



Palisade's Olde Fashioned Christmas
Gingerbread Contest

Saturday, December 2, 2017

Community Center, corner of Main and Front Streets, Palisade CO

Entries Accepted

Friday, Dec. 1st, 4:00 to 7:00 pm AND Saturday Dec. 2nd, 8:00 am to 9:30 am

Saturday, December 2nd - Schedule of events:

9:30a.m. to 11:00a.m. - Closed for judging

11:00a.m. to 5:00p.m. - Gingerbread Exhibit Open

1:00p.m. - Winners announced

Sunday, Dec. 3rd - 10:00a.m. to 2:00p.m.

Gingerbread Pick Up/delivery to showcase areas (see back of form)

Circle Category (Rules on back of page)

ORIGINAL CREATIONS - No kits, all edible, except supports & base. Two divisions:

A-1. Original OR A-2. Advanced Original (Past "Original" winners)

B. Fun Adult: Age 18 and over - KITS ALLOWED

C. Group: Families, friends, and clubs - KITS ALLOWED

D. Youth: Ages 12 - 17 - KITS ALLOWED

E. Business: KITS ALLOWED - Bragging Rights

F. Child: Ages 6 - 11 - KITS ALLOWED

G. Child: Ages 5 & under - KITS ALLOWED

Printed name _____

Address _____

City, State, zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

I understand & agree to all rules on back of form

Signature _____

(Parent or Guardian sign for minor aged exhibitors)

2017 Gingerbread Contest Rules & Information

1. Final overall dimensions of display limited to 24"x24" on a sturdy base. No height limit. Entries must be 3 dimensional and have all MAJOR components, such as walls and roofs constructed of gingerbread (no graham crackers, etc).
2. All entries in Categories A-1 and A-2 must be constructed of edible materials, except for base and supports. All other categories allow choice of creative use of kits, including some non-edible items or may be made from scratch. The GB Committee reserves the right to modify, merge or move exhibits to other categories. See Rule #10 below.
3. Prizes awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in all categories. Cash and/or prizes/gift certificates will be awarded as well as ribbons.
4. While it is understood that small children require some assistance in construction; please allow your child to be in charge of the design, construction and decoration.
5. On-site creation of entries (other than minor repairs and set up) is not permitted. Please make assembly brief, since the area is crowded during delivery times.
6. Separate form for each entry is required.
7. Electricity not available for displays. BATTERY operated lights allowed.
8. Pick up will be Sunday, Dec. 3rd 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.
9. **Continued display of entries after the event: You may be asked to share the holiday joy and creativity of your entries by displaying them at specific locations after the contest. More information will be available at the time of check in and check out. Our 2016 displays were a huge success and allowed so many others to enjoy the holiday spirit and magic you create.**
10. **Palisade Chamber of Commerce (PCOC) and sponsors reserve the right to photograph or record audio and video of entries and event. Winners may be asked to pose for pictures with their entries. PCOC and sponsors reserve all right to the photographs, video or audio and entrants agree that PCOC and sponsors may use such media for whatever purposes they choose without further compensation. *PCOC and GB Committee reserve the right to modify contest as necessary depending on number and type of entries or other factors including judge's advice, merging categories or alteration of prizes. PCOC and the Gingerbread Contest Sponsors and volunteers are not responsible for any damage to exhibits.***
11. **Update: go to: palisadecoc.com for 2017 Gingerbread Updates as the year goes along! It's never too early to start planning!**

Questions or Comments? Call: Dixie at 970-261-6583 or Jill at 970-210-7322