



5th Annual Chili Cook-Off



Thursday, March 15, 6 to 8 p.m.

Barksdale Pavilion Batson-Cook Co.

8860 Philips Highway, Jacksonville 32256

Covered pavilion...this event will be held rain or shine

**Think you make
the best chili?
Prove it.**

**\$75 to enter your chili &
compete***

Register your team by March 9.
Two persons per team.

**NEW in 2018!
Celebrity Judges!
Blind Tasting!**

See Chili Cook-Off Rules
for details!

**Can you stand the
heat but want to stay
out of the kitchen?**

**\$10 to taste chili & vote
for People's Choice winner!**

Chili "judges" enjoy beer, soft
drinks and plenty of chili!

Kids under 10 are free.

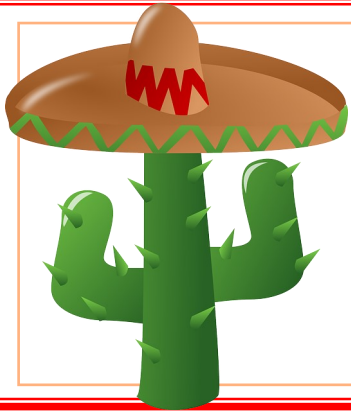
No chili making required.



Call ABC for more info: (904) 731-1506
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ABC CHILI COOK-OFF RULES

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2018 ABC Chili Cook-Off Official Rules Include Some Important Changes to the Judging Process...please read carefully!

Chili Cook Off – March 15 **Team Registration Deadline** – March 9

Schedule –

4:30 p.m.:	Teams arrive for set up
6 to 7 p.m.:	Tasting & Voting!
7:15 p.m.:	Raffle Drawing!
7:30 p.m.:	Winners announced!

Team Entry – Entry fee for each team is \$75.00. Entry fee includes a 8' table that will be assigned the day of the event and (2) admission tickets to the event. Companies may enter multiple teams.

Team Responsibilities – Each team is responsible for bringing their own equipment to set up their chili cooking station. This includes but is not limited to cooking equipment, extension cords, etc. The event staff will provide each team with sample size cups for tasting and disposable utensils. Each team will also be provided with a "bean jar" for voting purposes.

Cooking Requirements – Each team is required to provide at least 6 quarts of chili (e.g., large crock pot). Propane cookers are also acceptable. Please keep in mind that although there is a minimum requirement of 6 quarts, no one can taste and cast votes for your chili if you run out! Each team may enter a maximum of one (1) type of chili. Teams are also allowed to provide toppings for their chili (cheese, hot sauce, saltines, etc.), but may not distribute side items or beverages.

Judging & Prizes – The Chili Cook-Off committee will provide judges with numbered samples of all chilis for blind tasting. Samples will be collected 5:45 to 6 p.m. Judges will determine top three chilis as judged by the judging panel's own discretionary criteria. The panel will be comprised of local "celebrities" and will not include ABC members or staff. Judges decisions are final. A "People's Choice" winner will be selected by vote of event attendees. **Feel free to decorate your table, tent or booth space to attract the crowd!**

