492 – CAKE DECORATING
FOODS AND NUTRITION

Member MUST participate in County Project/Interview Judging or 4-H Project will be INCOMPLETE.

Member must attend FCS (Family & Consumer Sciences) Project Judging Day to be eligible for County Placement and State Fair Selection (if applicable).

If the member cannot attend Project Judging, your project can be judged at Early Judging. However, Early Judging participants will not qualify for County Placement or State Fair.

Project must be displayed at the Ross County Fair to receive fair premiums. Your exhibit can be participation in the "Bake Revue (refer below to “Fair Exhibit”) OR a poster displayed in fair booth.

The Bake Revue is Tuesday of fair; entries accepted 9:00am – 12noon in Jr. Fair Building.

For Project Judging Dates & Times & Details:
ASK your Club Advisor
READ the May Family HOTLINE sent to every 4-H family
LOOK on the 4-H website http://ross.osu.edu

SKILL LEVEL: Beginning / Intermediate / Advanced

COMPLETION:
1. At least 5 learning activities
2. At least 2 learning experiences
3. At least 2 leadership/citizenship activities
4. Record of decorating skills and techniques
5. Project and cake records
6. Project summary

JUDGING:
1. Bring completed project book.
2. Bring decorated cupcakes or up to a 4-layer cake.
   When decorating, use the skills for your level of the project – beginner, intermediate, or advanced.
   For the county-level judging - this must be a “real” cake/cupcake, NOT Styrofoam.

COUNTY FAIR EXHIBIT:
Display a decorated cake in the Bake Revue = 8” or 9” round 1-layer cake
If NOT in Bake Revue, exhibit in a fair booth a display on cake-decorating techniques & tools.

STATE FAIR COMPETITION:
1. State Fair participants will be selected during county-level competition on FCS Project Judging Day.
2. Event: Creative Arts Day
   Completed project book, *display (decorated cake** and poster), written and hands-on skills evaluation, and interview.

OSF NOTES:
*Display – must be limited in size to what the participant can handle/maneuver on his/her own (no wagons)
**For State Fair - may decorate an actual cake, cupcake, or may use a Styrofoam base for the cake decorated. Cake may not exceed 4 tiers.