## Event Rules

All contestants must be a minimum age of 18.

Contestant must enter the appropriate category on the registration form, please **provide the name** & description of your dessert or coffee— use registration form and return by 6/17/23.

All desserts must be completed prior to the event; no baking or cooking will be allowed onsite. (There is no cooler or refrigeration available at the event) all contestants must be prepared to enter the event building between 11am-1pm for set up.

Community Mission of Hope will be open for the contestant and 1 guest only to set up. You will be given your Contestant # & directions to your table.

6ft. table & linen will be provided with 2 chairs. There are no electrical outlets available.

- Table set-up must be completed by 1:30pm. Event doors open at 2pm, public judging & tastings from 2pm to 3:30pm, tallies for the People's Choice Award will be collected at 3:30pm, raffles, silent auctions, program & announcements from 3:30-4:00pm
- ♣ Guests may continue to taste until 4:30pm ~ please do not close your table prior to 4:30pm
- Judges, Awards & Prizes will be announced at 4:30, Event closes at 5pm

The table tent will include your name, the name of your dessert/coffee and assigned Contestant number for judging & promotion, along with plates and napkins. Please provide any utensils needed to eat your dessert.

- Desserts must be decorated with edible products only.
- Each Contestant will provide (100) desserts for the event guests to vote for people's choice award. Please note the first 100 people will judge your dessert. We suggest you bring additional treats; this will allow the other patrons to taste your dessert. We expect approximately 200 people to attend.
- The event hosts will be providing a list of Pastry Chef and Barista competitors to the Public, so be creative and get your fans to join you at the event to vote for you!
  - We recommend Contestants to Co-promote the event by letting your fans know you are competing, and you need their vote!

At the event, your table should include your dessert, information about the non-profit organization you are supporting, your business promotional items, business cards, flyers etc. (selling of contestant desserts from your table is prohibited during the event).

Please make sure your area is clean - break down and clean up by 5pm

All desserts must be prepared in a commercial kitchen or Cottage license facility. You will be required to fill out a COMMUNITY EVENT TEMPORARY FOOD FACILITY OPERATOR'S AGREEMENT FORM. Please download and complete it. If you need help with this form, please contact us. 951-926-7400.

Thank you again for participating in this year's SWEET Charity event, best wishes to each of you and may the best Dessert win!

Email: tvdessertcoffee@gmail.com or call 951-926-7400

NOTE: Please do not bring extra dessert boxes for the guests! We will be selling them inside the venue.