

The Matthews Chamber Presents:
The 9th Annual Matthews
Gingerbread House Contest

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Categories

Amateur Youth/Family

Amateur Adult

Professional



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Matthews 9th Annual Holiday Gingerbread House Competition and Display

The Gingerbread Contest is open to anyone and everyone that would like to enter.
The categories are:

Amateur—Child/Family: 17 yrs or younger or family group that includes a child

Amateur—Adult: 18 yrs or older or any group of amateur adults

Professional: Bakers, Chefs, Caterers and Artists

Contest Rules:

- Gingerbread House must not exceed 24”x 24” x 24” in size.
- All components except the base must be made entirely of edible materials. No wood, cardboard, wire or other non-edible materials may be used.
- Please write your category and contact information on a 3”x 5” card and put underneath the base.
- Make sure that the name is hidden until after the judging is finished.
- The display should be sturdy enough to be able to be moved if necessary.
- Displays will remain in place from November 30th - December 21st for guests to drop by and see.
- Please plan to pick up your house by noon on Friday, December 21st. Displays left after that date will be discarded on December 27th.

Judging will take place on Saturday, December 1st.

Awards will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in all categories.

The key factors in the judging will be:

*First Impression * Proportion * Artistry *

* Difficulty * Matthews Influence *

Drop-off and set-up of your completed house
may be done Nov 26th - Nov 30th between the hours of 9am and 4:30pm
at 210 Matthews Station Street (white building beside the caboose).

Due to limited space, only the first 30 will be guaranteed acceptance into the competition.

Please let us know if you will be submitting a house by November 20th.

For more information, please call the Matthews Chamber at 704-847-3649.