



# MERRICKS BIRTHDAY CAKE COMPETITION

We are searching for the BEST HOME BAKED BIRTHDAY CAKE  
on the Mornington Peninsula.....

- Whilst this is a competition, participation & enjoyment should be the main motivators to join in.
- Cakes will be judged on their flavour, texture & general appearance.
- Added store bought decoration/s will not be more important than cake baking execution in judging process.

**Judges-** Maggie Beer & co

## **Competition Regulations**

1. Each exhibitor is only allowed one exhibit.
2. All cakes will be sliced & tasted by judging panel.
3. Cakes must be able to be cut into minimum 6 slices (not cupcakes).
4. All ingredients must be listed on identification form received upon successful application.
5. The competition is open to non-professional/home/novice cooks only.
6. The birthday cake must be home-made. No ready-made mixes or icing will be permitted.
7. Cakes can be iced & filled if desired- no fresh cream.

## **Entry:**

Entry fee: \$20 per entry. You will receive 1 complimentary ticket to judging presentation & small gesture of appreciation for participating.

Merricks General Wine Store will take all care but will not be responsible for any loss or damage to any exhibit.

The competition is strictly limited to 50 entries and they will be accepted on a first entered basis.

Entries close at 4pm Thursday 6th October 2022 unless application limit is reached prior.

**Registration:**

Upon successful registration you will be e-mailed your information form & unique identification number to be completed & submitted with your cake between 11.00am – 12.00pm on Saturday 15th October. You will also receive your pass to the Birthday Cake Judging Presentation awards.

**Delivery:**

Exhibits Due: 11.00am - 12.00pm on Saturday 15th October 2022.

\*please note exhibits will not be refrigerated.

Delivery must be made to the marquee, through the side gate on Thompsons Lane. Merricks General Wine Store 3460 Frankston Flinders Road, Merricks 3916.

Judging Presentation: 3.30pm Saturday 15th October. This will be a ticketed event.

Exhibits Released: At the conclusion of presentations on Saturday 15th October.

**Cake Judging Presentation**

\$20 per person

3.30pm – 4.30pm in Merricks Garden Marquee

Includes: A house made chocolate brownie and a glass of bubbles to be enjoyed whilst Maggie Beer presents the results.

**Prizes:**

1st - \$250 MGWS voucher

2nd - \$100 MGWS voucher

3rd - \$50 MGWS gift voucher

Other prizes may be distributed at judges' discretion.

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