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Festival announces Baby contest winners 2023 event

PLANT CITY, Fla. (March 15, 2023) – The Florida Strawberry Festival held its annual baby contest last week in the Publix Showcase Tent on the Florida Strawberry Festival grounds.

In this event, sponsored by South Florida Baptist Hospital, babies from the Hillsborough County area get dressed up to compete in three different segments of competition: the decorated diaper contest, the features contests and the diaper derby, where the fastest crawling baby wins.

Weston James Rohr won the Florida Strawberry Festival theme diaper category and Jesse James West won the most creative diaper category.

In the features contests, Wrenlee Bell won chubbiest cheeks; Gordon Bradley won baldest head; Adalina Molina won biggest eyes; Penelope Lamb won most hair and Declan and Carlynne Davis won Look-a-Like Twins.

In the prettiest girl contests, Gypsy Isabo Dunkin won the six to nine months category. Mayla Reign Davison won the 10 to 12 months. Sayla Rose Austin won the 13 to 15 months category, and Emily Storey won the 16 to 18 months category.

In the most handsome boy contests, Walker McCoy Wyatt won the six to nine months category, and Nash Ryan Weir won the 10 to 12 months category. Eli James Trimble won the 13 to 15 months category and Dean Michael Silva won the 16 to 18 months category.

In the diaper derby, Valentina Pucheco won the 6 to 8 months category and Kenna Crotts won the 9 to 12 months category.

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, more than 600,000 visitors enjoy the festival's headline entertainment, youth livestock shows, exhibits of commerce and, of course, its strawberry shortcake. The 2024 Florida Strawberry Festival will take place February 29 through March 10 in Plant City, Florida. For more information, visit www.flstrawberryfestival.com, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter (#berryfest24).

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