

Gingerbread Festival: Competition guidelines

Gingerbread people and houses

We'd love you to join in our gingerbread festival competitions, please see the guidelines below. Winners will receive a small gift.

Gingerbread person competition:

Before the event:

- Please make a gingerbread person out of either: gingerbread, salt dough or recycled cardboard (we have given several options, as we want the task to be as accessible as possible for people)
- No bigger than 20 cm's in height, but can be smaller
- Decorate it how you wish, by colouring, icing, or crafting

On the day of the event:

- Bring your gingerbread person to Discover Downham between 1.30pm and 1.50pm, only one entry per person please.
- Include your name, age (if under 16, if over 16 please just say adult), and a contact email (or phone number if you prefer) on a piece of paper, and hand it in to the entry desk.
- The entries will be judged about 3pm

After the event:

- Please collect your gingerbread person, between 4pm and 4.30.
- Please display it at your home over Christmas.
- Any remaining gingerbread people will be used in the Discover Downham Christmas display.

Gingerbread house competition:

Before the event:

- Please make a gingerbread house out of either: gingerbread or recycled cardboard (we have given options, as we want the task to be as accessible as possible for people)
- No bigger than 30 cm's in height, but can be smaller
- Decorate it how you wish, by colouring, icing, or crafting

On the day of the event:

- Bring your gingerbread house to Discover Downham between 1.30pm and 1.50pm, only one entry per person please.
- Include your name, age (if under 16, if over 16 please just say adult), and a contact email (or phone number if you prefer) on a piece of paper, and hand it in to the entry desk.
- The entries will be judged about 3pm

After the event:

- Please collect your gingerbread house, between 4pm and 4.30.
- Please display it at your home over Christmas.

Many Thanks, Fascinating Fens