

**TIPS AND TIDBITS** 

## A CHEAT SHEET TO VICTORY

Since you're sharing the love, we thought we'd reciprocate by sharing some advice on how to impress the judges.



## TASTEBUD APPEAL

This is a recipe challenge. So, needless to say, your first goal is wowing the judges' taste buds.

To do this, here are a few helpful tips.

- \* STRIVE FOR BEING AS FLAVORFUL AS POSSIBLE. \*
- $\star$  unique dishes standout and get attention.  $\star$ 
  - \* NEVER BE BLAND. ALWAYS BE BOLD. \*
- ★ EXPERIMENT. PLAYING IT SAFE IS NEVER SAFE. ★

## EYE APPEAL

What's on the outside matters just as much as what's on the inside — at least when it comes to recipe contests. Here are a few things to keep in mind.

- \* GOOD FOOD DESERVES GOOD LIGHTING. \*
- CREATIVE STYLING AND PLATING GO A LONG WAY.
- ★ BE AWARE OF VIEWING ANGLES AND COMPOSITION. →
- CONSIDER A COLOR PALETTE FOR A COHESIVE LOOK.
  - \* IT'S TOTALLY FINE TO EDIT YOUR IMAGES.

