

# DEPARTMENT 15 BLUE RIBBON APPLE PIE CONTEST

## Rules:

1. Each pie should be judged on the following basis: Overall Appearance: 15 points; Crust: color, flavor, texture, doneness, 20 points; Flavor: 30 points; Filling: consistency, doneness, moistness and flavor, 25 points; Creativity: 10 points.  
Creativity is essential to a varied competition. Do not limit your contest to a "traditional" two-crust apple pie. We are looking for a variety of fillings in the pies; the pie must include at least 60% apples in the filling.
2. A neatly handwritten or typed recipe for the pie and pie crust must be submitted on a standard 8½x11 sheet of paper. Please use one side only. This recipe will also need to be submitted when entering at the Farm Show.
3. Refrigeration is not available at the Fair or PA Farm Show. Entries that require refrigeration after baking must indicate so in the recipe. Those entries will not be sold, auctioned or otherwise distributed for consumption after the judging for food safety reasons.
4. Each fair will certify the winning apple pie baker and this person will be eligible to enter the state competition at the 2011 Farm Show.

**PRIZES: 1st = \$25 2nd = \$15 3rd = \$10**

**PREMIUMS FOR THE 2011 PA FARM SHOW:**

**1st = \$160 2nd = \$100 3rd = \$70 4th = \$40.00 5th = \$35.00**

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