Class S – State Two-Crusted Apple Pie Contest

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WHO MAY ENTER: All residents of Connecticut. Junior exhibitors will be considered as adults.

ENTRY BLANKS: See general rules.

ENTRY TAGS: Must be securely fastened to dish. See general rules. NON-LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS: See general rules for exhibit delivery and removal.

DELIVER EXHIBIT: To the Main Exhibit Building, <u>Thursday</u> from 6 to 9 pm. No exhibits will be accepted on Friday.

ENTRY FEES: Adult exhibitors must include entry fee (see general rules) which entitles them to enter exhibits in other areas of the Fair and provides for admission to the Fair on all three days.

The first prize winner of this contest will represent the Bethlehem Fair in the "State Two-Crusted Apple Pie Contest" sponsored by the Association of Connecticut Fairs, Connecticut Apple Board, and Connecticut Department of Agriculture.

PRIZES TO BE AWARDED BY BETHLEHEM FAIR:

First Prize	\$100	Blue Ribbon
Second Prize	\$75	Red Ribbon
Third Prize	\$50	White Ribbon

CONTEST RULES

- 1. Each pie must be a 9" (measured at the top inside edge of the dish) Two-Crusted Pie, lattice-top excluded.
- 2. Submit a 3" x 5" card with your recipe, name, and address printed clearly.
- 3. No pre-made or pie mixes will be allowed.
- 4. The main ingredient must be apples. However, pies may include other fruits or ingredients.
- 5. Failure to adhere to these rules will **disqualify** the entered pie from the competition.
- 6. All pies become the property of the Association of Connecticut Fairs; baking dishes will not be returned.

JUDGING CRITERIA:

Overall Appearance – 40 points; Crust – 10 points; Flavor – 40 points; Texture – 10 points; TOTAL – 100 points

STATE CONTEST: The State Apple Pie Contest will be held at the Association of Connecticut Fairs fall meeting and convention. The Bethlehem Fair will pay for the winning contestant's dinner (and one guest). Contact your local Fair for details or visit www.ctfairs.org.

PRIZES TO BE AWARDED AT THE STATE CONTEST IN NOVEMBER:

First Prize	\$40	Fifth Prize	\$15	Ninth Prize	\$5
Second Prize	\$35	Sixth Prize	\$12.50	Tenth Prize	\$5
Third Prize	\$30	Seventh Prize	\$10		
Fourth Prize	\$25	Eighth Prize	\$7.50		

All prizes also include a rosette.

Honorable Mention Ribbons will also be awarded.

Bishop's Orchards is sponsoring by awarding bags of apples at the Annual State Contest in November.

King Arthur Flour is sponsoring ribbons and prizes at the Annual State Contest in November.