

## How to enter, competition rules and helpful information

## How to enter

- 1. Entry fee is \$8 per jar. Please buy an entry ticket (1 ticket per jar) via the booking link on the Competition webpage before posting or delivering your jam.
- 2. Include a completed entry form and attach a copy of your payment receipt with each jar you submit. All forms must include a full list of ingredients used and must be signed.
- 3. Label jar with the name of your Jam and the date you made it.
- 4. Attach a label with your name and phone number to the bottom of each jar.
- 5. Post your jam or drop it off at:

Rippon Lea Estate Gatehouse entry 192 Hotham Street Elsternwick VIC 3185

Drop offs accepted daily, between 11am and 3pm.

- 6. Closing date for entries is COB Tuesday 30 April 2024.
- 7. You may enter as many times as you wish, just label each jar, and submit an entry form and payment for each entry.

## **Competition rules**

- 1. All entries must be made by the entrant.
- 2. Jars may be reused but jars and lids showing trade names are not acceptable.
- 3. Use jam jars that are between 200g 400g in size.
- 4. Use thoroughly cleaned and sterilised jam jars.
- 5. Jars must be filled to the brim.
- 6. Labels should be stuck to the jar and not loose tied.
- 7. Full date of making is required on the label.
- 8. Your name and telephone number must be on the bottom of each jar.
- 9. Sadly, jars which are broken, damaged or tampered with will have to be discarded.
- 10. Judges will not open jars if appearance leads them to think the contents are not in good condition.
- 11. The National Trust Australia (Victoria) (NTAV) cannot be held responsible for any breakages or loss of your jam jars.
- 12. The Judges' decision is final.

- 13. Stories about your jam may be published by the NTAV, for example on the Competition webpage.
- 14. Payment of entry fee denotes acceptance of the rules governing this competition.
- 15. Prizes awarded for First, Second and Third place in Stone fruit Jam category and First place only in Raspberry jam category.

## **Helpful Information**

- 1. Judges will consider the look, colour, aroma, appearance, consistency, and flavour of each jam jar.
- 2. Note: Please do not reuse jars and/or lids that have contained pickles.
- 3. Judging will take place in early May 2024 and winners announced on Sunday, 19 May 2024 at Rippon Lea Estate as part of our Botanica Festival. Names of winners will be posted on the Competition webpage.
- 4. Judges will endeavour to provide comments on entries.
- 5. You are welcome to collect your jam after the event. Any jam not collected by 31 May 2024 will be disposed of.
- 6. Our contact email if required is: ripponlea@nattrust.com.au