

2025 DCCA CAKE DECORATING CONTEST

Rules for Contestants

We are very excited that you are considering participating in our first DCCA Cake Decorating Contest. The following represents our rules in order to make this a successful event:

Age of Participant: 18 Years and Older

Category of Themes for Judging: Kentucky Derby, Mother's Day & Spring. There will be a 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners for each category and a People's Choice which previous winners will not be eligible which gives another person an opportunity to win.

Criteria for Judging: Judging will be based on Presentation, Creativity, Skill, Difficulty, Originality and Color. Sizes of cakes will be a minimum of 1 tier and a maximum of 3 tiers and 18" in diameter. All shapes are acceptable within the 18" diameter. **Everything has to be edible.**

Prizes: 1st Place - \$100; 2nd Place – Cake Stand; 3rd Place – DCCA Apron

Deadline to Enter Contest: Wednesday, April 30th

Entrance Fee: In lieu of an entrance fee, we are asking that entries be donated for a Silent Auction opportunity that will benefit the Dade City Center for the Arts. Whatever you use to display your cake will be part of the Silent Auction. NOTE: An index size card listing the ingredients must accompany entry which will be necessary for the Silent Auction.

Time to Drop Off Entry: Between the hours of 9:30 am – 10:30 am on Saturday, May 3rd at Event Room at the Green Door on 8th, 14148 8TH Street, Dade City, 33525 (room faces Meridian Avenue)