



APRIL 29, 2023 KOLÁČE BAKING

Nebraska Czechs of Lincoln

Presentation by Lois Shimerda Rood, Secretary
Photos by Lois Shimerda Rood & Maurice Vonasek



Preparing for 90 dozen koláče
Connie Jean Hulinsky (left).

Labeling the bags for Apple, Apricot, Blueberry, Cherry, Cottage Cheese, Cream Cheese, Peach, Poppy Seed, Prune, Raspberry, & Strawberry-Rhubarb

Elaine Smriga, Susan Franson, and Margaret Vesely
(left to right below)





(Left photo)

Organizing the kitchen crew, Cathleen Oslzly (front), Bev Vonasek and Connie Jean Hulinsky (back)

(Photo below from front to back)

Deb Vocasek, Heather Hejl, Ellisha Peterson, and Garrett Dickey





The perfect dough, Tom Zumpfe (left)

Training newcomer, John Rood (below right)



Weighing every koláč and rolling the dough into balls.
(Left front) Elisha Peterson; Dough Line Back to Front: Diane Vesely-Robb, Bill Smriga, Mike Nagle & Jim Bishop



Rolling the dough to perfection, Deb Vocasek



Just the right amount of filling, Maxine Bishop (back), Connie Jean Hulinsky (middle) & Heather Hejl (front)



Learning a new skill, Phyllis Sukovaty Baughman





Now for the oven...

Managing the four
ovens, 15 koláče
on each pan...

And now we wait...

Maurice and Bev
Vonasek.





Bill Smriga

Straight out of the oven to cool before bagging.
Garrett Dickey (below right), young but already a pro,
and Bill Smriga (left).



Garrett Dickey, Connie Jean
Hulinsky and Diane Vesely-
Robb



Margaret Vesely prepares lunch for the workers with homemade rohlíky, šunka a sýr (rolls, ham & cheese)



Maxine Bishop (left) and Andrea Volf (right)



Getting through this with luck and prayers – Jim Bishop prays for all of us for successful baking, this year (and next)

We did it!
Well done!

Cathleen Oslzly
Connie Jean Hulisnky
Andrea Volf
and Tom Zumpfe (still in
the kitchen)



**With 24
Volunteers!**

FINAL COUNT

5 Dozen - 60 - Prune
5 Dozen - 60 - Blueberry
4 3/4 Dozen - 57 - Cottage Cheese
7 1/2 Dozen - 90 - Peach
10 3/4 Dozen - 129 - Cherry
9 1/2 Dozen - 114 - Poppyseed
2 1/2 Dozen - 30 - Raspberry
14 Dozen - 168 - Apricot
7 Dozen - 84 - Apple
14 1/2 Dozen - 174 - Cream Cheese
5 1/4 Dozen - 63 - Strawberry Rhubarb

A Total of...

1029 koláče or 85 3/4 dozen

Výborně!
Well done!



1. Phyllis Baughman
2. Jim Bishop
3. Maxine Bishop
4. Garrett Dickey
5. Susan Franson
6. Heather Hejl
7. Connie Jean Hulinsky
8. Evie Kantor
9. Mike Nagle
10. Susan Nagle
11. Cathleen Oslzly
12. Jan Perkins
13. Elisha Petersen
14. John Rood
15. Lois Rood
16. Bill Smriga
17. Elaine Smirga
18. Deb Vocasek
19. Margaret Vesely
20. Diane Vesely-Robb
21. Bev Vonasek
22. Maurice Vonasek
23. Ann Volf
24. Tom Zumpfe

THANK YOU!

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