## Fall Cupcake Contest



## Official Rules \& Regulations

## General Information

* Participants will create their most unique and artistic cupcake
* Cupcake must have a Halloween or Fall theme
* Contest begins October 1st, 2016 and ends October 31st, 2016
* Open to residents of Canada
* Only one entry per person (Multiple entries will be automatically disqualified from participating in the contest)
* Employees of McCall's are not eligible to participate
* Winners will be announced in November, 2016 in the McCall's Newsletter Sweetlines, on Facebook and on Twitter
* Contest entry is open to both Professional and Non-Professional baking enthusiasts


## How to submit

* All submissions must include the Fall for Cupcakes Contest entry form (click here for entry form) completed with the required information (incomplete entries will be disqualified from the contest)
* Submit at least 2 photos of your Cupcake Creation:
- 1 photo must include contestant holding the cupcake
- 1 photo must be a close up showing the detail of the design and decorations
- A $3^{\text {rd }}$ photo (cross-section shot) if your cupcake has a filling
* Photos must be of high quality resolution to ensure cupcake details are visible (minimum resolution 1000 pixels $\times 600$ pixels, and file size of 700 kb )
* Entries must be submitted electronically to decorate@mccalls.ca (Receipt of confirmation will be forwarded to all contestants upon submission)
* All submissions must be received by October $31^{\text {st }}, 11: 59 \mathrm{pm}$ EST time zone




## Prizes

Prize for $1^{\text {st }}, 2^{\text {nd }}$, and $3^{\text {rd }}$ place will be awarded as follows:

- $1^{\text {st }}$ prize is $\$ 75 \mathrm{McCall}$ 's Gift Certificate
- $2^{\text {nd }}$ prize is $\$ 50 \mathrm{McCall}$ 's Gift Certificate
- $3^{\text {rd }}$ prize is $\$ 25 \mathrm{McCall}$ 's Gift Certificate


## Judging Guidelines

* All eligible entries are based on 3 criteria:
- Overall appearance of cupcake (30\%)
- Creativity of cupcake design (35\%)
- Complexity of cupcake design and decorations (35\%)


## \$5.00 Coupon Offer

* For each entry into the contest, the contestant will receive a $\$ 5.00$ coupon, valid in-store or online with any minimum $\$ 25.00$ purchase at McCall's. The coupon is valid until December 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}, 2016$.


