



ROTARY FESTIVAL OF TREES GINGERBREAD HOUSE COMPETITION

Sponsored by New Path Foundation



Competition Rules:

- **There is no fee to enter.**
- **The deadline for completed Registration Forms is Sunday, Nov. 13/11 – bring them to Orillia Square Mall with your Gingerbread House.**
- **Entries are not limited to houses; they can be a barn, a church, a castle or some other structure.**
- **Entries must be displayed on a solid base (preferably plywood) no larger than 18”x18”. Paint may be used to decorate the outer edges of your plywood.**
- **Construction should be mainly of gingerbread, candies and icing. Please consider longevity when creating your structure. All construction and decorating materials must be edible; candies can be wrapped or unwrapped. Edible materials are not limited to sweets. No artificial display materials such as Styrofoam or interior lighting are to be used in the construction.**
- **Attach a 3x5 card listing your name and phone number on the underside of your display base.**
- **A display card will be provided when you drop your Gingerbread House off. Your first name or Company name and division entered will be displayed.**
- **Categories for entry include:**
 - PRO for professional bakers, decorators & restaurateurs**
 - Adult Hobby Decorator (those who decorate for fun)**
 - Teen – ages 13-18**
 - Child – age 5-12**

- **Child entries must be designed, constructed and decorated solely by the child entrant.**
- **All entries should be delivered to the Orillia Square Mall by November 13, 2011 between the hours of 12pm and 3pm.**
- **All Gingerbread Houses will remain on display at Orillia Square Mall from November 13, 2011 until November 27, 2011. Gingerbread Houses that begin to fall into disrepair may be removed and will be disqualified from the competition.**
- **Gingerbread will be judged on (1) Appearance, (2) Construction, (3) Creativity and (4) Use of Colour.**
- **Judging will occur and prizes awarded to the winners in each category (except the PRO division which has no prizes). You will be contacted at the phone number you provided.**
- **Prizes will be awarded in the Adult Hobby Decorator, Teen and Child Categories.**

Adult Hobby Decorator:

1st place \$100 Cavana Inn and Spa

2nd place \$50 Cavana Inn and Spa

3rd place \$25 Cavana Inn and Spa

Teen:

1st place \$100 Future Shop

2nd place \$50 Future Shop

3rd place \$25 Future Shop

Child:

1st place \$100 Orillia Square Mall money

2nd place \$50 Orillia Square Mall money

3rd place \$25 Orillia Square Mall money

- **Gingerbread Houses in the *Child category will be returned to the child entrant* and should be picked up at the close of the Festival on November 27, 2011. All Gingerbread Houses in the PRO division, Adult Hobby Decorator and Teen categories will be raffled off using a balloting system conducted by the Festival of Trees committee.**
- **The images of all entries and entrants become the property of Festival of Trees committee and may be used in promotional materials.**
- **The Festival of Trees committee reserves the right to refuse any entry and/or limit the number of entries accepted into the competition.**



GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST

Competition Registration

Name:

Address:

Phone: (home) _____ (work) _____

Category (check one):

Pro _____ Adult _____ Teen _____ Child _____

Applicant's Signature:

(Parent to sign if under the age of 18 years)

Registration forms can be handed in at Orillia Square Mall on November 13, 2011 when you deliver your Gingerbread House.

**For further information call: Michelle @ 326-5726
or www.rotaryfestivaloftrees.com**