



GENERAL OUTLINE

1. All entrants must complete the online registration form, or download and email a hard copy form from the website. This form will ask for their details including the category/ies they are entering. There is no limit to the number of categories they can enter.
2. All registrations carry the appropriate fee - \$55 for first entry with 20% discount for up to five entries. The fee will be \$20 for the sixth and over pies entered. There would be only a \$10 fee for apprentice and community entries. This fee will be invoiced upon receipt of registration. (These fees will be used to cover the costs of the competition)
3. All registration forms must be received on or before COB 9th June 2017. No registration will be accepted after this date. Upon confirmed registration, each entrant will be assigned a special identification number. This number must be written on all entries submitted by each entrant during the competition. The purpose of this number is to identify the entry details to the organisers whilst keeping the name of the entrant confidential.
4. Categories for the Pie Competition will be:
 - Red Meat
 - White Meat
 - Vegetarian
 - Seafood
 - Sweet

The winners from these categories will then receive automatic free registration for the Great Aussie Pie Competition. All entries in these categories must be from venue or business where the pies are available commercially. Home bakers and non-commercial bakers are not eligible to enter these categories.
5. There will also be two categories called:
 - Apprentice
 - Community

Winners from these categories are ineligible to enter the Great Aussie Pie Competition.
6. An overall winner will also be selected and deemed to be "Best Southern Highlands Pie 2017".
7. All entries will receive a certificate of participation and a Pie Trail window decal with the winners and runners-up receiving additional rosettes, trophies and window decals promoting their result.
8. All pies must be presented to the Southern Highlands Pie Competition offices at the time and date confirmed once all registrations have been received.
9. All entries must consist of three pies – one that will remain in the warmer, two for plating.
10. All pie entries must be accompanied by the Judges Information sheet that will be sent to all entrants; i.e., a business submitting four entries must complete four Judges Information sheets and apply them to the top of each box they are delivering. The special identification number must also be clearly written on these sheets.
11. Judging is planned to take place across two days if 200 pie entries are received. These dates will be Thursday 22nd and Friday 23rd June in the Senior Citizens Hall, Corbett Gardens Bowral.