



The Paul Drum Life Experience Project

Presents

North Fork in Gingerbread

Viewing Gallery & Silent Auction

“The North Fork in Gingerbread”

Registration

To register: visit www.pauldrumlifeexperienceproject.org, complete form or download and mail to:

North Fork in Gingerbread, PO Box 10, Greenport, NY. 11944.

All entries must be registered and received no later than **Saturday, December 3, 2022.**

Important Dates

All Entrants **Must** Register no later than: **Saturday, December 3, 2022 7:30 pm.**

Deliver and install entries: **Friday December 9, 2022, 12:00pm – 4:00pm;**

Event Dates: **Viewing & Silent bidding- December 9, 2022, 6:00pm – 8:00pm.**

Viewing and Silent bidding – December 10, 2022, 11:00am – 4:00pm.

Bidding closes – December 10, 2022, 4:00pm

Winning bidders announced – December 10, 4:30pm

Judging – Saturday, December 10, 2022 – 1:00pm

Categories

Professional - Open to individuals or groups. This category is intended for skilled professionals and is open to all trained chefs, restaurateur[s], artists, designers, and anyone who wants to compete on an advanced level. A \$100 prize will be awarded to the first place winner.

Amateur - Open to individuals or groups. This category is intended for novice bakers and is open to all individuals, school groups, churches, organizations, businesses, families, and anyone who wants to compete on novice level. A \$100 prize will be awarded to the first place winner.

Children - up to age 14. Open to all children who have completed the entry without assistance by an adult. A \$100 prize will be awarded to the first place winner.

Just for the fun of it - Open to individuals or groups who want to donate to the fundraising auction in a non competitive manner. There is no financial award for this category.

Judging Criteria:

- Overall appearance
- Originality and Creativity
- Precision

Regulations and Registration

Rules:

- Entries must be created in the image of any fanciful or realistic structure --seagoing vessel, buildings, houses, lighthouse, farm stands, etc.
- Entries must be built on a covered, sturdy square or rectangular base and concealed with an edible product except for side edges, which can be trimmed with ribbon or other materials.
- Maximum size of base cannot exceed 24" x 24". There are no height restrictions.
- Structure must be made entirely of edible products and primarily of gingerbread
- All visible parts must be edible, including the "glue", with the exception of the base and lights (if used)
- Entries will be viewed from all directions.
- Candies must be unwrapped.
- The entry must be delivered in completed form.
- The PDLEP Gingerbread Committee reserves the right not to display structures considered to be inappropriate.
- After December 11, 2022, non-claimed structures will be donated to an organization or individual selected by the PDLEP Gingerbread Committee.

Judging and Awards

- A panel of volunteer judges will consist of a professional architect, culinary expert, and artist.
- Judges are independent volunteers and are not associated with the PDLEP.
- Prizes will be awarded on December 10, 2022, 3:30pm.
- Winners of Silent Auctions will be announced on December 10, 2022, 5:30pm

Guidelines

- One gingerbread house per entry application form
- A signed and completed entry application form must be received by Saturday December 3, 2022.
- An agreed upon and signed Donation Form must be submitted along with the application.
- Contestants will be notified within five (5) days of submitting their entry form.
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- Contestants are encouraged to post photos demonstrating their skills and construction process on their social media and the social media pages of the PDLEP.
- Contestants grant permission to the PDLEP to use pictures of their entry and/or themselves for either internal or external use, including print, online media and television.
- For additional information: 516 459-9141 or write: PaulDrumLEP@gmail.com

Silent Auction

- Viewing Hours: Friday December 9, 2022, 5:00pm - 7:00pm. Saturday December 10, 2022, 11:00am - 7:00pm.
- Silent Bidding: begins on Friday evening, 5:00pm- 7:00pm, and ends at 5:00pm Saturday. Bidding is concluded at 5 pm on December 10, 2022 The winners will be contacted at 5:30pm. You may increase your bid through telephone bidding. (516)459-9141.
- ***Although made from edible ingredients, all gingerbread structures are for decorative purposes only, not for consumption***
- Paid structures may be claimed December 10, 2022, at 7:30pm or Sunday, December 11, 12noon - 3:00pm.
- Payment for the structures will be made in cash or credit card, or transfer only. All unclaimed structures will be donated.
- The PDLEP is not responsible for unclaimed or unpaid structures not removed by December 11, 2022. 3:30pm.