2018 Mondelez International RITZ Recipe Contest

 Introduction: Nation's Restaurant News, Food Management and Restaurant Hospitality (collectively Informa), in partnership with Mondelēz Global, LLC ("Mondelēz"), present the 2018 RITZ Recipe Contest for Professional Chefs and Restaurant Owners. Participation in the contest constitutes full and unconditional acceptance of these official rules. NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. A PURCHASE DOES NOT IMPROVE YOUR CHANCE OF WINNING.

The 2018 RITZ Recipe Contest invites professional chefs and restaurant owners from across the United States of America to enter original RITZ-focused recipes for a chance to win a Grand Prize of \$3,000 and a 1-year supply of RITZ Crushed Crackers (20 lbs or 2-10 lbs shipments of 1lb packages); winning recipe and name with Photo featured in print and online in *Nation's Restaurant News*, *Food Management* and *Restaurant Hospitality* and Mondelez International Foodservice website. Four (4) runners-up will win \$500 and a 1-year supply of RITZ Crushed Crackers (20 lbs or 2-10 lbs shipments of 1lb packages); names and winning recipes online on Nation's Restaurant News, Food Management, Restaurant Hospitality and Mondelez International States and winning recipes online on Nation's Restaurant News, Food Management, Restaurant Hospitality and Mondelez Foodservice.

2. Eligibility: To be eligible to participate in the Sweepstakes, entrant must be a legal resident of the 50 United States and the District of Columbia, 18 or older as of June 1, 2018 and employed as a "working chef or operator" as defined below. Employees of Sponsors, their respective parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotion agencies and their family/household members (defined as parents, spouse, children, siblings, grandparents) are not eligible to enter. Void outside the fifty United States and the District of Columbia, and where prohibited, taxed, or restricted by law or employer policy. All federal, state and/or local rules and regulations apply.

An entrant must be a working chef or operator in the culinary industry. Working chefs include: owner, operator, executive chefs, sous chefs, lead line cooks, caterers, corporate chefs, culinary instructors and personal chefs. Culinary industry includes: restaurants, catering companies, food distributors, healthcare facilities, corporation, culinary schools, retail markets and non-commercial foodservice establishments.

- 3. Start/Ends Dates: Contest begins at 12:00:01 a.m. E.T. on September 1, 2018 and ends at 11:59:59 p.m. E.T. on October 31, 2018.
- 4. How to Enter a Recipe: Visit <u>http://www.nrn.com/ritz-recipe-contest</u> and fill in required entry information.

• Entrants may submit up to two (2) different recipes; however, only one (1) prize will be awarded per Entrant.

• All recipes must be submitted using recipe template provided and adhere to the appropriate format.

• Entrants must submit a high-resolution photo of each recipe submitted.

• Entrants may, in addition to the photo, submit a video of the recipe creation, of the final product, or any supportive videography of the recipe submission. Video submissions will not have weight on the judges' evaluation.

• All recipes must be received during the contest period. The Sponsors are the official time keepers for the contest.

• The sponsors are not responsible for lost, late, illegible, stolen, incomplete, invalid, unintelligible, misdirected, technically corrupted or garbled entries, which will be disqualified, or for problems of any kind whether mechanical, human or electronic, including, but not limited to, bugs or malfunctions that Entrants may encounter when submitting an entry or participating in the contest.

• Entries will not be acknowledged or returned.

• By submitting a recipe, each entrant agrees to the contest rules and agrees to be bound by the decisions of the judges, which will be final.

• No automated entry devices and/or programs are permitted.

• Proof of submission will not be deemed to be proof of receipt by Sponsors. All Entries must include a completed entry form. Entrants must accurately provide all required contact information. All Entries must be the fully original creations of the entrants.

