

1<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL  
NATCHITOCHEES PARISH FAIR  
CHILI COOK-OFF

**EVENT DATE: SEPTEMBER 30, 2017**

1. ALL TEAMS MUST BE REGISTERED BY SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup>. THE EVENT IS FREE; HOWEVER THERE IS A \$25 DEPOSIT FOR YOUR SPOT. YOU'LL GET IT BACK WHEN YOU ARRIVE! JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE YOU SHOW-UP!
2. THE FAIRGROUNDS WILL OPEN AT 7:00AM. ALL TEAMS MUST BE REGISTERED, SET-UP AND READY TO BEGIN COOKING BY 9:00AM. THERE WILL BE A TEAM MEETING AT 8:30AM TO REVIEW RULES.
3. TEAMS WILL BE ASSIGNED A DESIGNATED COOKING AREA.
4. ALL TEAMS MUST CONSIST OF AT LEAST 2 PEOPLE.
5. EACH TEAM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL COOKING UTENSILS, TABLES, CHAIRS, COOKING INGREDIENTS, SET-UP AND CLEAN UP. A TENT OR OVERHEAD COVERING OF SOME SORT IS REQUIRED.
6. EACH TEAM MUST SUPPLY ALL COOKING EQUIPMENT: PROPANE STOVE, GRILLS, ETC.
7. NO CHILI CAN BE PRE-COOKED OR PREPARED PRIOR TO COMPETITION. ALL FOOD PREPERATION INCLUDING MEAT (STILL IN ORIGINAL PACKAGING), CUTTING OF VEGETABLES, ETC. MUST BE DONE ON-SITE.
8. NO COMMERCIAL CHILI MIXES ARE ALLOWED. HATE TO BE THIS OBVIOUS, BUT NO CANNED CHILI IS ALLOWED...JUST SAYIN'.
9. TEAMS ARE ENCOURAGED, URGED AND OTHERWISE MOTIVATED TO DECORATE THEIR AREA AND THEMSELVES. THE BEST-DECORATED AND COSTUMED TEAM WILL BE REWARDED!
10. EACH TEAM WILL BE ASSIGNED A CONTESTANT NUMBER AND GIVEN A STYROFOAM CUP WITH LID FOR THEIR CHILI. AN OFFICIAL OF THE COOK-OFF WILL DELIVER THE CHILI ENTRIES TO THE JUDGES FOR A BLIND TASTE TEST. TASTING WILL BEGIN AT 12:00 NOON.
11. WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT AROUND 1:00PM.
12. EACH TEAM WILL BE ABLE TO SELL THEIR CHILI TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC ONCE THEIR SAMPLING IS SUBMITTED TO THE JUDGES. ALL BOWLS AND SPOONS WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL TEAMS.
13. OUR FAIR GATES WILL OPEN AT 12:00 AND WE WILL BE HAVING AN OPEN LIVESTOCK SHOW THAT DAY. THE MORE CHILI YOU COOK, THE MORE CHILI YOU CAN SELL!
14. ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT: **LYNN LACAZE - 318-332-0419**

**1<sup>ST</sup> place-\$150 & prize; 2<sup>nd</sup> place-\$100 & prize; 3<sup>rd</sup> place-\$75 & prize**

NATCHITOCHEs  
PARISH FAIR  
**CHILI COOK-OFF ENTRY FORM**

DROP OFF FORMS AT THE NATCHITOCHEs PARISH 4-H  
OFFICE ON SECOND ST. OR MAIL TO: NATCH. PARISH FAIR  
ASSOC., P.O. BOX 904 NATCH. LA. 71457  
CONTACT: LYNN LACAZE – 318-332-0419

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM CAPTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the cook-off rules. I agree that our team will be responsible for its set up and clean up of designated booth area.

TEAM CAPTAIN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_