

The Grocery Store
Harvest Hot Dish /Harvest Home Cooked Dessert
Rules and Information

The Chouteau County Fair Harvest Hot Dish competition will be held Thursday August 17, 2017 at the Chouteau County Fairgrounds 205 Fairgrounds Loop in Fort Benton, MT. Here are the contest rules and basic information.

Entries should be delivered between 4pm and 5pm

Judging will be from 5:15pm to 6pm, Awards will follow.

1. Contestants must be amateurs. Chef, Cook or Culinary Arts Students are not eligible.
2. Contestants may have more than one entry. One form per entry (Hot Dish or Dessert entries)
3. Submissions must be home cooked (not store bought)
4. All entries must be prepared in a sanitary manner
5. All baked goods must be fully baked and complete
6. You may use your own dish, with your name on the bottom and at your own risk.
7. Entry must be sized to feed 12-15 people (Harvest proportions)
8. Any leftovers will be the property of the contestants.
9. All Submissions will become property of the Chouteau County Fair Board
10. Contestants may work individually or with a team. (Prizes will be awarded to 1 member/team only, NOT each individual.)
11. Contestants should not fraternize with the judges.

Contest Day:

Check-in begins at 4PM at the Free Stage area (in case of in climate weather the contest will be held in the blue Commercial Building) Please be on time.

1. No visitors, contestants or children will be allowed in the judging area.
2. Contest chairman is _____

The Scoring System:

1. Each contestant will be assigned a number for judging. Submissions will be judged on a scale of 1-5, 5 being the highest.
2. You will be judged on taste, texture and appearance.
3. The contest committee will tally all of the ballots. The contestant with the highest score will be the winner.

PRIZES WILL BE ANNOUNCED THE DAY OF THE CONTEST

YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN