



4-H Cake Decorating

Unit 7 – Flat Surface and Nail Flowers Judging Sheet

Member Name: _____

County: _____

Int. ___ Sr. ___ Yrs. in Project: _____

American System Placing: (Check One)
 Champion
 Reserve Champion
 Placing 3-10
 Grand Champion
 Reserve Grand Champion

Danish System Award: (Check One)
 (For County Use Only)
 Blue
 Red
 White

Exhibit: Completed Cake Decorating e-Record. One two-layered 8" or 9" or 10" cake or cake form using a minimum of: one flat surface flower, one flower made on a flower nail and one side trim learned in this unit. No fondant. At least 2 of the 4 cakes must be real cakes. Judges may use the back of the form for more comments.

Judging Element 1: 4-H e-Record: Complete means that everything has been filled out. Not complete means that there is something missing and needs a comment as to what is missing or why it is not complete. Project will be evaluated on the quality of information completed in e-record (25 percent) and quality of exhibit (75 percent).

| Criteria | Complete | Not Complete | Comments | | |
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| E-Record | | | | | |
| Record Cover | | | | | |
| Project Goals | | | | | |
| What 4-H projects are you taking this year? | | | | | |
| What activities helped you learn the skills for the project? (workshops, project meetings, classes, contests, etc.) | | | | | |
| What leadership development experiences did you participate in? | | | | | |
| Citizenship/Community Service in 4-H | | | | | |
| Demonstrations/Presentations/Speeches | | | | | |
| Project Expense and Return on Investment | | | | | |
| Goal Evaluation | | | | | |
| Project Photos | | | | | |
| Story | | | | | |
| Cake Decorating Information | | | | | |
| Occasion for use | | | | | |
| Cake or cake form -- at least 2 of the 4 cakes must be real | | | | | |
| Size or Shape | | | | | |
| Techniques used | | | | | |
| Edible Materials | | | | | |
| Cost to buy similar cake | | | | | |
| Problems | | | | | |
| Criteria | E | G | F | N/I | Comments |

Judging Element 3: 4-H Flower Cake Exhibit Unit 7

N/I = Needs Improvement - must have comments

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| Cake or artificial cake form | | | | | |
| Uniform shape and thickness, level (two-layered 8" or 9" or 10") | | | | | |
| Placed on firm base, appropriate size and shape of cake | | | | | |
| Frosting: Applied evenly and neatly | | | | | |
| Designs (the only inedible allowed is stamens) | | | | | |
| Suitable for size and shape of cake | | | | | |
| Arrangements in good taste | | | | | |
| Flower(s) made on flat flower nail | | | | | |
| Flat surface flower | | | | | |
| Colors compatible/go well together | | | | | |
| Side trim required-spaced evenly | | | | | |
| Base Border is Required. Shows good execution, even pressure, well-formed, etc. | | | | | |

E = Excellent G = Good F = Fair N/I = Needs Improvement

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