

ALABAMA'S BEST SEMI-HOMEMADE CAKE

ADULT DEPARTMENT AL1

Alabama National Fair - Creative Living Center

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8TH @ 6:00 PM

PRIZES

First Place: \$125 and Ribbon Second Place: \$75 and Ribbon
Third Place: \$50 and Ribbon

RULES:

- **Prepare a delicious Semi-Homemade Cake and bring it to the Creative Living Center ready to serve. Your cake must contain a prepackaged cake mix, but you will need to add other ingredients to make the cake mix different. (Look up the recipe for a Peanut Butter Chocolate Chip Bundt Cake by Taste of Lizzy T. This will give you a great example of what we are looking for.)**
- Dish must be the creation of the exhibitor.
- Please bring your own Serving Utensils. (Spoons, Meat Forks, Cake/Pie Servers etc.)
- Preparation of your entry in the Creative Living Center kitchen is prohibited.
- The recipe must be on an Alabama National Fair recipe form and is due at the time of the contest. Recipes become the property of the Alabama National Fair and the listed sponsor, including editing and publishing rights (CLC Rule # 20-22).
- Competitors must comply with all Official CLC Rules (www.alnationalfair.org).
- The contest is open to Alabama residents 18 years and older.
- Competitors **MUST** pre-register for this contest no later than Tuesday, October 6, 2026, at 12:00 p.m. Anyone not pre-registered will not be allowed to participate (CLC Rule #16).
- Competitors must purchase a "Competitors Pass" (see CLC Rule #17).
- Competitors may sign in forty-five (45) minutes prior to the start of the contest. Setup will begin thirty (30) minutes prior to contest start time.
- Sign-in will close ten (10) minutes prior to the scheduled start of the contest. Competitors not signed-in by that time will not be allowed to participate.
- Competitors must complete set-up by the scheduled start time of the contest.
- Judges' decisions are FINAL.

JUDGING CRITERIA

Appearance/Presentation – 10%
Flavor/Taste – 50%

Creativity of Recipe – 20%
Texture – 20%