

2026 Pioneer Day Bake-Off Entry Form



Each entry must have its own form and entry fee (where applicable). Along with your bake-off entry, **include a sample size for judges to taste**, as the entry itself will be SOLD AT AUCTION.

(See Rules for additional information)

WHEN: Saturday, September 19, 2026 **(AFTERNOON EVENT)**

Drop off entries between 1:45 pm and 3:45 pm

WHERE: (new location for 2026) **The Manor on Main**

COST: \$5.00 per entry/category for Adults (18 & over),

FREE for Children (under 18)

Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each category. FIRST Prize Winners will receive an additional prize. (Proceeds benefit the local high school scholarship fund)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

Entry Name: _____

Entry Description:

Please CIRCLE the appropriate category you wish to participate in:

PIES/COBBLERS

CAKES/CHEESECAKES

COOKIES/BARS

CREATIVE DESIGN

Please CIRCLE the appropriate division that best meets your criteria:

JUNIOR (under 18)

ADULT (18 & older)

By signing below, you agree to all rules and regulations on the separate sheet, and you have entered the appropriate category based on your age.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Questions? TEXT

C.J. Shelton

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YOU CAN DROP OFF YOUR ENTRY & SAMPLES THE DAY OF. Bring CASH for your ENTRY FEE!!

2026 Baking Contest Rules

1. Baked good entries are accepted on Saturday, September 19th, from 1:45 pm to 3:45 pm at The Manor on Main– Downtown Collinsville. Judging begins promptly at 3:45 pm.
2. **All entries must be on a non-returnable plate/tray, and covered with plastic wrap for viewing & sanitation.**
3. Multiple entries are allowed but limited to one (1) entry per category, per age group.
4. Entries can be “from Scratch” or “semi-homemade”. No Store-bought entries will be allowed.
5. Each entry must have a separate Entry Form. We will have some on hand the day of to fill out if needed.
6. \$5 entry is required for each individual adult entry. It is FREE for those individuals under 18.

On the day of judging, we will provide a label for your entry, so please do not mark or identify your entry. All entries become the property of the Collinsville Area Chamber of Commerce. All proceeds from the Collinsville Pioneer Days Bake-Off Auction help to fund the area scholarship fund. Additional baked goods donations can be accepted for auction only, but will not be judged. THANK YOU for helping to support the scholarship fund!

Scoring is based on the following:

1. Taste
2. Appearance
3. Originality

Entry requirements are as follows:

1. Pies/Cobblers- one (1) full-sized pie/cobbler or one dozen (12) minis, plus three (3) minis for judging
2. Cakes/Cheesecakes- one (1) full-sized cake or one dozen (12) minis, plus three (3) minis for judging
3. Cookies/Bars- one dozen (12), plus three (3) for judging
4. Creative Design- any category, **no sample needed**, based on DESIGN ONLY (Appearance)

Bake-Off Schedule:

1:45 pm-3:45 pm - Drop Off @ The Manor on Main
3:45 pm- 5 pm - Judging @ The Manor on Main
5:25 pm- Announcement of winners @ the Main Stage through the speaker system
5:30 pm- Auction @ The Manor on Main (Immediately following Winner announcement)

Bring your entry/ judges samples/ entry fee to The Manor on Main on the day of the contest. (new location for 2026)

Questions? Contact:

C.J. Shelton
972-948-0937
TEXT ONLY- No voicemails

PLEASE NOTE: Your entry & pan will NOT be returned to you! It will be AUCTIONED OFF so please plan accordingly and use something disposable!!!!!!!!!!

PLEASE NOTE: You need to provide 3 smaller judges' samples of your entry SEPARATE from your entry. Please do NOT destroy your original entry, as it will need to be auctioned off WHOLE.