

# Corn Maze at Burden

## 2020 Hay Bale Design Contest

Entry Deadline: Friday, August 28, 2020 by 12:00 pm – Noon  
Email: [BotanicGardens@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:BotanicGardens@agcenter.lsu.edu)  
Facebook Voting: September 1 - September 6  
Winners Announced: September 7

1. Who can enter?
  - Contest is open to children between the ages of 5 and 11
2. Registration/Entry Information:
  - Friday, August 28, 2020 by 12:00pm – Noon
  - Complete and return registration along with your creative design(s) for a hay bale
  - Email all entries to [Botanicgardens@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:Botanicgardens@agcenter.lsu.edu) and place “Contestant’s name, 2020 Hay Bale Contest” in the subject line and attached to the email as a JPG, PDF, or PNG file
  - All designs must be submitted via email along with the form
  - **Limit 2** entries per contestant
3. Design guidelines:
  - Designs must be family friendly and completed by an individual between 5 and 11 years old
  - Designs should be creative, fun, and colorful
4. Contest Information:
  - Once registration has ended, the Selection Committee will choose 10 favorites that will move on to the public voting stage
  - Voting will commence on the LSU AgCenter Botanic Garden’s Facebook page on September 1 and will run through September 6
  - Facebook voting is determined by the number of “Likes” that each design receives
  - Once voting has ended, the top 3 designs with the most Facebook “Likes” will win
  - Winners will be notified via email
  - The winner’s designs will be carefully crafted by artisans at the LSU AgCenter Botanic Gardens on large round hay bales (approximated 5’ x 6’) and will be unveiled for the 2020 Corn Maze at Burden. Please note that designs may be slightly altered in order to fit on the hay bale
5. Prize Information:
  - Top 3 winners will see their design come to life and be on public display during the entire month of October
  - Family 4-Pack to the Corn Maze at Burden (Open Every Saturday in October)
  - Recognition with a custom sign next to their hay bale
  - Featured article in the Botanic Gardens Newsletter
6. Contest Timeline:

Registration/Entry Begins	August 4, 2020
Registration/Entry Deadline	August 28, 2020 12:00 pm CST
Top 10 selection by committee	August 29 - 30, 2020
Facebook Contest Begins	September 1, 2020 8 am CST
Facebook Contest Ends	September 6, 2020 8 pm CST
Winners Announced	September 7, 2020 at 12 pm CST

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REGISTRATION FORM**

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**Contestant Name :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Photography/Participation Waiver:**

I, the undersigned, agree to all rules and conditions stated previously and that the decisions of the Facebook contest cannot be appealed. I realize that this is all in good fun and that my child/contestant is loved, appreciated and talented no matter the outcome of this contest. I understand that by entering and participating in this contest I am agreeing to allow my child to be photographed and recognized publicly by the LSU AgCenter Botanic Gardens or other media outlets.

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Submit all Forms and Entries to:**

Email: [BotanicGardens@agcenter.lsu.edu](mailto:BotanicGardens@agcenter.lsu.edu)

Subject: *Contestant's name*, 2020 Hay Bale Contest

\*Form must be included along with the artwork/design and attached as a JPG, PDF, or PNG\*