Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Entries will be judged according to the following criteria:

- Originality
- Ingenius use of inexpensive materials
- Quality of the work
- Suitability of the title
- Quality of the work in light of the students' age

Rules:

- There is $5 entry fee per pumpkin.
- The main part of each entry must be a pumpkin. No paper, foam or plastic pumpkins, please.
- Pumpkins must not be carved or hollowed out.
- Pumpkins may not be larger than 2x2x2.
- All entries must be family friendly. HPA reserves the right to refuse any entry.
- Objects, paper and materials of any kind may be glued or affixed to the pumpkin. Please do not puncture the pumpkin skin. You may also draw or paint or draw on your pumpkin.
- No electrical device, weapons or flames may be used as part of an entry
- Each entry must have a title and include the student(s)'s age(s).
- HPA reserves the right to dispose of any pumpkins that begin to decay during the contest period.
- Only one entry per household.
- Entries may be dropped off during the school day on Monday or Tuesday, November 9 & 10. Entries will not be accepted after 3:00 p.m. on November 10.
- All entries will be numbered for judging. Do not write your name on the pumpkin.
- Pumpkins may stay on display until Thursday, November 19. You may take your pumpkin home at any time. Any pumpkins remaining after 3:00 p.m. on November 19 will be discarded.

PUMPKIN CONTEST ENTRY FORM (Please print legibly)

Name: _____ Age: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number:_____

Fee paid:_____ (cash or square)

Bring this entry form, with your pumpkin, to the reception desk.

PIE BAKING CONTEST

To enter the pie baking contest, bring your homemade pie to the kiosk between 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Judging begins at 5:30 p.m. and will end at 6:30 p.m. Winners will be announced at 6:45 p.m. Bakers must be present to win. The contest is open to amateur bakers only.

Entries will be judged according to the following criteria:

- Overall appearance - both pre-slice and after slice
- Crust - texture, taste, color
- Filling - freshness, well-balanced taste
- Overall flavors

Contest Rules and Regulations:

- There is a $5 entry fee per pie.
- Pies must not require refrigeration before serving and may not contain raw/uncooked eggs.
- Crusts and fillings must be made from scratch. No store bought crust, dough or canned fillings may be used.
- Pie must be baked in a 9” disposable pie tin or plate.
- A recipe must accompany your pie. Recipes must include pie flavor, ingredient list, instructions and contestant’s name.
- Please do not write your name on the pie tin. Your pie will be assigned a number at registration, which allows anonymity during judging.
- One pie per contestant, please.

PUMPKIN CONTEST ENTRY FORM (Please print legibly)

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number:_____

Fee paid:_____ (cash or square)

Bring this entry form, with your pie, to the kiosk.

PIE EATING CONTEST

How to Enter:

- There will be a $5 fee to enter per contestant. Entry fees may be paid by cash or card on Family Fun Night at the kiosk.
- Please fill out this Google Form by Tuesday, November 10, at 5:00 p.m. No forms will be accepted after the deadline.
- Sign the waiver prior to the contest's start. Children under 18 must also have a parent or guardian present and sign the waiver form.

Contest Rules and Regulations:

- We will run the contest in 2 divisions: 12 years old and under & 13 years and older.
- NO HANDS MAY BE USED. The first person to finish his/her pie will be the winner. Judges will decide if the pie is actually finished.
- The winner will be declared after the participant swallows the entire pie. No pie may be left in the mouth.
- There will be a ten minute time limit.
- Whomever eats the most pie, by weight, in the allotted time period will be declared the winner.
- Any visible signs of sickness will disqualify the winner.
- No one can assist the contestants while eating the pie.
- Contestants must not touch/eat any pie until the signal is given.
- Contestants must have no known allergies to ingredients in the pies.

The Waiver will Say:

All registrants must read and sign this waiver before entering.

I acknowledge that eating a pie at a fast rate of speed is potentially hazardous and an uncomfortable activity. I should not enter and eat unless I am medically capable. I realize that this is all in good fun, and I agree to be a good sport. I agree to abide by any decision of the contest officials and all of the contest rules. I assume all risks associated with eating in this type of event including, but not limited to, indigestion, that stuffed feeling, contact with other contestants, a general dislike for pie after I am done. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts, I waive and release High Point Academy and the contest organizers from all claims of liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event.