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Red, White and Blue-BERRIES

Farmers Market Celebrates with Pie Contest July 5

RUTHERFORD COUNTY, NC - Hooray for Red, White and Blueberries! Stop by the Farmers Market this Saturday for the July Pie Contest, featuring delicious blueberries.

If you plan to enter the pie contest, the guidelines require that each pie must contain at least two cups of produce that has been grown in North Carolina, preferably Rutherford County.

Entry forms and recipes must be submitted by Thursday, July 3, by mail, fax or email to: Tracy Davis (tracy.davis@ncsu.edu), Cooperative Extension, 193 Callahan Koon Road, Spindale, NC 28160. Recipes will be judged on taste, texture and appearance.

Pies must arrive at the Farmers Market by 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 5 with pie judging beginning 10:00 a.m., and the announcement of winners following the judging. Patrons and vendors at the Farmers Market will then be allowed to taste the entries after judging is complete.

The Farmers Market is open every Saturday and Tuesday from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. with free transportation on Tuesdays, courtesy of the Transit Department. All you need to do is schedule an appointment by calling 287-6142. This service is only available on Tuesdays.

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Farmers Market Mission Statement

Provide the agriculture producers a marketing source for locally-grown products that is consumer driven. The Farmer's Market also serves as a participating member of the North Carolina Farmers' Nutrition Program working to improve nutrition of low-income women, infants, and children.

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