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Festival's 2019 Strawberry Spaghetti Eating Contest Winner Declared

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 5, 2019) – The Florida Strawberry Festival announced today the winner of its Annual Strawberry Spaghetti Eating Contest that took place yesterday afternoon on the festival grounds.

Cortney Greeson was declared the winner of the contest where participants compete to determine who can most quickly eat a half-pound plate of spaghetti topped with strawberries.

The Strawberry Spaghetti Eating Contest is sponsored by Spaghetti Eddie's and is one of eight food contests held at the Festival annually. The Super Dog Mega Corndog Eating Contest, Strawberry Shortcake Eating Contest, Youth Strawberry Stemming Contest, Adult Strawberry Stemming Contest, Strawberry Mashed Potato Pie Eating Contest, Fanta Strawberry Soda Throwdown and Amish Donut Eating Contest presented by Peachey's all take place during the 11-day event in the Stingray Chevrolet Entertainment Tent.

About the Florida Strawberry Festival

The Florida Strawberry Festival is an 11-day community event celebrating the strawberry harvest of Eastern Hillsborough County. Each year, over 500,000 visitors enjoy the festival's headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2019 Florida Strawberry Festival where "It's A Hit!" will take place February 28 - March 10 in Plant City, Fla. For more information, visit www.flstrawberryfestival.com, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest19).

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