



Edible Book Contest

July 31, 2019

Schedule

- Entry forms must be filled out and turned into the Library by Friday, July 26th
- The contest will take place at North Richland Hills Public Library on Wednesday, July 31 at 6:00 p.m. in the lounge area on the 1st floor of the library.
- Entries or creations need to be dropped off the day of the event from 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 31. Judging will take place between 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. on this day.
- Contestants DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT to receive their prize. Winners will be announced at 7:30 pm Wednesday, July 31.
- Entries not picked up by 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 31st will be discarded by the library.

Prizes

A prize will be given for the following:

- Best Depiction of Literary work
- Most Appetizing
- Best Visual Presentation
- Funniest/Punniest
- People’s Choice Award (Grand Prize) voted by the guest judges and the public.

All entries will be automatically entered into the People’s Choice Award.

Prizes will be given in the following categories:

- Youth - 5-12 years old
(Adult assistance permitted)
- Teen - 13-17 years old
- Adult - 18+

Judging

- Each edible book entry will be judged on the following criteria by our guest judges: (a) Originality and Creativity (b) Visual Appeal (c) Skill and Construction (d) Tie-in with the literary work depicted. Each creation should have a copy of the book used for the creations along with the entry or a picture of the book cover.
- Each entry will be identified by a number. Please **do not** post your name in a visible location on your creation.

Guidelines

- Each edible creation must depict a fictional or non-fictional literary work or literary character.
- Entries may be entered as a single person or as two (2) person team. In the event that a team enters, both contestants’ names MUST be on the registration form. Each creation must be your own you CANNOT enter someone else’s creation.
- Each food creation must be at least 95% edible. Edible means made of food or foodstuffs. The base can be no larger than 18x24 inches. The creation will be without refrigeration and on display so it must not be made of extremely perishable ingredients. The creation will also need to be submitted on disposable base that will be discarded if not picked up after the contest and prize presentation.

Entry Form

By entering the contest, the creator of the “edible book” is giving North Richland Hills Library, permission to have photographs of your entry taken and posted on the Library’s website and social media sites and/or used in our print publications.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Age Group: Youth: 5-12 years old Teen:13-17 years old Adult 18+

Book Title: _____ Author: _____

Title of Entry: _____

Return Entry Forms to the Edible Book Contest Box on the 1st Floor Circulation Desk.