

## Chili Cookoff Judges Committee

Responsible for 3 judges, setup of sample chili bowls and numbered cups for People's Choice award voting.

### **Judges:**

You will need three (3) judges. The main judge for all of the Sand Springs Chili Cookoffs has been Russ Gilstrap (Chiropractor in Sand Springs) 918-241-3901.

The other two should be "celebrities". Examples, TV personality (Frank Mitchell Mamola can help), Radio personality (Troy Cox can help). Musicians, Politicians, etc. Just someone who is not in or related to the Sand Springs Rotary Club.

### **Awards:**

Southwest Tulsa Trophy, 918-446-2525, 4988 South Union Ave, Tulsa, OK 74107. Give them about a months warning so that they have enough of our special trophies on hand. Once the winners are decided, you will get the names and categories to STT for the plaques to be made. This is done on the afternoon of the Chili Cookoff, STT should have them ready by the following Wednesday, in time for the official announcement of the winners at the normal Rotary Club meeting 1 week after the Cookoff. You will probable need to share the winners names with the paper and any other interested news outlets.

There is one permanent 1<sup>st</sup> place trophy that the winner keeps for a year. It will get a new plaque added to its base and be handed over to the new winner.

### **Winner categories are:**

1<sup>st</sup>      2<sup>nd</sup>      3<sup>rd</sup>      People's Choice

optional categories might be Showmanship, Emergency Services (Fire vs Police)

Check with Ed Dubie to see what will be included.

### **Duties during Cookoff:**

Make a numbered list of team names (will be around 25-30 teams, separate special category teams [Police and Fire] as they may or may not be eligible for Peoples Choice)

Each Chili Team will get a numbered Chili sample bowl with lid (for the judges), and a numbered cup for Peoples Choice tickets. Some teams will have more than one Chili entered, and will get numbered bowls and cups for each one.

Supply Judges with 5x8 lined notepads (for them to tally their scores for each team), pens, cups of water or milk.

At approximately 11:30 start gathering up Sample chili bowls and bring them to the Judges Table

The judges will give you the winning Team's numbers.

Around 12:30 gather up the Peoples Choice cups and count the tickets to determine the winner.

Get the winners name to the Southwest Tulsa Trophy. Pickup trophies. Announce winners to the Club at the next meeting.

You are done until next year!