classes 53-64) and Pies (classes 94-103). To compete for these awards be sure to provide your birth date on the entry form or when entering on line. In case of a tie, the award will be presented to the oldest exhibitor.

#### **CROP OF THE YEAR AWARD**

**The 2018 Crop of the Year is WHEAT.** The Culinary Department will sponsor a Special Award of \$25 for the most original use of wheat (class 294). For this contest "wheat" includes any edible wheat product such as all-purpose flour, flours made from any type of wheat, wheat cereal, etc. The entry **MUST BE EDIBLE**. Consider appearance, taste, preparation method and visibility of wheat product.