



First Annual Port Orford Chili and Barbeque Cook-off

Chili Cook-off Rules and Regulations

- All ingredients for chili and mixing of chili must be prepared on-site or purchased from an approved source (schedule to use kitchen is available on the registration form on a first-come-first-serve basis).
- All cooking is to be done in a sanitary manner and in compliance with Curry County regulations. If you are using poultry, it must be cooked to an internal temperature of 165°F, beef to 155°F. Conditions are subject to inspection by event representatives. In addition, failure to comply is subject to disqualification.
- A maximum of 10 people are allowed to compete due to space. You will need to provide your entry fee with your entry form to reserve a space.
- You will need to prepare at least 1 quart of chili for the official judging. You will be provided with an official judging container with a unique code attached to remain anonymous. A contest representative will collect your container for judging about 20 minutes before the actual judging. However, the more chili you have prepared, the better chance you have to win the People's Choice.
- Containers for public tasting will be provided
- You will need to keep your chili warm to at least 140°F using a slow cooker throughout the duration of the event. If you do not have one, there a limited number available for your use on a first-come-first-serve basis. Make sure to indicate on your registration form whether you would like to use one.
- You will also need to provide your own ladle or other scoop with a handle to serve chili to the public and other utensils you need to cook. You may bring your own pots and pans if you would like.
- At no time are you allowed to leave your chili unattended, for safety and integrity reasons
- By signing the registration form, you agree to abide by the preceding rules and regulations

Judging Criteria

- Chili will be judged on the following criteria:
 - Texture/Consistency
 - Color
 - Aroma
 - Flavor
 - Aftertaste
- Categories include:
 - With Beans
 - Without Beans
 - Spicy
 - Other (including vegetarian, green, chili with pasta, etc)
- The top chili entry in each category will be awarded
- In addition to the official judging, there is also a People's Choice winner