



# 2020 MAIN EVENT COMPETITOR APPLICATION

**Event: May 17, 2020 • 12pm – 3:30pm**  
 Park Lane & Pennsylvania Ave, Downingtown, PA  
 Rain or Shine • 2,000+ visitors expected  
 www.macncheesecookoff.com

**DUE APRIL 10<sup>th</sup>**

Cooking Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Mac & Cheese: \_\_\_\_\_

List Main Ingredients: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (excluding pasta and cheese)

Mailing Address (street): \_\_\_\_\_ City, State: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business/Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## CHOOSE ONE ENTRY TYPE

\*See Item 10 on Terms & Conditions for details on Deposit Refund Offer

**Restaurant/Catering Entry**

**\$110 deposit (60 tickets sold online\*)**

Must prepare at least 16 lbs pasta (dry) or more =  
 Eight (8) 12" x 20" x 2.5" pans (depending on ingredients)

**School/Non-Profit Entry**

**\$60 deposit (30 tickets sold online\*)**

Must prepare at least 12 lbs pasta (dry) or more =  
 Six (6) 12" x 20" x 2.5" pans (depending on ingredients)

**Business Entry**

**\$80 deposit (40 tickets sold online\*)**

Must prepare at least 16 lbs pasta (dry) or more =  
 Eight (8) 12" x 20" x 2.5" pans (depending on ingredients)

**Individual/Family Entry**

**\$40 deposit (20 tickets sold online\*)**

Must prepare at least 10 lbs pasta (dry) or more =  
 Five (5) 12" x 20" x 2.5" pans (depending on ingredients)

**Need to reserve any of these items? We can order and deliver them to the event for you**

Item	Cost	X	No.	=	Total
<b>10' x 10' Tent</b> <i>A tent is required by the health department for ALL cooking teams. See #4 on pg 2</i>	\$100.00	X		=	\$ .00
<b>Two (2) 8ft Tables and Two (2) Folding Chairs</b>	\$ 20.00	X		=	\$ .00
<b>Two Hours at Artisan Exchange Kitchen on May 16</b> <i>first come first serve basis / inquire for availability</i>	\$ 0.00	X		=	\$ .00
<b>Oven/Burner &amp; propane (for non-licensed kitchen competitors)</b> <i>first come first serve basis / inquire for availability</i>	\$ 0.00	X		=	\$ .00
<b>TOTAL COST ADDED TO ENTRY FEE (A)</b>					<b>\$ .00</b>
<b>ENTRY FEE (B)</b>					<b>\$ .00</b>
<b>TOTAL OF CHECK INCLUDED (A + B)</b>					<b>\$ .00</b>

**Will you be using a local artisan's products in your tasty dish? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_**

If yes, please list Organization's Name and Product(s) to be used \_\_\_\_\_

1. Mail Application with your Check to: CC Mac & Cheese Cook-off, 535 Barley Sheaf Rd., Coatesville, PA, 19320. Make check payable to "Rotary Club of Thorndale-Downingtown – Main Event".
2. Send all applicable licensing paperwork with payment- See terms and conditions

Primary Contact Signature\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*By signing this you hereby agree to the terms and conditions listed on page 2 of this document. No Team will be permitted without written consent to these terms.



# Chester County Mac & Cheese Cook-off

## 2020 MAIN EVENT COMPETITOR TERMS & CONDITIONS

For more information call Autumn Katzenmoyer, #484-885-6643  
or email [info@macncheesecookoff.com](mailto:info@macncheesecookoff.com)

### YOUR ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:

- 🔪 10'x10' booth space. You are responsible for your own tent, tables and chairs. \*See #4 below.
- 🔪 Two Cook-off Aprons. Additional aprons can be purchased, please inquire via email.
- 🔪 Spoons and 3.5 oz tasting cups to serve the public your mac & cheese
- 🔪 Two Wristbands
- 🔪 Two plastic tablecloths
- 🔪 Annual Artist's Poster souvenir

**PLEASE REVIEW THE COOKING INSTRUCTIONS & HEALTH DEPARTMENT RULES PRIOR TO SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION.**

### TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. All Sponsors hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Rotary Club of Thorndale-Downingtown and its volunteers for all costs and expenses for any bodily injury or damages. We further waive all rights of subrogation against the Rotary Club of Thorndale-Downingtown and agree to name them additional insured on all liability policies.
2. First, Second and Third Place awards will be presented for the three competitive categories (Judge's Choice, People's Choice and Kid's Choice). An award for Best First Time Competitor will also be presented. A panel judge's will blind taste each competitors dish before the event starts. During the event, attendees will be provided tokens to vote for the favorite dishes. Tokens will be counted to award People's and Kid's Choice Awards and Best First Time Competitor award. Categories are subject to change. Final competition categories will be announced 2 weeks before the event.
3. The Chester County Mac & Cheese Cook-off ("CCMCC") takes place at Park Lane, Downingtown, PA. The CCMCC is a rain or shine event and will not be rescheduled due to inclement weather.
4. Competitors are responsible for providing the tent, tables and chairs: A tent is required by the Health Department. If you would like to rent any of these items, Rotary can order them for you to be delivered to the event. You must apply on the attached Competitor Application and include payment with your team entry fee. If you do not have a tent on the day of the event, you will not be allowed to participate.
5. Competitors are responsible for providing the cooking equipment of choice. Rental of stoves, burners, ovens can be arranged through a party rental company or Rotary. Rotary has limited supply of free equipment and kitchen time to reserve and they are on a first come first serve basis. If you are interested in Rotary's limited supply, please email us to inquire. See see Cooking Instructions for recommendations on other rental needs. Electricity will not be supplied to main event competitors.
6. If your team is using a License to Operate a Public Eating or Drinking Place (issued by the County Health Department primarily to Restaurants/Caterers, some Non-Profits incl Rotary) you may bring pre-made mac & cheese to the Cook-off. **IMPORTANT- A copy of your License to Operate a Public Eating or Drinking Place must be attached to your team application and will be submitted to the Chester County Health Department by the Rotary Club of Thorndale-Downingtown.**
7. **All teams that do not utilize a License to Operate a Public Eating or Drinking Place prior to the event will cook mac & cheese from scratch in the field.**
8. Set-up starts at 7:30am and must be completed by 10:30am on May 17, 2020. See Cooking Instructions for timing based on entry types. All vehicles will need to be removed from the event/setup area by 10:30am for safety reasons.
9. **A mandatory Chefs meeting will be held at 10:30am on the day of the Cook-off at the Voting Booth. Not having a representative at this meeting may disqualify you from any winnings.** All teams MUST have at least one team member attend this meeting. Judging cups will be handed out at the chefs' meeting. In order to compete for mac & cheese awards you must have an official judging cup provided by the Rotary club.
10. **You may 'win' your deposit back by "selling" tickets!** Here's how: Encourage your friends and/or customers to purchase their tickets online via our Ticketleap website and select your name when prompted. If enough tickets are sold under your name, we'll return your deposit.

### YOUR ENTRY FEE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- 🔪 Napkins for the public
- 🔪 Handwashing station required by health department
- 🔪 Tent required by health department
- 🔪 Chairs or tables
- 🔪 Cookware, Cooking & Serving utensils, or appliances
- 🔪 Signage for your Booth