

— STATE FAIR OF TEXAS —

Presents



## CHOCOLATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Entries Accepted Saturday, Sept. 26, 2009 — 9:00 a.m.

Judging 10:30 a.m.

State Fair Contest Kitchen, Creative Arts Department

### NO ENTRY FEE

Ghirardelli Chocolate Company invites you to participate in a chocolate championship with your most decadent chocolate recipe for a dessert or treat. Create your best entry using at least one of the Ghirardelli premium baking products (chocolate chips, bars and/or cocoa). Enjoy baking in Ghirardelli's chocolate intensity for the opportunity to win \$150 and a beautiful Ghirardelli chocolate gift basket!

### PRIZES

1st Place — \$150 and Ghirardelli Gift Basket

2nd Place — \$50 and Ghirardelli Gift Basket

3rd Place — Ghirardelli Gift Basket

Each winner also receives a ribbon, apron and award certificate.

**BONUS PRIZE:** Enter the contest for a special surprise - An additional Ghirardelli prize will be awarded to one randomly selected contest entrant.

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### JUDGING CRITERIA

Taste (overall and chocolate taste) . . .40%    Originality/Creativity. . . . . 30%  
Appearance. . . . . 20%    Ease of Preparation . . . . . 10%

### CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- Recipe must be original. For baking tips, recipe ideas and product information, go to [www.ghirardelli.com](http://www.ghirardelli.com).
- Any person age 18 or older may enter; limit one entry per person.
- Create your best recipe using at least one Ghirardelli baking product and no more than 10 other ingredients. (no heating of entry)
- Each recipe must be homemade (no mixes), named, original, unpublished, the sole property of entrant and not previously submitted to any other contest.
- Entries must be submitted with 1) one Ghirardelli label, and 2) the recipe typed on an 8½" x 11" white sheet of paper with the contestant's name, street address and phone number on back of recipe.
- Recipe should list ingredients with measurements and state preparation instructions, with baking/cooking times and number of servings.
- All recipes become the property of Ghirardelli. Ghirardelli and The State Fair of Texas reserve the right to edit, adapt, copyright, publish, and use any or all of the recipes; including, for publicity, promotion or advertising, with no compensation.
- Ghirardelli is not responsible for lost, stolen, illegible, misdirected or late entries. By entering the contest, exhibitor accepts and agrees to these requirements and the decisions of the judges, which shall be final.
- The contest is intended for amateur bakers only. Professional bakers or those who earn income from baking may not enter the contest. Ghirardelli employees and their family members are not eligible to compete.
- Taxes are the responsibility of the winner. Contest is void where prohibited or otherwise regulated by law.

2008 "First Place" winner is not eligible to compete in this contest in 2009.

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**Do not pre-register for this contest.** Bring the completed entry form with you when you come to the contest.

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 Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Print Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Give your exhibitor number \_\_\_\_\_

Give your social security number \_\_\_\_\_

Circle number you are entering:

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