

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **Cornbread:** Contestants must cook at least one (1) batch of cornbread or dessert over coals or in the ground only. Please Use a PLAIN Cornbread Recipe ONLY. Use of other ingredients will cause immediate disqualification. The container must not have any foil. Turn in @ Noon
2. **Chili:** Contestants must cook a minimum of three (3) pounds of beef or venison. (No other wild game) Turn in @ 1 pm
3. **Beans:** Contestants must cook at least one (1) pound of pinto beans. (No pieces of meat and No bacon) Turn in @ 2 pm
4. **Chicken:** Contestants must turn in ½ of chicken cut lengthwise. (this would include wing, breast, thigh, and drumstick) Sauce and foil are NOT allowed in the container. Turn in @ 3 pm
5. **Dessert** must be cooked on site ground or over coals in order to be served as a hot dish. The container must NOT have any foil. Turn in @ 3 pm
6. **Chef's Choice** dish must be cooked on site ground or over coals in order to be served as a hot dish. The container must not have any foil. Turn in @ 4 pm
7. **Ribs:** Contestants must cook at least one slab of USDA pork ribs. Baby back ribs, sauce, and foil will NOT be allowed. The team will turn in 6 or more for judging purposes. Turn in @ 4 pm
8. **Margaritas** can be frozen or "on the rocks" and any flavor. The container will have a lid. Turn in @ 5 pm
9. **Dip** can be any choice of salsa, cheese, bean, etc. Turn in @ 5 pm
10. All contestants may begin to set up at 8:00 A.M. on Saturday, March 24, 2018.
11. The **Head Cook's** meeting will be held at 10:30 a.m. inside the American Legion Hall.
12. Judges will select first through sixth place in each cooking division.
13. Showmanship judging will be held @ 2 pm.
14. Bring your own cover in case of bad weather.
15. Contest committee reserves the right to make additional rules and regulations as the situation warrants.
16. Entries must be received by March 10, 2018. Entries are needed as soon as possible in order to make necessary preparations.
17. There must be at least one team member who is at least 21 years of age present on the cook-off grounds at all times. If not, the team will be disqualified and asked to leave the grounds.
18. No firearms of any kind will be allowed on the premises. Pets are not allowed.

19. Security and state laws will be enforced in regards to underage drinking and disorderly conduct.
20. No loud music will be allowed in the cooking area. Please be a good neighbor!
21. All outdoor music will need to stop at 10:00 P.M.
22. Each team will be responsible during and after the cook-off for cleaning up their allotted space. All trash and equipment should be picked up and moved out by 10 am Sunday morning. Trash bags will be provided at the Head Cook's meeting.