Food Preservation – Tomatoes, Sauces, and Other Products

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| DESCRIPTION |  |  |  |  |
| CLUB/SCHOOL |  |  |  |  |
| AWARD (CIRCLE | BLUE | RED | WHITE | NO AWARD |
| DISPLAYED ACCORDING TO RULES | YES | NO |  |
| RECIPE ATTACHED | YES | NO |  |
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| Characteristic | BLUE | RED | WHITE | NEEDS IMPROVEMENT |
| Acceptable processing method |  |  |  |  |
| Jar filled to appropriate headspace (1/2 inch) |  |  |  |  |
| Bright attractive color, no artificial coloring used. |  |  |  |  |
| Color uniform throughout |  |  |  |  |
| No darkening at surface |  |  |  |  |
| Flows freely, not too watery. |  |  |  |  |
| Smooth |  |  |  |  |
| May round up at edges like a fruit butter |  |  |  |  |
| Free from any or excessive sediment, not foreign matter. |  |  |  |  |
| No separation or layering; no layer of fat. |  |  |  |  |
| Vacuum-sealed |  |  |  |  |
| Clean, clear glass standard canning jar |  |  |  |  |
| New lid and band free of rust; screwband clean, unbent and easily removed. |  |  |  |  |
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