2022 Hudson Valley Gingerbread Competition FAQs

- How to I enter the 2022 Hudson Valley Gingerbread Competition?
 - Go to <u>www.mohonk.com/gingerbread</u> and follow the instructions to fill out the google entry form. The entry deadline is Tuesday, November 1th 2022
- Will there be an in person event and awards ceremony open to the public to visit all of the gingerbread pieces on the day of Judging?
 - This year there will not be an in person one single day event open to the general public. Instead this year we will offer a Gingerbread pass to come view the top 20 selected pieces spread around the Mountain House. The Gingerbread pass will be \$15 per person and must be purchased online 72 hours prior to the selected days. All of the entry fees collected for the Gingerbread pass will be donated to the Food Bank of the Hudson Valley. Registered guests of the Mountain House are welcome to tour the top 20 selected pieces from Tuesday, December 13th 2022 through Sunday, January 1st 2023.
- What days will the Gingerbread Pass be available to purchase?
 - Gingerbread passes will be open for booking December 14th, 15th 16th, 19th, 20th 21st and 22nd. There will be a limited number sold each day and sale of the passes will open 72 hours prior to the selected day. Passes can be purchased at www.mohonk.com
- Judging and Voting
 - Judging will take place to select the winners for the Adult and Junior categories and will also the top honorable mentioned 12 Adult category pieces and top 2 Junior category pieces. These top 20 pieces will be on display for voting by scanning a QR code next to each piece that is displayed at the Mountain House. Votes will be accepted from Wednesday, December 13th until Saturday, December 24th 2022 and the winner will be announced on Tuesday, December 26th both via an email announcement and on our website. www.mohonk.com/gingerbread
- How can we find out who won the 2022 Competition?
 - The Competitors whose pieces are selected by our judges will be listed on our website and in the Mountain house for registered overnight guests. Once the votes are tallied for our Viewer's Choice award the winner will be announced on our website on Tuesday, December 26, 2022 added to the site.
- Who can we contact with questions about the competition?
 - For questions about the competition please email <u>gingerbread@mohonk.com</u> and one of the committee members will respond.
- How can I make a donation to the Food Bank of the Hudson Valley?
 - Donations can be made to the Food Bank of the Hudson Valley during our competition through the Facebook fund raising campaign. To learn more about what the Food Bank does for our region please visit. <u>https://foodbankofhudsonvalley.org/</u>
- What are the prizes for this year's competition?
 - Adult Category:
 - **First Place**: A two-night stay at Mohonk Mountain House for two.
 - Second Place: A one-night stay at Mohonk Mountain House for two adults.

• **Third Place:** Lunch or Dinner at Mohonk Mountain House with access to our Hiking trails for four people.

Junior Category:

- **First Place:** Lunch or Dinner at Mohonk Mountain House and Recreation Access Passes for four people.
- **Second Place:** Lunch or Dinner at Mohonk Mountain House with access to our Hiking trails for four people.
- **Third Place:** Hiking Passes to Mohonk Mountain House and access to 18 holes of Disc Golf for four people and four Disc Golf discs.

Viewer's Choice Award:

 Each visitor to the Mountain House can cast one vote for their favorite entry to help choose the overall Viewer's Choice winner. Voting will start on Tuesday, December 13, 2022 until Saturday, December 24, 2022 and the winner will be announced on Tuesday, December 27, 2022. Lunch or Dinner at Mohonk Mountain House with access to our Hiking trails for four people.

<u>Honorable Mentions</u>: For the 12 Adult pieces and 2 Junior that are selected as Honorable Mentions, the creator or team will receive a gift certificate for 2 Winter Sports Passes.