

## **CONTEST RULES & DETAILS**

This letter is to inform you of Van Wert Manor's upcoming Cupcake Wars fundraiser to raise money for the United Way campaign. We are seeking cupcake battlers to make cupcakes for our Cupcake Wars event. Upon filling out the entry form below, cupcake battlers will submit 1 agency to choose as their United Way agency. This is limited to 1 entry per agency. Cupcake battlers will submit 2 dozen cupcakes (24 total cupcakes) on Friday, March 1st.

On Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> from 11:00am – 2:00pm, the Cupcake Wars will take place at the Wassenberg Art Center. The event will featuring cupcake voting, raffles, live cooking/decorating demonstrations, Taco in a Bag for purchase and t-shirts for purchase. There will be 29 different cupcakes (and organizations) battling to earn the prestigious Golden Spatula Award. At the Cupcake Wars event, anyone is invited to come to the event to vote and buy votes to vote on their cupcake (or agency) of choice to win. Whichever cupcake/business gets the most votes will take home the coveted Golden Spatula Award, and their agency will win all of the proceeds from the day's festivities.

We are currently in the process of finding cupcake battlers to make 2 dozen cupcakes. One cupcake will be on display, and the remaining will be sold at the Cupcake Wars event. The cupcake can be decorated at each person's discretion. Only the first 29 contestants to submit their entry form will be competing with their cupcakes. However, other contestants may submit their cupcakes to be sold at the Cupcake Wars!

By becoming a cupcake battler, you will receive various promotions for yourself or your organization, including:

- Your name or organization listed on the back of event-day t-shirts (also available for purchase)
- Recognition on collateral at the event, and leading up to the event (including Facebook and Van Wert Manor & United Ways' websites)
- Recognition next to your cupcake on the day of the event.
- Your chance to pick the United Way Organization to get all of the proceeds, if you win!

Please fill out and return the entry form on the back of this paper to be entered! Happy Baking!

## List of United Way Organizations to Pick From (where donations will go IF you win):

		YWCA
Crisis Care Line		YMCA
	The Salvation Army	
Crime Victim Services	Ohio City Youth	Wren Ballpark Association
Council On Aging	Northwestern Ohio Community Action Commission	Willshire Youth Activities
Convoy Sports Center, Inc.	Middle Point Community Recreation Association, Middle Point Ballpark	Westwood Behavioral
CHP - Hospice & Adult Day Care	Lincolnview Latchkey	West Ohio Food Bank
CERT	Junior Achievement	Wee Care Learning Center
Buckeye Y Youth, Inc.	FOA-Family of Addicts	Van Wert County Victims Services, Inc.
Black Swamp Area Council, Boy Scouts of America	Family Health Care Of Northwest Ohio	Van Wert County Council on Aging
M.A.V. Youth Mentoring	Family And Children First	Van Wert Co Family & Children First
Angel Foundation	Delphos Senior Citizens, Inc.	Thomas Edison Center, Inc. Help Me Grow

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\_\_\_\_\_ I want to be a cupcake battler and donate 2 dozen cupcakes for the Cupcake Wars.

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of United Way Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Only 1 Person will be competing per agency. If you choose one and it is already taken, we will contact you for your second choice.

Title/Theme of Your Cupcake Display: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*This will be displayed next to your cupcake at the Cupcake Wars.

First come, first serve! Please return this form via email to Jacque Welch at jacque.welch@vanwertmanor.com.