**BERKSHIRE BLUEBERRY BOOK FESTIVAL**

**BLUEBERRY BAKE-OFF - JULY 22, 2023**

**Sponsored by 1st Congregational Church of Berkshire**

**CONTEST RULES**

1. This is a non-professional baking contest.
2. Registration fee is $10 per item
3. All registration forms and fees must be received at the **Berkshire Free Library by JULY 12, 2023.**
4. All checks payable to **1st Congregational Church of Berkshire**, with BAKE-OFF on the memo line.
5. All entries must feature BLUEBERRIES (and no other fruit) and be made by the entrant from scratch. **We cannot accept entries that require refrigeration or warming.**
6. Please include the recipe with the entry. No premade piecrusts nor box mixes, etc. are allowed.
7. If the entry is in a pan you want back (non-disposable), your name MUST be on the bottom of the pan.
8. Entries are to be dropped off at the **BERKSHIRE FIRE HALL**, 12515 State Route 38, between the hours **of 8:15 AM and 9:00 AM**, **Saturday, July 22nd.** Judging will be from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. Winners will be announced at the fire hall at 11:40 AM.
9. All entries will be scored on appearance, texture, taste and level of creativity.
10. By signing the Registration form, the Berkshire Blueberries and Books Festival Committee is granted permission to print pictures of your entry and/or of you with your entry.
11. All entries will be sold by the piece to support ***THE HELPING HANDS FOOD PANTRY*** of Berkshire. Food items sold will be available starting at noon.
12. Any registration fees not needed to run the contest will also be donated to the HELPING HANDS FOOD PANTRY. Pans the baked goods arrived in will be available for pick up starting at noon.

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