• By entering, all entrants warrant and represent that their respective entries are their own fully original creations, and their respective Entries (including but not limited to any materials integrated into their Entries) will not infringe or violate the rights of any third parties, including but not limited to copyrights, trademarks, rights of publicity/privacy. Sponsors reserves the right to reject any entries that it deems, in its sole discretion, to be inappropriate, for any reason whatsoever.

5. Judging Criteria: Prize winners will be selected based on the following criteria:

• Three (3) editors (JUDGES) will collectively select the top five (5) recipes based on:

• Creativity and Originality (70%) — Recipes will be judged for the use of RITZ Crushed Crackers in creative and non-traditional ways. The RITZ Cracker flavor must come through in the final preparation.

Recipe Accuracy/Methodology (30%) — Recipes must have a clear, concise list of ingredients in order of their use with proper sequence and preparation.
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• Entrants may submit any range of dish types such as snacks, desserts, drinks (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) and main dishes.

• The contest will take place under the supervision of the Judges.

• Participants agree to be bound by these rules and the decision of the judges, whose decisions are final.

• Potential winners will be notified by e-mail or phone by 11:59:59 PM EST, November 15, 2018.

• Potential winners may be asked to reformat recipe in a specific manner to confirm recipe accuracy to be eligible to win.

• Each entrant selected as a potential winner must comply with all terms and conditions set forth in these Official Rules, and winning is contingent upon fulfilling all such requirements.

6. **Prizes**: The following prizes will be awarded:

One (1) Grand Prize: Grand Prize of \$3,000 and a 1-year supply of RITZ Crushed Crackers (20 lbs or 2-10 lbs shipments of 1lb packages); winning recipe and name with Photo featured in print and online in *Nation's Restaurant News*, *Food Management* and *Restaurant Hospitality* and Mondelēz Foodservice website.

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• The approximate retail value of the Grand Prize is \$3,240, while the value of each runners-up prizes prize is \$740. The total approximate retail value of all prizes combined is \$6,200.

The Sponsors make no warranties with regard to the prizes. Prize is nontransferable and must be accepted as awarded. No cash or other substitution may be made, except by Sponsor(s) in the event that the prize cannot be awarded for any reason, in its sole discretion, in which case, Sponsor(s) will substitute a prize of equal or greater value. All taxes, fees and surcharges on prizes are the sole responsibility of winner. Each Contest Entrant hereby irrevocably waives the right to assert as a cost of receiving any prize any and all costs of verification and redemption to redeem such prize, if any, and any liability which might arise from redeeming or seeking to redeem such prize. If applicable, prizes will only be delivered to United States addresses.

- 7. Entries: All entries and requests become the property of Informa d/b/a Nation's Restaurant News, Food Management, Restaurant Hospitality, and Mondelēz . All entries much be original, may not have been won previous prizes and must not infringe on any third party rights. Submission of entry constitutes entrant's consent (or that of their parent/legal guardian should they be a minor in their state of residence) to irrevocably assign to Sponsors any and all rights to their entry including, but not limited to, intellectual property rights. Submission of an entry grants Sponsors and their agents the right to publish, produce, use, adapt, edit and/or modify the entry in any way and in any and all media, without limitation and without compensation to the entrant.
- 8. Affidavit of Eligibility/Release: The potential winner will be required to execute an Affidavit of Eligibility, a Liability Release and where lawful, a Publicity Release within 14 days of prize notification. If winner is a minor (under 19 in Alabama and Nebraska), prize will be awarded to minor's parent or legal guardian, who must sign and return all required documents. If the winner cannot be contacted within 3 calendar days of first notification attempt, if prize or prize notification is returned as undeliverable, if winner rejects his/her prize or in the event of noncompliance with these contest rules and requirements, such prize will be forfeited and an alternate winner will be selected from all remaining eligible entries. Upon prize forfeiture, no compensation will be given. [Limit one prize per person or household].
- 9. **Conditions:** Entry constitutes permission to use the winner's name, picture, likeness, and city and state of residence for purposes of trade, publicity, or promotion for no additional compensation except where prohibited by law. By participating, entrants, winner(s) agree to release and hold harmless Sponsors, and their respective parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliates, advertising and promotions agencies, partners, representatives, agents, successors, assigns, employees, officers and directors, from any and all liability, for loss, harm, damage, injury, cost or expense whatsoever including without limitation, property damage, personal injury and/or death which may occur in connection with, preparation for, travel to, or participation in Contest, or possession, acceptance and/or use or misuse of prize or participation in any Contest-related activity and for any claims based on publicity rights, defamation or invasion of privacy and merchandise delivery. Sponsors are not responsible if Contest cannot take place or if [any] prize cannot be awarded due to travel cancellations, delays or interruptions due to acts of God, acts of war, natural disasters, weather or acts of terrorism. Sponsor(s) reserve(s) the right to suspend, cancel or modify these Rules as necessary for any reason or as required by applicable law. Any and all disputes, claims and causes of action arising out of or connected with the

