

2009 RILEY FESTIVAL BAKER'S BEST  
APPLE BAKING CONTEST  
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2009  
SPONSORED BY THE HANCOCK HARVEST COUNCIL  
AND THE HANCOCK COUNTY EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS

Definition: All recipes must have apple as an ingredient. Any variety of apples is acceptable and must be baked in the product.

1. This contest is open to Hancock County residents or any member of Hancock County Extension Homemakers.
2. The product must be made by the individual entering the exhibit.
3. All entries must be accompanied by the recipe, which must be printed or typed. All recipes will become the property of the Hancock County Extension Homemakers.
4. Each entry must contain some variety of apples in the baked part of the product.
5. Only one entry per class per person.
6. The classes for entry are:
  - Six cookies or dessert bars ● One cake ● One pie
  - One loaf of bread (either quick or yeast)
  - Other baked apple product - \*No meat products allowed. Cheesecakes are in this category and must be brought in a cooler filled with ice.
7. All entries may be exhibited on a disposable plate or cardboard. A regular baking pan or serving dish may be used. However, the return of the container is not the responsibility of the Hancock County Extension Homemakers. Containers should be taken at the close of the contest session or their return cannot be guaranteed.
8. All entries will be released at the close of judging.
9. Blue, red or white placing will be awarded according to the quality of the entry. No prize money will be given for these placing ribbons.
10. Prize money will be awarded as follows: each category champion will receive \$25 and qualify for the Grand Champion award. The Grand Champion Award is \$50.
11. Entries will be accepted on Saturday, September 26, 2009, from 8:30 am to 10:00 am at the Hancock County Extension Office, 802 North Apple Street, Greenfield, Indiana. You may stay for the open judging.
12. Open judging will begin at 10:15 am. Placing will be announced as the classes are judged.

CRITERIA FOR JUDGING THE APPLE CONTEST:

1. The total appearance of the product will be taken into consideration, including uniform color, even shape and pleasant eye appeal.
2. Apple must be present in the baked part of the product, giving it a well balanced characteristic flavor.
3. The product should have an internal quality including moist, tender crumb and a fine texture.
4. The product should contain a pleasant flavor that does not overwhelm the product.

The Baker's Best Contest will be held on September 26, 2009, the Saturday BEFORE Riley Festival, in the Hancock County Extension Office Meeting Room. (See address above.) Photos of the bakers and their products will be exhibited in the Home Arts Display in the Memorial Building during Riley Festival.

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HANCOCK COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE, 802 N. APPLE STREET,  
GREENFIELD, INDIANA 46140  
(Complete this form and bring with product and RECIPE to contest)

NAME\_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS\_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY: COOKIES and DESSERT BARS\_\_\_\_\_ CAKE\_\_\_\_\_ BREAD\_\_\_\_\_

PIE\_\_\_\_\_ OTHER\_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: LIMIT ONE ENTRY PER CLASS