

ENTRY FORM AND RULES FOR 2027 KIDS' NUTCRACKER MAKING CONTEST

JUDGING AT THE NUTCRACKER MUSEUM ON SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 2027

Name of Entrant _____ Age _____

School Class Ending May/June 2027: 1-4 _____ 5-8 _____ 9-12 _____

CONTEST RULES...The design must be the student's own, using their own imagination. It must be able to crack a hazelnut. If the student receives help of any kind from an adult in the construction of the nutcracker, this must be written in detail, and judges will take this into consideration. Honor system will apply.

Entry forms must be received by June 24, 2027 at the Leavenworth Nutcracker Museum 735 Front St., Leavenworth, WA 98826 and must include a picture of the completed nutcracker. The actual nutcracker must be received at the museum on Saturday, June 26 between 9:30 and 10:00 or any day before. Judging will be June 26 between 10:00 and 11:00. If possible, the students should be available to do their own demonstration for the judges.

Winners will be announced at 1:00, and nutcrackers will remain on display until 4:30 when they can be picked up. Nutcrackers can also be donated to the Museum's permanent display which is admired by many visitors.

If you live far away, you can still participate in the contest as your entry form and nutcrackers can be sent to the museum. Please purchase insurance for your package and arrange to have it received by June 24. The museum will have the personnel to demonstrate your nutcracker for anyone unable to attend.

The museum cannot be responsible for any damage that should occur with the entry, or any injury to the contestant.

First place winners in each category will receive \$100.00 in cash, second place winners will receive \$50.00, and third place winners will receive \$25.00.

Entrant, please answer the following....

Is this your own design? _____

Describe your nutcracker _____

Will your nutcracker crack a hazel nut? _____

Describe any adult help you had with your entry _____

(check one) I will... Bring my entry to the museum _____ I will send my entry to the museum _____

(check one) I will... Pick up my entry _____ Leave my entry for display in the museum _____

(check one) I am... Enclosing a photo of my nutcracker _____ Emailing a photo of my nutcracker _____