

Fresno County 4-H

Festive Food Faire 2018 - Sequoia Elementary School

*Saturday, January 20th, 2018****11:00am – 3:00 pm*

Entries Set Up 11:00am – 12:00pm

Sequoia Elementary School

1820 S. Armstrong Avenue

Fresno, CA 93727

Baking and Craft Event for All 4-H'ers - Make Any Food, Designed, Displayed & Decorated ~ Join the FUN!

This is a great learning experience and 4-H tradition. Set up your display all by yourself, and wait for the judging. Clubs may display and sell craft items. For credit of showmanship in your record book, you must be present when judging begins. Present ONE category only. 4-H uniform is strongly encouraged. **Entries will be accepted from 11:00 to 12:00 pm; Judging begins at 12:30 pm. A 10-minute photo session with participants and parents is scheduled from 12:15-12:30pm. Awards will be presented as soon as judging is completed. Then we eat!**

GUIDELINES TO FOLLOW FOR FESTIVE FAIRE

1. A total of seven entries may be made, one for each category; each food entry must have its own display.
2. Pre-entry is not required. All entries must be made by the contestant.
4. Contestant must set up their own display. No help is to be given.
5. Exhibit should be attractively displayed, i.e. place mat, decorations, etc., with a holiday theme or a theme for any festive event (birthdays, graduation, etc.)
6. Complete recipes must be included, printed or typed, on recipe cards: include category and division, **NAME/CLUB ON BACK**
7. **All displays must be in place for judging by 12:30 pm.**
8. All 4-H Members are eligible to participate. Primary members may enter in the Primary Age Division, (ribbons only).

We do not want to disappoint you; Your recipes must fall within one of the below categories or it will be disqualified.

Category 1 - Dairy Foods - One of the principle ingredients must be a dairy product such as butter, milk, cheese, sour cream, yogurt, etc. No substitutes. Acceptable entries include: Appetizers/ cheese balls, cookies, cakes, desserts, breads.

Category 2 - Traditional - Include some information about the original tradition of the recipe. Acceptable entries include: breads, cookies, cakes, desserts.

Category 3 - Candies - Caramels/taffies, chew candies, creams, fudges, divinity dipped candies, fruit and nut candies or brittles, candied apples, stuffed dates, hard candies, lollipops, lemon drops, gum drops, popcorn balls, etc.

Category 4 - Healthier Goodies! One or more of the principle ingredients must be a nutritious ingredient i.e., whole wheat grains, bran, nuts, fruit, carob. Acceptable entries include: Appetizers and snacks, cookies, breads, desserts, cakes.

Category 5 - Made-From-a-Mix - Ingredients must be made with a prepared food and/or mix, but not made solely from a mix or "place and bake" product. Must include additional ingredients and not just items listed in mix instructions. Acceptable entries include: Appetizers & snacks (no meat items), cookies, breads, desserts, cakes.

Category 6 - Holiday Decorations - Must be designed and assembled by the 4-H'er. Entries may include: Centerpieces, Place Setting (include menu, but no food/**suggest photo before for quick assembly**), Gift Basket (filled and decorated), Creative Holiday Craft (hand crafted holiday decorations, ornaments, jewelry, etc.).

NEW!!! Category 7 – Gluten Free Desserts – Acceptable entries include: pies, cakes, cookies, breads, desserts.