# Calling Bakers and Confectioners of all ages



# Enter the Durand-Hedden House 2024 Gingerbread House Competition



523 Ridgewood Road Maplewood, NJ 07040

www.durandhedden.org

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: | December 6

5:00 PM

PROJECT DROP OFF:

December 7

at Durand-Hedden House 11:00am-1:00pm

ON EXHIBIT:

Sun, Dec. 8

at Durand-Hedden House 1:00-4:00pm

ON EXHIBIT:

Dec. 12-20

at Hilton Library

Visit durandhedden.org for more information and to register.

## Rules and Procedures



### **ENTERING & QUALIFYING**

Your completed entry form must be received by 5:00pm Friday, December 6, 2024.

Entry forms at: www.durandhedden.org

The competition is open to all individuals, families and food professionals. If entering as a team, please complete ONE entry form for the team (include only the team captain's contact info.) School-based teams may list the classroom teacher as team captain.

- 1. Any structure real or imaginary- is eligible e.g. house, train station, castle.
- 2. Kit houses are permitted.
- 3. Youth entries can have a cardboard structure, but it must be covered with an edible product. Adult/Professional entries must be entirely edible except for the base. No toothpicks or skewers!
- 4. Base not to exceed 14"deep x 19"wide. Please measure!
- 5. Include a removable label with name of participant(s), age category and title of entry, e.g. Pumpkin House.
- 6. Entry must have been constructed in 2024.
- 7. Entries must be dropped off at the Durand-Hedden House from 11:00am-1:00pm on Saturday, Dec. 7.
- 8. Entries will be on display at the Durand-Hedden House on Sunday, Dec. 8.
- 9. Entries will be on display at the Hilton Library from December 12 through December 20
- 10. Durand-Hedden House reserves the right to refuse any entry deemed inappropriate.

NOTE: Entries may be picked up at the Hilton Library by 3:00 pm Friday, December 20. Remaining ones will be discarded at 3:00 pm that day.

### **ENTRY CATEGORIES**

**Little Ones Category** - 8 years of age and under; an individual, classroom, scout troop or family. Adult supervision is allowed and recommended.

**Youth Category** - 9-12 years of age; an individual, classroom, scout troop or family Adult supervision is allowed and recommended.

**Teen Category** - 13-17 years of age; an individual, classroom, scout troop or family

Adult Category - 18 years of age and older; an individual, team or business

**Professional Category** - Open to professional bakers, chefs and cooking businesses

### AWARDS AND PRIZES

The Durand-Hedden House will award the Grand Prize to one entry in the entire competition.

All other winners will receive ribbons and gift certificates to the Durand-Hedden House Country Store.

**Grand Prize** – \$50 gift certificate

Little Ones Category First Place - \$15 gift certificate

Little Ones Category Second Place - \$10 gift certificate

Teen and Youth First Places - \$25 gift certificate

Teen and Youth Second Places – \$15 gift certificate

Adult Category First Place - \$25 gift certificate

Adult Category Second Place – \$15 gift certificate

Professional Category First Place - \$25 gift certificate

Professional Category Second Place – \$15 gift certificate

### **JUDGING PROCESS**

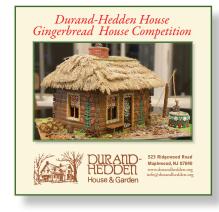
Judging will be held on Saturday, Dec. 7 at 1:00pm. Awards will be announced on Sunday, Dec. 8, and certificates will be sent to winners by mail.

# **Entry Form**

### **ENTRY CATEGORY**

(please check only one per entry)

- Little Ones Category (8 and under)
- Youth Category (9-12)
- Teen Category (13-17 years)
- Adult Category (18+)
- **Professional Category**



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Team Name (optiona	al):						
Name of Individuals:	<u>:</u>						
		(First)		(Last)			
Mailing Address:							
	(City)	(State)		(Zip)			
Phone: ( )			Email address:				
Name of Gingerbread Entry (optional):							
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### I UNDERSTAND that to be eligible for The Durand-Hedden House Gingerbread Competition; I AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. I must return my entry form online at durandhedden.org or by mail to Durand-Hedden, PO Box 206, Maplewood, NJ 07040, to be received no later than 5:00pm Friday, December 6.
- I must deliver my completed entry to the Durand-Hedden House between 11:00am-1:00pm on Saturday, Dec. 7. 2.
- I must follow all the rules and procedures set forth by the Durand-Hedden House. 3.
- If I don't pick up my entry by Friday, Dec. 20 by 3:00pm at the Hilton Library, 1688 Springfield Ave., it will be discarded.
- Permission is hereby granted to Durand-Hedden House to print or otherwise duplicate the picture or likeness of my entry and/or myself with my entry for either external or internal release, including print and online publications, local and network television, Facebook, etc.
- 6. Due to the fragility of the entries, the Durand-Hedden House and Garden Assn. and the Maplewood Memorial Library are not responsible for damage or loss.

Signature of Adult:	 
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Date:	 