

2026

Slovenian Union of America National Convention



Potica Contest

Rules & Instructions

- The Prize for Best Potica will be awarded based on taste, texture, form, and outward appearance
- All entrants must be members of the Slovenian Union of America (SUA)
- Entries may be submitted by individuals or teams (teams are encouraged to choose a name)
- Member Representatives or other SUA members may submit an entry on behalf of another SUA member.
- A recipe must be included with each entry
- All entries will be judged blindly; poticas will be identified only by an entry number during judging
- Winners will be announced at the convention banquet on Friday, July 31, 2026
- The winning potica and recipe will be featured in Zarja

If you plan to participate, please contact Potica Contest Committee Chair, Betsy Grahek, at e.grahek@mediacombb.net or (612) 644-7836 by July 10, 2026. Please be sure to leave a message.



Delivery

In-Person

Drop off entries on Thursday, July 30, 2026 at the Boardroom at Fortune Bay. You will receive a registration slip with your entry number, baker name(s), branch number, and contact information. Judging will be Friday, July 31, 2026.

Mail-In

Shipped potica must be fully baked, unsliced, securely wrapped, and include a complete recipe plus your entry number, baker name(s), SUA branch number, and contact information. Mail-in entries must arrive by Tuesday, July 28, 2026 to Betsy Grahek at PO Box 442, Gilbert, MN 55741.



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