Contest, or any prize awarded, shall be resolved individually, without resort to any form of class action.

10. Miscellaneous: All entries become the sole property of Sponsor(s) and none will be returned. In the event of a dispute, entries made by Internet will be deemed made by the authorized account holder of the e-mail address submitted at the time of entry. The "authorized account holder" is deemed the natural person who is assigned to an e-mail address by an Internet access provider, service provider or other online organization that is responsible for assigning e-mail addresses for the domain associated with the submitted e-mail address. A potential winner may be requested to provide Sponsor(s) with proof that the potential winner is the authorized account holder of the e-mail address associated with the winning entry. If for any reason the Contest is not capable of running as planned, including due to infection by computer virus, bugs, tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failure, human error or any other causes beyond the control of Sponsors that corrupt or affect the administration, security, fairness, integrity, or proper conduct of the Contest, Sponsor(s) reserve(s) the right in [its/their] sole discretion, to disgualify any individual who tampers with the entry process, and to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Contest. Sponsors assume no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of, entries. The Sponsor(s) [is/are] not responsible for any problems or technical malfunction of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers, or providers, computer equipment, software, failure of any e-mail or entry to be received by Sponsor(s) on account of technical problems or traffic congestion on the Internet or at any web site, any combination thereof, or otherwise, including any injury or damage to entrant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participation or downloading any materials in the Contest.. Sponsors may prohibit an entrant from participating in the Contest in its sole discretion, it determines that said entrant is attempting to undermine the legitimate operation of the Contest by cheating, hacking, deception, or other unfair playing practices (including the use of automated guick entry programs) or intending to annov abuse, threaten or harass any other entrants or Sponsor representatives.

CAUTION: ANY ATTEMPT BY AN ENTRANT TO DELIBERATELY DAMAGE ANY WEB SITE OR UNDERMINE THE LEGITIMATE OPERATION OF THE CONTEST MAY BE A VIOLATION OF CRIMINAL AND CIVIL LAWS AND SHOULD SUCH AN ATTEMPT BE MADE, SPONSOR(S) RESERVE(S) THE RIGHT TO SEEK DAMAGES FROM ANY SUCH PERSON TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW.

11. Use of Data. Sponsor will be collecting personal data about entrants online, in accordance with its privacy policy, which is hereby incorporated herein. Please review the Sponsor's privacy policy at

<u>http://www.mondelezinternational.com/privacy-policy</u>. By participating in the Contest, entrants hereby agree to Sponsor's collection and usage of their personal information and acknowledge that they have read and accepted Sponsor's privacy policy.

- 12. List of Winners/Winner's Name(s). To obtain a list of winners, visit http://www.nationsrestaurantnews.com.
- **13. Sponsors**: The Sponsor(s) of this Contest are Informa [1166 Avenue of the Americas, 10th Fl., New York, NY 10036] and Mondelez Global, LLC [100 Deforest Ave., East Hanover, NJ 07936]