Skill: 32

Patisserie & Confectionery

Level 1. District level Competition.

Skill Explained: A chef who oversees the preparation of desserts and the baking of cakes & chocolates in a commercial kitchen. He or she develops dessert recipes and maintains an inventory of ingredients, while striving to achieve cost-efficiency for the restaurant. This Module is to ascertain the skills of figurine modelling, cake, hand masking skills of finishing cake and dexterity / creativity of an individual.

Eligibility Criteria- Competitors born on or after 01 Jan 1999 are only eligible to attend the Competition

Duration of Test project: 04 hours

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SECTION A: MODELLING IN VARIOUS MEDIA AND BUTTERCREAM CAKE

THEME: CIRCUS

MODULE A: MODELLING (ANIMAL FIGURINE)

Using marzipan and, or, sugar paste (both pastes can be used together if wished) Competitors are to make and present two (2) pieces of one type of hand modelled figurine. The required subject (which will be in line with the theme) will be specified at the start of the day during the group briefing, when the Competitor is timetabled to produce the models.

- The models should weigh a minimum 60 grams and maximum 80 grams.
- Each must look identical and be similar in weight, shape and colours.
- No pre colouring of sugar paste/marzipan. Colours need to be made during the competition. Colours can be carried by the competitor, must be declared to the Jury during the start of the competition.
- No external bases or additional show pieces are to be featured in the presentation. No wires and skewers are allowed for internal support.
- Each piece should stand alone so that it can be easily removed from the presentation platter (for weighing).
- Techniques may include air brushing, painting, flaming, and colouring of the paste.
- Spraying with chocolate and cocoa butter is not permitted.
- Moulds and presses cannot be used and all work should be manually modelled by hand; however, the use of cutters and modelling tools is allowed. Competitor can bring their own tools and cutters as desired, which needs to be declared before the start of the competition to the Jury.
- Only marzipan and sugar paste can be used with the exception of small amounts of royal icing, colours and chocolate, which can be used for simple enhancements (such as eyes).
- No lacquer is allowed.
- Competitor can bring their own tools and cutters as desired, which needs to be declared before the start of the competition
- Service: The models must be presented directly on a platter which will be provided by the Competition Organisers

MODULE B: CAKES, GATEAUX AND ENTREMETS (THEMED)

Produce a butter cream covered, layered sponge cake to mark the theme **CIRCUS**.

- The minimum components sponge cake and flavored butter cream
- Serve a 50g portion of flavored butter cream and separately for judging.
- Flavours are of free choice.
- The cakes should contain, and be completely coated in, butter cream which will be the external layer (no other glaze or coating should be applied). The cake must be left straight sided to demonstrate hand masking skills.
- The cake should weigh 1500gm (1.5kg) including cake base and excluding figurine model.
- The cakes must be constructed and coated by hand (not built in a cake ring or mould). The sponges may be baked in a frame, ring or tin.
- One slice of the cake must be cut for tasting and left in the cake so that the appearance is whole when it is served.
- In addition to the Cake Topper (detailed in Module A), the cakes can be decorated with hand-made decorations which should be placed or piped onto the butter cream. Mediums which can be used for decoration are butter cream, royal icing, sugar paste and, or marzipan, and colours can be used.
- Base dimensions should not exceed 30cm x 30cm, a platter of these dimensions will be provided for presentation, the cake should be left on the cake board and placed on the platter provided.
- Bring your own cake tins/rings and cake boards to fit your designs.
- The design and development of this presentation piece along with the cake topper (Module A).
- *Competitors can bring their own toolkits but they are not allowed to bring the tools which is in infrastructure list.

SECTION B: MARKING SCHEME

The Assessment is done by awarding points by adopting two methods,

Measurement and Judgments

- Measurement –One which is measurable
- Judgments-Based on Industry expectations
- Aspects are criteria's which are judged for assessment

Attached as Excel

SECTION C: INFRASTRUCTURE LIST

Equipment IL (Specific to Module A for District Level Only)

- 1. Work station (3*2)
- 2. SS Kitchen work tables with granite top
- 3. SS Sink with attached Taps or dedicated washing area
- 4. Rolling Pin
- 5. Assorted Cookie Cutter Set
- 6. Assorted Plunger Cutter
- 7. Modeling Tool Kit
- 8. Knifes / Ecacto Knives
- 9. Scales
- 10. Platters for Presentation
- 11. Cutting Boards
- 12.Bowls (mini)
- 13.Paint Brush
- 14.Blow torch
- 15.Air Brush
- 16.Dusters
- 17.Blenders with attachments
- 18.Trays
- 19.Oven
- 20. Chopping boards
- 21.Microwave
- 22.Sauce pan
- 23. Heavy bottom pan

Miscellaneous:

- 1. Butter paper
- 2. Cling wrap
- 3. Hand gloves
- 4. Silver foil
- 5. Tissue roll
- 6. Parchment paper
- 7. OHP sheets
- 8. Scale
- 9. Stencil sheets
- 10.Cellophane tape holder
- 11.Tooth pick

Ingredients IL (Specific to Module A for District Level Only)

- 1. Fondant
- 2. Marzipan
- 3. Liquid Food Colours
- 4. CMC Powder

Flour
1.7
Atta
Corn flour
Vanilla essence
Baking powder
Baking soda
Caster sugar
Grain sugar
Icing sugar
Brown sugar
Sunflower Oil
Liquid glucose
Salt
Semolina
Invert sugar
Honey
Coffee powder
Desicated coconut
Amul Cream
Cocoa powder
Hazelnut Filling
Caramel Filling
Chocochips

Almond flour
Almond flakes
Pistachio
Hazelnuts
Raisins
Whole almonds
Cinnamon powder
Sesame seeds (White, Black)
Cold Storage:
Eggs
Milk
Butter

Chocolate Products:
Vanleer - Dark
Vanleer – Milk
Vanleer – White
FRESH FRUITS:
BANANA
ORANGE
APPLE
MANGO

SECTION D: INSTRUCTIONS

Instruction to Competitors

- 1. Participants have 4 hours to execute the given task
- 2. The specific animal will be specified on the day of the competition. (Example Elephant or Frog or Bear etc) Competitor needs to incorporated the CIRCUS theme and make two identical animal models based on the animal that will be declared to them on the day of the competition.
- 3. Competition Commences at 9.00 am and Ends at 1pm.
- 4. Competitors have a 10 min window to place their one model on to the platters presented by the organisers between 11.20am to 11.30am.
- 5.Competitors have a 10 mins window to place their cake and one model on top of the cake on to the platters presented by the organisers between 12:50pm to 1pm.
- 5. Marks will be deducted if placed on platter after or before specified time.
- 6.All competitors have 1.00pm to 1.30pm for cleaning and marks will be awarded for the same.