



BAKE AND CAKE SCHEDULE

29th, 30th and 31st July 2025

BAKE AND CAKE COMPETITION

PICNICS are a traditional food delight and with this in mind we are basing some of our classes around a picnic. Many of our visitors to the Show enjoy a quiet picnic in the Forestry area of the Showground, or make a day out in the New Forest even more enjoyable with a lovely picnic. Let us showcase some of the elements to be enjoyed on a picnic with our entries in the Bake and Cake Competition 2025.

We look forward to receiving your entries for this fun competition.

Entries are made on our website www.newforestshow.co.uk Competitions, Bake and Cake.
ENTRY FEE £2.00 PER CLASS

Produce should be delivered to the Showground on Monday 28th July, to then be judged and winners will be revealed on Tuesday 29th July. If you work and want to deliver your entries before 9.30am please contact jenny@newforestshow.co.uk

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Entries must be made on the official entry form or online and received no later than Monday 30th June 2025
2. The competition is only open to amateur bakers ie not bakers who produce for commercial gain.
3. Exhibits must be staged on Monday 28th July between 9.30 am and 2.00 pm. Vehicles can be parked in the Members' car park and entry on to the Showground via the Members' pedestrian entrance.
4. All exhibits must remain on display for the three days of the Show and can be collected between 5.00 pm and 6.30 pm on Thursday 31st July. Please advise our stewards if you do not intend to collect your entries. Any exhibit left in the marquee after this time will be disposed of by the stewards.
5. Exhibitors may enter one entry only per class.
6. Entries must comply with health and food hygiene standards and be safe for sampling by the judges.
7. Judging will take place on Monday 28th July from 2.30 pm.
8. All exhibits must have been made by the exhibitor.
9. Badly deteriorated food will be discarded at the discretion of the stewards concerned.
10. Protests. Any protest must be made in writing and handed in to the Chief Section Steward together with a deposit of £25.00 which will be returned if the protest is upheld.
11. Exhibitors confirm they agree to allowing photographs taken by the Show photographers to be used for promotional purposes

All exhibits to be covered with a clear plastic bag (large clear roasting bags are ideal) and presented on a white plate (either paper or china).

Preserves must be shown in clear glass unmarked jam jars approximately 454g (1lb) or 340g (12ozs), labelled and covered with an appropriate fitting lid.

BAKE AND CAKE COOKERY COMPETITION

AWARDS

THE WESSEX TROPHY - AWARDED TO BEST EXHIBIT IN SHOW

THE DOBSON CHALLENGE TROPHY - AWARDED TO THE EXHIBITOR GAINING MOST POINTS IN THE SHOW

FIRST - 30 Points

SECOND - 20 points

THIRD - 10 points

CAKES

- BK1 CHOCOLATE BROWNIES** - Five Chocolate Brownies - Any Recipe
- BK2 COOKIES** - Five Cookies suitable to take on a Picnic- Please provide the Recipe
- BK3 FLAPJACK** - Five pieces of Flapjack suitable to take on a Picnic - Any Recipe
- BK4 SHORTBREAD** - Five Shortbread biscuits suitable to take on a Picnic. Any Recipe
- BK5 FRUIT SCONES** - Five Fruit Scones to take on a Picnic using a 5cm (2") cutter - Fruit of choice
- BK6 MUFFINS** - Five Muffins to take on a Picnic - Any Flavour
- BK7 CHOCOLATE CAKE** - A decorated Chocolate Cake
- BK8 PICNIC LOAF** - A Loaf Cake made in a 900g loaf tin - to be enjoyed on a Picnic - Any Recipe
- BK9 VICTORIA SPONGE** - A Victoria Sponge with Jam filling 20cm - (8")
- BK10 LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE** - To be judged on flavour and appearance.
- BK11 CELEBRATION CAKE** - A single Tier Cake celebrating the New Forest animals, flora and fauna. To be judged on cake flavour and appearance. Maximum 30cm (12") in diameter and displayed on a cake board.
- BK12 VEGETABLE CAKE** - Any Cake which contains vegetable/s. It may be decorated or plain and the recipe to be provided.

SAVOURY

- BK13 PUFF PASTRY** - A savoury bake incorporating Puff Pastry which can be taken on a picnic. Please provide a recipe.
- BK14 BREAKFAST MUFFINS** - Five Breakfast Muffins - Please supply the Recipe
- BK 15 CHEESE SCONES** - Three Cheese Scones - Please supply the recipe.

YEAST COOKERY

- BK16 ROLLS** - Five Bread Rolls to take on a Picnic - White, Brown, Wholemeal or Granary
- BK17 LOAF** - One Loaf - Suitable for using to make Sandwiches for a Picnic - Any Recipe
- BK18 THREE ICED BUNS** - Three Iced Buns using sweet dough. Icing any flavour.

PRESERVES

Please see the regulations regarding jar type, size and lids

- BK19 MARMALADE** - A jar of Marmalade, Any Variety
- BK20 FRUIT JAM** - A jar of Fruit Jam, Any Variety
- BK21 JAR of JELLY** - A jar of Jelly, Any Variety
- BK22 FRUIT CURD** - A jar of Fruit Curd, Any Variety
- BK23 CHUTNEY** - A jar of Chutney, Any Variety

JUNIOR CLASSES

UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE ON 29TH JULY 2025

BK24 DECORATED CUP CAKES -Judged on decoration only

BK25 CHEESE SCONES - Four Cheese Scones

7 TO 10 YEARS OF AGE ON 29TH JULY 2025

BK26 DECORATED CUP CAKES - Five Decorated Cup Cakes to be judged on flavour and decoration

BK27 MUFFINS - Four Sweet or Savoury Muffins

BK28 CHOCOLATE CAKE - A Decorated Chocolate Cake - Any Size

BK29 COOKIES - Five Cookies - Any Recipe

11 TO 12 YEARS OF AGE ON 29TH JULY 2025

BK30 LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE - Made in a loaf tin

BK31 VICTORIA SPONGE - A Victoria Sponge, Jam and Buttercream Filling 20cm (8")

BK32 COOKIES - Five Cookies - Any Recipe



Gill our 2024 Exhibitor gaining most points in the Show and awarded The Dobson Challenge Trophy

The Wessex Trophy awarded to Debbie for her outstanding exhibit



