Pie Contest Rules

Alpena Farmers' Market Pie Contest

Bake your best 1 or 2 crust pie using your favorite locally grown apples. Filing must be homemade and crusts are strongly encouraged to be homemade. Bakers may enter as many pies as desired.

Contest is open to amateur and professional bakers.

Bakers will need to present fresh baked, uncut, 8-10 inch pie between 8:00 am and 10:00 am on Saturday, October 5, 2024 at the Mich-e-ke-wis warming shelter. Pies must be entered without any additional work required (e.g. pie servers are unable to add special toppings or sauces for service to judges or community). Please label the bottom of your pie plate with your name and phone number and also provide an accompanying card with pie name, ingredients, and your name. Pies and photos of pies will become the property of the Friends of the Alpena Famers Market.

Pies will be offered to the public for a small donations after the contest. All money raised will be donated to the Friends of the Alpena Farmers Market to benefit the Health and Nutritional Incentive Program. Pie plates will be available for pick up immediately following the event at 2:00pm. If plate is not picked up then, the market is not able to guarantee return.

Pies will be judged and prizes will be awarded. Judging will take place starting at 10:00 am and conclude at 11:00 am with pie sales to the community.

Prize Categories:

First Prize- \$100

Second Prize -\$50

Third Prize- \$25

Pies will be cut and served to the public starting at 11:00 am.