

# No Chisels Needed For Potato Sculpting

It is a wonder that something as simple as mashed potatoes can be sculpted into something as amazing as people make at the Potato Days Sculpture Contest. The contest is sponsored in part by Labellken Homes.

At 3:00 Saturday, the artistic talents will go to work in the Friendship Park parking lot. Any age, male or female, is encouraged to take that ordinary pile of mashed potatoes and turn it into a work of art.

Entrants will be supplied with a good supply of cold mashed potatoes and given 30 minutes to create their masterpiece. They may choose to bring materials such as feathers, buttons or straws to embellish the sculpture. No



paint of any kind is allowed. Thickening or hardening agents may be used but must be provided by the participant as well as any tools they want to use. Sculptures will be judged on visual appeal and innovative use of materials.



Prizes will be awarded in three categories: Children, Youth and Adult. The prizes are given in Barnesville Bucks, which can be used in any business place in Barnesville.

First prize in the adult division is \$50, second is \$25. In the Youth, ages 11 – 17 division, first place is awarded \$15 and second \$10. In the Children's category, ages 10 and under, first place is \$15 and second \$10.

There is no registration fee

to enter but pre-registration is encouraged. Contact the Spudline at 800-525-4901 for an official entry form.

Pre-registrations will be given priority in the case of limited amounts of mashed potatoes. Interested sculptors should report to the Friendship Park parking lot area just prior to 3:00 p.m.

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## Past Winners Of The Potato Sculpture Contest

	10 & UNDER	11-17	18-ADULT
1996	? Swenson		Phyllis Peppel
1997	Marc Berg		Amy Eveslage
1998	Rachel Berg		Bryan Newman
1999		Angela Jasken	Kathy Burud
2000	John Jasken	Jacey Berg	Monique Daley
2001	Jessica Gudding	John Jasken	Monique Daley
2002	Ariel Herfindahl	Amanda Merrill	Carrie Summerfield
2003	Chad Berg	Marie Gramer	Marc Berg
2004	Angela Berg	Mary Hoffbeck	Monique Daley
2005	Katelyn Oslund	Liz Haugrud	Lori Jasken
2006	Katelyn Oslund	Alison Fravalin	Monique Daley
2007	Sohnia Iverson	Anjali Karna	Krista Detloff
2008	Sam Bowden	Hannah Dressen	Monique Daley
2009	Kade Melander	Katie Washburn	Lori Jasken
2010	Kimberly Maesse	Katelyn Herfindahl	Lisa Hopkins
2011	Savannah Messer	Katelyn Herfindahl	Linda Dumke
2012	Ellie Aasland	Katelyn Herfindahl	Annette Krueger
2013	Jack Maesse	Katelyn Herfindahl	LaVaye Dressen
2014	Katrina Kratzke	Kaitlyn Maesse	LaVaye Dressen
2015	Jaida Cox	Kaitlyn Maesse	Chris Messer
2016	Hope Vandal	Natalie Vandyke	Annette Kruger
2017	Hannah Stetz	Morgan Haugen	Annette Krueger

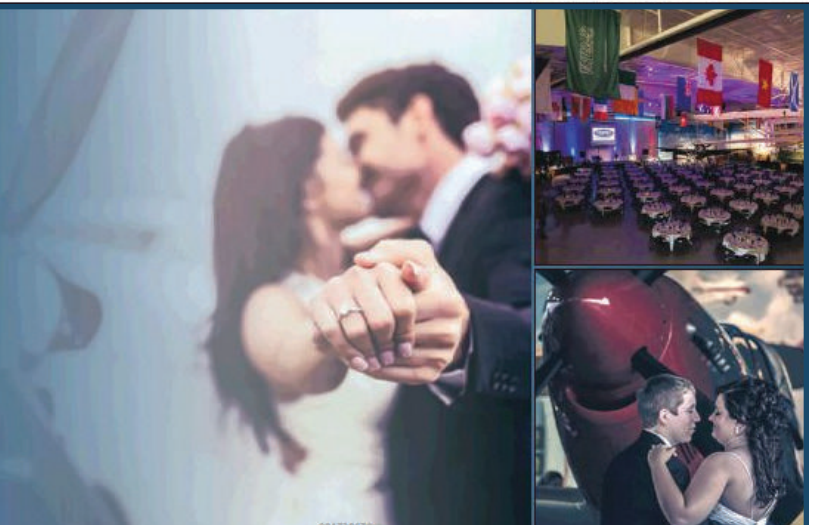
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